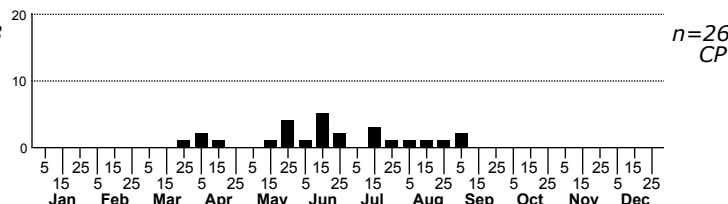
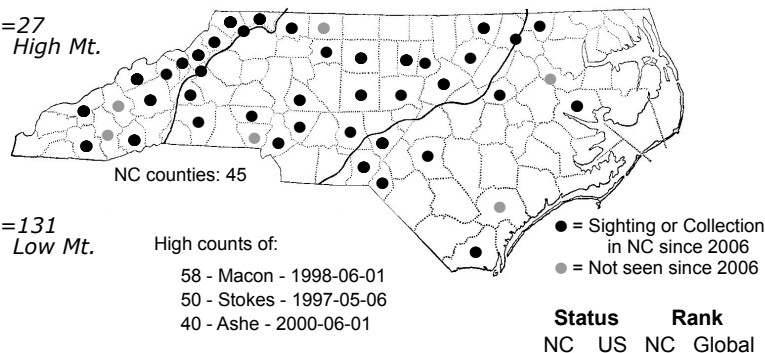
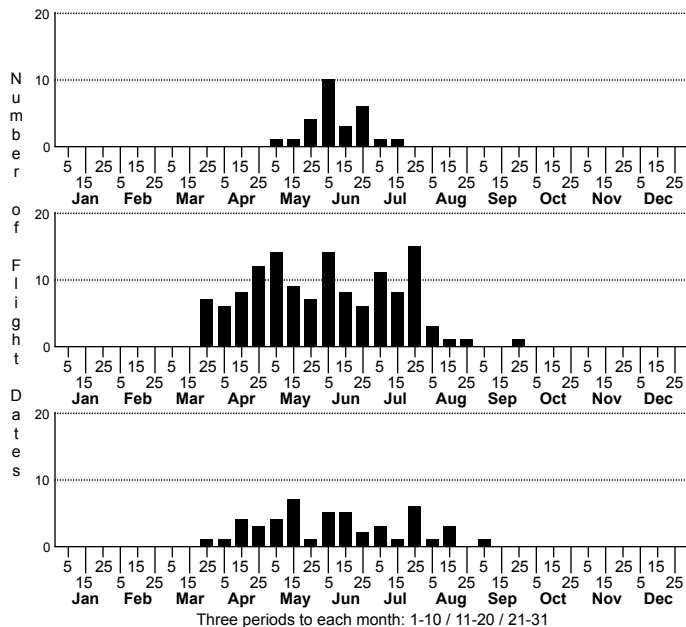


# *Lomographa vestaliata* White Spring Moth



FAMILY: Geometridae SUBFAMILY: Ennominae TRIBE: Baptini  
TAXONOMIC\_COMMENTS:

FIELD GUIDE DESCRIPTIONS: Covell (1984); Beadle and Leckie (2012)

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:

FOOD: Larvae feed on a variety of woody species in the Rosaceae, with other hardwoods listed possibly in error (Wagner, 2005); reported hosts include hawthorn (*Crataegus*), apple (*Malus*), Common Ninebark (*Physocarpus opulifolius*), cherry (*Prunus*), and American Mountain-ash (*Sorbus americana*). In North Carolina, a larva has been recorded feeding on Chickasaw Plum (*Prunus angustifolia*).

OBSERVATION\_METHODS:

NATURAL HERITAGE PROGRAM RANKS: G5 S4S5

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

COMMENTS: