

***Typhlops platycephalus* (Puerto Rican White-tailed Blindsnake). Distribution.**

Date of observation: 7 December 2007. Location: Turks and Caicos Islands; Big Ambergris Cay. Coordinates: 21.321, -71.625. Elevation: 4 m. Voucher: image. This is a range extension for this species in the Caicos Islands. One individual encountered active on the surface at 2315 hours in a karst field with Turks Head Cactus. Photographed and released at capture site. Color Photo Voucher APSU 18948. Verified by B. N. Manco and S. Blair Hedges. 20 March 2009. One individual

encountered under a rock partially buried in sandy soil at the base of a hill. These observations extend the known range of this species to the southeastern margin of the Caicos Bank.

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