



Terebra shimajiriensis MacNeil, 1960

Pl. 4, figs. 1a-1b

1960, *Terebra shimajiriensis* MacNeil, *USGS Prof. Pap.*, 339, p. 126, pl. 6, fig. 30.

Full grown specimen (14 whorls are preserved in 33.1 mm in shell height) was collected, but its apex was missing.

External surface sculptured with slightly inclined axial ribs (20 in number at the last whorl) with roof-like topped being weak at upper subsutural area and distinct somewhat nodous on younger stage at lower subsutural area. Interspaces rather smooth but microscopic spiral striations. Columella short and curved. Siphonal canal moderate and turned posteriorly.

Locality and number of individual;
Loc. no. 414-4, 1 specimen.

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Figs. 1a-1b, *Terebra shimajiriensis* MacNeil, $\times 1$, Loc. no. 414-4, IGUT no. 10556. p. 55.

Terebra shimajiriensis, n. sp.

Plate 6, figure 30



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Shell small, moderately slender; sculpture consisting of thin axial ribs, ten to eleven visible from a side, that incline to the left in the direction of the apex, weak below the suture on the latter whorls, but terminating at the suture in a moderately sharp raised node on the early whorls. The nodes give the early whorls the appearance of having a subsutural collar, but it is not set off by an impressed line, either continuous or punctate.

Holotype (USNM 562789) measures: height 15.5 mm, diameter 3.8 mm.

Type locality: Yonabaru clay member, 17448.

There appear to be no Japanese terebrids with which this species can be confused.

Distribution: Miocene, (Yonabaru clay member) Okinawa.
Localities: Yonabaru clay member, 17448 (figured type).

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30. *Terebra shimajiriensis*, n. sp. (p. 126). Holotype (USNM 562789).

Apertural view ($\times 4$), height 15.5 mm, diameter 3.8 mm. Yonabaru clay (17448).