Coleoptera: Nitidulidae

*Epuraea argus* Reitter, 1894. Moravia mer., Chříby mts., Holý kopec Nature Reserve (6869), 19.ix.2010, 1 ♂, under bark of a fallen beech (*Fagus*) trunk on southern slope of a hill, L. Bobot lgt. et coll., J. Jelínek det. Eurosiberian species reaching from Central Europe to the Far East of Russia and northern Japan. Very rare in Europe, known from the Alps (Switzerland, Austria: Styria, Slovenia), and according to Audisio (1993) also from Poland, Croatia, Romania and Ukraine. Associated with bracket fungi (Polyporales) in deciduous, especially beech, forests (Hayashi 1960, 1978). New species for the Czech Republic.


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