

*Anonychomyrma myrmex*, sp. n. ♀

♂. Black, legs brown, tarsi lighter, mandibles brownish yellow, whole body very finely punctured and pubescent, gaster with short black outstanding hairs.

*Head* without eyes longer than broad, projecting posteriorly in a blunt wedge which supports the ocelli, posterior border of which excised between lateral ocelli, sides behind eyes rounded, posterior border slightly excised; *mandibles* long, narrow, masticatory border armed with fine short teeth, the apical tooth sharply pointed, the tooth next to it longer and sharper than those following; *clypeus* transverse, convex, anterior border slightly rounded; posterior border bluntly pointed extending between insertion of antennæ; *frontal area* and *frontal furrow* slightly indicated; *frontal carinæ* short, sharp, slightly raised; *eyes* very large, prominent, round; *ocelli* very large and projecting; *antennæ* 13-jointed, filiforme, all joints longer than broad, *scape* short, longer than first joint of funiculus, but shorter than second, first joint short. *Thorax* longer than broad, broadest at insertion of forewings, rather robust; *pronotum* very transverse, narrow, sides bluntly rounded at base and reaching the insertion of the anterior wings; *mesonotum* large, convex and prominent; *præscutellum* transverse, narrow, flat; *scutellum* slightly transverse, very convex and prominent; *metanotum* transverse, narrow, raised; *epinotum* large, round, prominent, angle between dorsal surface and declivity very slightly marked, declivity considerably shorter than dorsal surface. Petiole furnished with a round, narrow, slightly raised node, fitting close to gaster; *gaster* short oval. *Legs* fairly long, the last joint of the tarsi without clavus, but furnished with fine hairs and large *pulvilli* as in *Æcophylla*. *Wings* moderate, pale yellow, pterostigma and veins light brown; one discoidal cell, one large cubital and closed radial cell present, the cubitus not soldered to the radius, but their branches united by a short cubital nerve.

*Genitalia*: *annula lamina* transverse, narrow, almost straight at base, widely excised at apex; *squamulæ* rather long, somewhat narrow; *stipites* short, narrow, slightly curved, sharply pointed, hairy;  *volsellæ* long and narrow, bent into a sharp hook at base; *laciniæ* curved