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Xestipyge ornatum (Reitter in Leder, 1881). Bohemia bor., Ještědský hřbet mountain ridge, Panenská Hůrka (5155), 380 m a.s.l., 10.-29.v.1998, 1 ♀, in the baited pitfall trap, on the moist meadow near pine-beech forest with scattered oak trees, J. Brázda lgt., O. Kapler det. et coll. Biology unknown, probably in mammal's lairs (Kryzhanovskiy & Reichardt 1976). Distribution: very rare in the mountains of Caucasus, Georgia, Armenia, Azerbaijan and North Iran (Heyden et al. 1906, Kryzhanovskiy & Reichardt 1976, Mazur 1997). First record of this genus and species for Central Europe and the Czech Republic.

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