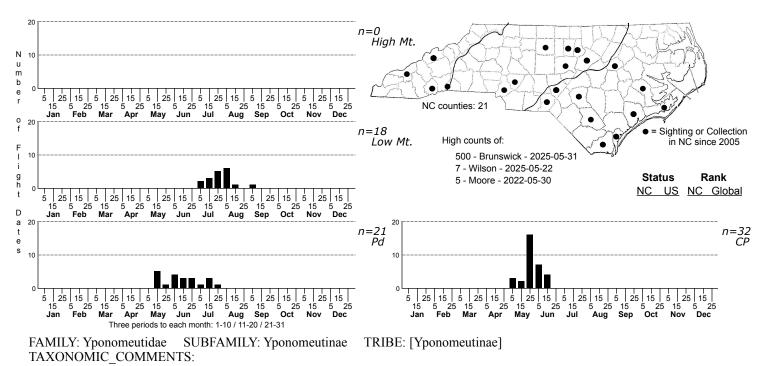
## Zelleria retiniella Brindled Zelleria



FIELD GUIDE DESCRIPTIONS: 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: Records in the Coastal Plain of North Carolina come mainly from Longleaf Pine habitat, including sand ridges. Pines are also present in a number of other sites.

FOOD: The host plants appear to be unknown but a related species,  $\langle i \rangle Z$ . haimbachi $\langle i \rangle$ , has similar coloration as an adult and has larvae that feed on the needles of Shortleaf Pine ( $\langle i \rangle$ Pinus echinata $\langle i \rangle$  (Forbes, 1923).

OBSERVATION\_METHODS:

NATURAL HERITAGE PROGRAM RANKS:

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

COMMENTS: