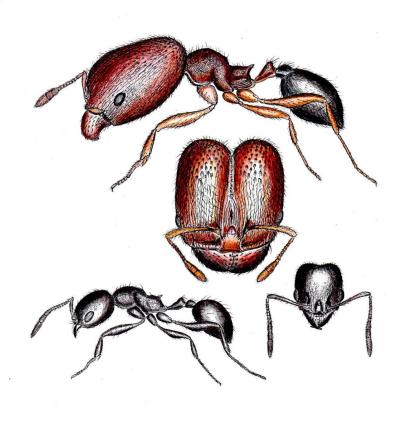
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## Small ants, big heads

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PHEIDOLE LITTORALIS

Seaside big-headed ant (*Pheidole littoralis*), is a species found in Florida coastal and inland dunes. The jaws of the large individuals are adapted for grinding small seeds. COURTESY/MARK DEYRUP

VENUS — Big-headed ants probably live in almost every backyard in Florida; however, their