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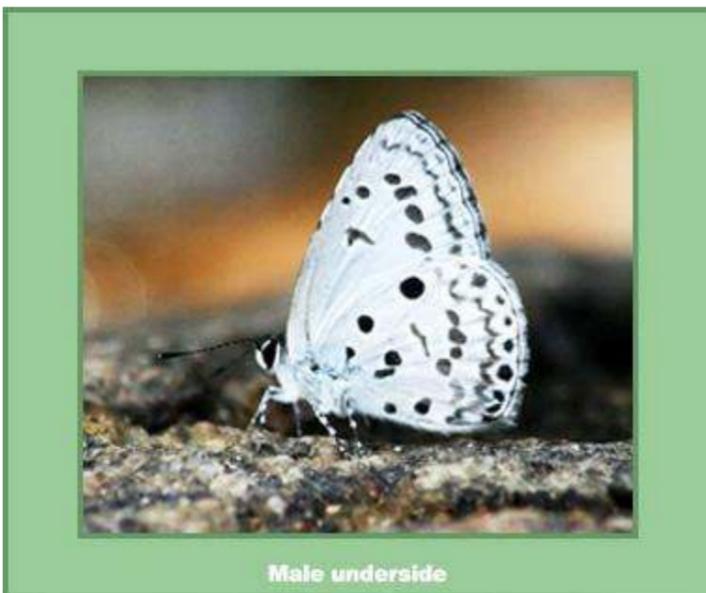
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Distant 1882 - Common Hedge Blue

A very common species, frequently found in disturbed areas, and commonly found on paths imbibing mineral salts from damp patched (puddling).

Flight Period

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

Wingspan

20 - 28mm

Early Stages

Detailed life history information is available from the following resources. S Igarishi - Life Histories of Asian Butterflies, Volume2, Page 565.

Larval Foodplant

Bridelia tomentosa (Euphorbiaceae), *Cylista scariosa* (Papilionaceae), *Hiptage bengalensis* (Malpigiaceae) *Peltophorum pterocarpum* (Caesalpiniaceae), *Schleichera oleosa* (Sapindaceae) and *Xylia xylocarpa* (Mimosaceae)

Range

Malaysia, Singapore and Peninsular Thailand. Other [subspecies](#) in India, Myanmar and northern Thailand.