

AN AFRICAN CHIGGER, *SCHOENGASTIA PITHECIAGAMBIAE* N. SP. (ACARI: TROMBICULIDAE, SHOENGASTIINI), FROM PRIMATE MONKEY HOSTS, *CHLOROCEBUS SABAEUS* (L.) AND *PAPIO PAPIO* (L.) FROM GAMBIA

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ABSTRACT - An African chigger, *Schoengastia pitheciagambiae* n. sp. (Acari: Trombiculidae), from Gambia, West Africa, taken from cercopithicoid monkey hosts, *Chlorocebus sabaesus* (L.) and *Papio papio* (L.), is described. Notes on the collected host habitats are presented.

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