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Addenda to Cruz et al. (2019) “New locality for the rare sigmodontine *Abrawayaomys ruschii* (Rodentia, Cricetidae) in Argentina, with comments about its regional conservation status”

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In a recent contribution, Cruz et al. (2019) reported a new locality for *Abrawayaomys ruschii* in Misiones, Argentina. As with other records of small mammals in which authors considered that voucher specimens were sufficiently diagnostic such that it was not necessary to illustrate them (e.g., the first record of *Loxodontomys micropus* for Mendoza, Argentina [Pardiñas et al., 2003]; the first records of *Galea leucoblephara* and *Reithrodon auritus* for Península de Valdes, Chubut, Argentina [Pardiñas et al., 2001]), we did not provide photographs of the unmistakable spines of *Abrawayaomys* in that note.

In this addenda, we include a photograph of the spines of this rodent recovered from the scat of an ocelot (Fig. 1), as reported in Cruz et al. (2019). We hope this would be of help to other researchers working with carnivore scats in areas where *A. ruschi* has not been detected, but might occur.

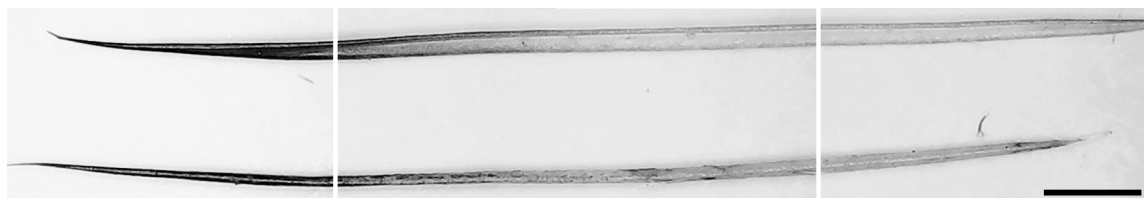


Figure 1. Hairs modified into spines of *Abrawayaomys ruschii* recovered from an ocelot (*Leopardus pardalis*) scat, collected at National Route 101 and arroyo Central, Iguazú National Park, Misiones, Argentina. Scale = 1 mm.



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