

than half as wide as postpetiole. The latter 0.6x as long as wide and about 0.6x as wide as gaster. Petiolar penduncle notably slender in dorsal view, about 0.35x as wide as node.

Head and most of mesosoma appearing granulosely sculptured, actually minutely reticulate, more coarsely so on head than elsewhere. Disc of pronotum more or less smooth with traces of microreticulation at edges. Mandibles irregularly and finely granulose-punctate; antennae finely shagreened; legs microreticulate, slightly less coarsely so than mesepisternum. Petiole sculptured like legs, a little less distinctly on its dorsum than elsewhere. Postpetiole and gaster smooth and shining, first gastral tergite with coarse basal longitudinal costulation extending about $\frac{1}{3}$ its length.

Clypeus, anterior part of frons, and antennal scapes with scattered small, appressed orbicular hairs (ca 0.01-0.02 mm long, spaced at intervals averaging about 0.015 mm); similar hairs much less abundant on sides of frons. Ventral surface of head, area behind pre-occipital ridge, sides and dorsum of pronotum, mesonotal dorsum, petiolar node, postpetiolar dorsum and legs with scattered appressed unspecialized hairs ca 0.02 mm long, those on waist segments generally overlying the edges of their spongiform masses. First gastral tergite with two transverse rows of four linear-spatulate hairs averaging about 0.06 mm in length; one row anterior, the other posterior. Second and third gastral tergites together with about 10 similar hairs, one transverse row on each sclerite; a few slightly shorter hairs clustered at tip of gaster and scattered on its ventral surface. Appressed pubescence almost entirely restricted to antennal funiculi. Colour medium ferruginous, head and mesosoma slightly darker than remainder; vestiture white.

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