

# *Aedes vexans*

The most common species of this genus in the country are *Aedes vexans*, *Aedes aegypti*, and *Aedes niveus*.

<https://topbest.ph/blog/3-common-mosquito-species-in-the-philippines/#:~:text=The%20most%20common%20species%20of,yellow%20fever%2C%20and%20other%20viruses.>

*Aedes vexans*, a mosquito species native to China, also carries mosquito-borne viruses, such as dengue fever virus and Japanese encephalitis virus, but research on this mosquito has been inadequate.

<https://parasitesandvectors.biomedcentral.com/articles/10.1186/s13071-023-05924-9>

- Unbanded proboscis
- Scutum with short brown scales and no obvious pattern
- Most easily recognized by the sideways 'B' shaped markings on each abdominal tergite.

<https://bugguide.net/node/view/57572>