

- Anterior clypeal margin almost straight or feebly concave; metanotal groove indistinct; foretibia relatively long, its length about 0.9-1.0 times as long as head width; mesopleuron with some longitudinal rugulae 19
- 19 Subpetiolar process low, ventral outline weakly convex, its anteroventral corner angulate (Thailand) *A. khaoyaiensis* sp. n.
- Subpetiolar process well-developed, subrectangular with convex ventral lamella, and with anterior and posterior corners acutely or bluntly angulated (Taiwan) *A. formosensis* Forel, stat. n.
- 20 Subpetiolar process very low, with anterior and posterior denticles that protrude downward (Fig. 13C); head in full-face view rectangular, its posterior margin feebly concave (Fig. 13A) (Thailand) *A. maneerati* sp. n.
- Subpetiolar process subrectangular or low, with its anteroventral corner acutely angulated and ventral outline straight or convex (Figs 8C, 22C); head in full-face view subrectangular or rounded, its posterior margin weakly concave, almost straight or weakly convex (Figs 8A, 16A, 22A) 21
- 21 Pronotum with central area superficially shagreened or rather smooth and shiny, and with lateral face reticulate and shiny; subpetiolar process low, with its anteroventral corner acutely angulate and ventral outline concave (Fig. 22C) (Sumatra, Borneo and Java) *A. sundalandensis* sp. n.
- Pronotum micropunctate or reticulate and opaque (at most weakly shiny); subpetiolar process always low, with its anteroventral corner acutely angulate and ventral outline almost straight or convex (Figs 8C, 16C) 22
- 22 Pronotum entirely strongly punctate (N. Thailand) *A. pinkaewi* sp. n.
- Anterior portion of pronotum densely punctate, lateral face of pronotum finely reticulate (China, Hong Kong, Laos and Thailand) *A. fuchuanensis* Zhou

Aenictus appressipilosus sp. n.

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Fig. 1A–C

Type material examined. Holotype. MALAYSIA: Worker from E. Malaysia, Borneo, Sabah, Tawau Hills N.P., 7.VII.1996, leg. Sk. Yamane, SB96-SKY-01 (UMS). **Paratypes.** Eight workers, same data as holotype (SKYC, THNHM).

Non-type material examined. MALAYSIA: E. Malaysia, Borneo, Sabah, Danum Valley, 3.XI.1996, K. Eguchi leg., Eg96-BOR-153 (SKYC, THNHM).

Worker measurements (holotype and paratypes, n = 9). TL 2.70-2.85 mm; HL 0.58-0.60 mm; HW 0.54-0.55 mm; SL 0.45-0.48 mm; ML 0.90-0.95 mm; PL 0.25-0.28 mm; CI 92-93; SI 84-88.

Worker description (holotype and paratypes). Head in full-face view clearly longer than broad, anterior portion slightly broader than posterior portion, sides convex, posterior margin almost straight; occipital margin bearing a carina. Antennal scape