

Key to Species of *Cantharis* of South Carolina

(adapted from Pelletier and Hébert 2014)

- 2(1) Pronotal margins arcuate; black, pronotum mostly reddish yellow with narrow yellow margins; elytral surface deeply punctate; length 6-7 mm.....[*C. lecontei*](#) Fall
Pronotal margins subparallel; dark brown to black, pronotum mostly black, variously margined with yellow; elytra rugose, punctures minute; length 5.0-7.5 mm [*C. tuberculata*](#) (LeConte)

Pelletier, G., and C. Hébert. 2014. The Cantharidae of eastern Canada and northeastern United States. *Canadian Journal of Arthropod Identification* 5:1-246.