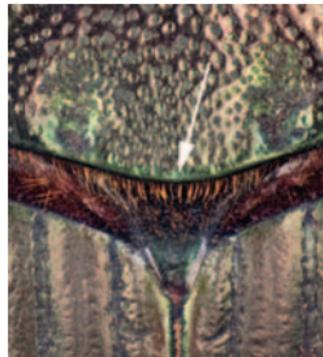


Microscopic characters to distinguish *Onitis peculiaris* from *Onitis viridulus*

Using the combination of characters below will usually allow identification, although small individuals will be very difficult.



Base of pronotum between basal foveae finely bordered in *O. peculiaris*



Base of pronotum between basal foveae not bordered in *O. viridulus*