

***Dacus (Dacus) theophrastus* Hering**

Dacus armatus form *theophrastus* Hering, 1941b: 5

Wing length, 7.4-7.8 mm.

Head. Pedicel+1st flagellomere not longer than ptilinal suture. Face, antennal furrow with a dark spot. Frons, frontal setae 2, orbital seta 1.

Thorax. Scutum predominantly fuscous; postpronotal lobe yellow to bicoloured; notopleural callus yellow; notopleural xanthine isolated from notopleural callus; lateral and medial postsutural vittae present. Scutellum without any dark patterning (except for basal dark margin). Anepisternum with a stripe from notopleural callus to (or almost to) katepisternum; extended onto katepisternum. Lateroterga with a separate xanthine on anatergite and katatergite. Thoracic setae. Anterior notopleural seta present; anterior supra-alar seta present.

Wing. Basal cells bc and c without an almost complete covering of microtrichia; cell bm without microtrichia. Narrow subbasal raised section of cell br with extensive covering of microtrichia. Crossvein R-M beyond middle of cell dm. Costal band complete; deep, extending to (or below) vein R_{4+5} before wing apex; apically expanded into a spot which reaches about mid-depth of cell r_{4+5} and starts before end of vein R_{2+3} . Anal streak present (colour extending beyond cell bcu). Cells bc and c slightly coloured (not as deeply as costal band). Without any crossbanding.

Legs. Femora bicoloured (pale basally, red-brown apically); forefemur sometimes only darkened preapically, or almost entirely red-brown. Abdomen.

Predominantly red-brown; shape and patterning, see image. Tergites I-V all fused.

Male. Tergite III with pecten, dense microtrichia adjacent end A_1+Cu_2 , and hindtibia preapical "pad". Basal costal sections without specialised setae.

Female. Aculeus pointed (lateral aspect similar to *D. eclipsis*); no torsion.

(Description after White, 2006)