

Land Snails from Bushy Park

These snail species were collected in pitfall-flight-intercept traps at Bushy Park in summer 2005/06. They represent a small sample of the (probably) 2000 species occurring in New Zealand, of which only about 500 have been named. It is thought that New Zealand may have 3-5 times the snail diversity of most other countries in the world, when calculated on a per unit area basis. For some species, two different views of the same specimen are shown. Names such as 'Punctidae SPP2K n. sp. 140' refer to the 'Species 2000 List' of currently unnamed species.

Snail Species List

1. *Allodiscus chion*
2. *Cavellia buccinella*
3. *Cavellioropa moussoni*
4. *Charopa coma*
5. *Climocella maculata*
6. *Cytora maui*
7. *Delos coresia*
8. *Laoma mariae*
9. *Laoma nerissa*
10. *Mocella eta*
11. *Paralaoma lateumbilicata*
12. *Phenacobelix giveni*
13. *Phenacobelix lucetta*
14. *Phenacobelix perplexa*
15. *Phenacobelix rusticus*
16. *Phrixgnathus ariel*
17. Punctidae SPP2K n. sp. 140
18. *Schizoglossa novoseelandica*
19. *Serpho kivi*
20. *Suteria ide*
21. *Thermia subincarnata*

Scale bar = 1mm.

