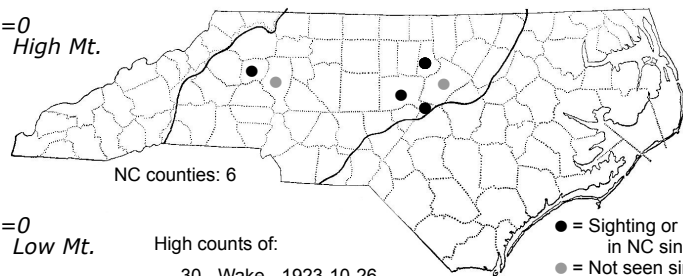
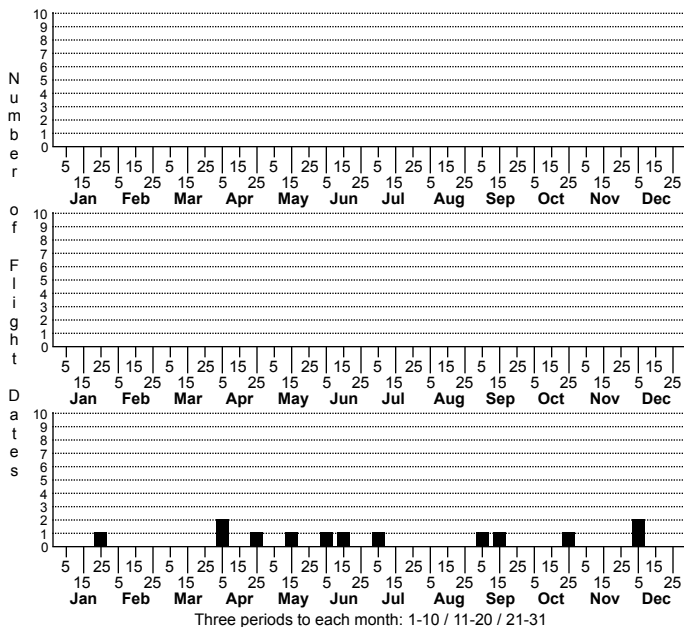
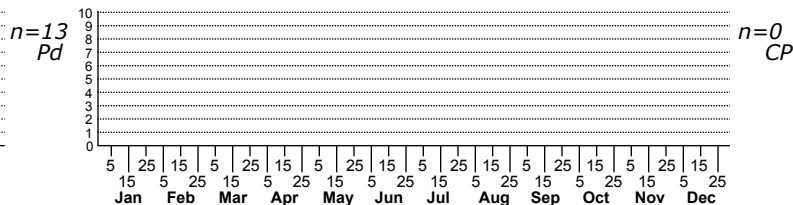


Erebomaster acanthinus No common name



High counts of:
 30 - Wake - 1923-10-26
 1 - Chatham - 2017-04-01
 1 - Durham - 1953-06-11

Status	Rank
NC	US
NC	Global



ORDER:OPILIONES SUBORDER:Laniatores
 SUPERFAMILY:Travunioidea FAMILY:Phalangodidae

TAXONOMIC_COMMENTS: One of two species in this genus, both of which occur in the East (Kury, 2003) but with only *acanthinus* recorded in North Carolina. Placed in the Travunioidea by Kury (2002), which includes *Theromaster* but not *Bishopella*, which is retained within the Phalangodidae.

ONLINE_PHOTOS: BugGuide

DISTRIBUTION_COMMENTS: All of our records come from the Piedmont

HABITAT: Most records appear to come from moist leaf litter collected in riparian forests

OBSERVATION_METHODS: Best found by sifting leaf litter or through use of Berlese funnels

NHP_RANKS: [GNR] [S3S5]

STATE_PROTECTION: Arachnids are not protected under state law, although permits are needed to collect them in State Parks and other public and private nature preserves

STATUS_COMMENTS: We currently have few records for this species but that is probably due to the specialized techniques needed to find it. Although it appears to be somewhat specialized in terms of its habitats, they do not appear to be restrictive.