

***Dacus (Dacus) xanthopterus (Bezzi)***

[*Dacus*] *Tridacus xanthopterus* Bezzi, 1915: 94

Wing length, 7.9 mm.

Head. Pedicel+1st flagellomere length uncertain (broken). Face, antennal furrow with a dark stripe. Frons, frontal setae 2, orbital seta 1.

Thorax. Scutum predominantly red-brown; postpronotal lobe concolorous with scutum; notopleural callus yellow; notopleural xanthine absent; lateral and medial postsutural vitta absent. Scutellum concolorous with scutum. Anepisternum with a very narrow stripe from notopleural callus to (or almost to) katepisternum; extended onto katepisternum. Lateroterga without a xanthine. 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; shallow, not or only slightly extending below vein  $R_{2+3}$  before wing apex; expanded into a small spot at apex. Anal streak present (colour extending beyond cell bcu). Cells bc and c hyaline. Without any crossbanding.

Legs. Femora red-brown.

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

Male. Tergite III with pecten (no male examined).

Female. Aculeus pointed; no torsion.

(Description after White, 2006)