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Common scorpion

Euscorpium carpathicus

The common scorpion, known scientifically as *Euscorpium carpathicus*, is a small to medium-sized arachnid native to parts of Southern Europe. It is easily recognized by its segmented tail, which ends ...

Quick facts

Classification: Invertebrate

Family: Euscorpidae

Habitat: Temperate forests and rocky areas

Diet: Carnivore

Conservation status: Least Concern

Lifespan: 3-8 years

Weight: 1-3 grams

Scientific name: *Euscorpium carpathicus*

Did you know?

- The venom of the common scorpion is not dangerous to humans and is comparable to a bee sting in terms of pain and risk.
- Scorpions glow under ultraviolet light due to substances found in their exoskeleton. The common scorpion gives birth to live young, which ride on the...

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