

***Lopinga eckweileri* GÖRGNER, 1990 from S. Gansu, China**
(Lepidoptera, Nymphalidae, Satyrinae)

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Abstract: *Lopinga eckweileri* GÖRGNER, 1990 is recorded from Gansu Province, China for the first time, and Tewo is the second known locality of this little known satyrid butterfly.

Lopinga eckweileri GÖRGNER, 1990 (Satyrinae: Satyrini) is a little known butterfly and it has been collected only from its type locality, Jiuzhaigou [former Nanping county], N. Sichuan province, China (GÖRGNER, 1990; BOZANO, 1999). A ♀ specimen was collected by the second author from Tewo and it is the second known locality of this species. Tewo is a County in S. Gansu Province and its southeast borders on the Jiuzhaigou county. In addition Min-Shan is a big ridge which extends southeastwards through Tewo to Jiuzhaigou. Therefore, both the two Counties belong to a same fauna, and it is not surprising to discover this endemic species from Tewo.

Lopinga eckweileri GÖRGNER, 1990 (Figs: 1, 2)

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Material: 1 ♀, China: Gansu, Tewo, Lazikou, Meilu-gou, 2600 m, 21.VII.2015, leg. GUO-XI. XUE, kept in Dr. SONG-YUN LANG's private collection, Shuangliu, Chengdu, Sichuan, China, LSY.

Distribution (Fig. 3): S. Gansu (Tewo), NW. Sichuan (Jiuzhaigou).

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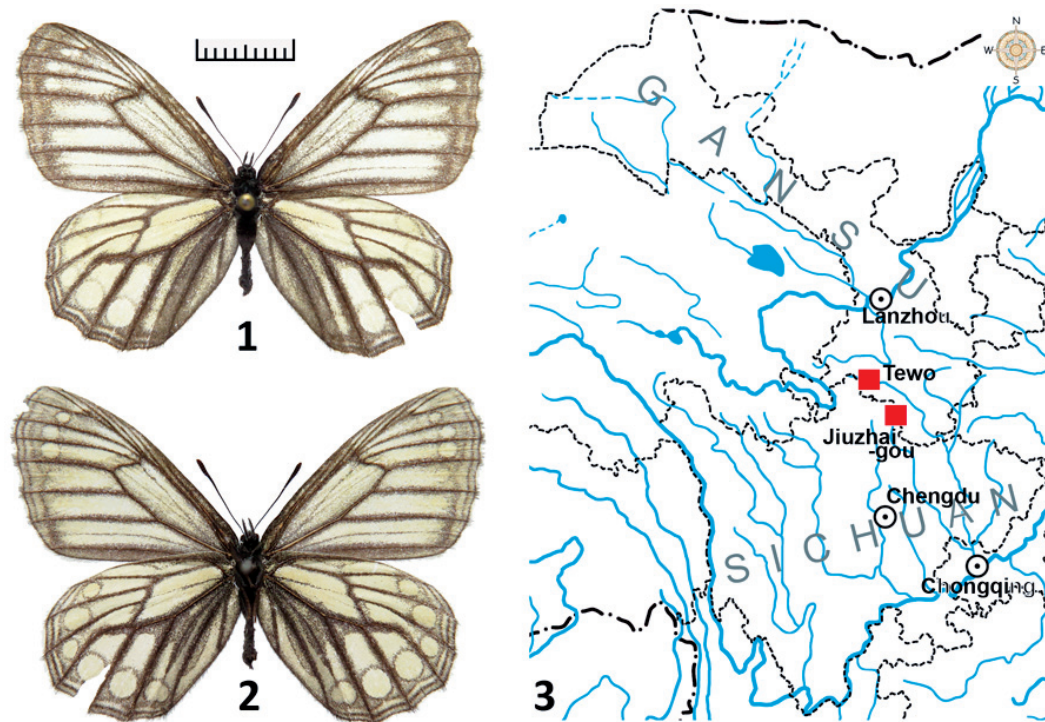


Fig. 1, 2: *Lopinga eckweileri* GÖRGNER, 1990, ♀, China, Gansu, Tewo, LSY, dorsal and ventral side.

Fig. 3: Map of Sichuan Province and Gansu Province.

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