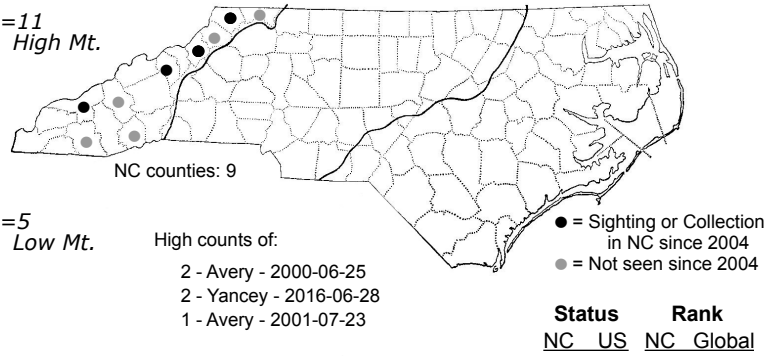
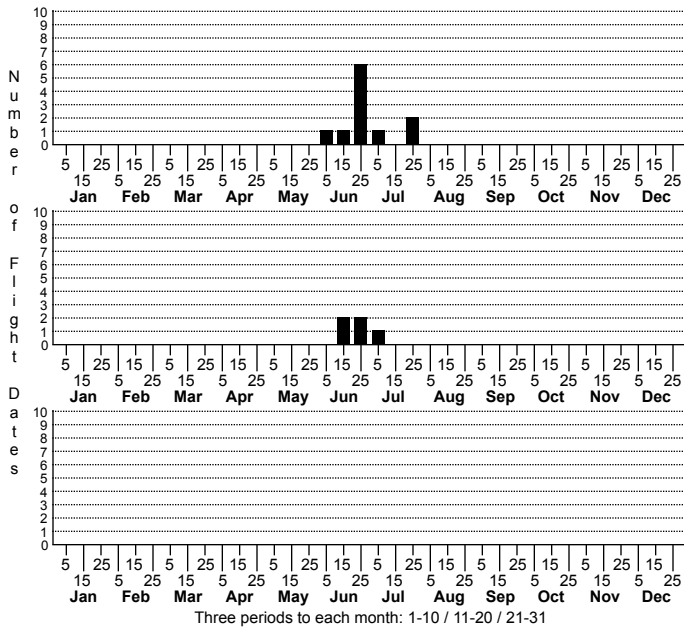


# *Autographa ampla* Large Looper Moth



FAMILY: Noctuidae SUBFAMILY: Plusiinae TRIBE: Plusiini  
 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: Wagner et al. (2011) list wetlands, shorelines, forest edges, particularly in boreal habitats, as used by this species. Our records come from both Northern Hardwoods, cove forests, bogs, and river and lake shorelines in the Mountains.

FOOD: Larvae feed on a number of woody shrubs and trees, including Alder, Aspen, Birch, Cherry, Poplar, Serviceberry, Soapberry, and Wild Raisin (Lafontaine and Poole, 1991; Wagner et al., 2011).

OBSERVATION\_METHODS:

NATURAL HERITAGE PROGRAM RANKS: G5 S3S4

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

COMMENTS: