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Linnaeus 1758 - The Mottled Emigrant

Koh Samui and Koh Pha Ngan.

A common species, regularly to be found in the environs of gardens and villages at lower altitudes. It is the smallest of the three *Catopsilia* species found in the region

There are records of this species participating in migratory flights, but not to the same extent as its near relative, *Catopsilia pomona*.

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

40 - 55mm

Early Stages

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

Larval Foodplant

Cassia species

Range

Throughout the Oriental Region.