

## NEW DATA ON THE DISTRIBUTION OF *BRYODEMELLA TUBERCULATA* (FABRICIUS, 1775) (ORTHOPTERA: ACRIDIDAE) IN LITHUANIA

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### Introduction

The article presents new data on *Bryodemella tuberculata* in Lithuania. Since 2019 it is included into List of animals, plants and fungi species protected in Lithuania (LR aplinkos ministro įsakymas..., 2018).

### Material and Methods

One specimen of *Bryodemella tuberculata* was caught using a standard entomological net in the Rūdninkai former military area (Šalčininkai administrative district). Photos were taken (Fig. 1), and the specimen was released.

### List of localities

Locality	Administrative district	Coordinates (LAT, LONG)
Rūdninkai former military area	Šalčininkai district	54.386595, 25.101175

### List of species

#### *Bryodemella tuberculata* (Fabricius, 1775)

Rūdninkai former military area, 09 07 2019, 1 spec.



Fig. 1. *Bryodemella tuberculata* in Rūdninkai former military area.

## Discussion

The first data on *Bryodemella tuberculata* in Lithuania are records from the first half of the 20th century. Several specimens of this grasshopper were collected in Pabradė environs (Švenčionys administrative district) (Budrys & Pakalniškis, 2007). It was found in the same location 80 years later, in 2008 (Budrys *et al.*, 2008).

In 2019, one specimen of *Bryodemella tuberculata* was observed in Rūdninkai former military area (Šalčininkai administrative district). It is the second locality inhabited by this very rare species in Lithuania.

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## Nauji duomenys apie margojo tarkšlio (*Bryodemella tuberculata* (Fabricius, 1775), Orthoptera: Acrididae) paplitimą Lietuvoje

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## Santrauka

Straipsnyje pateikiami nauji duomenys apie margojo tarkšlio *Bryodemella tuberculata* (Fabricius, 1775) paplitimą Lietuvoje. Iki šiol ši rūšis buvo žinoma tik iš Pabradės apylinkių (Švenčionių raj.). 2019 m. vienas margasis tarkšlys *Bryodemella tuberculata* (Fabricius, 1775) buvo pagautas Rūdninkų kariniame poligone. Tai yra antra šios rūšies radavietė Lietuvoje.

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