

as well as rotund-quadrangular branchlets. The general aspect of M. quadripora is somewhat like that of M. pulverulenta R. & P. (leaves with longer cilia and stellate hairs on the lower leaf surfaces; hypanthium definitely stellulate-puberulent; calyx lobes 0.4-0.5 mm long; anthers 2-pored; stigma scarcely expanded), M. clathrantha Naud. (Isotype FI: leaves with pubescence very sparse and flattened-dendroid and marginal cilia ca. 0.4 mm long; calyx lobes ca. 0.4 mm; anthers 2-pored), and M. paradisica Wurdack (leaf surface pubescence beneath stipitate-stellate; dioecious; anthers 2-pored).

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PAEPALANTHUS URBANIANUS var. **ANGUSTIFOLIUS** Moldenke, var. nov.

Haec varietas a forma typica speciei foliis ramorum angustioribus lanceolatis basaliter non cordatis recedit.

This variety differs from the typical form of the species in having its stem leaves narrower, more nearly uniform in width to the apex of the stem, oblong-lanceolate, 1.5--2 cm. long, basally about 4 mm. wide and not cordate, glabrous and shiny on both surfaces, erecto-ascending, not closely appressed.

The type of this variety was collected by H. S. Irwin, R. Reis dos Santos, R. Souza, and S. F. da Fonsêca (no. 24936) on rocky slopes about 10 km. south of Alto do Paraíso (formerly Veadeiros), at 1000 m. altitude, Chapada dos Veadeiros, on the Planalto do Brasil, Goiás, Brazil, on March 23, 1969, and is deposited in the Britton Herbarium at the New York Botanical Garden. The collectors describe the plant as an herb about 75 cm. tall, with heads gray during anthesis.



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