

## Brachypelma smithi (Mexican Redknee Tarantula)

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<b>Scientific name:</b>	<i>Brachypelma smithi</i> F. O. P.-Cambridge, 1897
<b>Common name:</b>	Mexican Redknee Tarantula
<b>Synonyms:</b>	<i>Eurypelma smithi</i> F. O. P.-Cambridge, 1897 <i>Euathlus smithi</i> Baxter, 1993
<b>Origin:</b>	Southern Jalisco to the north-west of Oaxaca and to the lands in the states Mexico and Morelos
<b>Legspan:</b>	12-15cm
<b>Temperature:</b>	<i>Summer (June/July to October/November):</i> 24-29°C <i>Winter (October/November to June/July):</i> 27-32°C
<b>Humidity:</b>	60-70%
<b>Notes:</b>	Often estimated as the most beautiful <i>Brachypelma</i> sp. Terrestrial, is to be found in tick vegetation, thorny forests and the tropical forests under big stones and roots.