

other Old World *Strumigenus* in lacking both propodeal teeth and their lamellae, and is also distinct in having the welt-like lamella on the inner mandibular border, which may represent a condition intermediate between the broad lamella of *guttulata* and toothed forms like *decollata*. *S. ecliptacoca* (from the Greek words meaning "deficient" and "point or edge") seems best placed arbitrarily in the *godeffroyi* group for the present.