

MEXICO *Chis.*: 10 km S Palenque (M. Arrendondo); *Q. Roo*: San Miquel, Cozumel I. (N. L. H. Krauss); Vallarta (A. Dejean); *Tabsco*: 3 mi. W Cardenas (D. H. Janzen); *Ver.*: "St. Lucrecia, Teh." (W. M. Mann); 6 mi. NW Salinas (E. Schlinger); Los Tuxtlas (R. L. Jeanne); Los Tuxtlas, 10 km NNW Sontecomapan, 200 m (P. S. Ward); Los Tuxtlas, 10 km NNW Sontecomapan, 500 m (P. S. Ward).

NICARAGUA *Matagalpa*: El Tuma, 30 km E Matagalpa (C. Kugler & J. Hahn).

PANAMA *Canal Zone*: 3 km WNW Gamboa, 60 m (P. S. Ward); 5 km WNW Gatun Dam, 160 m (P. S. Ward); 6 km NW Gamboa, 50 m (P. S. Ward); Barro Colorado I. (N. Banks; W. L. Brown & E. S. McCluskey; H. Emerson; P. B. Kannowski, R. B. Root & W. L. Brown; R. B. & L. S. Kimsey; J. Reiskind; C. W. Rettenmeyer; W. M. Wheeler; H. Wolda; c.u.); Cerro Galera, 9 km W Panama City, 200 m (W. L. Brown *et al.*); Fort Kobbe (C. Campbell); Frijoles (W. M. Wheeler); Margarita Swamp (J. Zetek); Puma Island (R. B. Kimsey); vic. Pta de los Chivos, 3 km SW Gatun, 100 m (W. L. Brown *et al.*); Summit (N. L. H. Krauss); *Chiriquí*: Progress (F. M. Gaige); *Darién*: Cana, 500 m (D. M. Olson); *Panamá*: Bella Vista (N. Banks); Cerro Campana, 800–950 m (G. B. Fairchild & W. L. Brown).

PERU "Peru" (c.u.); *Junín*: Chanchamayo, Anashirone R. (C. A. Portocarrero); El Campamiento, Col. Perené (J. C. Bradley); Satipo (W. F. Walsh); *Loreto*: 15 km WSW Yurimaguas, 200 m (P. S. Ward); Yurac, 67 mi E Tingo Maria (E. I. Schlinger & E. S. Ross); *Madre de Dios*: 30 km SW Pto. Maldonado, 290 m (T. L. Erwin *et al.*); *San Martín*: Convento, 26 km NNE Tarapoto, 220 m (P. S. Ward); Davidcillo, 30 km NNE Tarapoto, 220 m (P. S. Ward).

TRINIDAD "Trinidad" (N. A. Weber; c.u.); Nariva Swamp (N. A. Weber); Palo Seco (H. Morrison).

VENEZUELA *Barinas*: 17 km SSW Ciudad Bolívia, 240 m (P. S. Ward); *Bolívar*: 44 km ENE Tumeremo, 200 m (P. S. Ward); Campamento Rio Grande, 250 m (P. S. Ward); Rio Cuyuni, 66 km SSE El Dorado, 250 m (P. S. Ward); *Carabobo*: San Esteban (W. L. & D. E. Brown); *T. F. Delta Amacuro*? "Orinoco Delta" (N. A. Weber).

### *Pseudomyrmex pisinnus* sp. nov.

(Figures 11a, 11b)

*Holotype worker*.— BRAZIL, SP: Monte Aprazível, Faz. Bacuri [20°45'S, 49°42'W], 19.vii.1974, in *Eupatorium* stem, M. Dimiz, no. 644 (MZSP). HW 0.51, HL 0.78, EL 0.41, PL 0.30, PH 0.22.

*Paratypes*.— Same data as holotype, four workers (LACM, MCZC, MZSP, PSWC). Additional, non-paratypic material is listed below.

*Worker measurements (n=8)*.— HL 0.75–0.78, HW 0.47–0.51, MFC 0.009–0.016, CI 0.61–0.68, OI 0.49–0.55, REL 0.52–0.54, REL2 0.78–0.86, OOI 0.73–1.58, VI 0.76–0.87, FCI 0.018–0.033, SI 0.41–0.45, SI2 0.50–0.54, FI 0.46–0.52, PDI 1.46–1.69, MPI 0.029–0.047, NI 0.59–0.64, PLI 0.67–0.77, PWI 0.54–0.65, PPWI 1.07–1.20.

*Worker diagnosis*.— Very small species (HW 0.47–0.51) with elongate head (Fig. 11a; CI 0.61–0.68), and short scapes relative to eye length (SI2 0.50–0.54); sides of head subparallel; occipital margin flat to slightly concave, in frontal view; funicular segments II and III notably broader than long (FLI 1.16–1.48, n=4). Fore femur broad; metanotal groove rather weakly impressed; basal face of propodeum rounding into the much shorter declivitous face. Petiolar node (Fig. 11b) rather long and low, the dorsum broadly rounded in lateral profile (PLI 0.67–0.77); postpetiole about as broad as long.

Head sublucid, covered with numerous piligerous punctures; punctures relatively coarse but appearing somewhat effaced, and separated (at least on the upper half of the head) by shiny interspaces of one or more diameters' distance, especially in the region immediately posterior to the compound eye. Mesosoma weakly punctate to coriarious–imbricate, sublucid dorsally. Petiole, postpetiole, and gaster subopaque to sublucid, covered with numerous, fine piligerous punctures. Erect pilosity and appressed pubescence present on most of the body; erect hairs present on the pronotum, mesonotum and propodeum, but relatively short, sparse, and inconspicuous, except for one pair on the pronotal shoulders and a second pair above the juncture of the basal and declivitous faces of the propodeum. Body light orange-brown to yellow-brown, with darker infuscation on the anterior third of the first gastric (fourth abdominal) tergite, on the succeeding gastric tergites, and on part of the hind femur; mandibles paler luteous.