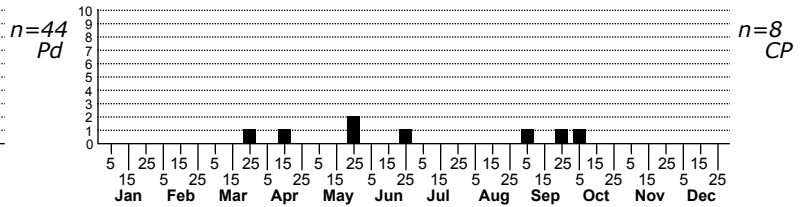
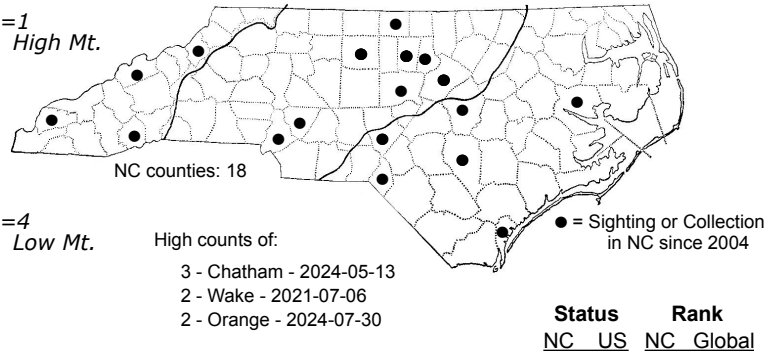
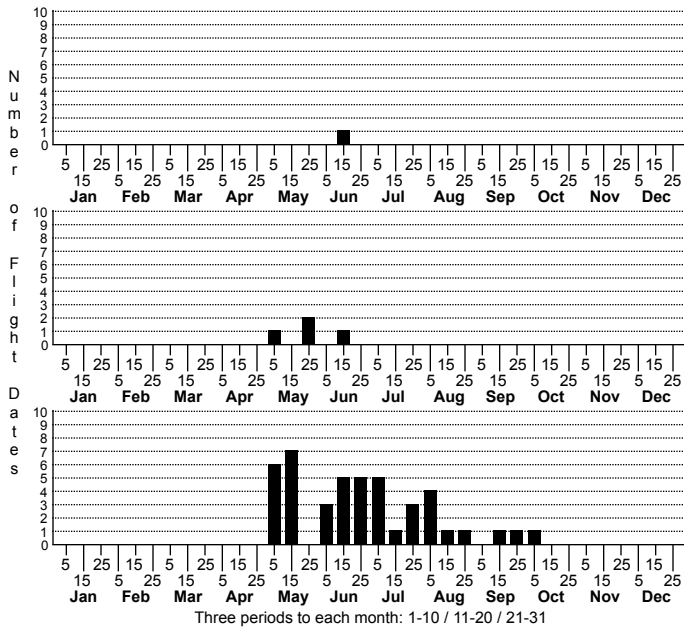


Celypha cespitana of authors Celypha Moth



FAMILY: Tortricidae SUBFAMILY: Olethreutinae TRIBE: Olethreutini

TAXONOMIC_COMMENTS: *Celypha cespitana* has historically been treated as a single species that is found in both North America and Eurasia, but DNA evidence suggests that the North American populations constitute a separate species (Gilligan et al., 2020). Gilligan and Brown (in Pohl and Nanz, 2023) proposed the placeholder name "*Celypha cespitana* of authors; (not Hübner, [1817])" for the North American populations. There is currently some confusion about the correct name to apply to the North American group, and many internet sites continue to refer to the North American populations as simply *Celypha cespitana* (see MPG for details).

FIELD GUIDE DESCRIPTIONS:

ONLINE PHOTOS:

TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION, ADULTS:

TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION, IMMATURE STAGES:

IND COMMENTS:

DISTRIBUTION: Please refer to the dot map.

FLIGHT COMMENT: Please refer to the flight charts.

HABITAT:

FOOD: Larvae are apparently polyphagous, with reported hosts including chestnut (*Castanea*), poplar (*Populus*), juniper (*Juniperus*), strawberry (*Fragaria*), and clover (*Trifolium*) (Heinrich, 1926; Miller, 1987; Robinson et al., 2010).

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: