d.	Anterior femora sparsely ciliate from the base nearly to the apex and	
	the anterior tibiæ unarmed within in both sexes	Species 6–8.
<i>e</i> .	Anterior femora glabrous and the anterior tibiæ unarmed within in both sexes.	
	a1. Femora and tibiæ (the inner side or apices of the latter excepted)	
	smooth and glabrous, or, at most, punctured and slightly pubescent*.	
	a ² . Upper surface varying in colour—in some species entirely (or	
	with the elytra only) æneous, or with æneous lustre; in	
	others, piceous, castaneous, or testaceous; in others, the	
	prothorax reddish or testaceous, with the elytra darker (in	
	one species cæruleous); size variable.	
	a ³ . Prothorax with the sides completely immarginate, or, at	
	most, margined at the base or apex.	
		Species 9.
	b4. Elytral interstices 1, 7, 9 with one and 3 and 5 with	opecies v.
	two rows of somewhat closely placed setiferous im-	
	pressions, the intervals between them at the sides	
	and apex raised; size very large	Species 10.
	c ⁴ . Elytral interstices 1, 3, 5, 7, 9 each with a row of	Traces Is.
	setiferous impressions; size small	Species 11, 12.
	d4. Elytral interstices 3 and 5 with numerous, and 1, 7, 9	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
	with a few, setiferous impressions; size moderate;	
	elytra dull blue	Species 13.
	e^4 . Elytral interstices 1, 3, 5, 7, 9 each with a few setiferous	
	impressions (sometimes obsolete on 1); size small .	Species 14-16.
	f^4 . Elytral interstices 3, 5, 7, 9 (sometimes obsolete or	
	partly so on 5 or 7) each with widely scattered	
	setiferous impressions; size moderate or small	Species 17-26.
	g^4 . Elytral interstices 3 and 9 each with two or three seti-	
	ferous impressions only at the apex; size small	Species 27.
	b3. Prothorax with the sides margined from the base to the apex.	
	h^4 . Elytral interstices 1, 3, 5, 7, 9 (sometimes one only	
	on 7, at the shoulder) each with a few setiferous	
	impressions, and not raised (except in S. mexicana,	
	at the apex); posterior tibiæ in the male simple .	Species 28–38.
	i ⁴ . Elytral interstices 1, 3, 5, 7, 9 each with numerous	
	setiferous impressions, and not raised; posterior	
	tibiæ in the male with a small brush	Species 39.
	j ⁴ . Elytral interstices 1, 3, 5, 7, 9 each with a row of	5 or 185 - 4
	rather closely placed deep setiferous impressions .	Species 40.
	k^4 . Elytral interstices 1, 3, 5, 7, 9 each with moderately nu-	
	merous setiferous impressions, the impressions from	
	the middle to the apex preceded by a small conical	
	elevation; anterior angles of the prothorax obtuse.	Species 41.

^{*} In S. alternans the legs are clothed with rather longer hairs.