

BUTTERFLIES OF MARYLAND: A BIOLOGICAL SUMMARY AND CHECKLIST

Notes: **Occurrence Level (OL)** = Rare (R), Uncommon (U), Common (C), Historical (H - not found recently and may no longer be resident in state), Extirpated (X - not found for many years and probably no longer resident in state), Wanderer (W - known to immigrate into Maryland and unlikely to be an established breeder), Exotic (E - not originally native to MD), Potential (P - occurs near MD), Questionable (Q). **State Range** = Allegheny Plateau (AP), Ridge & Valley (RV), Piedmont (PD), Upper Coastal Plain (UC), Lower Coastal Plain (LC), or Coastal Plain (CP).

SPECIES	OL	FLIGHT PERIOD	GENERAL HABITAT	TYPICALLY VISITED BY ADULT	LARVAL HOST PLANTS	STATE RANGE
Swallowtails						
Pipeline Swallowtail	U	L-Apr. to E-May, L-June & L-July, E-Sept.	Open deciduous woods, nearby fields	Thistle, milkweed, ironweed	Dutchman's pipe, Virginia snakeroot	All
Zebra Swallowtail	C	M-Apr., E-July, E-Sept.	River edges, rich woods, meadows	Blueberry, blackberry, milkweed, ironweed	Pawpaw	All
Black Swallowtail	C	May to Sept.	Open areas, fields, marshes	Milkweed, thistle, Joe-pye weed	Queen Anne's lace, parsley, rue	All
Giant Swallowtail	R	May-June, L-July to Aug.	Woods, vagrant to gardens, fields	Milkweed, goldenrod	Wafer ash, prickly ash	All
Eastern Tiger Swallowtail	C	E-May, Aug.	Fields, gardens, open woods, meadows	Joe-pye weed, thistle, dogbane	Tulip poplar, wild cherry, ash, birch	All
Spicebush Swallowtail	C	E-May to E-Sept.	Semi-open woods, meadows	Joe-pye weed, thistle, milkweed	Spicebush, sassafras	All
Palamedes Swallowtail	R	June, Aug. to Sept.	Cypress swamp, vagrant outside Pocomoke	Pickerelweed	Red bay	PD, CP
Appalachian Tiger Swallowtail	C	L-Apr. to E-June	Woodlands, woods edges	Puddles, woodland flowers	Presently unknown, possibly hawthorn (Crataegus)	AP, RV
Whites & Sulphurs						
Checkered White	U	L-June & L-Aug. to E-Oct	Fields, disturbed areas	White clover, milkweed	Peppergrass, shepherd's purse	AP, PD, CP
West Virginia White	R	Apr. to May	Rich moist woodlands	Violet, spring beauty	Toothwort, rockcress	AP, RV, PD
Cabbage White	CE	L. Mar. thru Oct.	Fields, lawns, gardens, open areas	Thistle, clover, mint	Crucifers (mustard & cabbage)	All
Great Southern White	RW	July to Oct.	Salt marshes, fields, beaches	Goldenrod, boneset	Beach cabbage, saltwort, crucifers	CP
Olympia Marble	R	L-Mar. to M-May	Shale barrens	Bluet, rockcress, violet	Rockcress	AP, RV
Falcate Orangetip	C	L-Apr. to E-May	Open woods, glades, fields	Violet, spring beauty, toothwort, mustard	Rockcress, shepherd's purse	All
Clouded Sulphur	C	E-Apr. thru E. Nov.	Open areas, fields, meadows, pastures	Clover, goldenrod, ironweed	Clovers	All
Orange Sulphur	C	M-Apr. thru E. Nov.	Open areas, alfalfa fields, gardens	Clover, thistle, mint, aster	Clover, alfalfa, crown vetch, legumes	All
Pink-edged Sulphur	R	July	Bogs with blueberry or heaths	Red clover, heal-all	Velvetleaf blueberry	AP
Southern Dogface	RW	July to Oct.	Open woods, pastures, brushy hills	Goldenrod, boneset	False indigo, lead plant, clover	CP
Cloudless Sulphur	UW	July to Oct.	Fields, gardens, open areas	Sennas, partridge pea	Sennas	All
Large Orange Sulphur	RW	Sept.	Fields, gardens, open areas	Butterflybush, trumpet creeper	Mimosa	PD, UC
Barred Yellow	P, RW	L-July	Forest edges, dunes, pastures	Alfalfa	Joint vetch & legumes	Washington, DC record only
Little Yellow	RW	July to Sept.	Sandy fields, hillsides, open areas	Sennas, partridge pea, goldenrod	Senna, partridge pea, sensitive plant	All
Sleepy Orange	UW	July to Sept.	Field & river edges, wet meadows	Wild senna, clover, aster, ironweed	Wild senna, partridge pea	All
Gossamer-wings						
Harvester	U	L-Apr. to E-May, June & Aug.	Wet, bushy woods, especially with alder	Puddles near alders, aphid honeydew	Larvae feed on woolly aphid nymphs	All
American Copper	C	June to Aug.	Weedy, grassy fields	White clover, butterflyweed	Sheep sorrel	All
Bronze Copper	U	L-May to M-June, L-July to M-Aug., & L-Sept.	Marshes, wet meadows	Dogbane, boneset, knotweed	Water dock, curled dock	PD, CP
Bog Copper	R	July	Mountain bogs, glades	Cranberry flowers	Cranberry	AP
Great Purple Hairstreak	R	L-June to L-July, M-Sept.	Woods infested with mistletoe	Buttonbush, sweet pepperbush	Mistletoe	CP
Coral Hairstreak	C	L-June	Old fields, meadows, brushy clearings	Butterflyweed, NJ tea, dogbane	Wild cherry, chokeberry, plum	All
Acadian Hairstreak	RW	E-July	Marshes, flood plains with willows	Burdock	Willow	PD
Edwards' Hairstreak	R	L-June to E-July	Scrub oak thickets in barrens	NJ tea, milkweed, goldenrod	Scrub and black oaks, possibly blackjack and post oaks	PD (historically RV, UC)
Banded Hairstreak	U	M-June to E-July	Deciduous forest openings	Dogbane, milkweed, NJ tea	Various oaks, walnut, hickory	All
Hickory Hairstreak	R	L-June to E-Aug.	Deciduous forests, field edges	Dogbane, milkweed, sumac, bee balm	Hickory, oak, ash, chestnut	AP, RV, PD
King's Hairstreak	R	L-June to L-July	Wooded swamp edges	Milkweed, catbriar leaves (for perching)	Common sweetleaf	LC
Striped Hairstreak	U	L-June to E-July	Deciduous woods, swamp edges, fields	Dogbane, NJ tea, viburnum	Blueberry, hawthorn	All
'Northern' Southern Hairstreak	R	M-June	Open woodlands, barrens	Dogbane, NJ tea, milkweed	Scrub oak, post oak	All
Brown Elfin	U	L-Apr.	Open woodland glades, bogs	Laurel leaves, huckleberry, blueberry	Huckleberry, lowbush blueberry	All
Hoary Elfin	R	E-May to M-May	Bog edges & uplands	Lowbush blueberry	Trailing arbutus	AP
Frosted Elfin	R	L-Apr. to L-May	Fields, sandy open woods	Lupine, wild indigo	Lupine, wild indigo	AP, CP (historically PD)

Henry's Elfin	C	E-Apr. to E-May	Woodland openings, swamps	Phlox, redbud, puddles	American holly, redbud	All
Eastern Pine Elfin	U	L-Apr. to E-June	Pine & pine-oak woods, nearby fields	Pussytoes, lupine, wild plum	Various hard pines	RV, PD, CP
Juniper Hairstreak	U	L-Apr. & M-July	Fields with eastern redcedar	Eastern redcedar treetops, mint, pussytoes	Eastern redcedar	RV, PD, CP
Hessel's Hairstreak	H	L-Apr. to E-May, July	Atlantic white cedar swamps	Sweet pepperbush, blueberry, wet sand	Atlantic white cedar	LC
White M Hairstreak	U	L-Apr., Aug.-Sept.	Meadows near woods, woodland clearings	Boneset, viburnum, goldenrod	Oaks	All
Gray Hairstreak	C	L-Apr. to E-Oct.	Open deciduous woods, fields, meadows	White clover, trefoils, milkweed, mint	Tick trefoil, legumes, clover	All
Red-banded Hairstreak	C	L-May & Aug.	Woodland edges, fields, barrens	Leaf tips, dogbane, milkweed	Dwarf & staghorn sumac, wax myrtle	RV, PD, CP
Early Hairstreak	R	L-Apr., E-July	Open areas in mixed or deciduous woods	Spring beauty, fleabane, puddles	Beech, beaked hazelnut	AP, RV
Eastern Tailed-Blue	C	L-Apr. to E-Oct.	Open areas, lawns, fields	Clover, trefoils, legumes	Tick trefoils, clover	All
Spring Azure	C	E-Apr. to E-May	Open deciduous woods, clearings	Puddles, apple, spicebush	Dogwood, wild cherry, blueberry	All
Summer Azure	C	L-May thru E-Oct.	Woodland edges and openings	Puddles, non-flowering dogwood, dogbane	Viburnum, wingstem	All
American Holly Azure	C	L-Apr. to E-May	Woodland edges and openings	Puddles, highbush blueberry	American holly	PD, CP
Appalachian Azure	R	E to M-May	Steep wooded valleys	Puddles, leaf tips, blackberry, viburnum	Black cohosh	AP, RV, PD
Dusky Azure	RH	M-Apr. to E-May	Shady rich deciduous woods	Violet, geranium, damp soil	Goat's beard	RV
Silvery Blue	U	M-Apr. to E-May	Open areas near woods & bogs	Redbud, cinquefoil, composites	Carolina vetch, legumes	AP, RV
Metalmarks						
Little Metalmark	Q	May, July, Sept.	Fields, salt marshes, sandy pine woods	Thistle, goldenrod	Yellow thistle	UC
Northern Metalmark	U	L-June to M-July	Shale barrens and nearby open woods	Yarrow, goldenrod, fleabane	Round-leaved ragwort (<i>Senecio obovatus</i>)	AP, RV
Brushfoots						
American Snout	U	E-July to Sept.	Open woods with hackberry	Puddles, dogbane, aster	Hackberry	All
Gulf Fritillary	RW	July to Sept.	Fields, gardens, woods edges	Composites	Passion-vine	PD, CP
Zebra Heliconian	RW	L-Aug.	Woods edges, gardens	Lantana, zinnias	Passion-vine	PD
Variiegated Fritillary	C	Aug. to M-Oct.	Dry fields, gardens, meadows	Red clover, milkweed, thistle	Violets, pansies	All
Diana Fritillary	RW	M-June to E-Sept.	Fields, openings in forested valleys	Milkweed, thistle, ironweed	Violets	AP
Great Spangled Fritillary	C	M-June to E-Sept	Moist meadows, fields, deciduous woods	Milkweed, thistle, Joe-pye weed	Yellow & blue violets	All
Aphrodite Fritillary	U	L-June to M-Sept.	Fields, barrens, wet meadows, open woods	Thistle, milkweed, dogbane, butterflyweed	Violets	AP, RV, PD
Regal Fritillary	H	L-June to M-Aug.	Dry, tall grassy meadows	Butterflyweed, thistle, ironweed	Arrow-leaved violet, bird's-foot violet	AP, RV, PD, UC
Atlantis Fritillary	R	June	Mountain bogs, moist meadows	Spirea, dogbane, milkweed	Northern blue violet	AP
Silver-bordered Fritillary	R	June & L-Aug.	Tall weedy wet meadows, bogs	Ironweed, spearmint, dogbane	Marsh violets	AP (historically PD, CP)
Meadow Fritillary	U	Apr., June & E-Sept.	Grassy wet meadows, fields, open areas	Dogbane, spearmint, Queen Anne's lace	Woolly blue violet	All
Silvery Checkerspot	U	E-June & E-Aug.	Woods trails along rivers	Sunflower, dogbane, fleabane, clover	Wingstem, wild sunflower (<i>Helianthus</i>)	AP, RV, PD, UC
Harris' Checkerspot	R	L-May to M-June	Bogs, damp meadows, emergent wetlands	Daisy fleabane, hawkweed, composites	Flat-topped white aster (<i>Aster umbellatus</i>)	AP
Northern Crescent	P	L-June to M-July	Open areas near streams, shale barrens	Clover, fleabane, dogbane	Asters	In PA, WV, VA - no definite MD records
Pearl Crescent	C	E-May to E-Nov.	Fields, gardens, moist meadows	Butterflyweed, milkweed	Asters	All
Tawny Crescent	X	June	Moist meadows, dry ridges	Milkweed, thistle, dogbane	Wavy-leaved aster (<i>Aster undulatus</i>)	PD
Baltimore Checkerspot	U	M-June	Wet meadows, bogs, fresh marshes	Milkweed, daisy, dogbane	Turtlehead, possibly English plantain	All
Question Mark	U	Apr., June & E-Sept.	Open woods, glades	Rotting fruit, tree sap, damp soil	Nettles, elm, hackberry	All
Eastern Comma	U	Apr., June & E-Sept.	Open woods, glades	Rotting fruit, tree sap, damp soil	Nettles, elm, hops	All
Gray Comma	R	Apr. to Oct. (esp. E-July)	Rich Canadian & transition zone woods	Rotting fruit, tree sap, damp soil	Gooseberry, elm	AP, PD
Compton Tortoiseshell	R	Apr. to Oct. (esp. E-July)	Upland boreal deciduous or mixed forest	Rotting fruit, tree sap, damp soil	Birch, willow	All
Mourning Cloak	U	E-Apr., June & Sept.	Open woods, glades	Rotting fruit, tree sap, damp soil	Willow, elm, hackberry	All
Milbert's Tortoiseshell	RW	May to Oct. (esp. E-July)	Moist meadows, pastures near woods	Thistle, milkweed, ironweed	Nettles	RV
American Lady	CW	L-Apr. to Sept.	Fields, meadows, open areas	Milkweed, dogbane, clover	Everlasting, pussytoes, maybe other composites	All
Painted Lady	CW	L-Apr., June to Sept.	Fields, meadows, open areas	Thistle, milkweed, aster	Thistles, mallows, composites	All
Red Admiral	CW	L-May to E-Sept.	Open woods, meadows, fields	Tree sap, rotting fruit, Joe-pye weed	Nettles	All
Common Buckeye	CW	L-May thru E-Oct.	Fields, meadows, open areas	Aster, goldenrod, Queen Anne's lace	Plantain, foxglove, figwort, vervain	All
Red-spotted Purple	C	June, L-Aug. to Sept.	Open woods, meadows, fields	Rotting fruit, tree sap, damp soil	Wild cherry, poplar, willow, oak	All
White Admiral	R	L-June	Deciduous forest borders, glades	Rotting fruit, tree sap, damp soil	Birch, wild cherry, poplar, willow, oak	AP, RV, PD, UC

Viceroy	C	L-May to M-Sept.	Shrubby marshes, riversides, meadows	Rotting fruit, damp soil, flowers	Willow, poplar	All
Hackberry Emperor	U	M-June & M-Aug.	Woods & open areas with hackberry	Rotting fruit, tree sap, damp soil	Hackberry	All
Tawny Emperor	U	M-June & M-Aug.	Woods & open areas with hackberry	Rotting fruit, tree sap, damp soil	Hackberry	All
Satyrs & Wood Nymphs						
Northern Pearly-eye	U	E-June & M-Aug.	Moist deciduous woodland glades	Rotting fruit, tree sap, damp soil	Bottlebrush, plume grass, other grasses	AP, RV, PD, UC
Appalachian Brown	C	June & Aug.	Grassy wet glades, bushy marshes, swamps	Rotting fruit, tree sap, damp soil	Sedges	AP, PD, CP
Gemmed Satyr	Q	Apr. to Sept.	Moist open woods, glades, wet meadows	Rotting fruit, tree sap, damp soil	Bermuda grass, other grasses	LC
Carolina Satyr	R	E-June, E-Aug., M-Sept.	Moist open woods, glades	Rotting fruit, tree sap, damp soil	Grasses	PD, UC
Mitchell's Satyr	Q	L-June to E-July	Boggy areas in barrens	Rotting fruit, tree sap, damp soil	Sedges, bulrush	UC
Little Wood-Satyr	C	L-May to June, E-Aug.	Deciduous woodland glades, brushy areas	Rotting fruit, tree sap, damp soil	Orchard grass, other grasses, sedges	All
Southern Wood-Nymph	C	July to Aug.	Open woodlands, meadows, fields	Rotting fruit, tree sap, damp soil, flowers	Purpletop, other grasses	CP
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Milkweed Butterflies						
Monarch	C	May to M-Oct.	Fields, meadows, open areas	Milkweeds, goldenrod	Milkweeds	All
Queen	RW	Aug.	Fields, meadows, open areas	Milkweeds, goldenrod	Milkweeds and milkweed vines	CP
Spread-winged Skippers						
Silver-spotted Skipper	C	L-Apr. to Sept.	Open woods, fields, gardens	Ironweed, Joe-pye weed, milkweed	Locusts, tick trefoils, other legumes	All
Long-tailed Skipper	RW	Aug. to Oct.	Fields & gardens	Butterfly bush, composites	Hog peanut, other climbing legumes	PD, CP
Dorantes Longtail	RW	M-Sept.	Fields & gardens	Lantana	Legumes including beans, tick trefoils	UC
Golden-banded Skipper	H	L-May to L-June, E-Aug.	Moist wooded ravines	Dogbane, honeysuckle, wild hydrangea, buttonbush	Hog peanut	PD, UC
Hoary Edge	U	M-June to E-July	Open woods, brushy areas	Clover, milkweed, dogbane	Tick trefoils, wild indigo, bush clover	RV, PD, CP
Southern Cloudywing	C	L-May to M-Aug.	Dry fields, open scrubby woods, meadows	Dogbane, clover, milkweed	Tick trefoils, bush clover, legumes	RV, PD, CP
Northern Cloudywing	C	M-June to E-July	Dry fields, open scrubby woods, meadows	Dogbane, Joe-pye weed, clover	Tick trefoils, bush clover, legumes	RV,PD,CP
Confusing Cloudywing	R	Apr. to Aug.	Floodplain woods, fields, marshes	Milkweed, clover, thistle	Lespedeza	PD, CP
Hayhurst's Scallopwing	U	E-June to M-Aug.	Open woods along streams, fields	Burdock, knotweed, clover	Lamb's quarters	RV, PD, CP
Dreamy Duskywing	C	L-Apr. to E-June	Dry fields, open woods, brushy areas	Damp soil, redbud, hawkweed, clover	Willows, poplars	AP, RV, PD, UC
Sleepy Duskywing	U	M-Apr. to E-May	Open oak or pine-oak woods, barrens	Damp soil, blueberry, blackberry	Scrub oak, other oaks	All
Juvenal's Duskywing	C	M-Apr. to L-May	Open oak woods, nearby clearings	Damp soil, violet, cinquefoil	Red oaks, white oaks	All
Horace's Duskywing	C	L-Apr. to M-Sept.	Open oak woods, marshes	Buttonbush, dogbane, goldenrod	Red oaks, white oaks	All
Mottled Duskywing	RH	May & July to E-Aug.	Barrens, bushy fields, open woods	NJ tea, dogbane, damp soil	NJ tea, reedroot	RV, PD, UC
Zarucco Duskywing	RW	Aug. to Sept.	Fields, scub, wood edges	Boneset, camphorweed	Black locust, legumes	UC
Wild Indigo Duskywing	C	L-Apr, June & Aug.	Open woods, barrens, fields	Blackberry, clover, dogbane	Wild indigo, crown vetch, other legumes	All
Persius Duskywing	R	L-Apr. to June	Pine barrens, sandy open areas	Lupine, wild indigo	Lupine, wild indigo, willow	RV
'Appalachian' Grizzled Skipper	R	M-Apr. to E-May	Open areas near woods, barrens	Cinquefoil, strawberry, violet	Wild strawberry, cinquefoil	RV (historically PD)
Common Checkered-Skipper	C	L-Aug to E-Oct.	Fields, meadows, open areas	Clover, aster, fleabane	Mallows, hollyhocks	All
Common Sootywing	C	May to Aug.	Fields, wooded floodplains, gardens	White sweet clover, mint, oxalis	Lamb's quarters	All
Grass-Skippers						
Swarthy Skipper	C	June, Aug. & Sept.	Fields with tall grass	Clover, mint, NJ tea	Little bluestem beardgrass	RV, PD, CP
Clouded Skipper	UW	L-Aug. & Sept.	Brushy wet meadows, fields	Ironweed, buttonbush, verbena	Woolly beardgrass, other grasses	RV, PD, CP
Least Skipper	C	L-May to E. Oct.	Grassy stream edges, wet meadows	Clover, oxalis, dogbane	Bluegrass, rice cutgrass, other grasses	All
European Skipper	CE	M to L-June	Fields with tall grass	Fleabane, clover, hawkweed	Timothy, orchard grass, velvet grass	All
Fiery Skipper	UW	L-Aug. to L-Sept.	Fields, marshes, gardens	Tickseed sunflower, thistle, knapweed	Crabgrass, Bermuda grass, bent grass	All
Leonard's Skipper	U	L-Aug. to Sept.	Barrens, fields with tall grass	Blazing star, ironweed, thistle	Bluestem beardgrass, panic grass	AP, RV, PD, UC
Cobweb Skipper	U	L Apr. to E-May	Barrens, dry hillsides	Moss phlox, violet, clover	Big & little bluestem beardgrass	RV, PD, CP
Dotted Skipper	RH	June to Sept.	Pine barrens, short-grass praries	Thistle, knotweed, blazing-star	Little bluestem beardgrass, weeping lovegrass	UC
Indian Skipper	U	L-May to L-June	Brushy old fields, meadows	Hawkweed, phlox, blackberry	Bluestem, panic grass, other grasses	AP, RV, PD
Peck's Skipper	C	May to M-June, Aug. to E-Sept.	Meadows, fields, open areas	Ironweed, milkweed, thistle	Rice cutgrass, other grasses	All

Tawny-edged Skipper	C	L-May & Aug. to E-Sept.	Wet meadows, fields, open areas	Ironweed, dogbane, milkweed	Panic grasses, other grasses	All
Crossline Skipper	C	June to Sept.	Meadows, dry hillsides, barrens	Milkweed, clover, dogbane	Purpletop grass, bluestem, other grasses	All
Long Dash	R	L-May to M-June	Wet meadows, marshes, streamsides	Milkweed, dogbane, hawkweed	Bluegrass, other grasses	AP, RV, PD
Whirlabout	RW	Aug. to Sept.	Open areas, fields, floodplains	Fleabane, milkweed, dogbane	Bermuda grass, other grasses	UC
Southern Broken-Dash	U	June & Aug.	Open areas near wooded swamps, rivers	Thistle, milkweed, dogbane	Paspalum, large crabgrass, other grasses	RV, PD, CP
Northern Broken-Dash	C	M-June to E-Aug.	Meadows, old fields, open areas	Dogbane, milkweed, NJ tea	Panic grasses	All
Little Glassywing	C	M-June to Aug.	Wet meadows, damp woods, old fields	Ironweed, mint, thistle	Purpletop grass, other grasses	All
Sachem	CW	M-July to Sept.	Fields, marshes, open areas	Joe-pye weed, thistle, aster	Crabgrass, Bermuda grass, other grasses	All
Delaware Skipper	U	M-July	Marshes, fields, open areas	Milkweed, buttonbush, mint	Little bluestem beardgrass, switch grass	All
Rare Skipper	R	L-June to E-July	Tidal freshwater & brackish marshes	Buttonbush	Salt reed grass (<i>Spartina cynosuroides</i>)	LC
Mulberry Wing	U	July	Interiors of sedge marshes	Swamp milkweed, buttonbush	Tussock sedge	PD, UC
Chermock's Mulberry Wing	R	June	Fresh tidal swamp	Buttonbush	Tussock sedge (suspected)	LC
Hobomok Skipper	C	L-May to M-June	Open woods, meadows, bogs	Blackberry, milkweed	Panic grass, bluegrass, other grasses	AP, RV, PD, UC
Zabulon Skipper	C	L-May to June, Aug.	Open woods, meadows, streamsides	Buttonbush, blackberry, ironweed	Purpletop grass, lovegrass, other grasses	All
Aaron's Skipper	U	June & Aug.	Coastal salt marshes, sedgey swamps	Buttonbush	Saltwater cordgrass (suspected)	PD, CP
Broad-winged Skipper	C	June to Aug.	Fresh & brackish marshes	Buttonbush	Wild rice, phragmites, marsh millet	PD, CP
Palatka Skipper	RW	Aug.	Coastal fresh & brackish marshes	Pickerelweed	Sawgrass	LC
Dion Skipper	U	M-June to Aug., E-Sept.	Open marshes, bogs, swamps	Buttonbush	Carex hyalinolepis, other sedges	CP
Black Dash	U	L-June to E-July	Sedge marshes, bogs	Swamp milkweed, ironweed	Tussock sedge	AP, PD, CP
Two-spotted Skipper	R	May to Aug.	Bogs, wet sedge meadows, marshes	Ironweed, milkweed, spirea	Tussock sedge, other sedges	AP, PD
Dun Skipper	C	L-June to July, Aug.	Marsh edges, woods, wet meadows	Milkweed, mint, dogbane	Sedges, grasses	All
Dusted Skipper	R	L-May	Dry fields with bluestem, barrens	Clover, blackberry, low grassblades	Little bluestem beardgrass	PD, CP
Pepper and Salt Skipper	R	M-May to M-June	Glades, woods, boggy streambanks	Fleabane, viburnum, damp soil	Indian grass, other grasses	AP, RV, PD
Common Roadside-Skipper	U	L-May & L-July	Glades, woods, barrens	Blackberry, phlox, cinquefoil	Bluegrass, wild oats, bentgrass	AP, RV, PD, UC
Eufala Skipper	RW	Sept. to Oct.	Fields, roadsides, oak openings	Aster, goatweed	Grasses	PD, UC
Twin-spot Skipper	RW	Aug. to Oct.	Pine woods, coastal swamps	Hercules club	Grasses (suspected)	PD, LC
Brazilian Skipper	RW	Sept. to Oct.	Gardens, residential areas	Butterflybush	Cannas	PD, CP
Salt Marsh Skipper	U	June & L-Aug. to Sept.	Salt & brackish marshes	Buttonbush, fleabane	Salt grass (suspected)	PD, CP
Ocola Skipper	UW	July to Oct.	Wet meadows, salt marshes, fields	Ironweed, milkweed, buttonbush	Grasses	RV, PD, CP

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