Ceratitis (Pterandrus) podocarpi (Bezzi)

Pterandrus podocarpi Bezzi, 1924a: 476.

Body length: 4.33 (3.55-4.75) mm; wing length: 4.39 (3.70-4.70) mm. Male

Head: Antenna yellowish orange. First flagellomere three times as long as pedicel. Arista with very short rays; ventral rays absent or shorter and sparser than dorsal rays basally. Frons on ventral half swollen; yellow, lateral margin pale yellow; with short scattered setulae largely of same color as frons. Frontal setae slightly less developed than other setae. Face yellowish white; gena darker yellow. Genal seta and setulae dark, well developed.

Thorax: Postpronotal lobe white, with brown spot. Scutal pattern, ground color orange-brown, microtrichose areas with silvery or ashgray shine; spots brown, prescutellar yellow markings separate. Scapular setae dark. Scutellum yellow, basally with two separate dark spots, apically with three separate black spots, extending to basal 0.33, touching basal spots or almost so. Anepisternum along ventral margin only darker yellow; setulae pale, except few dark setulae ventrally. Legs: Yellowish orange except where otherwise noted; setation typical for subgenus, mixed pale and dark. Foreleg: femur posteriorly with weakly developed and dispersed bush of long dark setulae along entire length, posterodorsal setulae longer; ventral setae dark. Midleg: femur anteriorly with row of short dark setae on basal half, not always conspicuous; ventrally with few dispersed long pale setulae, distally darker setae; tibia darker and dilated in distal 0.66; ventrally and dorsally with black feathering along distal half, anterodorsally extra row of black feathering along distal half to 0.66, except apical 0.17. Hindleg: femur at apical 0.25 with longer setulae dorsally and ventrally. Wing: bands yellowish brown. Marginal and discal bands with interruption, or partly joined; cubital band free; medial band absent (sometimes weakly present as free band); crossvein R-M just beyond middle of discal cell. Apex of vein R1 distal to level of crossvein R-M. Crossvein DM-Cu oblique anterobasally. Abdomen: Mostly yellow. Tergite 1 with brown patches across posterior margin. Tergites 2 and 4 with silvery transverse band along posterior half, brownish colored anteriorly as two large spots, sometimes wholly brownish colored. Tergite 3 largely yellowish brown. Tergite 5 yellow, with brown patches along anterior and posterior margin. Setation typical for subgenus. Male epandrium in lateral view with lateral surstylus slender and elongate, anterior lobe strongly pronounced.

Female

As male except for the following characters: Frons yellow with few dark patches. Frontal setae well developed. Anepisternum along ventral margin dark brown, sometimes extended to ventral 0.33. Crossvein DM-Cu oblique posterobasally. Legs without feathering, pilosity dark; femora orange-brown; forefemur posteroventrally with dark pilosity. Abdominal tergite 5 with silvery transverse band along posterior margin; sometimes abdomen completely brown with silvery bands. Oviscape shorter than preabdomen. Aculeus about six times longer than wide; tip pointed and lateral margin concave.

(Description after De Meyer & Freidberg, 2006)