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Geographical range

Amazing Species: Papyrus Wisp

The **Papyrus Wisp**, *Agriocnemis palaeforma*, is listed as Near Threatened on The IUCN Red List of Threatened Species™. It has only been found so far in southern and western Uganda.

This damselfly only lives in papyrus swamps, which are declining due to the expansion of urban areas, drainage to create agricultural land and pollution of aquatic habitats. This could result in the species being placed in a more endangered category.

There are not currently known to be any conservation measures in place for the Papyrus Wisp, although research into its habitat requirements, life history and exact distribution would be helpful to create appropriate conservation action for this species.

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