

Raphidioptera (Snakeflies)

A. NUMBER OF SPECIES IN UK: 4

B. NUMBER OF SPECIES IN SCOTLAND: 1

C. EXPERT CONTACTS

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D. SPECIES OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Listed species

None.

Other species

Atlantoraphidia maculicollis is associated with *Pinus*. It is rarely encountered and probably under-recorded due to tree-topping habit.

E. LIST OF SPECIES KNOWN FROM SCOTLAND

(* indicates species that are restricted to Scotland in UK context)

Raphidiidae

Atlantoraphidia maculicollis

F. DISTRIBUTION DATA

- i) Data collated by Neuroptera Recording Scheme is available on the NBN Gateway, covering lacewings, scorpion-flies, snake-flies and allies (including Mecoptera).
- ii) Data is independently being collated for Scotland by Andrew Whittington.
- iii) Scottish data are also held in the Scottish Invertebrate Records Index (SIRI) database at National Museums of Scotland.

G. IDENTIFICATION GUIDES

- i) Plant, C.W. 1997. *A key to the adults of British lacewings and their allies (Neuroptera, Megaloptera, Raphidioptera and Mecoptera)*. Field Studies Council.

H. OTHER INFORMATION

- a) Current taxonomic key is recent and reliable.
 - b) Majority of records are for adults.
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