

Leucopoecila albofasciata Reuter

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We have studied specimens from Mexico, Arizona, Texas and Jamaica and find only one species having white pubescence and conspicuous white mark across clavus and corium. Furthermore, a study of the original descriptions does not reveal characters for distinguishing two species.

Leucopoecila inornata n. sp.

Differs from *albofasciata* Reut. in the yellowish first antennal segment, also by the brownish black pubescence on the dorsal surface of the body; hemelytra brownish black, pale spot of clavus (male) scarcely evident.

Male : length 2.55 mm., width 1.04 mm. *Head* : length 0.75 mm.; vertex 0.360 mm.; rostrum length 0.96 mm., reaching to apices of hind coxae, brownish black.

Antennae : segment I, length 0.23 mm., width 0.11 mm., yellowish, the constricted base blackish, clothed with fine, brownish pubescence; II, length 0.48 mm., greatest width 0.13 mm., tapering, more slender on apical half, with fine, short, yellowish to black pubescence, ventral surface with an elongated sensory pit very similar to that in *albofasciata*; III, length 0.48 mm., slender, black; IV, length 0.32 mm., blackish.

Pronotum : length 0.48 mm., width at base 0.97 mm., black, moderately shining. Scutellum moderately convex, black.

Hemelytra : brownish black, clavus sometimes with brownish to pale mark evident, but never white as in *albofasciata*, clothed with fine, short, brownish to fuscous pubescence; membrane pale to dusky brown, veins darker, paler spot by apex of cuneus.

Legs : brownish black, apices of femora and tibiae pale yellowish to brown. *Venter* : brownish black.

Holotype : 1 male, Campinas, São Paulo, Brazil, in the Knight Collection. April 20, 1936, (H. B. Hambleton). *Paratypes* : male, same data as type. 5 males, Chapada, Minas Gerais, Brazil. Male, Trinidad, Bolivia (N. S. Pennington).