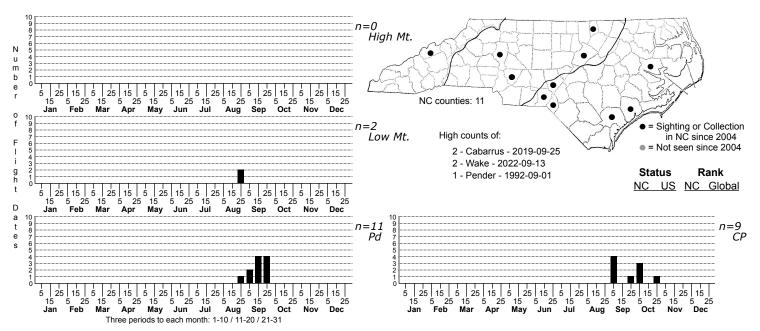
Dioryctria taedivorella Lesser Loblolly Pineconeworm Moth



FAMILY: Pyralidae SUBFAMILY: Phycitinae TRIBE: Phycitini TAXONOMIC COMMENTS:

FIELD GUIDE DESCRIPTIONS: ONLINE PHOTOS:

TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION, ADULTS: Neunzig (1996)

TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION, IMMATURE STAGES:

ID COMMENTS: "Can appear similar to D. taedae" (Scholtens, 2017)

DISTRIBUTION: Please refer to the dot map.

FLIGHT COMMENT: Please refer to the flight charts.

HABITAT:

FOOD: Larvae feed on Loblolly (Robinson et al., 2010). Based on specimens collected in Madison County and confirmed by dissection, other pines must also be used since Loblollies are absent from the Mountains.

OBSERVATION_METHODS:

NATURAL HERITAGE PROGRAM RANKS: [GNR] S3S5

STATE PROTECTION: Has no legal protection, although permits are required to collect it on state parks and other public lands.

COMMENTS: