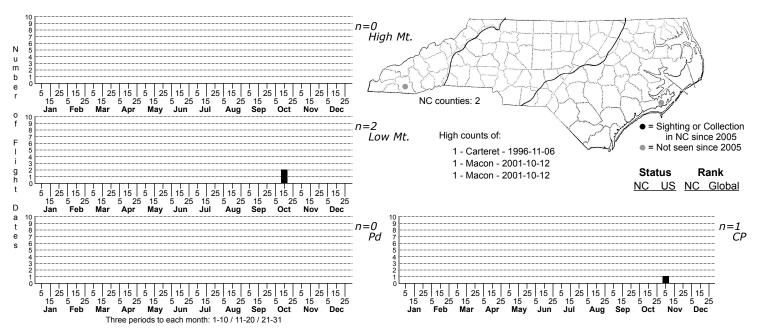
Anomis flava Tropical Anomis



FAMILY: Erebidae SUBFAMILY: Scoliopteryginae TRIBE: Anomini TAXONOMIC COMMENTS:

FIELD GUIDE DESCRIPTIONS: Covell (1984)
ONLINE PHOTOS:

TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION, ADULTS: Forbes (1954) TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION, IMMATURE STAGES:

ID COMMENTS:

DISTRIBUTION: Please refer to the dot map.

FLIGHT COMMENT: Please refer to the flight charts.

HABITAT:

FOOD: Larvae probably feed on species of Malvaceae (Wagner et al., 2011). Robinson et al. (2010) list a number of non-native plants, including cotton, tomato, sweet potato, and Velvetleaf. We do not have any feeding records in North Carolina.

OBSERVATION METHODS:

NATURAL HERITAGE PROGRAM RANKS: GNR SNR [SU]

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

COMMENTS: This species is primarily tropical but is well established in Florida. Currently, it may also be extending its range northward along the coast. Inland records, however, probably represent strays. The residency status of this species in North Carolina still needs to be determined.