
Range extension of *Crosslandia daedali* (Nudibranchia: Scyllaeidae)

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Here we report four sightings of *Crosslandia daedali* Poorman and Mulliner, 1981 off the northern Pacific coast of Costa Rica, previously reported only in the vicinity of its type locality (Mexico). Two sightings (04 – 05 December 2001) were made in Bahía Culebra (10°35'N; 85°40'W), Guanacaste. The specimens were found on leaves of *Halimeda* sp. algae covered with hydroids at a depth of approximately five meters. The identity of *Crosslandia daedali* was confirmed by scanning electron analysis of the radula. One specimen has been deposited in the Museo de Zoología (catalog # 5310), Universidad de Costa Rica. Two additional specimens (Instituto Nacional de Biodiversidad, Costa Rica, catalog # INBOOO3118213) were collected at Playa Grande, Tamarindo Bay, Pacific Costa Rica (10°20' N, 85°51' W), 11

January 2001, at 0 m depth on *Padina* sp. algae. These sightings extend its known distribution approximately 2100 km to the south.

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