

significant South American samples reviewed since 1953, and giving certain measurements and proportions as known for the combined samples from each region (n = number of workers in each combined sample).

Southeastern United States (8 localities in 5 states): HL 0.52-0.61, ML 0.27-0.23 mm; CI 82-87, MI 52-57 (n = 15). Guatemala and Costa Rica: HL 0.50-0.58, ML 0.27-0.33 mm; CI 83-85 (n = 11). Cuba and Puerto Rico: HL 0.52-0.60, ML 0.26-0.32 mm; CI 83-87, MI 51-56 (n = 11). Colombia (Rio Porce and Medellin, leg. N. A. Weber): HL 0.54-0.61, ML 0.32-0.34 mm; CI 71-84, MI 55-56 (n = 3). Surinam (La Poulle and Dirkshoup, leg. I. van der Drift): HL 0.49-0.53, ML 0.29-0.30 mm; CI 83-86, MI 57-59 (n = 2). Goias (Anapolis, leg. W. W. Kempf): HL 0.47, ML 0.23 mm; CI 85, MI 49 (n = 1). Southeastern Brazil (States of Rio de Janeiro, São Paulo, Santa Catarina and Rio Grande do Sul): HL 0.46-0.58, ML 0.28-0.37 mm; CI 77-92, MI 56-67 (n = 22). Bolivia (Rosario, leg. W. M. Mann): HL 0.50-0.53, ML 0.31-0.32 mm; CI 81-83, MI 60-63 (n = 6). Holotype female of var. *longicornis* from Coroico, Bolivia: TL 3.0, HL 0.66, ML 0.38, WL 0.77 mm; CI 85, MI 58. Northern Argentina (3 localities): HL 0.49-0.64, ML 0.26-0.35 mm; CI 83-89, MI 52-56 (n = 6).

An additional record of interest is a sample of *S. louisianae* from Yuma, Arizona, "on cotton," "HAGA" leg.

Descriptive Note on the Holotype of *S. fusca*

Holotype worker: TL 3.4, HL 0.67, ML 0.40, WL 0.71 mm; CI 82, MI 59. A large variant of *S. louisianae*; mandibles farther apart and relatively more slender than in North American *louisianae* samples; inner margins not so sharply concave near apex. Apical fork: dorsal tooth about 0.12 mm long, ventral about 0.09 mm; two subequal intercalary denticles. Preapical tooth about 0.05 mm long, and its tip situated about 0.05 mm from dorsal apical tooth; slightly curved toward mandibular apex; larger and farther from apical fork than in most *S. louisianae*. No other teeth or denticles on inner mandibular border. Scape L 0.44, funiculus L 0.58 mm.

Promesonotum high, with convex profile, promesonotal suture (sulcus) visible in some lights. Metanotal groove weak. Propodeal teeth acute, elevated, with narrow infradental lamellae approaching cariniform; teeth about 4/5 as long as the distance between their basal centers. Petiolar peduncle longer than node; node broader than long. Postpetiole robust, fully punctulate, opaque. Spongiform appendages as usual for *S. louisianae*. Gastric costulae extending about 1/2 the