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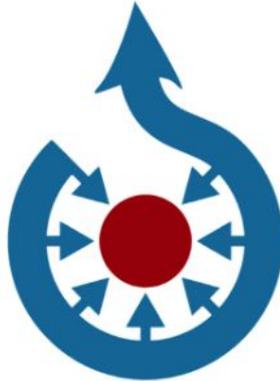
A blue-tinted photograph of a damselfly nymph and its nymph case. The nymph is positioned in the upper right, and its nymph case is below it. The text is overlaid in the center.

Why Natural History collections should engage with Wikipedia, Wikicommons and Wikidata.

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A stack of Wikidata stickers and a sign. The stickers are white with the Wikidata logo (a blue and red barcode) and the word 'WIKIDATA' printed on them. The sign is white with the text 'BUILD COOL THINGS' in large, bold, black letters, and 'powered by WIKIDATA' in smaller black letters below it, accompanied by the Wikidata logo.

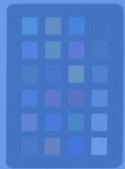
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Herb. V. W. Lindauer



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Manaaki Whenua - Landcare Research

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Parent institution	Crown Research Institute
Location	Lincoln
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Scoparia illota

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

Scoparia illota is a species of moth in the family Crambidae. It is endemic to New Zealand. The larvae of this species are leaf miners.

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Taxonomy

It was described by Alfred Philpott in 1919 using specimens collected at Cromarty in Preservation Inlet as well as specimen collected between Blue Cliffs Beach and the Knife and Steel harbour in Southland.^[2] However the placement of this species within the *Scoparia* genus is in doubt.^[1] As a result, this species has also been referred to as *Scoparia* (s.l.) *illota*.^[3]

Description



Male holotype specimen

Auckland Museum image

The hindwings are grey. Adults have been recorded on wing in December.^[2] As a result of this as well as the wing pattern, it has also been postulated that *S. illota* belongs to the subgenus *Scoparia* (s.l.) *illota*.^[3]

Distribution

This species is endemic to New Zealand.^{[1][3]} It is found in the forests of southern New Zealand.^[5] It is locally common in Thomsons Bush in Invercargill as well on the Cascade Road in South Westland.^[5]

Life stages

This species' larvae are leaf miners.^[5] They form silk tunnels amongst the leaves of their host plants.^[5]

References

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Scoparia illota



Male



Female

Scientific classification

Kingdom:	Animalia
Phylum:	Arthropoda
Class:	Insecta
Order:	Lepidoptera
Family:	Crambidae
Genus:	<i>Scoparia</i>
Species:	<i>S. illota</i>

Binomial name

Scoparia illota
Philpott, 1919^[1]



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Kikihia ochrina

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

Kikihia ochrina (commonly known as the **April green cicada**) is a species of insect endemic to **New Zealand**.^[3]

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Kikihia ochrina



Female **syntype** specimen held at Auckland Museum



Reuse in iNaturalist

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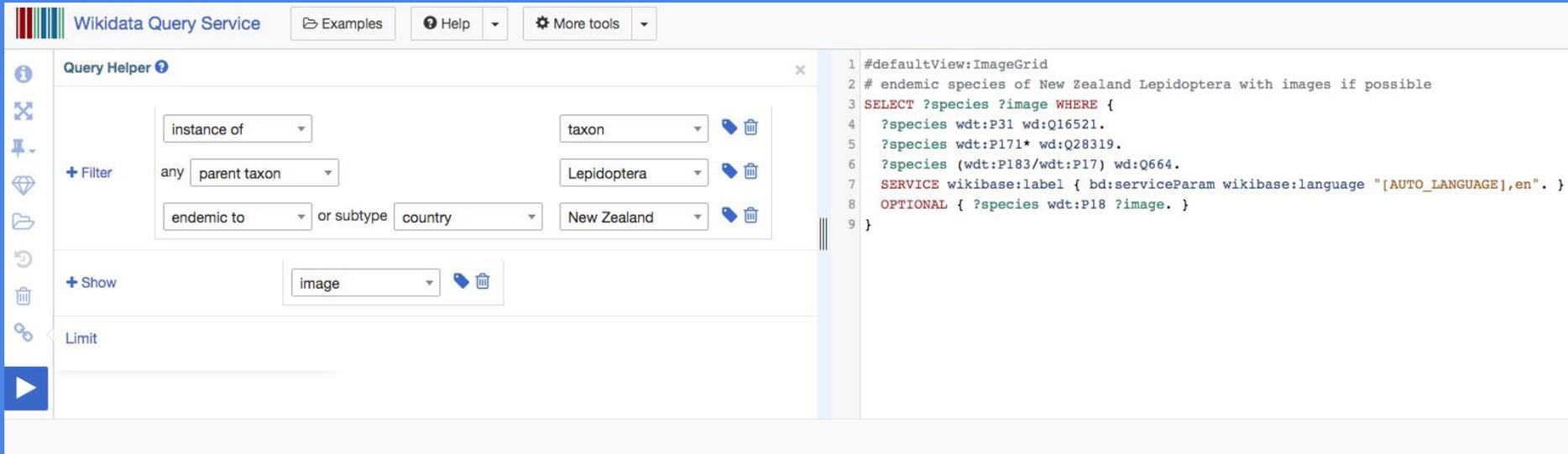
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Wikidata query



The screenshot displays the Wikidata Query Service interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the Wikidata logo, the text "Wikidata Query Service", and buttons for "Examples", "Help", and "More tools".

The main interface is divided into two sections. On the left is the "Query Helper", which contains several filter and show options:

- + Filter:** A table of filters with columns for the filter type, the filter name, and the filter value. The filters are: "instance of" (value: "taxon"), "parent taxon" (value: "Lepidoptera"), and "endemic to" (value: "New Zealand", with "or subtype" and "country" also visible).
- + Show:** A single filter for "image".
- Limit:** A section for setting the number of results, currently empty.

On the right is a text area containing a SPARQL query:

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2 # endemic species of New Zealand Lepidoptera with images if possible
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5   ?species wdt:P171* wd:Q28319.
6   ?species (wdt:P183/wdt:P17) wd:Q664.
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8   OPTIONAL { ?species wdt:P18 ?image. }
9 }
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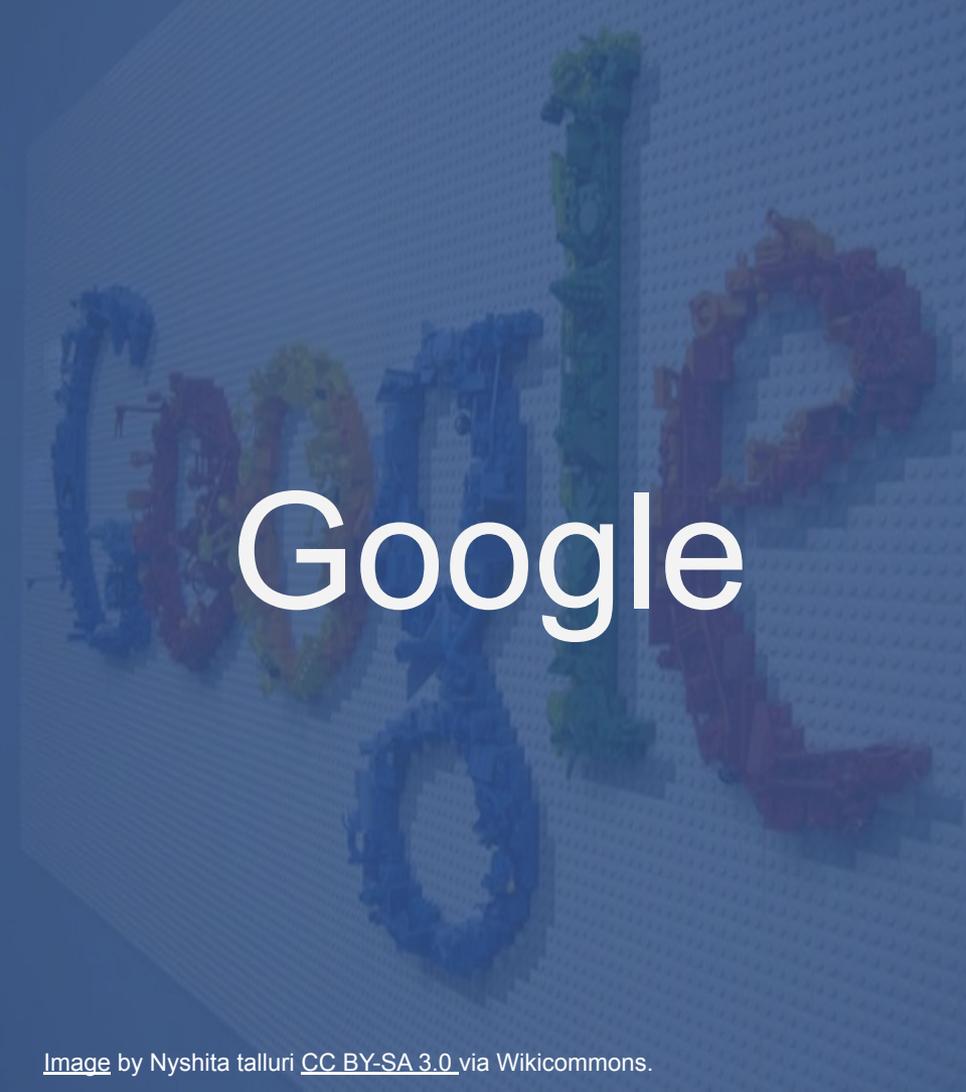


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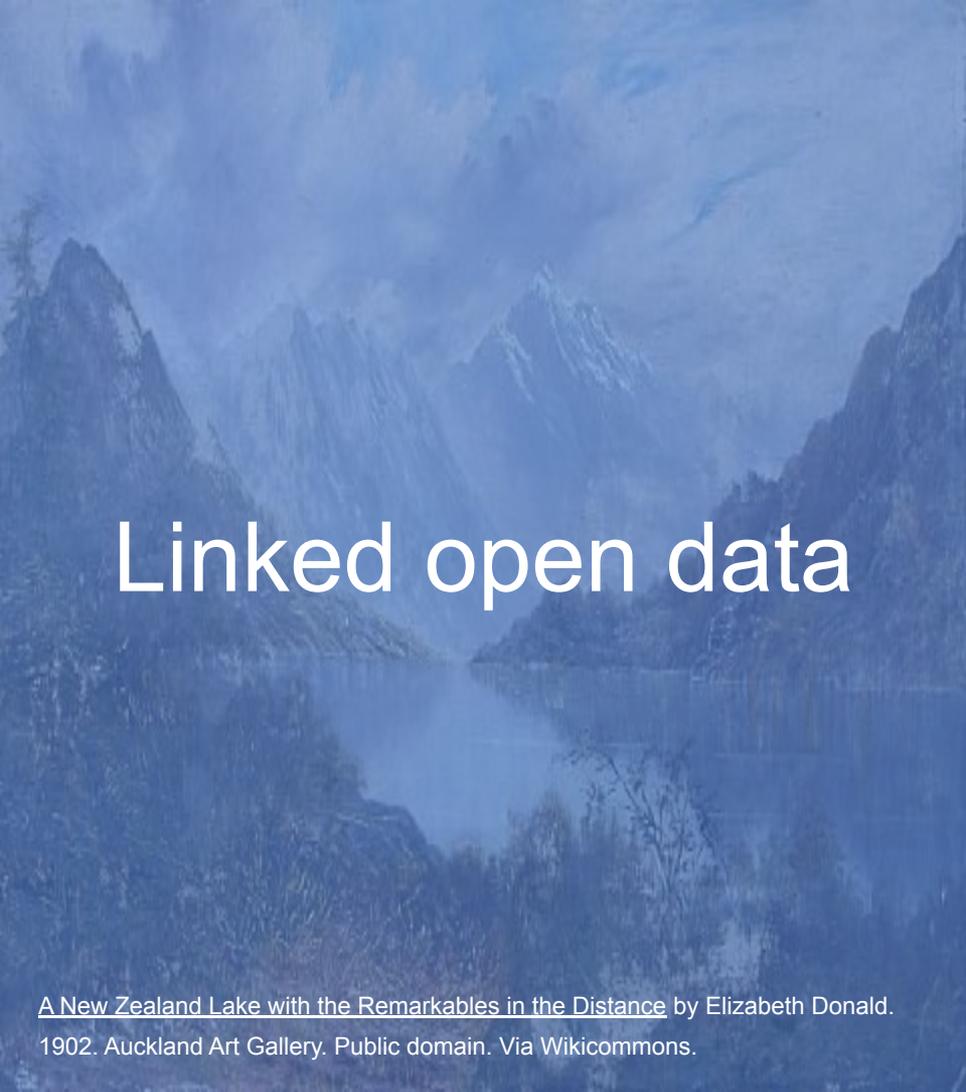
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A painting of a New Zealand lake with snow-capped mountains in the distance. The scene is a valley with a calm lake in the foreground, reflecting the surrounding landscape. In the background, several sharp, snow-capped mountain peaks rise against a hazy sky. The overall color palette is muted, with blues, greys, and whites.

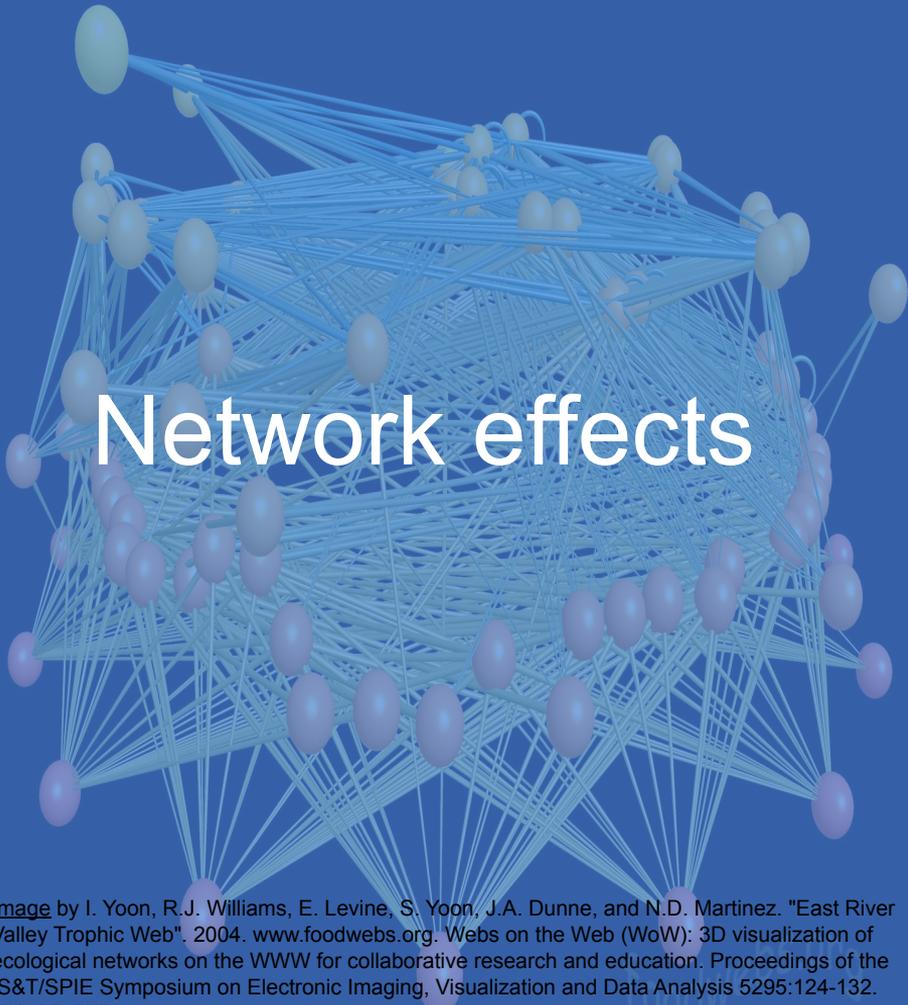
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Network effects

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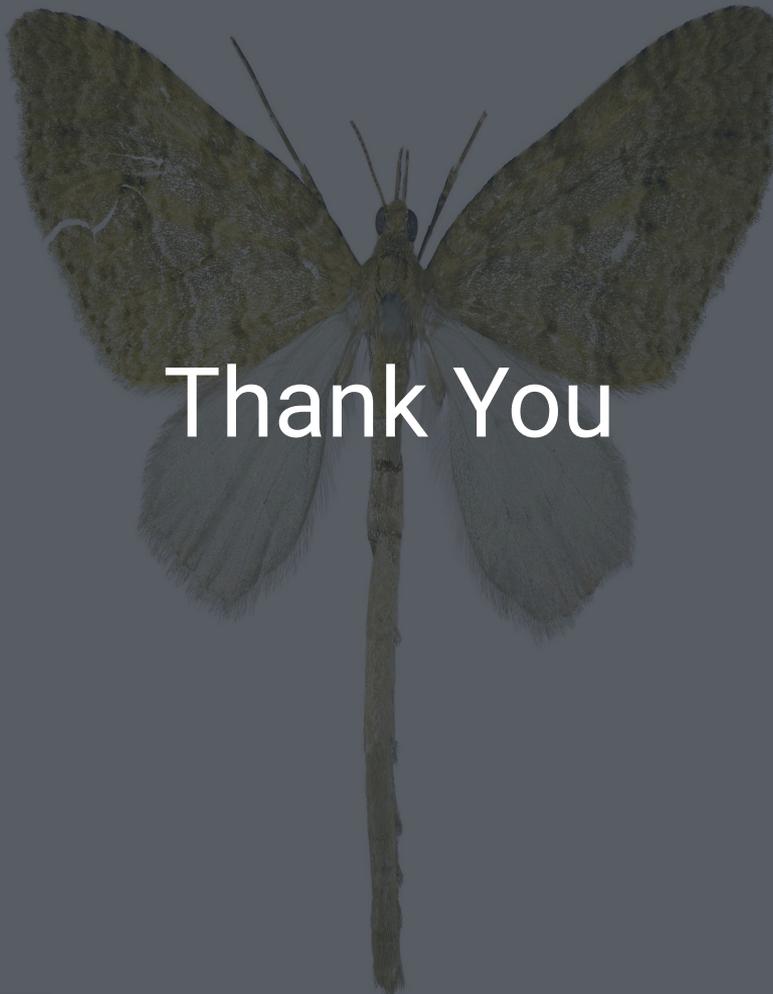


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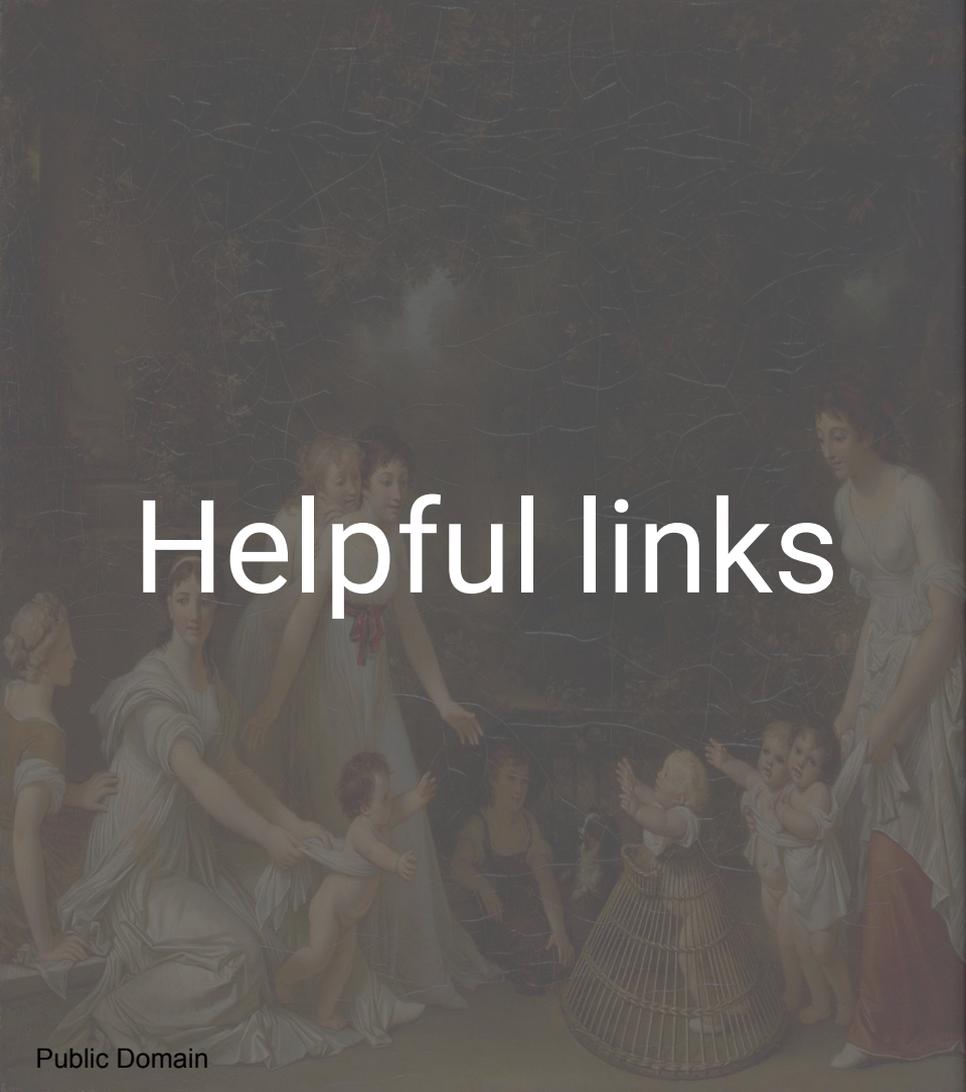
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