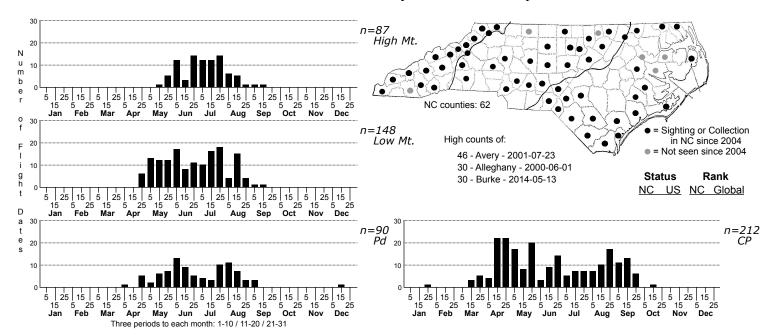
Cecrita biundata Wavy-Lined Heterocampa



FAMILY: Notodontidae SUBFAMILY: Heterocampinae TRIBE:

TAXONOMIC_COMMENTS: One of 21 species in this genus that occur in North America north of Mexico (Lafontaine and Schmidt, 2010), seven of which have been recorded in North Carolina.

FIELD GUIDE DESCRIPTIONS: Covell (1984); Beadle and Leckie (2012)

ONLINE PHOTOS:

TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION, ADULTS:

TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION, IMMATURE STAGES:

ID COMMENTS:

DISTRIBUTION: Occurs statewide

FLIGHT COMMENT: Please refer to the flight charts.

HABITAT: Woodlands and forests (Wagner, 2005). Our records come from a wide range of hardwood forests and shrublands across the state.

FOOD: Polyphagous, feeding on a wide range of hardwood trees and shrubs (Wagner, 2005). As of 2023, we have observed it feeding on maple, birch, dogwood, persimmon, beech, wax-myrtle, and sourwood in North Carolina.

OBSERVATION METHODS:

NATURAL HERITAGE PROGRAM RANKS: G5 S5

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

COMMENTS: