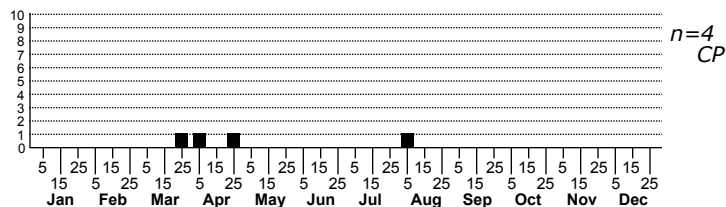
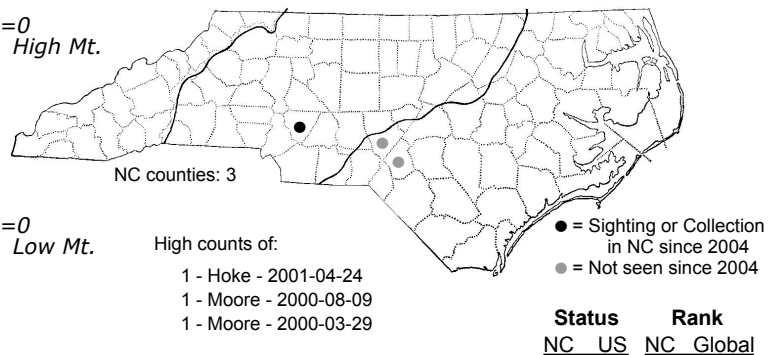
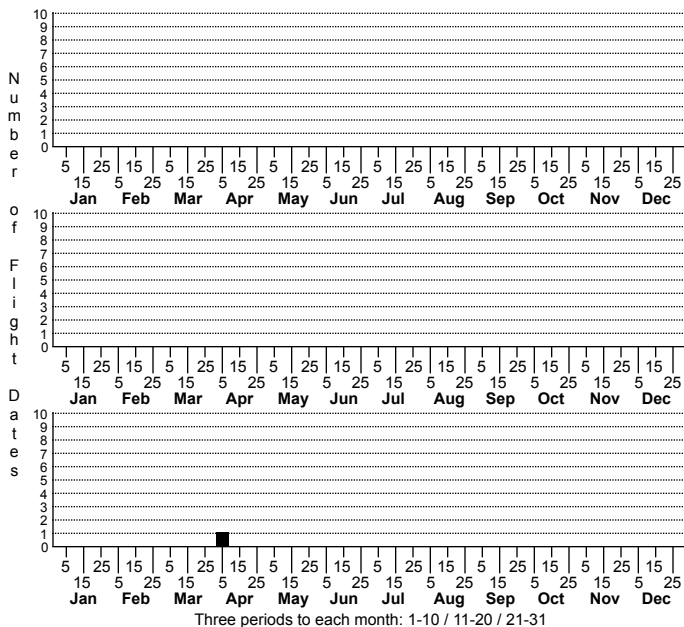


*Baileya ellessyoo* Dark Baileya



FAMILY: Nolidae SUBFAMILY: Risobinae TRIBE:  
 TAXONOMIC\_COMMENTS:

FIELD GUIDE DESCRIPTIONS:  
 ONLINE PHOTOS:  
 TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION, ADULTS:  
 TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION, IMMATURE STAGES:

ID COMMENTS: This is a darkly colored *Baileya*, lacking white or pale gray in the basal area and having only a slight pale shading in the median area (Brou, 2004). The reniform is a blackish-gray dot that is somewhat darker than the ground color. The apical area lack a dark bar and apical dark streaks found in *dormitans*. *Baileya levitans* is closer in general appearance but has a paler median area and darker shading before the subterminal line. The reniform in *levitans* consists of a black dot surrounded by a dark circle.

DISTRIBUTION: We have few records for this species, but it seems to be restricted to the Sandhills region.

FLIGHT COMMENT: Please refer to the flight charts.

HABITAT: Our records come from sites with dry-xeric sandhill habitats or from streamhead swamp forests adjacent to sandhill habitats.

FOOD: Host plants appear to be unknown.

OBSERVATION\_METHODS:

NATURAL HERITAGE PROGRAM RANKS: GNR SU

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

COMMENTS: