

SCARLET MALACHITE BEETLE



Scarlet Malachite Beetle (*Malachius aeneus*) (c) Tristan Bantock

Lives in

Essex, Hertfordshire and Hampshire.

Threat

Loss of habitat and intensive farming.

Rarity

Only known in eight small sites in the UK.

What you can do to help

Look out for this species and report any sightings to Buglife.

Did You Know..?

In 2010 Buglife successfully
captively bred the beetle allowing them to take forward the
Conservation of this species.