

abdomen above soiled-white and gray, darker at tip. All wings above a silky even fuscous-gray, with a faintly roseate flush, the primaries near base, narrowly beneath costa, and apically, sprinkled with black atoms. These form on costa near base a square patch, within which is a smaller white patch, neither very definite in outline. Costa white scaled, changing to buff toward apex. No markings above. Fringes pink, cut with a fine pencil of black hairs opposite veins. No discal dots.

Beneath, the ground colour as above. Along costa, very narrow at base, and widening as it approaches apex, running down very narrowly along outer margin a band of rosy, white and black scales extends. The narrow white extradiscal line, about one-fifth from apex, crosses costa in a straight line to vein seven, then becoming fainter, as it curves a little outward, is lost centrally. A narrow bright chestnut band borders this line outside from costal edge to vein seven, ending in black at vein six. Discal spots indicated faintly as a dusky bar, nearer base than usual. Fringes pink, darkened by black atoms. Secondaries, from base to extradiscal line, are covered with pinkish, white and black scales, the latter massed into an irregular blotch, which nearly fills the outer half of cell, darkest costally, and beneath washed with chestnut. The extradiscal, a narrow white line is more evident near inner margin and at costa, where, starting two-thirds out, it runs outward toward centre of outer margin to vein five, then with a rounded angle backward to vein two, thence in a straight line across to inner margin, a little within anal angle. A shading of black atoms running outward on veins borders this line externally from costa to vein six, where it is heaviest, fades out and reappears at vein three, broadening a little as it runs to inner margin. A cluster of black scales at middle of inner margin, and another at inner border of extradiscal line. Subterminal space and fringes evenly dusted with white, black and chestnut-red scales, the latter predominating, giving it a ruddy appearance. Body, legs and abdomen beneath covered with similar scales, the latter somewhat darkened.

Type.—One ♂ from San Diego, Calif., III, 20, 1910, which I owe to the kindness of Mr. L. E. Recksecker, whose name I have given it. There is a ♂ in rather poor condition in the Museum of the Brooklyn Institute, from Monterey Co., Calif., which I have made a co-type.

This species is near to *delicatum* Gross., but is larger, and beneath presents quite a different pattern, lacking also the reddish hue of that species.