

STATISTICS

This section contains some raw statistics without comment. A list of the species group names proposed by decade is listed in the table below followed by a graph of the numbers. Allowance must be made in interpreting the graph for the truncated decades at the beginning and end of the graph. The tables on the following page are a break down of the number of valid species and names by family.

Species group names (valid and synonymous) described by decade.

1758 - 1759	61
1760 - 1769	37
1770 - 1779	65
1780 - 1789	55
1790 - 1799	65
1800 - 1809	99
1810 - 1819	152
1820 - 1829	604
1830 - 1839	919
1840 - 1849	975
1850 - 1859	547
1860 - 1869	1640
1870 - 1879	560
1880 - 1889	719
1890 - 1899	1478
1900 - 1909	2419
1910 - 1919	3039
1920 - 1929	3505
1930 - 1939	1687
1940 - 1949	1720
1950 - 1959	1502
1960 - 1969	2105
1970 - 1979	1161
1980 - 1989	1189
1990 -	392

