

Genus **JOSIODES**, nov.

Type.

Josiodes, Feld. Reis. Nov. p. 5 (1874), non descr. *myrrha*.

Proboscis fully developed; palpi porrect, not reaching beyond the frons; antennæ of male with bristles and cilia; tibiæ with the spurs moderate; claspers of male large. Fore wing rather narrow; vein 2 from beyond middle of cell; 3 from before angle; 5 from above angle; 6 from below upper angle; 7, 8, 9 stalked; 10, 11 free, the latter curved. Hind wing with the cell long; vein 2 from beyond middle; 3 from before angle; 4, 5 from angle; 6, 7 stalked; 8 from before middle of cell.

- A. Fore wing with the orange extending to base.
 - a. Fore wing with the inner margin orange; tegulæ orange. *myrrha*.
 - b. Fore wing with the inner margin black; tegulæ black.
 - a¹. Fore wing with the black costal fascia not extending to middle *indecisa*.
 - b¹. Fore wing with the black costal fascia connected with the apical patch.
 - a². Hind wing with orange markings extending to base.
 - a³. Fore wing with subapical orange band.
 - a⁴. Fore wing with the orange extending above subcostal nervure at its extremity.
 - a⁵. Abdomen with narrow lateral orange streaks, the ventral surface black *toxaridia*.
 - b⁵. Abdomen with broad lateral orange fasciæ, the ventral surface orange *repleta*.
 - b⁴. Fore wing with the orange not extending above subcostal nervure.
 - a⁵. Fore wing with the orange extending to vein 1 at its extremity *immutata*.
 - b⁵. Fore wing with the orange not extending below vein 2 at its extremity.
 - a⁶. Hind wing with the orange fascia extending to subcostal nervure *fallax*.
 - b⁶. Hind wing with the orange fascia not extending to subcostal nervure.
 - a⁷. Fore wing with the subapical bar almost transverse *peruviana*.
 - b⁷. Fore wing with the subapical bar almost longitudinal *semicirculata*.
 - b³. Fore wing without subapical band *mutans*.
 - b². Hind wing with at most slight orange markings near end of cell.
 - a³. Fore wing with the outer edge of orange patch straight oblique *abscissa*.
 - b³. Fore wing with the outer edge of patch curved. *clavata*.
- B. Fore wing with the orange not extending to base.
 - a. Hind wing with an orange fascia extending to base..... *variana*.
 - b. Hind wing with elliptical orange spot at end of cell ... *sexmaculata*.
 - c. Hind wing without orange on upperside.
 - a¹. Fore wing with the orange band not reaching costa.
 - a². Fore wing with the orange band running back to a point in cell towards base *mutata*.
 - b². Fore wing with the inner edge of the orange band nearly straight.
 - a³. Fore wing with orange subapical spot *generans*.
 - b³. Fore wing without orange subapical spot.
 - a⁴. Abdomen with lateral orange fasciæ..... *erythromelas*.
 - b⁴. Abdomen without lateral orange fasciæ *cærulescens*.

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- b¹. Fore wing with the orange band reaching costa.
 - a². Fore wing with oblique subapical orange bar *batesi*.
 - b². Fore wing without subapical orange bar *celena*.