

*P. perepa*. *P. manis* is difficult to separate from *P. montagna*. The two differ most of all in the shape of the forewing, acute apex and straight outer margin in *P. montagna* and blunt apex and slightly convex margin in *P. manis*, and also in the shape of the forewing scent brand, extending further distally along veins M3 and Cu1 in *P. montagna*. *P. montagna* is generally slightly darker on the upperside, but this can be appreciated only by comparing large series.

### ***Pedaliodes montagna* ADAMS & BERNARD, 1981**

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REMARKS: *P. montagna* is a widespread species, occurring from the Venezuelan Cordillera de Mérida to Bolivia. It is confused in most consulted collections with *P. manis* (for the identification key see under *P. manis*). The two species also differ on ecological grounds. *P. montagna* is restricted to dense cloud forests, while *P. manis* prefers disturbed forests and open habitats. PYRCZ & WOJTUSIAK (2002) discussed this issue in detail.