

Tarsi dark brown or black; ♂ with the third antennal joint slender, three times the length of the second.....*cinerea*.

Tarsi pale ferruginous; ♂ with third antennal joint not especially slender; about twice the length of the second.....*enavata*.

1. *Didasia nerea*, n. sp.

10.5 mm. Clothed with black pubescence, ochraceous on thorax and base of abdomen above.

♀.—Head black, finely punctured, clothed with long, dense, black pubescence, thinner on vertex and ochraceous on posterior part of occiput; antennæ entirely black. Thorax black, clothed with dense pubescence, yellowish above, black beneath; tegulæ black; wings hyaline, veins dark brown, second submarginal cell about half the length of the first, narrowed somewhat above; legs clothed with black pubescence, long and dense on posterior tibiæ and metatarsi. Abdomen black, with yellowish pubescence on the first two segments, somewhat mixed with black on the second, the remaining segments with rather short, black pubescence. Venter clothed with black pubescence.

♂.—Differs from female in having the pubescence, throughout, longer and more bushy, that on legs with a somewhat griseous appearance in certain lights; the posterior femora and tibiæ somewhat incrassate, their metatarsi slender and curved, and the apex with a subacute tooth, which is not especially prominent; apical segment of the abdomen bidentate.

Habitat: Tulare, Cal. (H. O. Woodworth); May. 10. Two specimens.

2. *Didasia alboresta*, Prov.—Los Angeles, Cal.

3. *Didasia cinerea*, n. sp.

♂ 13 mm. Clothed with cinereous pubescence, apical margins of the abdominal segments with white fascia.

♂.—Head black, punctured, clothed with griseous pubescence, slightly darker on vertex; apical margin of the clypeus nude; antennæ entirely black, third joint slender, broadening toward apex, three times the length of the second. Thorax black, finely punctured, clothed with rather dense, ashy pubescence, tinged with yellowish above; tegulæ dark brown to black, shining; wings hyaline, veins dark brown to black, second submarginal cell about half the length of the first, narrowed above; legs clothed with rather long, pale pubescence; the four posterior legs robust, the femora and tibiæ incrassate, the basal joint of the posterior tarsi