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Notes on the Scottish Macro-moth List

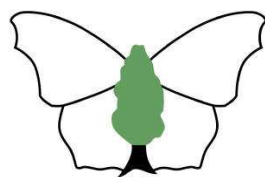
This list aims to include every species of macro-moth reliably recorded from Scotland, together with an assessment of its Scottish as opposed to UK status, as guidance for observers contributing to the NMRS. It should be regarded as provisional and erring on the side of caution.

At one time or another, virtually every macro-moth on the British list has been reported from Scotland. However, many of these are almost certainly misidentifications or other errors, including name confusion. A modern complication involves the unwitting transport of non-native species inside the traps of visiting observers, which are then included in the next night's catch. Thus species considered highly improbable have been ignored. They include 19th century records of Speckled Beauty *Fajivorina arenaria* and Waved Black *Parascotia fuliginaria* from Perthshire and modern records of Portland Ribbon Wave *Idaea degeneraria* and Scarce Wormwood *Cucullia artemesiae* from the Isle of Skye, among many similar instances. Old or unconfirmed records that seem more plausible have been relegated to an appendix. It is likely that some of these species will be promoted to the main list when further evidence comes to light.

Assessments of Scottish status should be considered as provisional, subjective, and at times no more than a guess, particularly when followed by a question mark. This is especially true of the Geometridae, as distribution maps have never been published for most of this family. Also, the status of our moths is changing rapidly at present, with species expanding northwards in response to climate change. Scotland has gained many new colonists in the last decade, while some resident species have undergone spectacular increases in range. Geographical terms used in this list are very broad; for instance S means south of the River Tay, while E and W divide the country roughly in two. Note that UK designations such as Na and RDB still apply, though they have not been repeated. Ironically, perhaps the rarest moths in Scotland are not its celebrated Highland specialities but more southern species with just a foothold in the country. Currently, Shuttle-shaped Dart *Agrotis puta* is almost certainly scarcer than Cousin German *Protolampra sobrina*.

The list and status assessments will be updated regularly as NMRS data increase or clarify our knowledge of Scottish moths. In the meantime, observers are encouraged to point out any errors or omissions and to suggest amendments. Candidate species for admission to the Scottish list should be supported by definite evidence such as a specimen or photograph.

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Scottish Macro-moth List - February 2009, Version 1

Vernacular	Code	Taxon	UK Status	Scottish Status (provisional)
Ghost Moth	14	<i>Hepialus humuli</i>	Common	Common
Orange Swift	15	<i>Hepialus sylvina</i>	Common	Local
Gold Swift	16	<i>Hepialus hecta</i>	Local	Common
Common Swift	17	<i>Hepialus lupulinus</i>	Common	Local, S?
Map-winged Swift	18	<i>Hepialus fusconebulosa</i>	Local	Common
Goat Moth	162	<i>Cossus cossus</i>	Nb	Very local, N
Forester	163	<i>Adscita statices</i>	Local	Very local, W
Scotch Burnet	166	<i>Zygaena exulans</i>	RDB3	Very local, NE
Slender Scotch Burnet	167	<i>Zygaena loti</i>	RDB3	Very local, W
New Forest Burnet	168	<i>Zygaena viciae</i>	RDB1	Very local, W
Six-spot Burnet	169	<i>Zygaena filipendulae</i>	Common	Common but largely coastal
Narrow-bordered Five-spot Burnet	171	<i>Zygaena lonicerae</i>	Common	Local, S & W
Transparent Burnet	172	<i>Zygaena purpuralis</i>	Na	Local, W
Lunar Hornet Moth	371	<i>Sesia bembeciformis</i>	Common	Widespread; overlooked?
Currant Clearwing	373	<i>Synanthedon salmachus</i>	Nb	Extinct? Last record 1960s?
Welsh Clearwing	376	<i>Synanthedon scoliaeformis</i>	RDB3	Very local, Highlands
Red-tipped Clearwing	380	<i>Synanthedon formicaeformis</i>	Nb	Very local, SW
Large Red-belted Clearwing	381	<i>Synanthedon culiciformis</i>	Nb	Local, N
Thrift Clearwing	383	<i>Synansphecchia muscaeformis</i>	Nb	Local, coastal, SW & NE
December Moth	1631	<i>Poecilocampa populi</i>	Common	Common
Pale Eggar	1632	<i>Trichiura crataegi</i>	Common	Widespread
Small Eggar	1633	<i>Eriogaster lanestris</i>	Nb	Extinct; formerly scarce S
Lackey	1634	<i>Malacosoma neustria</i>	Common	vagrant, SW
Northern Eggar	1637	<i>Lasiocampa quercus f. callunae</i>	Common	Common
Fox Moth	1638	<i>Macrothylacia rubi</i>	Common	Common

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Pine-tree Lappet	1639	<i>Dendrolimus pini</i>		Recent colonist, N, 2002
Drinker	1640	<i>Euthrix potatoria</i>	Common	Common W, absent E
Emperor Moth	1643	<i>Saturnia pavonia</i>	Common	Common
Kentish Glory	1644	<i>Endromis versicolora</i>	Na	Local, Highlands
Scalloped Hook-tip	1645	<i>Falcaria lacertinaria</i>	Common	Widespread
Oak Hook-tip	1646	<i>Drepana binaria</i>	Common	Stray or colonist, S
Barred Hook-tip	1647	<i>Drepana cultraria</i>	Local	Stray or colonist, SW
Pebble Hook-tip	1648	<i>Drepana falcata</i>	Common	Widespread
Chinese Character	1651	<i>Cilix glaucata</i>	Common	Local, SE & W
Peach Blossom	1652	<i>Thyatira batis</i>	Common	Widespread
Buff Arches	1653	<i>Habrosyne pyritoides</i>	Common	Local, SW
Figure of Eighty	1654	<i>Tethea ocularis</i>	Common	Recent colonist, S
Poplar Lutestring	1655	<i>Tethea or</i>	Local	Widespread, Highlands
Satin Lutestring	1656	<i>Tetheella fluctuosa</i>	Local	Very local, NW
Common Lutestring	1657	<i>Ochropacha duplaris</i>	Common	Common
Oak Lutestring	1658	<i>Cymatophorima dilutata</i>	Local	Scarce, S (no recent record)
Yellow Horned	1659	<i>Achlya flavicornis</i>	Common	Common
Orange Underwing	1661	<i>Archiearis parthenias</i>	Local	Widespread, mainly Highlands?
March Moth	1663	<i>Alsophila aescularia</i>	Common	Widespread, except Highlands?
Grass Emerald	1665	<i>Pseudoterpna pruinata</i>	Common	Scarce, SW only?
Large Emerald	1666	<i>Geometra papilionaria</i>	Common	Common
Common Emerald	1669	<i>Hemithea aestivaria</i>	Common	Occasional stray, S?
Small Emerald	1673	<i>Hemistola chrysoprasaria</i>	Local	Scarce adventive with clematis?
Little Emerald	1674	<i>Jodis lactearia</i>	Common	Local & scarce, SW?
Birch Mocha	1677	<i>Cyclophora albipunctata</i>	Local	Widespread
Maiden's Blush	1680	<i>Cyclophora punctaria</i>	Local	Very local & scarce?
Blood-vein	1682	<i>Timandra comae</i>	Common	Stray or migrant, S & E coast
Mullein Wave	1689	<i>Scopula marginepunctata</i>	Local	Local & scarce, SW?
Lesser Cream Wave	1692	<i>Scopula immutata</i>	Local	Local & scarce, SW?
Cream Wave	1693	<i>Scopula floslactata</i>	Local	Local, mainly W
Smoky Wave	1694	<i>Scopula ternata</i>	Local	Widespread
Small Fan-footed Wave	1702	<i>Idaea biselata</i>	Common	Common
Small Dusty Wave	1707	<i>Idaea seriata</i>	Common	Widespread S & E (towns & coast)
Single-dotted Wave	1708	<i>Idaea dimidiata</i>	Common	Local, mainly S
Satin Wave	1709	<i>Idaea subsericeata</i>	Common	Local, SW?
Riband Wave	1713	<i>Idaea aversata</i>	Common	Common

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Plain Wave	1715	<i>Idaea straminata</i>	Local	Widespread
Vestal	1716	<i>Rhometra sacraria</i>	Migrant	Scarce migrant
Oblique Carpet	1719	<i>Orthonama vittata</i>	Local	Local
Gem	1720	<i>Orthonama obstipata</i>	Migrant	Scarce migrant
Flame Carpet	1722	<i>Xanthorhoe designata</i>	Common	Common
Red Carpet	1723	<i>Xanthorhoe decoloraria</i>	Common	Widespread, but declining?
Red Twin-spot Carpet	1724	<i>Xanthorhoe spadicearia</i>	Common	Common
Dark-barred Twin-spot Carpet	1725	<i>Xanthorhoe ferrugata</i>	Common	Local and infrequent
Silver-ground Carpet	1727	<i>Xanthorhoe montanata</i>	Common	Abundant
Garden Carpet	1728	<i>Xanthorhoe fluctuata</i>	Common	Common
Shaded Broad-bar	1732	<i>Scotopteryx chenopodiata</i>	Common	Common
Lead Belle	1733	<i>Scotopteryx mucronata</i>	Common	Widespread, mainly Highlands?
July Belle	1734	<i>Scotopteryx luridata</i>	Common	Widespread, largely coastal?
Royal Mantle	1736	<i>Catarhoe cuculata</i>	Local	Very local & scarce, Perthshire
Small Argent & Sable	1737	<i>Epirrhoe tristata</i>	Common	Widespread
Common Carpet	1738	<i>Epirrhoe alternata</i>	Common	Common
Wood Carpet	1739	<i>Epirrhoe rivata</i>	Local	Local & scarce, S?
Galium Carpet	1740	<i>Epirrhoe galiata</i>	Local	local and scattered, basic rocks
Yellow Shell	1742	<i>Camptogramma bilineata</i>	Common	Common
Yellow-ringed Carpet	1743	<i>Entephria flavicinctata</i>	Nb	Local, mainly W
Grey Mountain Carpet	1744	<i>Entephria caesiata</i>	Common	Common but declining?
Mallow	1745	<i>Larentia clavaria</i>	Common	Scarce and local, S?
Shoulder Stripe	1746	<i>Anticlea badiata</i>	Common	Widespread, on lower ground?
Streamer	1747	<i>Anticlea derivata</i>	Common	Common
Beautiful Carpet	1748	<i>Mesoleuca albicillata</i>	Common	Widespread but infrequent?
Dark Spinach	1749	<i>Pelurga comitata</i>	Common	Local & scarce, mainly coastal
Water Carpet	1750	<i>Lampropteryx suffumata</i>	Common	Common
Purple Bar	1752	<i>Cosmorhoe ocellata</i>	Common	Common
Striped Twin-spot Carpet	1753	<i>Nebula salicata</i>	Common	Local
Phoenix	1754	<i>Eulithis prunata</i>	Common	Local and infrequent, mainly gardens
Chevron	1755	<i>Eulithis testata</i>	Common	Common
Northern Spinach	1756	<i>Eulithis populata</i>	Common	Common
Spinach	1757	<i>Eulithis mellinata</i>	Common	Local & scarce: severe decline
Barred Straw	1758	<i>Eulithis pyraliata</i>	Common	Common
Small Phoenix	1759	<i>Ecliptopera silaceata</i>	Common	Common
Red-green Carpet	1760	<i>Chloroclysta siterata</i>	Common	Common

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Autumn Green Carpet	1761	<i>Chloroclysta miata</i>	Local	Common
Dark Marbled Carpet	1762	<i>Chloroclysta citrata</i>	Common	Abundant
Arran Carpet	1763	<i>Chloroclysta concinnata</i>	Na	Very local, W
Common Marbled Carpet	1764	<i>Chloroclysta truncata</i>	Common	Common
Barred Yellow	1765	<i>Cidaria fulvata</i>	Common	Common
Blue-bordered Carpet	1766	<i>Plemyria rubiginata</i>	Common	Common
Pine Carpet	1767	<i>Thera firmata</i>	Common	Common
Grey Pine Carpet	1768	<i>Thera obeliscata</i>	Common	Common
Spruce Carpet	1769	<i>Thera britannica</i>	Common	Common, extending range N
Chestnut-coloured Carpet	1770	<i>Thera cognata</i>	Nb	Local
Juniper Carpet	1771	<i>Thera juniperata</i>	Common	Local
Broken-barred Carpet	1773	<i>Electrophaes corylata</i>	Common	Common
Beech-green Carpet	1774	<i>Colostygia olivata</i>	Local	Widespread
Mottled Grey	1775	<i>Colostygia multistrigaria</i>	Common	Common
Green Carpet	1776	<i>Colostygia pectinataria</i>	Common	Common
July Highflyer	1777	<i>Hydriomena furcata</i>	Common	Abundant
May Highflyer	1778	<i>Hydriomena impluviata</i>	Common	Common
Ruddy Highflyer	1779	<i>Hydriomena ruberata</i>	Local	Widespread, mainly W
Slender-striped Rufous	1780	<i>Coenocalpe lapidata</i>	RDB3	Local, mainly W
Argent & Sable	1787	<i>Rheumaptera hastata</i>	Nb	Widespread W, absent E
Scarce Tissue	1788	<i>Rheumaptera cervinalis</i>	Local	Local S, expanding range in E
Scallop Shell	1789	<i>Rheumaptera undulata</i>	Common	Local, S?
Tissue	1790	<i>Triphosa dubitata</i>	Local	Scarce & local, S?
Cloaked Carpet	1793	<i>Euphyia biangulata</i>	Nb	Stray? VC73, 1998
November Moth	1795	<i>Epirrita dilutata</i>	Common	Common
Pale November Moth	1796	<i>Epirrita christyi</i>	Common	Widespread, increasing?
Autumnal Moth	1797	<i>Epirrita autumnata</i>	Common	Common
Small Autumnal Moth	1798	<i>Epirrita filigrammaria</i>	Common	Widespread
Winter Moth	1799	<i>Operophtera brumata</i>	Common	Abundant
Northern Winter Moth	1800	<i>Operophtera fagata</i>	Common	Common
Barred Carpet	1801	<i>Perizoma taeniata</i>	Na	Very local but expanding, mainly W
Rivulet	1802	<i>Perizoma affinitata</i>	Common	Common
Small Rivulet	1803	<i>Perizoma alchemillata</i>	Common	Common
Barred Rivulet	1804	<i>Perizoma bifaciata</i>	Local	Local and infrequent, coastal?
Heath Rivulet	1805	<i>Perizoma minorata</i>	Nb	Local
Pretty Pinion	1806	<i>Perizoma blandiata</i>	Nb	Local

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Grass Rivulet	1807	<i>Perizoma albulata</i>	Local	Widespread
Sandy Carpet	1808	<i>Perizoma flavofasciata</i>	Common	Common S, extending range
Twin-spot Carpet	1809	<i>Perizoma didymata</i>	Common	Abundant
Slender Pug	1811	<i>Eupithecia tenuiata</i>	Common	Widespread
Lead-coloured Pug	1814	<i>Eupithecia plumbeolata</i>	Nb	Local and scarce
Cloaked Pug	1815	<i>Eupithecia abietaria</i>		Sporadic and rare
Toadflax Pug	1816	<i>Eupithecia linariata</i>	Common	Local, mainly SE?
Foxglove Pug	1817	<i>Eupithecia pulchellata</i>	Common	Common
Mottled Pug	1819	<i>Eupithecia exiguata</i>	Common	Local, mainly S & E?
Valerian Pug	1821	<i>Eupithecia valerianata</i>	Nb	Local
Marsh Pug	1822	<i>Eupithecia pygmaeata</i>	Local	Local, mainly E?
Netted Pug	1823	<i>Eupithecia venosata</i>	Local	Local, mainly coastal
Lime-speck Pug	1825	<i>Eupithecia centaureata</i>	Common	Local, lowland and coasts
Triple-spotted Pug	1826	<i>Eupithecia trisignaria</i>	Local	Local and infrequent
Edinburgh Pug	1827	<i>Eupithecia intricata millieraria</i>	Common	Widespread
Satyr Pug	1828	<i>Eupithecia satyrata</i>	Common	Common
Wormwood Pug	1830	<i>Eupithecia absinthiata</i>	Common	Common
Currant Pug	1832	<i>Eupithecia assimilata</i>	Common	Common, mainly gardens
Bleached Pug	1833	<i>Eupithecia expallidata</i>	Nb	Local and infrequent, W
Common Pug	1834	<i>Eupithecia vulgata</i>	Common	Common
White-spotted Pug	1835	<i>Eupithecia tripunctaria</i>	Local	Widespread but infrequent?
Jasione Pug	1836	<i>Eupithecia denotata jasioneata</i>	Na	One (gen. det.) VC74, 1997
Grey Pug	1837	<i>Eupithecia subfuscata</i>	Common	Common
Tawny Speckled Pug	1838	<i>Eupithecia icterata</i>	Common	Common
Bordered Pug	1839	<i>Eupithecia succenturiata</i>	Common	Local, mainly S?
Shaded Pug	1840	<i>Eupithecia subumbrata</i>	Local	Local & scarce, W?
Plain Pug	1842	<i>Eupithecia simpliciata</i>	Local	Very local & scarce, E coast
Thyme Pug	1843	<i>Eupithecia distinctaria</i>	Nb	Widespread, mainly W
Ochreous Pug	1844	<i>Eupithecia indigata</i>	Common	Common
Narrow-winged Pug	1846	<i>Eupithecia nanata</i>	Common	Common
Ash Pug	1849	<i>Eupithecia fraxinata</i>	Common	Widespread but infrequent
Golden-rod Pug	1851	<i>Eupithecia virgaureata</i>	Local	Common
Brindled Pug	1852	<i>Eupithecia abbreviata</i>	Common	Common
Oak-tree Pug	1853	<i>Eupithecia dodoneata</i>	Common	Recent colonist? Two 2008, SW
Juniper Pug	1854	<i>Eupithecia pusillata</i>	Common	Common
Larch Pug	1856	<i>Eupithecia lariciata</i>	Common	Common

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Dwarf Pug	1857	<i>Eupithecia tantillaria</i>	Common	Common
V-Pug	1858	<i>Chloroclystis v-ata</i>	Common	Common, S & W
Sloe Pug	1859	<i>Pasiphila chloerata</i>	Common	One, VC73, 1998
Green Pug	1860	<i>Pasiphila rectangulata</i>	Common	Common
Bilberry Pug	1861	<i>Pasiphila debiliata</i>	Nb	Very local & scarce, SW?
Double-striped Pug	1862	<i>Gymnoscelis rufifasciata</i>	Common	Common
Streak	1864	<i>Chesias legatella</i>	Common	Common
Broom-tip	1865	<i>Chesias rufata</i>	Nb	Local, mainly E
Manchester Treble-bar	1866	<i>Carsia sororiata</i>	Nb	Widespread
Treble-bar	1867	<i>Aplocera plagiata</i>	Common	Common
Lesser Treble-bar	1868	<i>Aplocera efformata</i>	Common	Local SE: recent colonist
Chimney Sweeper	1870	<i>Odezia atrata</i>	Common	Widespread
Welsh Wave	1873	<i>Venusia cambrica</i>	Local	Common
Dingy Shell	1874	<i>Euchoeca nebulata</i>	Local	Local & infrequent, E
Small White Wave	1875	<i>Asthena albulata</i>	Common	Local & infrequent, mainly W
Small Yellow Wave	1876	<i>Hydrelia flammeolaria</i>	Common	Local, S & W?
Seraphim	1879	<i>Lobophora halterata</i>	Local	Widespread
Barred Tooth-striped	1880	<i>Trichopteryx polycommata</i>	Na	Very local, mainly W
Early Tooth-striped	1881	<i>Trichopteryx carpinata</i>	Common	Common
Small Seraphim	1882	<i>Pterapherapteryx sexalata</i>	Local	Local & infrequent, S?
Yellow-barred Brindle	1883	<i>Acasis viretata</i>	Local	Local but expanding, mainly W
Magpie Moth	1884	<i>Abraxas grossulariata</i>	Common	Abundant N & W, scarce S & E
Clouded Magpie	1885	<i>Abraxas sylvata</i>	Local	Very local, SW
Clouded Border	1887	<i>Lomaspilis marginata</i>	Common	Common
Peacock Moth	1889	<i>Macaria notata</i>	Local	Widespread, mainly Highlands?
Tawny-barred Angle	1893	<i>Macaria liturata</i>	Common	Common
Latticed Heath	1894	<i>Chiasmia clathrata</i>	Common	Common, mainly S
Netted Mountain Moth	1895	<i>Macaria carbonaria</i>	RDB3	Very local, Highlands
Rannoch Looper	1896	<i>Itame brunneata</i>	Na	Local, Highlands
V-Moth	1897	<i>Macaria wauaria</i>	Local	Scarce after major decline
Frosted Yellow	1899	<i>Isturgia limbaria</i>	Extinct	Extinct; formerly very local
Brown Silver-line	1902	<i>Petrophora chlorosata</i>	Common	Common
Barred Umber	1903	<i>Plagodis pulveraria</i>	Local	Widespread
Scorched Wing	1904	<i>Plagodis dolabraria</i>	Local	Widespread S, expanding range
Brimstone Moth	1906	<i>Opisthograptis luteolata</i>	Common	Common
Bordered Beauty	1907	<i>Epione repandaria</i>	Common	Widespread but infrequent

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Dark Bordered Beauty	1908	<i>Epione vespertaria</i>	RDB3	Very local, Highlands
Speckled Yellow	1909	<i>Pseudopanthera macularia</i>	Common	Local, mainly W
Lilac Beauty	1910	<i>Apeira syringaria</i>	Local	Local, SW
August Thorn	1912	<i>Ennomos quercinaria</i>	Local	Scarce or stray, SW?
Canary-shouldered Thorn	1913	<i>Ennomos alniaria</i>	Common	Common
September Thorn	1915	<i>Ennomos erosaria</i>	Common	Local, mainly W
Early Thorn	1917	<i>Selenia dentaria</i>	Common	Common
Lunar Thorn	1918	<i>Selenia lunularia</i>	Local	Widespread but infrequent
Purple Thorn	1919	<i>Selenia tetralunaria</i>	Common	Local, mainly W
Scalloped Hazel	1920	<i>Odontopera bidentata</i>	Common	Common
Scalloped Oak	1921	<i>Crocallis elinguaris</i>	Common	Common
Swallow-tailed Moth	1922	<i>Ourapteryx sambucaria</i>	Common	Common S, extending range N
Feathered Thorn	1923	<i>Colotois pennaria</i>	Common	Common
Pale Brindled Beauty	1926	<i>Phigalia pilosaria</i>	Common	Common
Brindled Beauty	1927	<i>Lycia hirtaria</i>	Common	Widespread, mainly Highlands?
Belted Beauty	1928	<i>Lycia zonaria</i>	Na	Very local, W coast
Rannoch Brindled Beauty	1929	<i>Lycia lapponaria</i>	Na	Very local, Highlands
Oak Beauty	1930	<i>Biston strataria</i>	Common	Widespread, mainly S & W
Peppered Moth	1931	<i>Biston betularia</i>	Common	Common
Spring Usher	1932	<i>Agriopis leucophaearia</i>	Common	Local and infrequent?
Scarce Umber	1933	<i>Agriopis aurantiaria</i>	Common	Common
Dotted Border	1934	<i>Agriopis marginaria</i>	Common	Common
Mottled Umber	1935	<i>Erannis defoliaria</i>	Common	Common
Willow Beauty	1937	<i>Peribatodes rhomboidaria</i>	Common	Widespread but infrequent?
Bordered Grey	1938	<i>Selidosema brunnearia</i>	Na	Very local, mainly W
Ringed Carpet	1939	<i>Cleora cinctaria</i>	Na	Very local, W
Satin Beauty	1940	<i>Deileptenia ribeata</i>	Common	Widespread; extending range N
Mottled Beauty	1941	<i>Alcis repandata</i>	Common	Common
Dotted Carpet	1942	<i>Alcis jubata</i>	Local	Widespread
Brussels Lace	1945	<i>Cleorodes lichenaria</i>	Local	Widespread but infrequent
Engrailed	1947	<i>Ectropis bistortata</i>	Common	Common
Small Engrailed	1948	<i>Ectropis crepuscularia</i>	Local	Local, SW
Grey Birch	1951	<i>Aethalura punctulata</i>	Common	Local and scarce, mainly W
Common Heath	1952	<i>Ematurga atomaria</i>	Common	Abundant
Bordered White	1954	<i>Bupalus piniaria</i>	Common	Common
Common White Wave	1955	<i>Cabera pusaria</i>	Common	Common

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Common Wave	1956	<i>Cabera exanthemata</i>	Common	Common
Clouded Silver	1958	<i>Lomographa temerata</i>	Common	Common S, expanding range N
Early Moth	1960	<i>Theria primaria</i>	Common	Common S
Light Emerald	1961	<i>Campaea margaritata</i>	Common	Common
Barred Red	1962	<i>Hylaea fasciaria</i>	Common	Common
Scotch Annulet	1963	<i>Gnophos obfusata</i>	Nb	Local, mainly Highlands
Annulet	1964	<i>Charissa obscurata</i>	Local	Local, mainly coastal
Black Mountain Moth	1965	<i>Glacies coracina</i>	Na	Very local, Highlands
Grey Scalloped Bar	1969	<i>Dyscia fagara</i>	Local	Widespread but infrequent
Grass Wave	1970	<i>Perconia strigillaria</i>	Local	Local and scattered
Convolvulus Hawk-moth	1972	<i>Agrius convolvuli</i>	Migrant	Scarce but regular migrant
Death's-head Hawk-moth	1973	<i>Acherontia atropos</i>	Migrant	Rare migrant, has bred
Rustic Sphinx	1975a	<i>Manduca rustica</i>	Adventive	Adventive, Aberdeen docks 1983
Pine Hawk-moth	1978	<i>Hyloicus pinastri</i>	Local	Old records, some plausible, last 1928
Eyed Hawk-moth	1980	<i>Smerinthus ocellata</i>	Common	Occasional stray, S?
Poplar Hawk-moth	1981	<i>Laothoe populi</i>	Common	Common
Narrow-bordered Bee Hawk	1982	<i>Hemaris tityus</i>	Na	Widespread after recent recovery
Humming-bird Hawk-moth	1984	<i>Macroglossum stellatarum</i>	Migrant	Regular migrant, sometimes breeds
Oleander Hawk-moth	1985	<i>Daphnis nerii</i>	Migrant	Very rare migrant
Jade Hawk-moth	1985a	<i>Daphnis hypothous</i>	Adventive	Adventive, Perth 1873
Bedstraw Hawk-moth	1987	<i>Hyles gallii</i>	Migrant	Scarce migrant, mainly E, has bred
Striped Hawk-moth	1990	<i>Hyles livornica</i>	Migrant	Rare migrant
Elephant Hawk-moth	1991	<i>Deilephila elpenor</i>	Common	Common after range expansion
Small Elephant Hawk-moth	1992	<i>Deilephila porcellus</i>	Local	Local, mainly lowland & E coast
Silver-striped Hawk-moth	1993	<i>Hippotion celerio</i>	Migrant	Very rare migrant
Buff-tip	1994	<i>Phalera bucephala</i>	Common	Common
Puss Moth	1995	<i>Cerura vinula</i>	Common	Common
Sallow Kitten	1997	<i>Furcula furcula</i>	Common	Common
Iron Prominent	2000	<i>Notodonta dromedarius</i>	Common	Common
Pebble Prominent	2003	<i>Notodonta ziczac</i>	Common	Common
Great Prominent	2005	<i>Peridea anceps</i>	Local	Very local, W
Lesser Swallow Prominent	2006	<i>Pheosia gnoma</i>	Common	Common
Swallow Prominent	2007	<i>Pheosia tremula</i>	Common	Common
Coxcomb Prominent	2008	<i>Ptilodon capucina</i>	Common	Common
Scarce Prominent	2010	<i>Odontosia carmelita</i>	Local	Widespread but infrequent
Pale Prominent	2011	<i>Pterostoma palpina</i>	Common	Widespread

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Marbled Brown	2014	<i>Drymonia dodonaea</i>	Local	Local, W
Lunar Marbled Brown	2015	<i>Drymonia ruficornis</i>	Common	Local, mainly W
Small Chocolate-tip	2017	<i>Clostera pigra</i>	Nb	Local
Chocolate-tip	2019	<i>Clostera curta</i>	Local	Very local, Highlands
Figure of Eight	2020	<i>Diloba caeruleocephala</i>	Common	Scarce, SE & SW; declined
Vapourer	2026	<i>Orgyia antiqua</i>	Common	Widespread, except W
Dark Tussock	2027	<i>Dicallomera fascelina</i>	Local	Widespread, except W
Pale Tussock	2028	<i>Calliteara pudibunda</i>	Common	Stray or colonist, Borders 2007
Brown-tail	2029	<i>Euproctis chrysorrhoea</i>	Local	Rare vagrant or stray, E coast
Yellow-tail	2030	<i>Euproctis similis</i>	Common	Local, SW
White Satin	2031	<i>Leucoma salicis</i>	Local	Rare vagrant or stray, E coast
Round-winged Muslin	2035	<i>Thumatha senex</i>	Local	Very local
Dew Moth	2036	<i>Setina irrorella</i>	Na	Very local, W & SE coasts
Muslin Footman	2038	<i>Nudaria mundana</i>	Local	Widespread, S & E
Red-necked Footman	2039	<i>Atolmis rubicollis</i>	Local	Recent colonist S & W, expanding N
Four-dotted Footman	2040	<i>Cybosia mesomella</i>	Local	Local, mainly W
Scarce Footman	2047	<i>Eilema complana</i>	Local	Local & scarce, SW
Common Footman	2050	<i>Eilema lurideola</i>	Common	Local & mainly coastal
Four-spotted Footman	2051	<i>Lithosia quadra</i>	Migrant	Very rare migrant
Crimson Speckled	2054	<i>Utetheisa pulchella</i>	Migrant	Very rare migrant
Wood Tiger	2056	<i>Parasemia plantaginis</i>	Local	Common
Garden Tiger	2057	<i>Arctia caja</i>	Common	Common
Clouded Buff	2059	<i>Diacrisia sannio</i>	Local	Widespread but mainly W
White Ermine	2060	<i>Spilosoma lubricipeda</i>	Common	Common
Buff Ermine	2061	<i>Spilosoma luteum</i>	Common	Common W, absent E
Muslin Moth	2063	<i>Diaphora mendica</i>	Common	Sporadic and scarce
Ruby Tiger	2064	<i>Phragmatobia fuliginosa</i>	Common	Common
Isabelline Tiger	2065	<i>Pyrrharctica isabella</i>	Adventive	Adventive larvae, Edinburgh ca. 1970
Cinnabar	2069	<i>Tyria jacobaeae</i>	Common	Local & coastal Adventive, Edinburgh 1969, Aberdeen 1994
Giant Leopard Moth	2069a	<i>Hypercompe scribonia</i>	Adventive	
Least Black Arches	2078	<i>Nola confusalis</i>	Local	Widespread, increasing?
Square-spot Dart	2080	<i>Euxoa obelisca</i>	Nb	Very local, rocky coasts
White-line Dart	2081	<i>Euxoa tritici</i>	Common	Widespread but mainly coastal
Garden Dart	2082	<i>Euxoa nigricans</i>	Common	Widespread but now infrequent
Coast Dart	2083	<i>Euxoa cursoria</i>	Nb	Local, sandy coasts

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Archer's Dart	2085	<i>Agrotis vestigialis</i>	Local	Common but largely coastal
Turnip Moth	2087	<i>Agrotis segetum</i>	Common	Widespread S, migrant in N?
Heart and Club	2088	<i>Agrotis clavis</i>	Common	Local and infrequent, mainly E
Heart and Dart	2089	<i>Agrotis exclamationis</i>	Common	Common S, scarcer N
Crescent Dart	2090	<i>Agrotis trux</i>	Local	Very local, SW
Dark Sword-grass	2091	<i>Agrotis ipsilon</i>	Migrant	Regular migrant
Shuttle-shaped Dart	2092	<i>Agrotis puta</i>	Common	Stray or recent colonist, S
Sand Dart	2093	<i>Agrotis ripae</i>	Nb	Local, sandy coasts, E
Flame	2098	<i>Axylia putris</i>	Common	Widespread, especially W coast
Portland Moth	2099	<i>Actebia praecox</i>	Nb	Local, mainly coastal
Eversmann's Rustic	2100	<i>Actebia fennica</i>	Vagrant/Accidental	Very rare migrant, VC93, 1977
Black Collar	2101	<i>Ochropleura flammatra</i>	Vagrant/Accidental	Very rare migrant, Shetland 1997
Flame Shoulder	2102	<i>Ochropleura plecta</i>	Common	Common
Plain Clay	2103	<i>Eugnorisma depuncta</i>	Nb	Widespread, mainly E
Northern Rustic	2104	<i>Standfussiana lucernea</i>	Local	Local, rocky coasts, mainly N
Dotted Rustic	2105	<i>Rhyacia simulans</i>	Local	Very local, mainly N
Large Yellow Underwing	2107	<i>Noctua pronuba</i>	Common	Abundant
Lunar Yellow Underwing	2108	<i>Noctua orbona</i>	Nb	Very local & scarce, E (declining?)
Lesser Yellow Underwing	2109	<i>Noctua comes</i>	Common	Common
Broad-bordered Yellow Underwing	2110	<i>Noctua fimbriata</i>	Common	Widespread but infrequent
Lesser Broad-bordered Yellow Underwing	2111	<i>Noctua janthe</i>	Common	Common
Least Yellow Underwing	2112	<i>Noctua interjecta</i>	Common	Stray or colonist, SE?
Stout Dart	2113	<i>Spaelotis raveda</i>	Local	Rare stray, no recent records
Double Dart	2114	<i>Graphiphora augur</i>	Common	Common
Cousin German	2116	<i>Protolampra sobrina</i>	RDB3	Local, central Highlands
Autumnal Rustic	2117	<i>Eugnorisma glareosa</i>	Common	Common
True Lover's Knot	2118	<i>Lycophotia porphyrea</i>	Common	Common
Pearly Underwing	2119	<i>Peridroma saucia</i>	Migrant	Regular migrant
Ingrailed Clay	2120	<i>Diarsia mendica mendica</i>	Common	Common
Barred Chestnut	2121	<i>Diarsia dahlii</i>	Local	Common
Purple Clay	2122	<i>Diarsia brunnea</i>	Common	Common
Small Square-spot	2123	<i>Diarsia rubi</i>	Common	Common
Northern Dart	2125	<i>Xestia alpicola</i>	Na	Very local
Setaceous Hebrew Character	2126	<i>Xestia c-nigrum</i>	Common	Common; also autumn migrant
Triple-spotted Clay	2127	<i>Xestia ditrapezium</i>	Local	Widespread W, but absent E

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Double Square-spot	2128	<i>Xestia triangulum</i>	Common	Common
Dotted Clay	2130	<i>Xestia baja</i>	Common	Common
Square-spotted Clay	2131	<i>Xestia rhomboidea</i>	Nb	Very local, W
Neglected Rustic	2132	<i>Xestia castanea</i>	Local	Widespread but infrequent
Six-striped Rustic	2133	<i>Xestia sexstrigata</i>	Common	Common
Square-spot Rustic	2134	<i>Xestia xanthographa</i>	Common	Abundant
Heath Rustic	2135	<i>Xestia agathina</i>	Local	Widespread
Gothic	2136	<i>Naenia typica</i>	Local	Widespread but infrequent
Great Brocade	2137	<i>Eurois occulta</i>	Na	Local, Highlands; regular migrant elsewhere
Green Arches	2138	<i>Anaplectoides prasina</i>	Common	Widespread
Red Chestnut	2139	<i>Cerastis rubricosa</i>	Common	Common
Beautiful Yellow Underwing	2142	<i>Anarta myrtilli</i>	Common	Common
Small Dark Yellow Underwing	2143	<i>Anarta cordigera</i>	Na	Very local, Highlands
Broad-bordered White Underwing	2144	<i>Anarta melanopa</i>	RDB3	Very local, mountains
Nutmeg	2145	<i>Discestra trifolii</i>	Common	Scarce resident SE?; migrant E
Shears	2147	<i>Hada nana</i>	Common	Common
Pale Shining Brown	2148	<i>Polia bombycina</i>	Nb	Extinct; 19th C. resident, S & E
Silvery Arches	2149	<i>Polia trimaculosa</i>	Nb	Local, mainly Highlands
Grey Arches	2150	<i>Polia nebulosa</i>	Common	Widespread, mainly W
White Colon	2152	<i>Sideridis albicolon</i>	Nb	Very local & scarce, E coast
Cabbage Moth	2154	<i>Mamestra brassicae</i>	Common	Widespread, mainly lowland
Dot Moth	2155	<i>Melanchra persicariae</i>	Common	Local, S & SE
Beautiful Brocade	2156	<i>Lacanobia contigua</i>	Local	Local and infrequent
Pale-shouldered Brocade	2158	<i>Lacanobia thalassina</i>	Common	Common
Dog's Tooth	2159	<i>Lacanobia suasa</i>	Local	Scarce, SW, scarce migrant elsewhere
Bright-line Brown-eye	2160	<i>Lacanobia oleracea</i>	Common	Common
Glaucous Shears	2162	<i>Papestra biren</i>	Local	Widespread
Broom Moth	2163	<i>Melanchra pisi</i>	Common	Common
Broad-barred White	2164	<i>Hecatera bicolorata</i>	Common	Local, mainly E
Campion	2166	<i>Hadena rivularis</i>	Common	Widespread
Tawny Shears	2167	<i>Hadena perplexa</i>	Common	Scarce, SW; formerly in SE
Marbled Coronet	2171	<i>Hadena confusa</i>	Local	Widespread but coastal
Lychnis	2173	<i>Hadena bicruris</i>	Common	Common
Grey	2174	<i>Hadena caesia</i>	RDB3	Very local and scarce, W coast
Antler Moth	2176	<i>Cerapteryx graminis</i>	Common	Common

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Hedge Rustic	2177	<i>Tholera cespitis</i>	Common	Widespread, but apparent decline
Feathered Gothic	2178	<i>Tholera decimalis</i>	Common	Formerly local, but no recent record?
Pine Beauty	2179	<i>Panolis flammea</i>	Common	Common
Small Quaker	2182	<i>Orthosia cruda</i>	Common	Local
Lead-coloured Drab	2185	<i>Orthosia populeti</i>	Local	Local, Highlands
Powdered Quaker	2186	<i>Orthosia gracilis</i>	Common	Widespread but mainly W
Common Quaker	2187	<i>Orthosia cerasi</i>	Common	Common
Clouded Drab	2188	<i>Orthosia incerta</i>	Common	Common
Twin-spotted Quaker	2189	<i>Orthosia munda</i>	Common	Local, mainly W
Hebrew Character	2190	<i>Orthosia gothica</i>	Common	Abundant
Brown-line Bright Eye	2192	<i>Mythimna conigera</i>	Common	Common
Clay	2193	<i>Mythimna ferrago</i>	Common	Common
Delicate	2195	<i>Mythimna vitellina</i>	Migrant	Rare migrant
Southern Wainscot	2197	<i>Mythimna straminea</i>	Local	Very local, SW
Smoky Wainscot	2198	<i>Mythimna impura</i>	Common	Abundant
Common Wainscot	2199	<i>Mythimna pallens</i>	Common	Widespread but not numerous
Shore Wainscot	2201	<i>Mythimna litoralis</i>	Nb	Very local, E coast
White-speck	2203	<i>Mythimna unipuncta</i>	Migrant	Scarce migrant
Shoulder-striped Wainscot	2205	<i>Mythimna comma</i>	Common	Widespread, mainly E
Cosmopolitan	2208	<i>Mythimna loreyi</i>	Migrant	Very rare migrant; VC72 2006
Chamomile Shark	2214	<i>Cucullia chamomillae</i>	Local	Widespread E?; recent range expansion
Shark	2216	<i>Cucullia umbratica</i>	Common	Widespread but infrequent
Minor Shoulder-knot	2225	<i>Brachylochia viminalis</i>	Common	Common
Rannoch Sprawler	2228	<i>Brachionycha nubeculosa</i>	RDB3	Very local, Highlands
Brindled Ochre	2229	<i>Dasypolia templi</i>	Local	Widespread, but recent decline?
Northern Deep-brown Dart	2231a	<i>Aporophyla lueneburgensis</i>	Common	Widespread but decreasing?
Black Rustic	2232	<i>Aporophyla nigra</i>	Common	Common
Golden-rod Brindle	2233	<i>Lithomoia solidaginis</i>	Local	Widespread but decreasing?
Pale Pinion	2236	<i>Lithophane hepatica</i>	Local	Recent colonist, SW & SE
Blair's Shoulder-knot	2240	<i>Lithophane leautieri</i>	Common	Recent colonist, SW & SE
Red Sword-grass	2241	<i>Xylena vetusta</i>	Local	Widespread
Sword-grass	2242	<i>Xylena exsoleta</i>	Nb	Local and infrequent
Early Grey	2243	<i>Xylocampa areola</i>	Common	Widespread W but absent E
Green-brindled Crescent	2245	<i>Allophyes oxyacanthae</i>	Common	Common
Merveille du Jour	2247	<i>Dichonia aprilina</i>	Common	Widespread but infrequent
Brindled Green	2248	<i>Dryobotodes eremita</i>	Common	Local

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Dark Brocade	2250	<i>Blepharita adusta</i>	Common	Common
Bedrule Brocade	2250a	<i>Blepharita solieri</i>	Vagrant/Accidental	Vagrant, one VC80, 1976
Grey Chi	2254	<i>Antitype chi</i>	Common	Common but declining?
Feathered Ranunculus	2255	<i>Polymixis lichenea lichenea</i>	Local	Very local, SW
Satellite	2256	<i>Eupsilia transversa</i>	Common	Common
Chestnut	2258	<i>Conistra vaccinii</i>	Common	Common
Dark Chestnut	2259	<i>Conistra ligula</i>	Common	Scarce or stray, SW?
Brick	2262	<i>Agrochola circellaris</i>	Common	Common
Red-line Quaker	2263	<i>Agrochola lota</i>	Common	Common
Yellow-line Quaker	2264	<i>Agrochola macilenta</i>	Common	Common
Flounced Chestnut	2265	<i>Agrochola helvola</i>	Common	Widespread, mainly W
Brown-spot Pinion	2266	<i>Agrochola litura</i>	Common	Common
Beaded Chestnut	2267	<i>Agrochola lychnidis</i>	Common	Stray or migrant only?
Suspected	2268	<i>Parastichtis suspecta</i>	Local	Widespread but infrequent
Centre-barred Sallow	2269	<i>Atethmia centrago</i>	Common	Widespread
Lunar Underwing	2270	<i>Omphaloscelis lunosa</i>	Common	Local, mainly coastal
Orange Sallow	2271	<i>Xanthia citrigo</i>	Common	Widespread but infrequent
Pink-barred Sallow	2273	<i>Xanthia togata</i>	Common	Common
Sallow	2274	<i>Xanthia ictertia</i>	Common	Common
Dusky-lemon Sallow	2275	<i>Xanthia gilvago</i>	Local	Local and infrequent, SE
Poplar Grey	2278	<i>Acronicta megacephala</i>	Common	Local, N & W, absent E
Miller	2280	<i>Acronicta leporina</i>	Common	Widespread but infrequent
Alder Moth	2281	<i>Acronicta alni</i>	Local	Local, SW, expanding range
Grey Dagger	2284	<i>Acronicta psi</i>	Common	Common
Light Knot Grass	2286	<i>Acronicta menyanthidis</i>	Local	Widespread
Sweet Gale Moth	2288	<i>Acronicta euphorbiae</i>	Na	Local, Highlands
Knot Grass	2289	<i>Acronicta rumicis</i>	Common	Common
Coronet	2291	<i>Craniophora ligustri</i>	Local	Local, mainly W
Marbled Beauty	2293	<i>Cryphia domestica</i>	Common	Local, mainly urban
Svensson's Copper Underwing	2298	<i>Amphipyra berbera</i>	Common	Recent colonist, SE
Mouse Moth	2299	<i>Amphipyra tragopoginis</i>	Common	Common
Old Lady	2300	<i>Mormo maura</i>	Local	Local and infrequent
Brown Rustic	2302	<i>Rusina ferruginea</i>	Common	Common
Straw Underwing	2303	<i>Thalpophila matura</i>	Common	Local, coastal; infrequent and declining?
Small Angle Shades	2305	<i>Euplexia lucipara</i>	Common	Common
Angle Shades	2306	<i>Phlogophora meticulosa</i>	Common	Common, also migrant

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Olive	2312	<i>Ipimorpha subtusa</i>	Local	Local and scarce, S
Angle-striped Sallow	2313	<i>Enargia paleacea</i>	Nb	Widespread, N
Dingy Shears	2314	<i>Parastichtis ypsilon</i>	Local	Scarce, perhaps only stray or migrant
Dun-bar	2318	<i>Cosmia trapezina</i>	Common	Common
Saxon	2320	<i>Hyppa rectilinea</i>	Nb	Widespread
Dark Arches	2321	<i>Apamea monoglypha</i>	Common	Abundant
Light Arches	2322	<i>Apamea lithoxylaea</i>	Common	Common
Northern Arches	2324	<i>Apamea zeta assimilis</i>	Na	Widespread but infrequent
Crescent Striped	2325	<i>Apamea oblonga</i>	Nb	Very local, SW coast? No recent records
Clouded-bordered Brindle	2326	<i>Apamea crenata</i>	Common	Common
Clouded Brindle	2327	<i>Apamea epomidion</i>	Common	Very local and scarce
Scarce Brindle	2328	<i>Apamea laterita</i>	Migrant	Very rare migrant, Shetland (three)
Confused	2329	<i>Apamea furva</i>	Local	Local
Dusky Brocade	2330	<i>Apamea remissa</i>	Common	Common
Small Clouded Brindle	2331	<i>Apamea unanimis</i>	Common	Local and infrequent
Union Rustic	2332	<i>Apamea pabulatricula</i>	Extinct	Extinct ca. 1902; formerly very local, S & E
Large Nutmeg	2333	<i>Apamea anceps</i>	Local	Extinct 19th C resident, S & E
Rustic Shoulder-knot	2334	<i>Apamea sordens</i>	Common	Common
Slender Brindle	2335	<i>Apamea scolopacina</i>	Local	Recent colonist, SE
Double Lobed	2336	<i>Apamea ophiogramma</i>	Local	Widespread: recent range expansion
Marbled Minor	2337	<i>Oligia strigilis</i>	Common	Common
Rufous Minor	2338	<i>Oligia versicolor</i>	Local	Widespread after range expansion
Tawny Marbled Minor	2339	<i>Oligia latruncula</i>	Common	Local & scarce, mainly S?
Middle-barred Minor	2340	<i>Oligia fasciuncula</i>	Common	Common
Cloaked Minor	2341	<i>Mesoligia furuncula</i>	Common	Widespread S, stray N?
Rosy Minor	2342	<i>Mesoligia literosa</i>	Common	Common
Common Rustic	2343	<i>Mesapamea secalis</i>	Common	Common
Lesser Common Rustic	2343a	<i>Mesapamea didyma</i>	Common	Common
Small Dotted Buff	2345	<i>Photodes minima</i>	Common	Common
Lyme Grass	2348	<i>Chortodes elymi</i>	Nb	Very local, E coast
Small Wainscot	2350	<i>Chortodes pygmina</i>	Common	Common
Flounced Rustic	2353	<i>Luperina testacea</i>	Common	Widespread, mainly coastal
Scarce Arches	2356	<i>Luperina zollikoferi</i>	Migrant	Very rare migrant, 1871 & 1968
Large Ear	2357	<i>Amphipoea lucens</i>	Local	Common
Saltern Ear	2358	<i>Amphipoea fucosa</i>	Local	Local, Hebrides
Crinan Ear	2359	<i>Amphipoea crinanensis</i>	Local	Common

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Ear Moth	2360	<i>Amphipoea oculatea</i>	Common	Widespread, mainly coastal?
Rosy Rustic	2361	<i>Hydraecia micacea</i>	Common	Common
Butterbur	2362	<i>Hydraecia petasitis</i>	Local	Very local, S
Frosted Orange	2364	<i>Gortyna flavago</i>	Common	Widespread, except NW
Haworth's Minor	2367	<i>Celaena haworthii</i>	Local	Common
Crescent	2368	<i>Celaena leucostigma</i>	Local	Common W, scarce or migrant E
Bulrush Wainscot	2369	<i>Nonagria typhae</i>	Common	Local, perhaps increasing
Large Wainscot	2375	<i>Rhizedra lutosa</i>	Common	Local and infrequent
Small Rufous	2379	<i>Coenobia rufa</i>	Local	Very local, SW?
Treble Lines	2380	<i>Charanyca trigrammica</i>	Common	Recent colonist, SW?
Uncertain	2381	<i>Hoplodrina alsines</i>	Common	Local, S? Identification problems
Rustic	2382	<i>Hoplodrina blanda</i>	Common	Widespread, mainly coastal
Vine's Rustic	2384	<i>Hoplodrina ambigua</i>	Local	Perhaps stray or migrant, SW
Small Mottled Willow	2385	<i>Spodoptera exigua</i>	Migrant	Scarce migrant
Mottled Rustic	2387	<i>Caradrina morpheus</i>	Common	Widespread, mainly E
Pale Mottled Willow	2389	<i>Paradrina clavipalpis</i>	Common	Common
Silky Wainscot	2391	<i>Chilodes maritimus</i>	Local	Recent colonist, SE? One in 2008
Anomalous	2394	<i>Stilbia anomala</i>	Local	Common
Small Yellow Underwing	2397	<i>Panemeria tenebrata</i>	Local	Scarce, SE? No recent records
Bordered Sallow	2399	<i>Pyrrhia umbra</i>	Local	Local & coastal, SE only
Scarce Bordered Straw	2400	<i>Helicoverpa armigera</i>	Migrant	Scarce migrant
Bordered Straw	2403	<i>Heliothis peltigera</i>	Migrant	Rare migrant
Spotted Clover Moth	2405	<i>Schinia scutosa</i>	Rare migrant	Very rare migrant (1878, 1960)
Purple Marbled	2407	<i>Eublemma ostrina</i>	Migrant	Very rare migrant (1858)
Small Marbled	2408	<i>Eublemma parva</i>	Migrant	Very rare migrant (1982)
Silver Hook	2412	<i>Deltote uncula</i>	Local	Local, SW & W only
Green Silver-lines	2422	<i>Pseudoips prasinana</i>	Common	Local and infrequent
Oak Nycteoline	2423	<i>Nycteola revayana</i>	Local	Local and infrequent
Nut-tree Tussock	2425	<i>Colocasia coryli</i>	Common	Common
Golden Twin-spot	2428	<i>Chrysodeixis chalcites</i>	Migrant	Very rare migrant (1978)
Burnished Brass	2434	<i>Diachrysia chrysitis</i>	Common	Common
Dewick's Plusia	2436	<i>Macdunnoughia confusa</i>	Rare migrant	Very rare migrant (1969)
Golden Plusia	2437	<i>Polychrysia moneta</i>	Common	Local and scarce, S; declining
Gold Spot	2439	<i>Plusia festucae</i>	Common	Common
Lempke's Gold Spot	2440	<i>Plusia putnami</i>	Local	Widespread and expanding range
Silver Y	2441	<i>Autographa gamma</i>	Migrant	Abundant migrant

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Beautiful Golden Y	2442	<i>Autographa pulchrina</i>	Common	Common
Plain Golden Y	2443	<i>Autographa jota</i>	Common	Widespread but declining?
Gold Spangle	2444	<i>Autographa bractea</i>	Common	Common
Scarce Silver Y	2447	<i>Syngrapha interrogationis</i>	Local	Common, mainly Highlands
Dark Spectacle	2449	<i>Abrostola triplasia</i>	Common	Scarce and local, SW
Spectacle	2450	<i>Abrostola tripartita</i>	Common	Common
Clifden Nonpareil	2451	<i>Catocala fraxini</i>	Migrant	Scarce migrant, mainly E
Red Underwing	2452	<i>Catocala nupta</i>	Common	Occasional stray, S
Mother Shipton	2462	<i>Callistege mi</i>	Common	Local
Burnet Companion	2463	<i>Euclidia glyphica</i>	Common	Very local, SW suspected immigrant
Four-spotted	2465	<i>Tyta luctuosa</i>	Na	One, Aberdeen 1908 (specimen exists)
Herald	2469	<i>Scoliopteryx libatrix</i>	Common	Common
Small Purple-barred	2470	<i>Phytometra viridaria</i>	Local	Widespread
Straw Dot	2474	<i>Rivula sericealis</i>	Common	Common, mainly W
Snout	2477	<i>Hypena proboscidalis</i>	Common	Common
Pinion-streaked Snout	2484	<i>Schrankia costaestrigalis</i>	Local	Widespread, W
Marsh Oblique-barred	2485	<i>Hypenodes humidalis</i>	Nb	Local, W
Fan-foot	2489	<i>Zanclognatha tarsipennalis</i>	Common	Widespread, S
Small Fan-foot	2492	<i>Herminia grisealis</i>	Common	Widespread

This section contains historical records of additional species that seem plausible but cannot now be confirmed. It also includes more recent records that may well be genuine but are not considered proven beyond reasonable doubt at the time this list was compiled. Almost certainly, some of these species will be upgraded to the main list when firm evidence is available.

APPENDIX: PLAUSIBLE ADDITIONS

Vernacular	Code	Taxon	UK Status	Scottish Status (provisional)
Leopard Moth	161	<i>Zeuzera pyrina</i>	Common	SW one, 1889
Blotched Emerald	1667	<i>Comibaena bajularia</i>	Local	SW 19th C record
Small Scallop	1712	<i>Idaea emarginata</i>	Local	SW 19th C record
Oblique Striped	1718	<i>Phibalapteryx virgata</i>	Nb	Stray or misidentification?
Sharp-angled Carpet	1794	<i>Euphyia unangulata</i>	Local	Probable misidentifications, S
Maple Pug	1812	<i>Eupithecia inturbata</i>	Local	Rothamsted only, SW
Haworth's Pug	1813	<i>Eupithecia haworthiata</i>	Local	Rothamsted only, SW
Waved Carpet	1877	<i>Hydrelia sylvata</i>	Nb	Stray, or misidentification, SW?
Scorched Carpet	1888	<i>Ligdia adustata</i>	Local	Stray, SW?
Short-cloaked Moth	2077	<i>Nola cucullatella</i>	Common	Occasional stray, S?
White-marked	2140	<i>Cerastris leucographa</i>	Local	Occasional stray, SW?
Light Brocade	2157	<i>Lacanobia w-latinum</i>	Local	Suspected misidentifications
Northern Drab	2184	<i>Orthosia opima</i>	Local	No confirmed or recent record?
Beautiful Arches	2249	<i>Blepharita satura</i>		Two 19th C specimens labelled Aberdeen
Barred Sallow	2272	<i>Xanthia aurago</i>	Common	Stray and/or misidentifications?
Dark Dagger	2283	<i>Acronicta tridens</i>	Common	Identification problems; no recent records
Copper Underwing	2298	<i>Amphipyra pyramidea</i>	Common	Identification problems with 2299
Reddish Light Arches	2323	<i>Apamea sublustris</i>	Local	Dubious old records
Cream-bordered Green Pea	2418	<i>Earias clorana</i>	Nb	Clyde Valley records dubious?
Scarce Silver-lines	2421	<i>Bena bicolorana</i>	Local	Name confusion, but possible stray SW