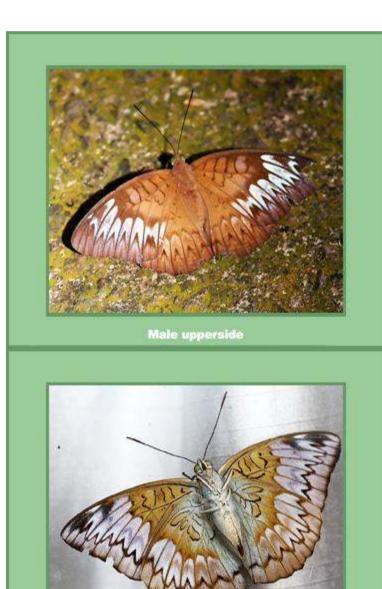
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Male underside

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Fabricius 1787 - The Malay Viscount

Koh Samui only.

Not commonly seen. This forest species can be identified by having two full rows of submarginal white spts on the forewing, like *T. palguna*, but the hindwing markings are not so extensive..

Flight Period

Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
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Wingspan

50 - 70mm

Early Stages

Fully known. More detailed life history information is available from the following resource:ButterflyCircle Blog (courtesy of Dr. Horace Tan.)

Larval Foodplant

Ardisia colorata (Myrsinaceae), Melastoma malabathricum (Melastomataceae)

Range

S. Burma, peninsular Thailand and Malay Peninsular. Other subspecies throughout Sundaland.