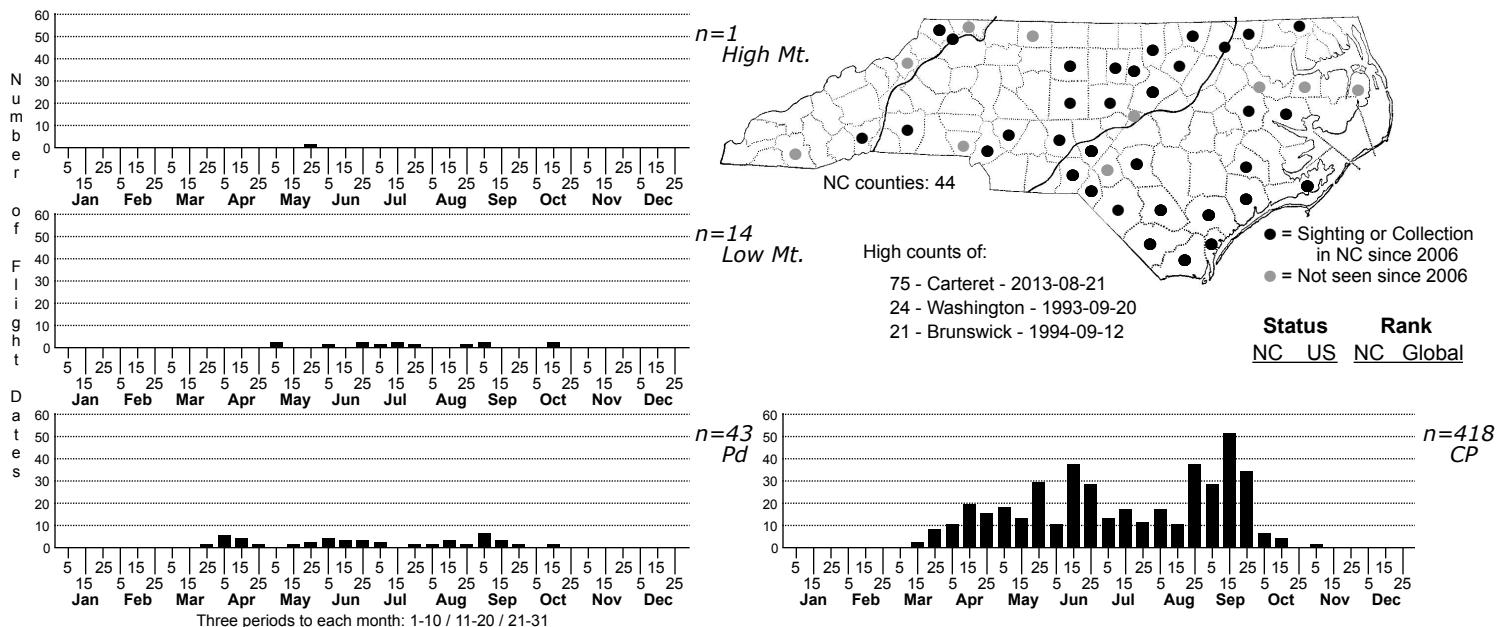


Condica videns White-dotted Groundling



FAMILY: Noctuidae SUBFAMILY: Condicinae TRIBE: Condicini
TAXONOMIC COMMENTS:

FIELD GUIDE DESCRIPTIONS: Covell (1984; as *Platysenta videns*); 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: Our records come from a wide variety of open, herb-dominated habitats, including maritime dunes, Longleaf Pine savannas, flatwoods, and sand ridges.

FOOD: The larvae are polyphagous and feed on several species of composites, including asters, goldenrods, and sneezeweeds (Wagner et al., 2011). In North Carolina, larvae have been found on Dog-fennel (*Eupatorium capillifolium*), Frost Aster (*Symphyotrichum pilosum*), and Sweet Goldenrod (*Solidago odora*).

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: