

# Butterflies and Moths of North America



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[\*Epargyreus clarus\*](#) Silver-spotted Skipper  
[\*Thorybes pylades\*](#) Northern Cloudywing  
[\*Erynnis icelus\*](#) Dreamy Duskywing  
[\*Erynnis juvenalis\*](#) Juvenal's Duskywing  
[\*Pyrgus centaureae\*](#) Grizzled Skipper  
[\*Carterocephalus palaemon\*](#) Arctic Skipper  
[\*Ancyloxypha numitor\*](#) Least Skipper  
[\*Thymelicus lineola\*](#) European Skipper  
[\*Atalopedes campestris\*](#) Sachem  
[\*Polites peckius\*](#) Peck's Skipper  
[\*Polites themistocles\*](#) Tawny-edged Skipper  
[\*Polites mystic\*](#) Long Dash  
[\*Wallengrenia egeremet\*](#) Northern Broken-Dash  
[\*Poanes hobomok\*](#) Hobomok Skipper  
[\*Euphyes vestris\*](#) Dun Skipper  
[\*Papilio machaon\*](#) Old World Swallowtail  
[\*Papilio polyxenes\*](#) Black Swallowtail  
[\*Papilio canadensis\*](#) Canadian Tiger Swallowtail  
[\*Pieris oleracea\*](#) Mustard White  
[\*Pieris rapae\*](#) Cabbage White  
[\*Pontia occidentalis\*](#) Western White  
[\*Colias philodice\*](#) Clouded Sulphur  
[\*Colias eurytheme\*](#) Orange Sulphur  
[\*Colias gigantea\*](#) Giant Sulphur  
[\*Feniseca tarquinius\*](#) Harvester  
[\*Lycaena hylus\*](#) Bronze Copper  
[\*Lycaena helloides\*](#) Purplish Copper  
[\*Callophrys augustinus\*](#) Brown Elfin  
[\*Callophrys polios\*](#) Hoary Elfin  
[\*Callophrys henrici\*](#) Henry's Elfin  
[\*Callophrys niphon\*](#) Eastern Pine Elfin  
[\*Satyrrium edwardsii\*](#) Edwards' Hairstreak  
[\*Satyrrium calanus\*](#) Banded Hairstreak  
[\*Satyrrium liparops\*](#) Striped Hairstreak  
[\*Cupido amyntula\*](#) Western Tailed-Blue  
[\*Celastrina ladon\*](#) Spring Azure  
[\*Celastrina lucia\*](#) Northern Azure  
[\*Glaucopsyche lygdamus\*](#) Silvery Blue  
[\*Plebejus idas\*](#) Northern Blue  
[\*Plebejus saepiolus\*](#) Greenish Blue  
[\*Plebejus optilete\*](#) Cranberry Blue  
[\*Danaus plexippus\*](#) Monarch  
[\*Euptoieta claudia\*](#) Variegated Fritillary  
[\*Speyeria cybele\*](#) Great Spangled Fritillary  
[\*Speyeria aphrodite\*](#) Aphrodite Fritillary  
[\*Speyeria atlantis\*](#) Atlantis Fritillary  
[\*Speyeria hesperis\*](#) Northwestern Fritillary

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[\*Boloria selene\*](#) Silver-bordered Fritillary

[\*Boloria bellona\*](#) Meadow Fritillary

[\*Boloria freija\*](#) Freija Fritillary

[\*Boloria chariclea\*](#) Arctic Fritillary

[\*Limenitis arthemis rubrofasciata\*](#) White Admiral

[\*Limenitis arthemis arthemis\*](#) White Admiral

[\*Limenitis archippus\*](#) Viceroy

[\*Chlosyne nycteis\*](#) Silvery Checkerspot

[\*Chlosyne gorgone\*](#) Gorgone Checkerspot

[\*Chlosyne harrisii\*](#) Harris' Checkerspot

[\*Phyciodes tharos\*](#) Pearl Crescent

[\*Phyciodes cocyta\*](#) Northern Crescent

[\*Phyciodes batesii\*](#) Tawny Crescent

[\*Euphydryas phaeton\*](#) Baltimore Checkerspot

[\*Junonia coenia\*](#) Common Buckeye

[\*Polygonia interrogationis\*](#) Question Mark

[\*Polygonia comma\*](#) Eastern Comma

[\*Polygonia satyrus\*](#) Satyr Comma

[\*Polygonia faunus\*](#) Green Comma

[\*Polygonia progne\*](#) Gray Comma

[\*Aglais milberti\*](#) Milbert's Tortoiseshell

[\*Nymphalis vaualbum\*](#) Compton Tortoiseshell

[\*Nymphalis antiopa\*](#) Mourning Cloak

[\*Vanessa atalanta\*](#) Red Admiral

[\*Vanessa cardui\*](#) Painted Lady

[\*Vanessa virginiensis\*](#) American Lady

[\*Enodia anthedon\*](#) Northern Pearly-eye

[\*Satyroides eurydice\*](#) Eyed Brown

[\*Satyroides appalachia\*](#) Appalachian Brown

[\*Coenonympha tullia\*](#) Common Ringlet

[\*Oeneis chryxus\*](#) Chryxus Arctic

[\*Oeneis macounii\*](#) Macoun's Arctic

[\*Cercyonis pegala\*](#) Common Wood-Nymph

[\*Drepana arcuata\*](#) Arched Hooktip

[\*Hemileuca nevadensis\*](#) Nevada buckmoth

[\*Hyalophora cecropia\*](#) Cecropia silkmoth

[\*Antheraea polyphemus\*](#) Polyphemus moth

[\*Actias luna\*](#) Luna moth

[\*Ceratomia undulosa\*](#) Waved sphinx

[\*Paonias myops\*](#) Small-eyed sphinx

[\*Smerinthus cerisyi\*](#) One-eyed sphinx

[\*Pachysphinx occidentalis\*](#) Big poplar sphinx

[\*Sphinx kalmiae\*](#) Laurel sphinx

[\*Pachysphinx modesta\*](#) Modest sphinx

[\*Sphinx chersis\*](#) Great ash sphinx

[\*Ceratomia amyntor\*](#) Elm sphinx

[\*Sphinx luscitiosa\*](#) Clemen's sphinx

[\*Paonias excaecata\*](#) Blinded sphinx

[\*Hyles lineata\*](#) White-lined Sphinx

[\*Sphecodina abbottii\*](#) Abbott's sphinx

[\*Eumorpha achemon\*](#) Achemon sphinx

[\*Hyles gallii\*](#) Bedstraw hawkmoth

[\*Amphion floridensis\*](#) Nessus sphinx

[\*Hyles euphorbiae\*](#) Spurge hawkmoth

[\*Hemaris diffinis\*](#) Snowberry Clearwing

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[\*Hemaris thysbe\*](#) Hummingbird Clearwing

[\*Schizura leptinoides\*](#) Black-blotched Schizura

[\*Symmeris canicosta\*](#)

[\*Pheosia nimosa\*](#) Black-rimmed Prominent

[\*Acronicta dactylina\*](#) Fingered Dagger Moth

[\*Acronicta impressa\*](#)

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[\*Acronicta americana\*](#) American Dagger Moth

[\*Acronicta lepusculina\*](#) Cottonwood Dagger Moth

[\*Apamea lignicolora\*](#) Wood-colored Apamea

[\*Amphipyra pyramidoides\*](#) Copper Underwing

[\*Oligia modica\*](#) Black-banded Brocade

[\*Sunira bicolorago\*](#) Bicolored Sallow

[\*Lithophane amanda\*](#)

[\*Pseudeustrotia carneola\*](#) Pink-barred Pseudeustrotia

[\*Syngrapha rectangula\*](#) Salt-and-Pepper Looper Moth

[\*Autographa precationis\*](#) The Common Looper Moth

[\*Autographa californica\*](#)

[\*Megalographa biloba\*](#) Bilobed Looper Moth

[\*Trichoplusia ni\*](#) Cabbage Looper Moth

[\*Leucania pseudargyria\*](#) False Wainscot

[\*Melanchra picta\*](#) Zebra Caterpillar Moth

[\*Feltia jaculifera\*](#) Dingy Cutworm Moth

[\*Xylena curvimacula\*](#) Dot-And-Dash Swordgrass Moth

[\*Xestia dolosa\*](#) Greater Black-letter Dart

[\*Euxoa tessellata\*](#) Tessellate Dart

[\*Agrotis venerabilis\*](#) Venerable Dart

[\*Eurois occulta\*](#)

[\*Pyrrhia exprimens\*](#) Purple-Lined Sallow

[\*Alypia langtoni\*](#) Langston's Forester

[\*Alypia octomaculata\*](#) Eight-spotted Forester

[\*Gnophaela vermiculata\*](#)

[\*Spilosoma virginica\*](#) Virginian Tiger Moth or Yellow Woollybear Moth

[\*Haploa confusa\*](#) Confused Haploa

[\*Lophocampa maculata\*](#) Spotted Tussock Moth or Yellow-Spotted Tiger Moth

[\*Halysidota tessellaris\*](#) Banded Tussock Moth or Pale Tiger Moth

[\*Haploa lecontei\*](#) Leconte's Haploa

[\*Ctenucha virginica\*](#) Virginia Ctenucha

[\*Pyrrharctia isabella\*](#) Isabella Tiger Moth or Banded Woollybear

[\*Platarctia parthenos\*](#) St. Lawrence Tiger Moth

[\*Grammia virgo\*](#) Virgin Tiger Moth

[\*Phragmatobia fuliginosa\*](#) Ruby Tiger Moth

[\*Idia lubricalis\*](#) Glossy Black Idia Moth

[\*Idia americalis\*](#) American Idia Moth

[\*Hyperna scabra\*](#) Green Cloverworm Moth

[\*Scoliopteryx libatrix\*](#) The Herald

[\*Catocala parta\*](#) Mother Underwing

[\*Catocala briseis\*](#) Briseis Underwing

[\*Catocala relictta\*](#) White Underwing

[\*Argyrostromis anilis\*](#) Short-Lined Chocolate

[\*Catocala concumbens\*](#) Sleepy Underwing

[\*Caenurgina erechthea\*](#) Forage Looper Moth

[\*Catocala ilia\*](#) Ilia Underwing

[\*Ascalapha odorata\*](#) Black Witch

[\*Euclidia cuspidea\*](#) Toothed Somberwing

[\*Orgyia leucostigma\*](#) White-marked Tussock Moth

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[Elachista acenteta](#)

[Albuna fraxini](#) Virginia Creeper Borer Moth

[Choristoneura rosaceana](#) Oblique-banded Leafroller Moth

[Pyrausta unifasciata](#) One-banded Pyrausta

[Pyrausta orphisalis](#) Orange Mint Moth

[Thyris sepulchralis](#) Mourning Thyris

[Sthenopis thule](#) Willow Ghost Moth

[Sthenopis argenteomaculatus](#) Silver-spotted Ghost Moth

[Sthenopis purpurascens](#) Four-spotted Ghost Moth

[Ennomos subsignaria](#) Elm Spanworm Moth

[Campaea perlata](#) Pale Beauty

[Metanema inatomaria](#) Pale Metanema

[Cingilia catenaria](#) Chain-dotted Geometer

[Prochoerodes lineola](#) Large Maple Spanworm Moth

[Erannis tiliaria](#) Linden Looper Moth

[Protoboarmia porcelaria](#) Porcelain Gray

[Nematocampa resistaria](#) Horned Spanworm Moth

[Ennomos magnaria](#) Maple Spanworm

[Tetracis cachexiata](#) White Slant-line

[Speranza ribearia](#) Currant Spanworm Moth

[Lambdina fiscellaria](#) Hemlock Looper

[Xanthotype sospeta](#) Crocus Geometer

[Chlorochlamys chloroleucaria](#) Blackberry Looper Moth

[Nemoria mimosaria](#) White-fringed Emerald

[Xanthorhoe lacustrata](#) Toothed Brown Carpet

[Orthonama obstipata](#) The Gem

[Rheumaptera hastata/subhastata](#) Spear-Marked Black Moth/White-banded Black Moth

[Costaconvexa centrostrigaria](#) The Bent-line Carpet

[Eupithecia ravocostaliata](#) Tawny Pug Moth

[Alsophila pometaria](#) Fall Cankerworm Moth

[Scopula limboundata](#) Large Lace-border

[Scopula inductata](#) Soft-lined Wave

[Malacosoma americanum](#) Eastern Tent Caterpillar Moth

[Phyllodesma americana](#) Lappet Moth

[Malacosoma disstria](#) Forest Tent Caterpillar Moth

[Tolype vellea](#) Large Tolype Moth

[Alucita montana](#) Montana Six-plume Moth