July 2025 Monthly Catalogue

Welcome to the July 2025 edition of the NHBS Monthly Catalogue, which lists all new titles added to our website in the last month.

We open this month with several interesting books on major animal groups. Mammal workers will want to take note that Anthony J. Mitchell-Jones, together with a team of co-editors, is working on the second edition of

Atlas of European Mammals, revisiting this title 25 years after the publication of the first edition with Poyser. The second edition is due in December and will be published by CRC Press. Meanwhile.

Stuarts' Field Guide to Mammals of Southern Africa will enter its sixth edition, and is due in November from Zebra Press. For birdwatchers, we have the Struik Pocket Guide: Birds of Botswana, due in August from Penguin Random House South Africa, and The Social Lives of Birds, due in September from Headline Book Publishing.

For herpetologists, two relevant titles are due from Edition Chimaira in September:

Amphibians and Reptiles of the Peloponnese and Anolis: Natural History and Captive Care of Selected Species. For marine biologists, we are excited to announce that NHBS will be distributing the Field Guide to Manta & Devil Rays of the World from the Manta Trust, an innovative book that guides readers through four different identification pathways. It will be accompanied by simultaneous translations into French, Spanish, and Portuguese. Meanwhile, Bloomsbury will publish the second edition of Marine Life of the Caribbean in November.

Turning to insects and other invertebrates, the FSC has just released two new AIDGAP guides.

Micro Ladybirds of Britain and Ireland: A Guide to the Smaller Species of Coccinellidae

and Social Wasps of Britain and Ireland, while NAP Editions has just

published Neuropteroids of Europe: Neuroptera, Trichoptera, Plecoptera, Mecoptera, Megaloptera and Rhaphidioptera. For malacologists, a group we rarely call out, we have three new titles from ConchBooks: Marine Bivalves of Namibia, the twovolume set Malacofauna Turcica: The Terrestrial Gastropoda of Türkiye, and The Recent Colloniidae, Volume 2.

Three botanical titles of note this month are the FSC fold-out guide Urban Plants of Scotland and Northern England; the paperback rerelease of Oaklore: Adventures in a World of Extraordinary Trees, due in August from Greystone Books; and the paperback rerelease of The Hidden Company That Trees Keep: Life from Treetops to Root Tips, due in November from Princeton University Press.

In December, the University of Chicago Press will publish two academic books on ecology that reflect on the discipline itself: Daniel Simberloff is working on Ecological Explosions: The History of Biological Invasions and Invasion Science, while Jeremy Fox in The Ecology of Ecologists: Harnessing Diverse Approaches for a Stronger Science lifts the lid on the many different ways in which ecology is studied. Turning to the history of domestication, the Paris MNHN has just published Exploring the History of Turkey Management and Domestication: A Transatlantic Perspective.

Finally, three good reads are the bestselling nature writing title Raising Hare, now out in paperback from Canongate, and paperback reissues of Andrea Wulf's

The Invention of Nature: The Adventures of Alexander Von Humboldt, the Lost Hero of Science and Sir David Attenborough's Adventures of a Young Naturalist, both due in August under the new John Murray Classics banner.

As always, if you are looking for a particular title that we do not yet have in our range, or you would like to suggest a title for NHBS to stock, please do get in touch.

Leon Vlieger Catalogue Editor

Insects & other Invertebrates

Native Insects of Aotearoa

Julia Kasper(Author), Phil Sirvid(Author) Part of the Te Papa Te Taiao Nature Series, this accessible introduction to a range of the native insects encountered in New Zealand is written by two expert entomologists from the national museum, Te Papa. It features fifty species, from moths and... 02-07-2025

136 pages | 85 colour & b/w illustrations | Te Papa Press Paperback #268271 2023 9781991165541 £20.99

The World Atlas of Honey

C Marina Marchese(Author)

A beautifully illustrated global survey of the flavour of honey, The World Atlas of Honey includes:- Profiles of more than 80 countries and their botanical sources of honey- The global history of honey production, from the earliest...

272 pages | 294 colour illustrations | University of California Press Hardback #268145 2024 9780520397705

The Gardener and the Moth

Planting for Moths and Butterflies

Susie White(Author)

£30.00

Learn how to create a garden that works both day and night for moths and butterflies, attracting stunning species and helping them to thrive. Moths are a crucial but forgotten pollinator, often overlooked in favour of their brighter cousin – the...

160 pages | Saraband (Scotland)
Paperback
#267932
Nov-2025
9781916812468

£8.99

Micro Ladybirds of Britain and Ireland

A Guide to the Smaller Species of Coccinellidae
Maria Justamond(Author), David W Williams(Author)
Micro Ladybirds of Britain and Ireland is a photo-based identification
guide to these widespread but inconspicuous beetles.- Covers 25
species- Illustrated with colour photographs throughout- No specimen
preparation neededWith around 50 resident...

84 pages | 43 plates with colour photos | Field Studies Council (FSC)
Paperback
#268018
2025
9781917154147
£15.00

Neuropteroids of Europe

Neuroptera, Trichoptera, Plecoptera, Mecoptera, Megaloptera and Rhaphidioptera

Patrice Leraut(Author)

This book focuses on the adult stage of the "neuropteroids". More specifically, it presents the Plecoptera (stoneflies), the super-order Neuropterida (Neuroptera, Megaloptera, Rhaphidioptera), Megaloptera, Trichoptera (caddisflies), and...

444 pages | plates with colour photos; b/w illustrations | NAP Editions Hardback #268021

2025 9782913688483

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Insect Conservation

Developing a Practical Perspective

Tim R New(Author)

The variety of theoretical themes and practical components contributing to modern insect conservation continues to diversify, together with the realisation that insects affect many aspects of human wellbeing. Some such topics develop rapidly to...

200 pages | 10 colour & 10 b/w illustrations | Springer Nature Hardback #268028

Aug-2025

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Larvae of the Common Penaeid Prawns of Malaysia and South-

East Asia

Chong Ving Ching(Author)

This book describes in detail the full larval series of ten common, economically important species of penaeid prawn in five genera, including Metapenaeus, Metapenaeopsis, Parapenaeopsis, Penaeus and Trachysalambria. Four Parapenaeopsis species are...

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#268035

2025

2025

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Marine Bivalves of Namibia

Michael L Zettler(Author), Leon Hoffman(Author)

The marine bivalve fauna of Namibia has been illustrated and described using samples mainly collected by German research cruises. The bivalve inventory includes a significant number of recently described species. Namibia's bivalves are poorly...

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The Recent Colloniidae, Volume 2

Guido T Poppe(Author), Sheila P Tagaro(Author), Shih-I

Huang(Author)

This book provides a thorough addition to the Trochoidean family Colloniidae, which resulted in the description of a further 33 species of molluscs. The family now comprises 4 subfamilies, 33 genera and 288 species. The large amount of material for...

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Spiders of the United States & Canada

Easily Identify 158 Common Species

Sebastian Alejandro Echeverri(Author)

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Caterpillars of North America

Easily Identify 90 Common Butterflies and Moths

Jaret C Daniels(Author)

Get this handy guide to caterpillars found throughout North America, and learn how to identify them. The metamorphosis from caterpillar to butterfly or moth is one of nature's most amazing wonders. While their transformations into winged...

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Malacofauna Turcica: The Terrestrial Gastropoda of Türkiye (2-Volume Set)

Ruud A Bank(Author), Estée Bochud(Author), Henk PMG

Menkhorst(Author), Eike Neubert(Author)

This two-volume set presents a state-of-the-art overview of the terrestrial malacofauna of Türkiye. Volume 1 contains the text, volume 2 the atlas. It compiles the knowledge on Turkish land snails accumulated by a multitude of scientists since...

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Handbook of Zoology: Annelida, Volume 4

Pleistoannelida, Errantia II

Günter Purschke(Editor), Markus Böggemann(Editor), Wilfried

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The ABCs of California's Native Bees

Krystle Hickman(Author)

National Geographic Explorer Krystle Hickman has spent a decade capturing exquisitely detailed photographs of native bees and making exciting discoveries about their behaviour in the field. In her debut book of natural history, she offers an intimate...

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Social Wasps of Britain and Ireland

Rachel Davies(Author), Olivia Watts(Author)

Social Wasps of Britain and Ireland is a photo-based identification guide for naturalists and enthusiasts.- Features multiple colour photographs of each social wasp species in Britain and Ireland-Straightforward flow chart to key characters to...

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The Encyclopedia of the Swedish Flora and Fauna, Kräftdjur: Krill – Tiofotade Kräftdjur [Swedish]

Crustacea: Euphausiacea - Decapoda

Matz Berggren(Author), Linda Nyman(Illustrator), Fredrik

Pleijel(Illustrator)

Whether you are a marine biologist, beachcomber or just curious about marine life, the book opens the door to discoveries of many fascinating and often overlooked species that live in Sweden's seas. A world filled with armoured hunters, skilled...

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Younis Ahmad Hajam(Editor), Sajad Hussain Parey(Editor), Rouf
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Ahmad Bhat(Editor), Akbar Masood(Foreword By), MS Saini(Foreword By)

Insect Diversity and Ecosystem Services, published in two comprehensive volumes, is an innovative work on insects and their impact on the ecosystem, describing their enormous ecosystem services. The volumes cover a range of topics related to insects,...

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and medical applications of insects and their...

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Insect Diversity and Ecosystem Services, Volume 2

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Connal D Eardley(Author)

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National and International Events and Reports from 1996 Through 2023

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Kevin S Cummings(Author), Daniel L Graf(Author), John M Pfeiffer(Author), Jeremy S Tiemann(Author)

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Anna Chilvers(Editor), Clare Shaw(Editor)

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Joana Gaspar de Freitas(Author)

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An Initiative Towards UN Decade of Ecological Restoration Laxmi Kant Sharma(Author), Rajashree Naik(Author)

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Roslynn D Haynes(Author)

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The Story of Ireland's Peatlands

Carsten Krieger(Author)

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Adventures of a Young Naturalist

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Sir David Attenborough(Author), Dara McAnulty(Foreword By)

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Gerald Durrell(Author), Lee Durrell(Editor), HRH Princess Anne(Foreword By)

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Nic Wilson(Author)

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Kevin Parr(Author)

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