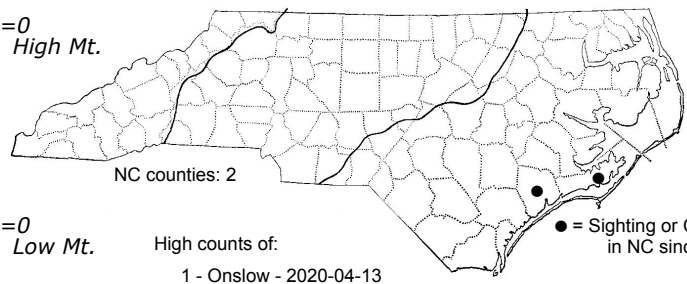
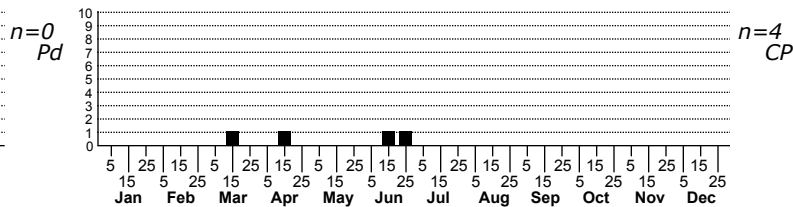


*Dichomeris bipunctellus* No common name



High counts of:  
 1 - Onslow - 2020-04-13  
 1 - Onslow - 2020-06-11  
 1 - Onslow - 2020-06-21

Status	Rank
NC	US
NC	Global



FAMILY: Gelechiidae SUBFAMILY: Dichomeridinae TRIBE: [Dichomeridini]  
 TAXONOMIC\_COMMENTS:

FIELD GUIDE DESCRIPTIONS:  
 ONLINE PHOTOS:  
 TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION, ADULTS: Hodges (1986)  
 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 from the Tidewater area, including a residential area located close to a sound and one pocosin located a few miles from the coast. Waxmyrtles seem to be the most likely host plants at those sites.

FOOD: Larvae have been reared on Myricaceae, including Sweetfern, Gale, and Bayberry (Hodges, 1986). Hodges also suspected that Waxmyrtle and other members of this family would be used in the South.

OBSERVATION\_METHODS:

NATURAL HERITAGE PROGRAM RANKS: GNR S3S4

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

COMMENTS: