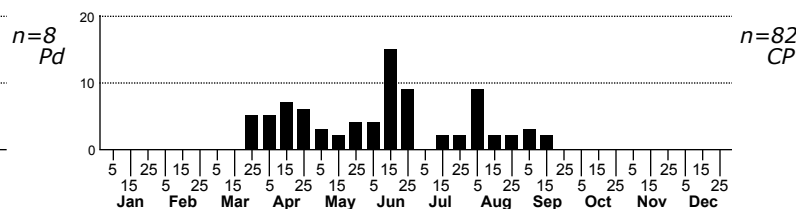
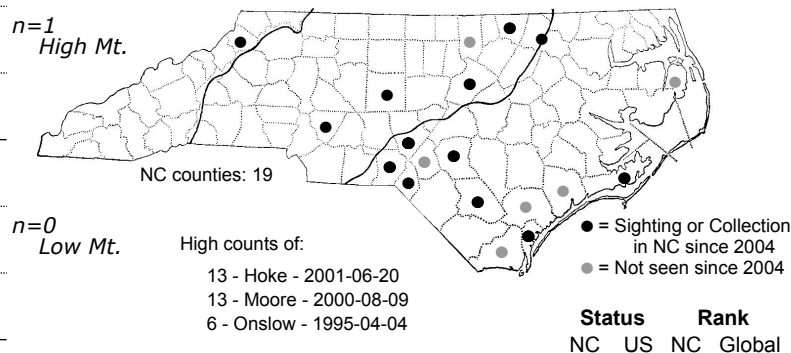
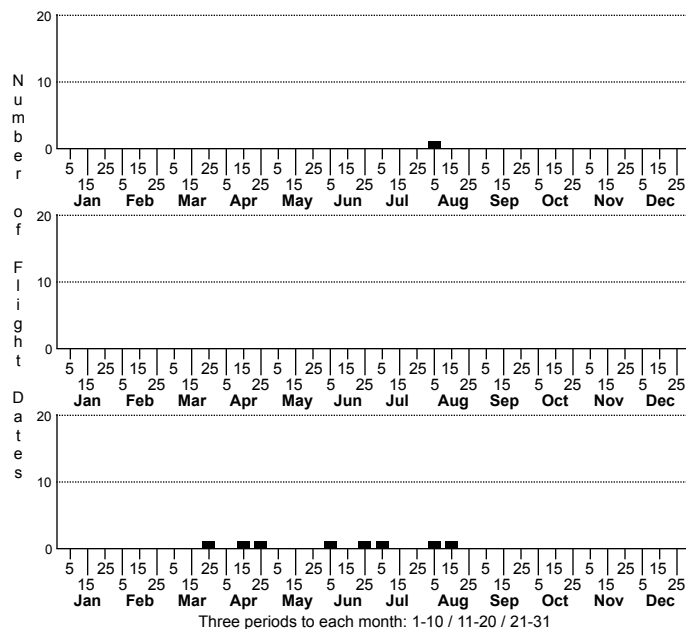


# *Hemeroplanis scopulepes* Variable Tropic Moth



FAMILY: Erebidae SUBFAMILY: Phytometrinae TRIBE:  
TAXONOMIC\_COMMENTS:

FIELD GUIDE DESCRIPTIONS: Covell (1984)

ONLINE PHOTOS:

TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION, ADULTS:

TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION, IMMATURE STAGES:

ID COMMENTS:

DISTRIBUTION: Please refer to the dot map.

FLIGHT COMMENT: Please refer to the flight charts.

HABITAT: Our records come mainly from open, dry-xeric woodlands and barrens. Sandy habitats are used in the Coastal Plain but this species also occurs in barrens, glades, and dry ridges in the Piedmont.

FOOD: Larvae have been reared in captivity on clover (Wagner et al., 2011).

OBSERVATION\_METHODS:

NATURAL HERITAGE PROGRAM RANKS: G5 S3S4

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

COMMENTS: