

***Aglaothorax morsei* (Caudell, 1907)**

Common name. Morse's Shieldback

Type material. The holotype male in ANSP is from Mount Wilson, Los Angeles County, California (Caudell 1907). Drawings of the damaged holotype were published in Rentz & Weissman (1981). TOPOTYPES EXAMINED: (n=3) **USA, CA, Los Angeles Co.**, Eaton Canyon Park, 34.180561, -118.095903, 29-VI-1964, PH Sullivan, CAS, 1♂; Eaton Canyon Wash, Pasadena, 34.16224, -118.08500, 16-VII-1964, RH Crandall, CAS, 1♂; Henninger Flats Road, 34.192505, -118.087569, 1067 m, 15-VIII-1982, d B Weissman, CAS, 1♂.

Distribution. South slope of the San Gabriel Mountains of Southern California.

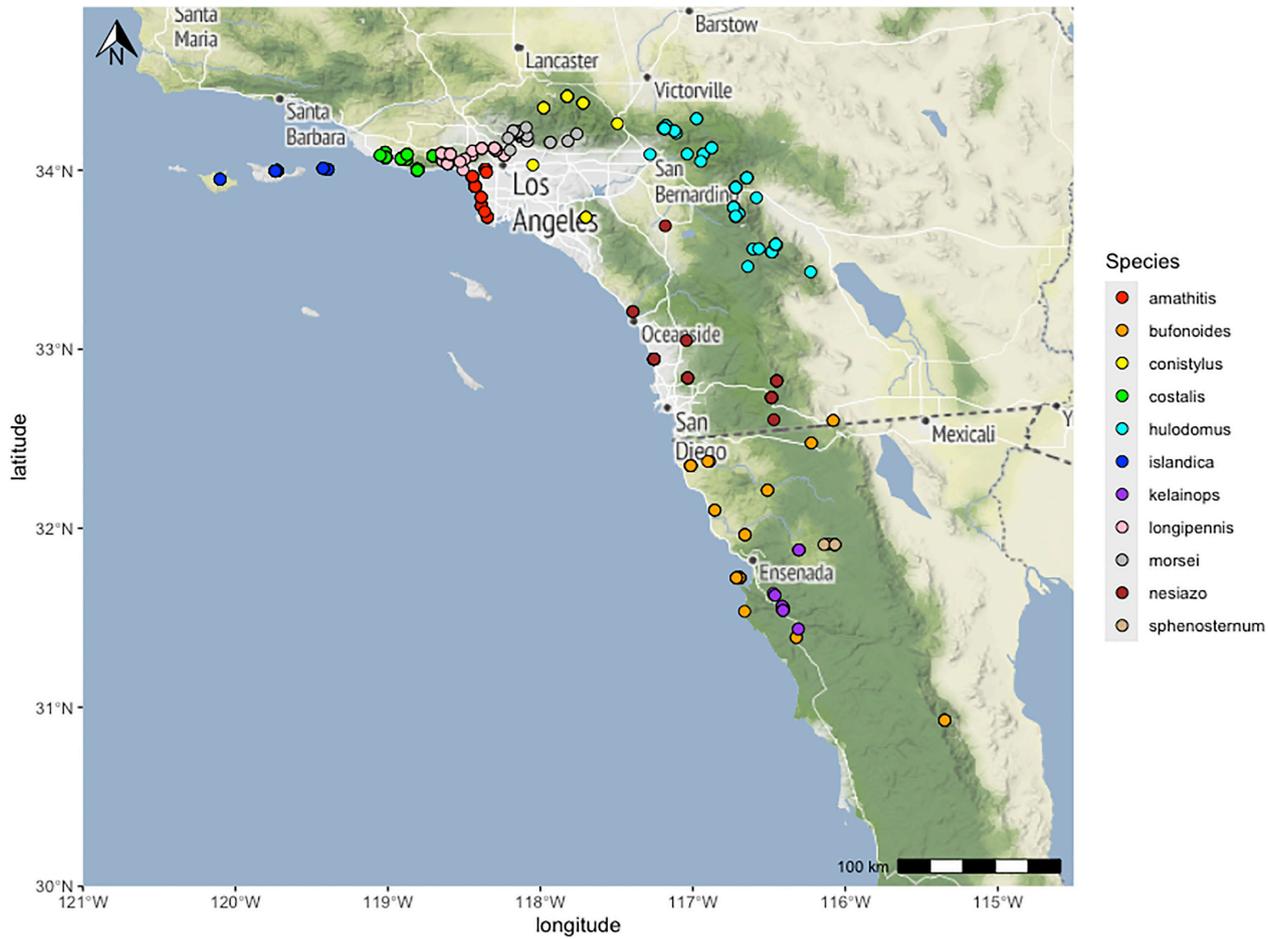


FIGURE 15. Distribution of Morsei Group species.

Material examined. (n=55) **All USA, CA, Los Angeles Co.,** Fish Canyon Trailhead, Duarte, 34.15554, -117.93524, 236 m, 17-VI-2015, JA Cole, GE Bell, y Tiemsanjai, S Tipyatabiankarn, LACM, 2♀; Los Angeles Co., Altadena, 34.189728, -118.131182, 1080 m, 10-VIII-1981, RH Crandall, LACM, 1♀; same data except 11-VI-1989, RH Crandall, LACM, 1♂; same data except, 6-VI-1990, RH Crandall, LACM, 1♂; Arroyo Seco along Gabrielino Recreation Trail, Angeles National Forest, end of Windsor Boulevard, Altadena, 34.2065, -118.1670, 355 m, 24-VI-2007, JA Cole, JF Eguizabal, AMNH, 1♂, 1♀; same data except LACM, 3♂, 1♀; same data except 3-IX-2021, JA Cole, JF Eguizabal, LACM, 1♂; same data except 7-VI-2007, JA Cole, JM Hogue, MFJ Storc, LACM, 2♂, 4♀; same data except JAC, 1♀; Big d alton Canyon, San d imas Experimental Forest, 1-2 miles North of Glendora on Big d alton Road, 34.1627, -117.8196, 483 m, 17-IV-2017, JA Cole, K Halsey, LACM, 1♂; Chaney Trail Drive, Altadena, near jct. Loma Alta Drive, 34.20696, -118.14840, 546 m, 17-18-VI-2015, JA Cole, GE Bell, y Tiemsanjai, S Tipyatabiankarn, JAC, 1♂; Millard Canyon Campground, Angeles National Forest, end of Chaney Trail Rd., 34.2162, -118.1484, 546 m, 1-VIII-1954, RH Crandall, LACM, 2♂; same data except 13-14-VI-2007, JA Cole, JF Eguizabal, LACM, 7♂, 5♀; same data except JAC, 1♀; same data except 29-30-V-2008, JA Cole, AMNH, 1♂, 1♀; same data except LACM, 5♀; same data except JAC, 1♀; same data except 6-VI-2007, JA Cole, LACM, 3♀; same data except 8-VI-2007, JA Cole, LACM, 1♂; same data except JAC, 1♂; Pasadena, above Arroyo Seco near d evil's Gate d am, 34.22059, -118.17836, 320 m, 9-XII-2003, JN Hogue, CSUN, 2♂; Tanbark Flat, 34.20389, -117.76061, 18-VII-1956, A Menke Jr, LACM, 1♀; **QUESTIONABLE PLACEMENT: (n=3) USA, CA, Los Angeles Co.,** Eaton Saddle Trailhead, Angeles National Forest, 34.23928, -118.09336, 1549 m, 13-IX-2023, JA Cole, C Wong, LACM, 1♂; Highland Park, 34.111953, -118.198962, 183 m, 10-VIII-1975, no collector, CAS, 1♀; San Rafael Hills, 34.179728, -118.210629, 7-X-1956, CL Hogue, LACM, 1♀.