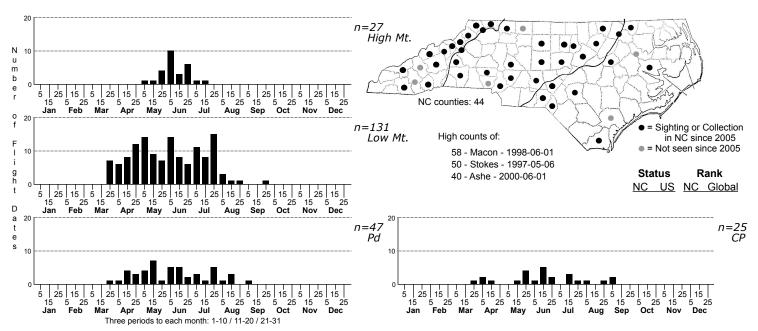
# Lomographa vestaliata White Spring Moth



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 (<i>Crataegus</i>), apple (<i>Malus</i>), Common Ninebark (<i>Physocarpus opulifolius</i>), cherry (<i>Prunus</i>), and American Mountain-ash (<i>Sorbus americana</i>). In North Carolina, a larva has been recorded feeding on Chickasaw Plum (<i>Prunus angustifolia</i>).

## **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: