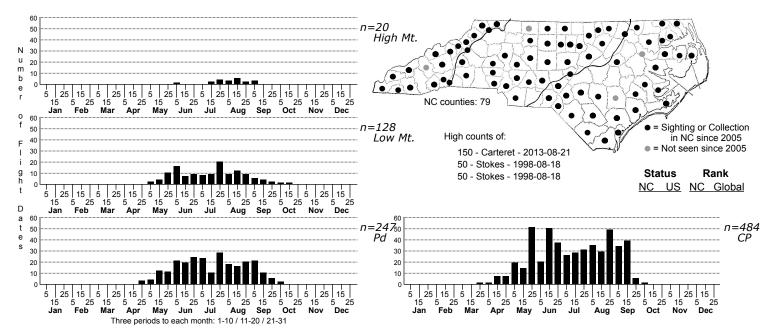
# Marimatha nigrofimbria Black-bordered Lemon Moth



FAMILY: Noctuidae SUBFAMILY: Eustotiinae TRIBE: TAXONOMIC COMMENTS:

FIELD GUIDE DESCRIPTIONS: Covell (1984; as Thioptera nigrofimbria); Beadle and Leckie (2012) ONLINE PHOTOS:

TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION, ADULTS:

TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION, IMMATURE STAGES:

#### ID COMMENTS:

DISTRIBUTION: Found statewide

FLIGHT COMMENT: Please refer to the flight charts.

#### HABITAT:

FOOD: Larvae are oligophagous, feeding on grasses. Wagner et al. (2013) specifically mention crabgrass (<i>Digitaria</i>), with panicgrass (<i>Panicum</i>) and bluegrass (<i>Poa</i>) accepted in captivity. The range of habitats used by this species in the state suggest that a wide variety of grasses are used, but we do not have any feeding records.

## OBSERVATION\_METHODS:

NATURAL HERITAGE PROGRAM RANKS: G5 SNR [S5]

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

### COMMENTS: