

*D. interruptus*, n. sp.—Elongate-oval, more convex, the surface smoother, more densely clothed with slender decumbent pointed scales, generally white in colour, but variegated on the elytra with numerous small patches, in which the scales become brown in colour, smaller in size and sparser, these patches more coarsely punctate, and forming in general an oblique line from the humeri to the middle near the suture, and thence obliquely outward and posteriorly, meeting a broad variegated area extending longitudinally from the humeri nearly to the apex; beak not more prominent along the middle; prothorax only moderately denticulate and prominent at the sides near apical fifth, the subdenuded central area moderately narrowed anteriorly, the punctures somewhat coarse but sparse; elytra not furrowed, having series of small punctures which become large in the subdenuded patches. Length, 8.2–9.5 mm.; width, 3.3–3.9 mm.

Utah. Mr. Weidt.

This species somewhat resembles the southern Californian *alboves-titus*, but is smaller in size and more convex, with the alternate elytral intervals not more convex and conspicuous, as they are in that form, and with the punctuation throughout less coarse.

*D. Mexicanus*, n. sp.—Elongate-oval, large in size, rather strongly convex, black, densely clothed with decumbent whitish scales of the usual elongate pointed form, not variegated in colour and not distinctly denuded in patches on the elytra; beak large and well developed, very coarsely punctate, not prominent along the middle; prothorax much wider than long, the dentiform lateral prominences at apical fourth moderate, the punctures coarse and rather close-set, the median subdenuded area very broad, moderately and sinuously narrowed anteriorly; elytra not grooved, having feebly impressed series of moderately small and deep punctures, the first and second from the suture usually coarser, and having a more denuded appearance from near the base to behind the middle, the alternate intervals just visibly more convex and more densely clothed as a rule. Length, 14.5–15.5 mm.; width, 6.0–6.5 mm.

Mexico (Guerrero). Mr. Baron.

Resembles *molitor*, Lec., to some extent, and was confused with that species by Mr. Champion. It is rather broader and less convex in form, with the scales denser and much more persistent than in *molitor*, and the prothorax is much broader and less elongate. In *molitor* the vestiture does not entirely conceal the integuments, and is very easily denuded. The two species are quite different.