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Omphalocera munroei Asimina Webworm Moth

FAMILY: Pyralidae SUBFAMILY: Galleriinae TRIBE: Megarthridiini 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: Found in rich alluvial forests and bluffs along the Roanoke and Cape Fear Rivers; also in non-riverine swamp forest in the Outer Coastal Plain.

FOOD: Larvae feed on pawpaws ( $\langle i \rangle Asimina \langle i \rangle spp.$ ) (Robinson et al., 2010). In North Carolina, larvae have been recorded feeding on both Common Pawpaw ( $\langle i \rangle A$ . triloba $\langle i \rangle$ ) and Dwarf Pawpaw ( $\langle i \rangle A$ . parviflora $\langle i \rangle$ ).

OBSERVATION\_METHODS: Although we have captured up to six in a single trap, the lack of records for this species may indicated that it comes poorly to blacklights.

NATURAL HERITAGE PROGRAM RANKS: GNR S2S4

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

COMMENTS: