Increase in the number of Endangered Butterfly species in Japan from 1991 to 2012

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Summary: We surveyed the changes in the numbers of endangered species of Japanese butterflies from 1991 to 2012 on the basis of the Red Data Book and the Red List published by the Ministry of Environment. Total 47 butterflies were red listed in 1991, increasing to 91 species (including subspecies) in 2012. The rate of critically endangered (CR) and endangered (EN) species was the highest for butterflies (from two species in 1991 to 30 in 2012) in other category species. Thirty-seven species of the Lycaeidae family are currently included in the Red List (40.7%). Thirty species (42.3%) of the 71 butterfly species (not including sub-species) in the Japanese Red List are found in Korea. From all the Red List butterflies, 50.5% are grassland species.

Key word: endangered butterflies, Red Data Book, Red List, Ministry of Environment, grassland butterflies

Introduction

During the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development (UNCED) held in 1992 (Earth Summit), the "Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD)" was signed by 157 nations. CBD is a global agreement addressing all aspects of biological diversity: genetic resources, species, and ecosystems¹⁾.

The International Union for Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources (IUCN) published for the first time in 1966 the Red Data Book with the two volumes on endangered mammals and birds. The situation of endangered wildlife at the time was summarized into this book for the preservation of biodiversity¹⁰⁾. The Red Data Book has no legal implications but serves as the scientific basis for the promotion of endangered wildlife conservation⁷⁾.

In Japan, the first Threatened Wildlife of Japan –Red Data Book was published in 1991 by the Ministry of Environment (the Environment Agency at that time). This first edition of animals incorporated 697 species, including 209 species of

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insects²⁾. The 2nd revision of the Red List species was performed in the year 2000, the 3rd revision was released in 2007 (insects), and the 4th revision was released in 2012 (insects)^{6,7)}.

In this study, we surveyed the changes in the recorded endangered species of Japanese butterflies from 1991 to 2012 on the basis of the Red Data Book and the Red List published by the Ministry of Environment. We also discussed about the endangered butterflies distributed both in Japan and Korea.

Red List Categories

The IUCN Red List of Threatened species, published in October 1996, was the first Red List adopting the revised Red List Categories⁴⁾. The Red List of insects in Japan was published four times between 1991 and 2012. In this study, we usedthe Red List Categories considered as the 4th Red Data, the Threatened Wildlife of Japan-Red Data-Revised Edition published by the Ministry of the Environment in 2012, and outlined as follows: Extinct (EX), species thought to be extinct in Japan; Extinct in the Wild (EW), species found only in captivity or cultivation; Threatened, species facing a risk of extinction. These are

Edition No. of Category* of Red Year Total target CR + ENLP EX EW VU NT DD List species 2 1st 1991 0 24 16 166 1 209 30000 2nd 2000 2 63 76 161 87 3 392 30000 0 3rd 20073 0 110 129 200 122 2 566 30000 4th 2012 4 0 171** 187 353 153 2 870 32000

Table 1 The number of Red List insect species (including subspecies) by Ministry of the Environment of Japan from 1991 to 2012

*EX: Extinct, EW: Extinct in the Wild, CR: Critically Endangered, EN: Endangered, VU: Vulnerable, NT: Near Threatened, DD: Data Deficient, LP: Threatened Local Population

Table 2 The number of Red List butterfly species (including subspecies) by Ministry of the Environment of Japan from 1991 to 2012

Edition of Red	Year	Category*							Total	No. of	
List	i eai	EX	EW	CR+EN	VU	NT	DD	LP	Total	target species	
1st	1991	0	0	2	5	40	-	0	47	250	
2nd	2000	0	0	14	24	40	0	0	78	250	
3rd	2007	0	0	18	27	44	1	0	90	250	
4th	2012	0	0	30**	16	44	1	0	91	250	

^{*}See Fig. 1; **CR: 13 species, EN: 17 species

divided into three subcategories:

Threatened I (CR+EN): whenever numerical assessment is possible, species under the category of Threatened I will be divided into the two categories:

Threatened IA, Critically Endangered (CR): facing an extremely high risk of extinction in the wild.

Threatened IB: Endangered (EN): facing a very high risk of extinction in the wild.

Threatened II, Vulnerable (VU): species facing a high risk of extinction.

Near Threatened (NT): species being close to qualifying for or are likely to qualify for a threatened category in the near future.

Data Deficient (DD): inadequate information to make a direct or indirect assessment of its risk of extinction on the basis of its distribution and/or population status.

Locally Threatened Population (LP): species facing a difficulty in maintaining a viable population.

Changesin the number of insects in the Red List

Table 1 shows the number of species (including

subspecies and local populations) of Red List insects compiled by the Japanese Ministry of Environment between 1991 and 2012. The IUCN usually adopts the term "taxon" as species and subspecies are included in the Red List. For simplification we usedthe term "species" with regard to subspecies and local populations. Total 209 species of insects were listed in 1991 from 30,000 target species. The Red List of insects increased to 392 species in 2000 and increased again to 870 species in 2012. The number of Red List insects increased 4.16-fold over a period of 21 years.

Over the same period, the number of VU species increased 11.7-fold (from 16 species in 1991 to 187 in 2012) and CR+EN species increased 7.1-fold (from 24 species 1991 to 171 in 2012). Although the percentage of Red List insects in relation to the total number of species targeted was 0.7% in 1991, it increased to 2.7% in 2012.

Table 2 shows the number of butterfly species included in the Red List compiled by the Japanese Ministry of Environment from 1991 to 2012. A total of 47 butterflies were red listed in 1991, with this number increasing to 90 species (1.91-fold increase) in 2007. Only one species, *Glaucopsyche*

^{**}CR: 65 species, EN: 106 species

Total Total of No. of No. of target Category* A/B (including Family family/sum species species (%) CR ΕN VU NT DD subspecies) of total (%) (A) (B) Papilionidae () 0 1 3 0 4.4 3 21 14.3 23 Pieridae 0 3 1 4 0 8 8.8 6 26.1 Lycaeidae 7 8 7 1 37 40.7 26 70 37.1 14 Nymphalidae 3 1 3 7 0 14 15.4 13 53 24.5Satyridae 2 2 1 11 0 16 17.6 13 28 46.4 Hesperiidae 1 3 3 5 0 12 13.2 10 36 27.8 Danaidae 0 0 0 0 0 0 0.0 0 5 0.0 Libytheidae 0 0 () () 0 0 0.00 1 0.091 Total 13 1 100 71 237 30.0 17 16 44

Table 3 The number of Red List butterflies in each family by Ministry of the Environment in 2012

lycormas (Lycaeidae), distributed in Hokkaido was added to the Red List in 20129).

The number of species categorized as CR+EN category increased 15.0-fold (from two species in 1991 to 30 in 2012), and those categorized as VU increased 3.1-fold (from five species in 1991 to 16 in 2012). The number of NT species barely increased over the same period. From 2007 to 2012, 12 species were added to the CR+EN category. In contrast, a decrease by 11 species was observed in the VU category. This shows that the risk of extinction for threatened butterflies is evolving from high in the direction to very high or extremely high.

Butterfly speciesin each family in the Red List

Table 3 shows the number of butterfly species in each family included in the Red List compiled by the Japanese Ministry of Environment in 2012. The Lycaeidae family includes 37 Red List butterflies (40.7%). Becausethis Red List butterflies included both species and subspecies, we only considered the number of species and showed the percentages in relation to the number of target species within the family. The Satyridae family had the highest percentage of endangered species (46.4%), followed by the Lycaeidae family with 37.1% of endangered species. Fig. 1 shows an adult specimen of Coenonympha oedippus annulifer, a critically endangered (CE) species from the Satyridae family.

The Nymphalidae family includes 14 red-listed

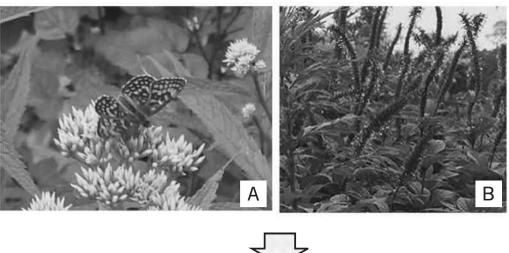


Fig. 1 Coenonympha oedippus annulifer, one of the Critically Endangered (CE) species of the Satyridae family. (Shiojiri City, July 17, 2005).

butterflies. Three species of the Melitaeini tribe in Nymphalidae are foundin Japan, Melitaea scotosia (CR), M. protomedia (CR), and M. ambigua niphona (EN), all of which are categorized as Threatened I endangered species. We investigated the annual change in the numbers of adult M. ambigua niphona at the Mibu Riverin Nagano Prefecture, where this species is mainly distributed and it is categorized as an endangered species (VU)⁸⁾. In 2002, we found a large number of adults and its food plant, Veronicastrum sibiricum as shown in Fig. 2. In 2009, neither the butterfly nor the plant was present in the same area, primarily because of overexploitation of *V. sibiricum* by the Sika deer Cervus nippon. Afterwards, M. ambigua niphona also disappeared at this area, and a similar case was reported at Nikko in Tochigi Prefecture, Japan³⁾.

^{*}See Fig. 1









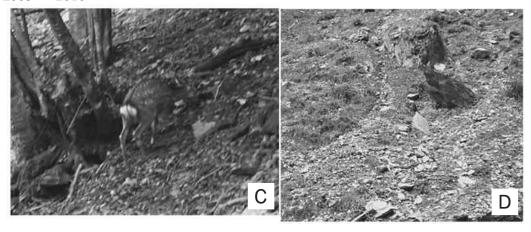


Fig. 2 Extinction of *Mellicta ambigua niphona* (Nymphalidae) at the Mibu river area of Ina City in Nagano Prefecture. A: Adult of *M. ambigua niphona* (July 17, 2003). B: Food plant, *Veronicas-trum sibiricum* subsp. *japonicum* (July 12, 2002). C: Sika deer eating grass (September 10, 2010). D: Grassless area injured by Sika deer (September 4, 2009).

Table 4 The number of Japanese Red List butterflies (not including subspecies) distributed in Korea

Family	No. of Japanese Red List species (A)	No. of species in Korea (B)	B/A (%)	
Papilionidae	3	1	33.3	
Pieridae	6	2	33.3	
Lycaeidae	26	10	38.5	
Nymphalidae	13	7	53.8	
Satyridae	13	4	30.8	
Hesperiidae	10	6	60.0	
Total	71	30	42.3	

Korean butterflies included in the Japanese Red List

Table 4 shows the number of red-listed

Japanese butterflies, which are also found in Korea. We compared this list with the relation of Korean species included in the Korean Butterfly Atlas (1996–2011)⁵⁾ and found that 30 species (42.





Fig. 3 Luehdorufia puziloi (NT) distributed in Korea and Japan. A: Male adult (Minamiminowa Village, April 22, 2008). B: Specimen in Laboratory of Insect Ecology AFC possession.

Table 5 The number of Red List butterflies (including subspecies) in each habitat by Ministry of the Environment in 2012

Habitat			Total					
павнан		CR	CR EN VU		NT	DD	Total	
Forest	No.	4	2	5	17	1	29	
	(%)	30.8	11.8	31.3	38.6	100.0	31.9	
Grassland	No. (%)	8 61.5	15 88.2	8 50.0	15 34.1	0.0	46 50.5	
Alpine	No. (%)	1 7.7	0 0.0	3 18.8	12 27.3	0 0.0	16 17.6	
Total	No. (%)	13 100	17 100	16 100	44 100	1 100	91 100	

^{*}See Fig. 1

3%) of the 71 red-listed Japanese butterflies (not including sub-species) are found in Korea. The percentage was particularly high for the families Nymphalidae and Hesperiidae. Most of the Threatened I (CR+EN) species were distributed both in Japan and Korea (Appendix). One example is Luehdorufia puziloi (NT), which is distributed in both Korea and Japan (Fig. 3). In contrast, Luehdorufia japonica (VU), from the same genus, is only found in Japan⁹⁾.

Crisis on the grassland butterflies

We classified the red-listed butterflies into three habitat categories: forest, grassland, and alpine species (Table 5). Grassland species presented the highest percentage of endangered species (50.5%). In fact, grassland butterflies accounted for the 61.5% of the total number of the CR category species and 88.2% in the EN category. This shows that grassland environments preferred by butterflies, such as Shijimiaeoides divinus, Maculinea teleius, Plebejus subsolanus, Pyrgus maculatus, and Hesperia florinda (Appendix), willdisappearin Japan.

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日本における1991年から2012年までの絶滅危惧チョウ類の増加

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要 約

1991年から2012年の間に環境省が公表したレッドデータブックとレッドリストを基に、日本の絶滅危惧チョウ類の種数の変化を分析した。1991年にはレッドリストに指定されたチョウ類は47種であったが、2012年には亜種を含めると91種に増加した。絶滅危惧 I 類 (CR+EN) の種数は、1991年の2種から2012年の30種となり、他のカテゴリーランクに比べて最も増加率が高くなった。科別に見ると37種のシジミチョウがレッドリスト種に指定され、全体の40.7%となり最も種数が多かった。亜種を除いた日本のレッドリスト71種のチョウ類のうち、42.3%にあたる30種が韓国にも生息していた。レッドリスト種の50.5%が草原に生息するチョウ類であった。

キーワード: 絶滅危惧チョウ類,レッドデータブック,レッドリスト,環境省,草原性チョウ類

App	Appendix Chenge of category rank in Red List butterflies in Japan from 1991 to 2012									
No.	Japanese name	Scientific name	Family	2012*	2007	2000	1991	Korea**	Habitat	
1	ウスイロオナガシジミ九州亜種	Antigius butleri kurinodakensis	Lycaeidae	CR	CR+EN			•	Forest	
2	オガサワラシジミ	Celastrina ogasawaraensis	Lycaeidae	CR	CR+EN	CR+EN	NT	-	Forest	
3	タイワンツバメシジミ南西諸島亜種	Everes lacturnus lacturnus	Lycaeidae	CR	CR+EN	CR+EN	NT		Grassland	
4	キタアカシジミ冠高原亜種	Japonica onoi mizobei	Lycaeidae	CR	CR+EN	CR+EN		•	Forest	
5	ゴマシジミ本州中部亜種	Maculinea teleius kazamoto	Lycaeidae	CR ↑	VU CD LEN	CD DM	CD DM	•	Grassland	
6 7	ゴイシツバメシジミ オオルリシジミ本州亜種	Shijimia moorei moorei Shijimiaeoides divinus barine	Lycaeidae Lycaeidae	CR CR	CR+EN CR+EN	CR+EN CR+EN	CR+EN NT		Forest Grassland	
8	ウスイロヒョウモンモドキ	Melitaea protomedia	Nymphalidae	CR	CR+EN	CR+EN	IN I		Grassland	
9	ヒョウモンモドキ	Melitaea scotosia	Nymphalidae	CR	CR+EN	CR+EN	VU		Grassland	
10	オオウラギンヒョウモン	Fabriciana nerippe	Nymphalidae	CR	CR+EN	CR+EN	CR+EN	-	Grassland	
11	ヒメヒカゲ本州中部亜種	Coenonympha oedippus annulifer	Satyridae	CR	CR+EN	VU	NT	•	Grassland	
12	タカネヒカゲ八ヶ岳亜種	Oeneis norna sugitanii	Satyridae	CR	CR+EN	VU	VU		Alpine	
13	ヒメチャマダラセセリ	Pyrgus malvae malvae	Hesperiidae	CR ↑	VU	VU	NT	•	Grassland	
14	ヒメシロチョウ	Leptidea amurensis	Pieridae	EN ↑	VU	VU		•	Grassland	
15	ツマグロキチョウ	Eurema laeta betheseba	Pieridae	EN ↑	VU	VU		•	Grassland	
16	ヤマキチョウ タイワンツバメシジミ本土亜種	Gonepteryx rhamni maxima	Pieridae	EN ↑	VU	NT	NO		Forest	
17 18	タイソンツバメンシミ本土 型俚 ゴマシジミ中国・九州亜種	Everes lacturnus kawaii Maculinea teleius daisensis	Lycaeidae Lycaeidae	EN EN ↑	CR+EN VU	CR+EN	NT		Grassland Grassland	
19	クロシジミ	Niphanda fusca	Lycaeidae	EN	CR+EN	CR+EN	NT		Grassland	
20	ミヤマシジミ	Plebejus argyrognomon praeterinsularis	Lycaeidae	EN ↑	VU	VU	111	•	Grassland	
21	アサマシジミ北海道亜種	Plebejus subsolanus iburiensis	Lycaeidae	EN ↑	VU	VU		•	Grassland	
22	アサマシジミ中部低地帯亜種	Plebejus subsolanus yaginus	Lycaeidae	EN ↑	VU	VU		•	Grassland	
23	オオルリシジミ九州亜種	Shijimiaeoides divinus asonis	Lycaeidae	EN	CR+EN	CR+EN	NT	•	Grassland	
24	シルビアシジミ	Zizina emelina	Lycaeidae	EN	CR+EN	CR+EN		_	Grassland	
25	コヒョウモンモドキ	Melitaea ambigua niphona	Nymphalidae	EN ↑	VU CR+EN	VU	NTT		Grassland	
26 27	ヒメヒカゲ本州西部亜種 クロヒカゲモドキ	Coenonympha oedippus arothius Lethe marginalis	Satyridae Satyridae	EN EN ↑	VU CR+EN	VU VU	NT		Grassland Forest	
28	クロヒカケモトキ チャマダラセセリ	Pyrgus maculatus maculatus	Hesperiidae	EN	CR+EN	CR+EN	NT		Grassland	
29	カヤマグノセセリ	Aeromachus inachus inachus	Hesperiidae	EN	CR+EN	VU	111		Grassland	
30	アカセセリ	Hesperia florinda florinda	Hesperiidae	EN ↑	VU	VU			Grassland	
31	ギフチョウ	Luehdorfia japonica	Papilionidae	VU	VU	VU	VU		Forest	
32	ミヤマシロチョウ	Aporia hippia japonica	Pieridae	VU	VU	VÜ	NT		Forest	
33	チョウセンアカシジミ	Coreana raphaelis yamamotoi	Lycaeidae	VU	VU	VU	NT	•	Forest	
34	キタアカシジミ北日本亜種	Japonica onoi onoi	Lycaeidae	VU	VU	VU		_	Forest	
35	ゴマシジミ八方尾根・白山亜種	Maculinea teleius hosonoi	Lycaeidae	VU	VU	****	****	•	Grassland	
36	ルーミスシジミ	Panchala ganesa loomisi	Lycaeidae	VU	VU	VU	VU		Grassland	
37 38	ツシマウラボシシジミ アサマシジミ中部高地帯亜種	Pithecops fulgens tsushimanus Plebejus subsolanus yarigadakeanus	Lycaeidae Lycaeidae	VU ↑ VU	NT VU	NT VU	NT		Forest Alpine	
39	ハマヤマトシジミ	Zizeeria karsandra	Lycaeidae	VU	VU	NT			Grassland	
40	ウラギンスジヒョウモン	Argyronome laodice japonica	Nymphalidae	VU ↑	NT				Grassland	
41	ヒョウモンチョウ本州中部亜種	Brenthis daphne rabdia	Nymphalidae	VU ↑	NT	NT		•	Grassland	
42	オオイチモンジ	Limenitis populi jezoensis	Nymphalidae	VU	VU	VU	NT	•	Alpine	
43	ウラナミジャノメ本土亜種	Ypthima multistriata niphonica	Satyridae	VU	VU	VU		•	Grassland	
44	タカネキマダラセセリ南アルプス亜種	Carterocephalus palaemon akaishianus	Hesperiidae	VU	VU	NT	NT		Alpine	
45 46	アサヒナキマダラセセリ オガサワラセセリ	Ochlodes asahinai	Hesperiidae	VU VU	VU VU	VU NT	NT NT		Grassland Grassland	
47		Parnara ogasawarensis	Hesperiidae	NT	NT		NT		Forest	
47	ヒメギフチョウ本州亜種 ヒメギフチョウ北海道亜種	Luehdorfia puziloi inexpecta Luehdorfia puziloi yessoensis	Papilionidae Papilionidae	NT NT	NT NT	NT NT	NT NT		Forest	
49	ウスバキチョウ	Parnassius eversmanni daisetsuzanus	Papilionidae	NT	NT	NT	NT		Alpine	
50	ミヤマモンキチョウ浅間山系亜種	Colias palaeno aias	Pieridae	NT	NT	NT	NT		Alpine	
51	ミヤマモンキチョウ北アルプス亜種	Colias palaeno sugitanii	Pieridae	NT	NT	NT	NT		Alpine	
52	クモマツマキチョウ八ヶ岳・南アルプス亜種	Anthocharis cardamines hayashii	Pieridae	NT	NT	NT	NT		Alpine	
53	クモマツマキチョウ北アルプス・戸隠亜種	Anthocharis cardamines isshikii	Pieridae	NT	NT	NT	NT		Alpine	
54	イワカワシジミ	Artipe eryx okinawana	Lycaeidae	NT	NT	NT	NT		Forest	
55	ベニモンカラスシジミ四国亜種	Fixsenia iyonis	Lycaeidae	NT	NT NT	NT	NT		Forest	
56 57	ベニモンカラスシジミ中国亜種 ベニモンカラスシジミ中部亜種	Fixsenia iyonis kibiensis Fixsenia iyonis surugaensis	Lycaeidae Lycaeidae	NT NT	NT NT	NT NT	NT NT		Forest Forest	
58	カバイロシジミ	Glaucopsyche lycormas	Lycaeidae	NT O	l N1	l Ni	IN I		Grassland	
59	オオゴマシジミ	Maculinea arionides takamukui	Lycaeidae	NT	NT	NT		•	Forest	
60	ゴマシジミ北海道・東北亜種	Maculinea teleius ogumae	Lycaeidae	NT ↓	VU	_		•	Grassland	
61	リュウキュウウラボシシジミ	Pithecops corvus ryukyuensis	Lycaeidae	NT	NT	NT	NT		Forest	
62	ヒメシジミ本州・九州亜種	Plebejus argus micrargus	Lycaeidae	NT	NT	NT		•	Grassland	
63	キマダラルリツバメ	Spindasis takanonis	Lycaeidae	NT	NT	NT	NT		Forest	
64	クロツバメシジミ九州沿岸・朝鮮半島亜種	Tongeia fischeri caudalis	Lycaeidae	NT	NT	_	-		Grassland Grassland	
65	クロツバメシジミ東日本亜種 クロツバメシジミ西日本亜種	Tongeia fischeri japonica Tongeia fischeri shojii	Lycaeidae Lycaeidae	NT NT	NT NT	_	_		Grassland	
67	カラフトルリシジミ	Vacciniina optilete daisetsuzana	Lycaeidae	NT	NT NT	NT	NT		Alpine	
68	コノハチョウ	Kallima inachus eucerca	Nymphalidae	NT	NT	NT	NT		Forest	
69	ヒョウモンチョウ東北以北亜種	Brenthis daphne iwatensis	Nymphalidae	NT	NT	NT		•	Grassland	
70	アサヒヒョウモン	Clossiana freija asahidakeana	Nymphalidae	NT	NT	NT	NT		Grassland	
71	カラフトヒョウモン	Clossiana iphigenia	Nymphalidae	NT	NT				Grassland	
72	フタオチョウ	Polyura eudamippus weismanni	Nymphalidae	NT	NT	NT	NT		Forest	
73	アカボシゴマダラ奄美亜種	Hestina assimilis shirakii	Nymphalidae	NT	NT	NT	NT		Forest	
74 75	オオムラサキ シロオビヒメヒカゲ札幌周辺亜種	Sasakia charonda charonda Coenonympha hero neoperseis	Nymphalidae Satyridae	NT NT	NT NT	NT	NT		Forest Grassland	
76	シロオ E C メ C カゲ 札幌 周辺 型 性 クモマベニヒカゲ 北海 道 亜種	Erebia ligea rishirizana	Satyridae Satyridae	NT NT	NT NT	NT	NT		Alpine	
77	クモマベニヒカゲ本州亜種	Erebia ligea takanonis	Satyridae	NT	NT	NT	NT		Alpine	
78	ベニヒカゲ本州亜種	Erebia neriene niphonica	Satyridae	NT	NT	NT			Alpine	
79	キマダラモドキ	Kirinia fentoni	Satyridae	NT	NT	NT			Forest	
80	シロオビヒカゲ	Lethe europa pavida	Satyridae	NT	NT				Grassland	
81	ダイセツタカネヒカゲ	Oeneis melissa daisetsuzana	Satyridae	NT	NT	NT	NT		Alpine	
82	タカネヒカゲ北アルプス亜種	Oeneis norna asamana	Satyridae	NT ↓	VU	VU	VU		Alpine	
83 84	マサキウラナミジャノメ	Ypthima masakii Ypthima riukiuana	Satyridae Satyridae	NT NT	NT NT	NT NT	NT NT		Forest Forest	
85	リュウキュウウラナミジャノメ ヤエヤマウラナミジャノメ	Ypthima yayeyamana	Satyridae Satyridae	NT NT	NT NT	NT NT	NT NT		Forest	
86	タカネキマダラセセリ北アルプス亜種	Carterocephalus palaemon satakei	Hesperiidae	NT	NT	NT	NT		Alpine	
87	ギンイチモンジセセリ	Leptalina unicolor	Hesperiidae	NT	NT	NT		•	Grassland	
88	ヒメイチモンジセセリ	Parnara bada	Hesperiidae	NT	NT				Grassland	
89	スジグロチャバネセセリ四国亜種	Thymelicus leoninus hamadakohi	Hesperiidae	NT	NT			•	Grassland	
90	スジグロチャバネセセリ北海道・本州・九州亜種	Thymelicus leoninus leoninus	Hesperiidae	NT	NT	NT		•	Grassland	
	ヒメウラボシシジミ	Neopithecops zalmora zalmora	Lycaeidae	DD	DD	I	1	1	Forest	
91	: Category rank up. ↓: Category rank o		Dycacidae							

^{*↑:} Category rank up, ↓: Category rank down, ○: Newly rank in
**•: Species distributed in Korea