

versus latera, submaculatis; antennis brevibus, latis, nigris, basi pedibusque anterioribus rufis; metasterno anterie fere plano; femoribus posterioribus dente sat elongato, tribusque minoribus a dente elongato bene separatis, instructis.

Long. $2\frac{3}{4}$ millim. (capite deflexo).

Hab. GUATEMALA, Zapote, San Gerónimo (*Champion*); PANAMA, Bugaba, Volcan de Chiriqui (*Champion*).

Antennæ short and broad; joints 6–11 each broader than long, dark in colour, the terminal joint not paler. Thorax very narrow in front, with concavely arcuate sides and acute hind angles, at the base with a depression on each side of the scutellar lobe. Elytra feebly striate, densely covered with pubescence, which is principally pallid, but is broken up at the sides by rather indefinite darker spots. Pygidium narrow, very elongate, clothed with pale pubescence, and indistinctly striped with still paler pubescence. Legs much clothed with pubescence; spur of the posterior tibia short and stout.

Though bearing a considerable resemblance to *B. calderensis* this species is really very distinct by the short apical tibial spur and the different position of the minor teeth of the femur.

Only one example was found at each of the localities mentioned.

12. *Bruchus incensus*. (Tab. XXVI. fig. 4.)

Convexus, niger, supra griseo albidoque minus variegatus; subtus pallide vestitus, pygidio dense griseo-vestito, antennis basi et articulo ultimo, tibiis tarsisque anterioribus rufescentibus; antennis brevibus, crassis; elytris subinaequalibus; femoribus posterioribus dente elongato quatuorque denticulis instructis.

Long. $3\frac{1}{4}$ millim. (capite deflexo).

Hab. PANAMA, Volcan de Chiriqui, Bugaba (*Champion*).

Although very dissimilar in colour to *B. confinis* this species is closely allied thereto, but has the femora rather differently armed and the surface of the thorax and elytra less even. The thorax is distinctly elevated along the middle, and has a callosity on either side, near which a few coarser punctures may be distinguished, though much concealed by the vestiture; the scutellum is clothed with pale pile, and there is a minute spot of similar colour on the base of the thorax in front of this; the coloration of the thorax is chiefly dark, but there are on it several irregular paler marks. The prevalent colour of the elytra is dark, but they are obscurely lineate on the alternate interstices with fuscous colour; this is distinct near the suture, but elsewhere indistinct, and there are also small indefinite flecks of white colour; there is a slight callosity between the shoulder and the scutellum, and the surface is also rendered uneven by some obscure depressions; the pygidium is densely clothed with pallid pubescence, which is subvariegate. The hind legs are dark, the femora variegate with pubescence; the four smaller denticles of the femora all distinct from the longer tooth; the apical spur of the tibiæ rather short.

Six examples were met with; five of these were found on the Volcan de Chiriqui, only one or two specimens at a time.