

***Dacus (Didacus) tenebricus* Munro**

Dacus (Didacus) ostiofaciens var. *tenebricus* Munro 1938b: 161

Wing length, 5.4-6.1 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 red-brown; postpronotal lobe yellow; notopleural callus yellow; notopleural xanthine wedge shaped (connected to notopleural callus); lateral and medial postsutural vitta absent. Scutellum without any dark patterning (except for basal dark margin). Anepisternum with a stripe from notopleural callus to (or almost to) katapisternum; extended onto katapisternum. Laterotergal xanthine confined to katatergite. Thoracic setae. Anterior notopleural seta usually absent, rarely present (and then only on one side); anterior supra-alar seta absent.

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; fairly deep, extending below vein R_{2+3} or to below vein R_{4+5} , before wing apex; expanded into a small spot at apex. Anal streak present [many available specimens were teneral and appeared to lack an anal streak].

Cell bc hyaline; cell c slightly coloured (not as deep as costal band).

Crossbanding, when present, confined to a small mark at upper end of R-M.

Legs. Fore- and midfemora red-brown; hindfemur bicoloured (pale basally, red-brown apically).

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 blunt, somewhat incised, and without preapical "shoulder"; complete torsion.

(Description after White, 2006)