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Size. Small, wing length, 4-4.8 mm.

Male

Head: Pedicel+first flagellomere not longer than ptilinal suture. Face, antennal furrow without a dark spot. Frons, frontal setae 1-2, orbital setae absent.

Thorax: Scutum black; postpronotal lobe yellow (sometimes indistinctly brownish antero-mesally); notopleural callus black; notopleural xanthine absent; lateral and medial postsutural vittae absent. Scutellum yellow, without any dark patterning (except for basal dark margin which is deep in the females). Anepisternum with a yellow subtriangular xanthine from notopleural callus to (or almost to) katepisternum; anteriorly almost reaching postpronotal lobe; not extended onto katepisternum. Laterotergal xanthine confined to katatergite. Thoracic setae. Anterior notopleural seta sometimes present (present in holotype male; absent in females); anterior supra-alar seta absent.

Wing: Basal cells bc and c without a covering of microtrichia; cell bm without microtrichia. Narrow subbasal raised section of cell br without microtrichia. Crossvein R-M beyond middle of cell dm. Costal band absent; reduced to a trace of dark colour in cell r_1 and an apical spot which reaches about mid-depth of cell r_{4+5} . Anal streak absent. Cells bc and c hyaline. Crossbanding; sometimes with an isolated crossband on R-M (the females have this; the holotype male does not).

Legs: Femora pale (yellow) coloured.

Abdomen: Black, except apical half of tergite V (also antero-medial area of tergite V in male holotype). Tergites I-V all fused. Tergite III without pecten; no dense microtrichia adjacent end A_1+Cu_2 ; no hindtibia preapical pad.

Female

As male. Aculeus pointed; no torsion.

(Description after White & Goodger, 2009)