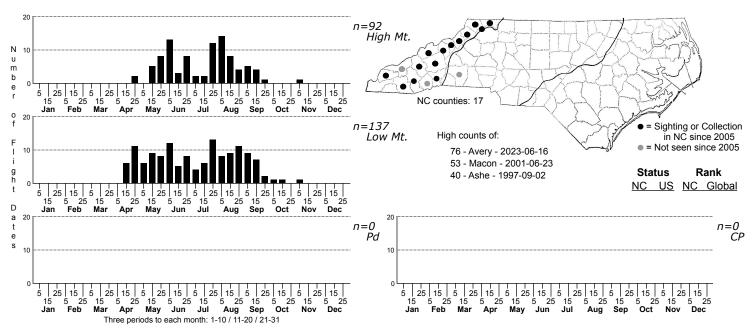
## Euphyia intermediata Sharp-angled Carpet



FAMILY: Geometridae SUBFAMILY: Larentiinae TRIBE: Xanthorhoini TAXONOMIC COMMENTS:

FIELD GUIDE DESCRIPTIONS: Covell (1984; as <i>Euphyia unangulata</i>); Beadle and Leckie (2012) ONLINE PHOTOS:

TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION, ADULTS:

TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION, IMMATURE STAGES:

## ID COMMENTS:

DISTRIBUTION: Restricted to the mountains in North Carolina, it is found at both higher and lower elevations, and can be locally abundant.

FLIGHT COMMENT: Please refer to the flight charts.

HABITAT: Our records come almost entirely from montane riparian forests and cove forests.

FOOD: Forbes (1948) lists chickweed (<i>Stellaria</i> sp.) and other Caryophyllaceae as host plants. Covell (1984) additionally lists elm (<i>Ulmus</i>), <i>Impatiens</i>, and mustard (<i>Brassica</i> sp.). We do not have any feeding records in North Carolina.

## **OBSERVATION METHODS:**

NATURAL HERITAGE PROGRAM RANKS: G5 SNR [S4S5]

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

## COMMENTS: