

length), lateral margins shallowly insinuated, collar distinct, disk rather coarsely punctate. Scutellum and elytra distinctly punctate. Legs remarkably long.

Male genitalia in Fig. 5q–r. Right style with strong irregularly crenulate outer apical process, inner apical angle with blunt tooth. Left style: stem of hypophysis coarsely dentate.

Biology: In mountain meadows.

Distribution: Previously known from the Imatong Mountains in the Sudan.

Nanniella chalybea Reuter

Figs. 4, 5, 11

Nanniella chalybea Reuter 1904:6.

N. chalybea Poppius 1914:83, Linnavuori 1975:48.

Type: Zaire, Kinchassa, ♂ lectotype (selected in Linnavuori 1975:48), 19.III.1899, Waelbrock, in Mus. Helsinki.

Material: Several exx from: Ivory Coast: Férkéssédougou, 25.X.1973, Linnavuori. Nigeria: NW St., Badeggi, 8–9.VIII.1973; NE St., Gembu, 21–22.VII.1973, Gembu-Yelwa, 22.VII.1973; W St., Ife, 7–8.VII.1973; R St., Ebubu near Bori, 2.VII.1973, Mbiama, 4–5.VII.1973; B Pl St., Katsina Ala, 19.VIII.1973; SE St., Obudu cattle ranch, 16–18.VII.1973, Linnavuori. Cameroon: Bota, 19–20.VI.1973; Dimako, 12–13.VI.1973, Linnavuori. Central African Republic: La Maboke, 6–9.VI.1973, Linnavuori. The Sudan: localities listed in Linnavuori 1974:48. Ethiopia: Belleta forest, 13–14.VI.1963; Mt. Maigudo, 16–17.VI.1963, Linnavuori. Zaire: Katanga, Kipopo, 15.IX.1970; Lubumbashi, 2–3.III.1971, A.B. Stam. Angola: Carmona; Quedas Duque de Bragança, J.A.Quartau.

Length 2.5–3.0 mm. Black with metallic luster, shiny. Eyes grayish brown. Antennae black, 1st joint totally or only basally yellow-brown. Cuneus apically yellow-brown, sometimes nearly uniformly black; membrane brownish hyaline, with ± distinct fuscous median band. Rostrum and legs yellow-brown. Legs sometimes with slight infuscations; 3rd tarsomeres embrowned.

Male parallel-sided, female elongately ovate, body 3.5 (♂) or 3.0 (♀) × as long as broad at base of pronotum. Hair covering very dense, pale gray. Eyes prominent, ocular index 1.3–1.8 (♂), 2.25 (♀). Total length of antennae about 0.8 × as long as body; proportions between joints 6:23:15:15, 2nd joint 1.02–1.12 (♂) or 0.73–0.82 (♀) × as long as basal width of pronotum. Rostrum extending to hind coxae. Pronotum 1.6–1.7 × as broad as

long (total length), lateral margins straight, strongly diverging caudad. Puncturing on upper surface distinct.

Male genitalia in Figs. 5t–v, 11a–c. Right style with blunt tooth in inner apical angle and a short process in outer angle. Stem of hypophysis of left style finely dentate.

Biology: In mountain meadows and clearings in rain and savanna forests.

Distribution: Widely distributed in Africa.

Nanniella reuteri Poppius

Fig. 5

Nanniella reuteri Poppius 1914:83.

N. reuteri Linnavuori 1975:49.

Types: East Africa, Langenburg, 3♂ syntypes, one of them designated here as the lectotype, Fülleborn, in Mus. Helsinki.

Length 3 mm. Shiny black. Eyes reddish gray. Vertex with faint submarginal yellow-brown band between eyes. Antennae pale yellow-brown, 1st joint slightly embrowned, apex of 2nd infuscate. Membrane of elytra brownish smoky, lateral margin with large whitish hyaline area. Legs pale yellow-brown, extreme tips of tibiae and 3rd tarsomeres infuscate.

Body about 3 × as long as broad at base of pronotum. Hair covering gray, dense. Head 0.67 × as broad as basal width of pronotum, in apical view 1.14 × as broad as high; ocular index 2.0–2.57. Proportions between antennal joints 17:50:30:30, 2nd joint 0.83 × as long as basal width of pronotum. Rostrum extending to middle coxae. pronotum 1.5 × as broad as long (total length), lateral margins distinctly insinuated, collar distinct, disk densely and coarsely punctate. Puncturing on scutellum, clavus and corium dense, medioapical area of corium impunctate, cuneus very short, strap-like; membrane extending far beyond tip of abdomen.

Distribution: East African.

Nanniella palustris Linnavuori

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Nanniella palustris Linnavuori 1975:48–49.

Types: The Sudan, Equatoria, Loka forest, ♂ holotype and 1♀ paratype, 8–10.IV.1963, Linnavuori, in coll. Linnavuori.