

# Insects



Great Spangled Fritillary

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## **Damselflies (Odonata Zygoptera)**

### Calopterygidae

Ebony Jewelwing ..... *Calopteryx maculata*

### Coenagrionidae

Powdered Dancer ..... *Argia moesta*

Springwater Dancer ..... *Argia plana*

Blue-tipped Dancer ..... *Argia tibialis*

Azure Bluet ..... *Enallagma aspersum*

Fragile Forktail ..... *Ischnura posita*

Eastern Forktail ..... *Ischnura verticalis*

Citrine Forktail ..... *Ischnura hastata*

## **Dragonflies (Odonata Anisoptera)**

### Aeshnidae

Common Green Darner ..... *Anax junius*

Cyano Darner ..... *Nasiaeschna pentacantha*

### Corduliidae

Baskettail ..... *Epithea* sp.

### Gomphidae

Sulphur-tipped Clubtail ..... *Gomphus militaris*

### Libellulidae

Eastern Pondhawk ..... *Erythemis simplicicollis*

Widow Skimmer ..... *Libellula luctuosa*

Eastern Amberwing ..... *Perithemis tenera*

Common Whitetail ..... *Plathymis lydia*

Blue-faced Meadowhawk ..... *Sympetrum ambiguum*

Variegated Meadowhawk ..... *Sympetrum corruptum*

Black Saddlebags ..... *Tamea lacerata*

Red Saddlebags ..... *Tamea onusta*

## **Short-horned Grasshoppers (Orthoptera Caelifera)**

### Acrididae

Northern Green-striped Grasshopper ..... *Chortophaga viridifasciata*

Grasshopper ..... *Melanoplus* sp.

### Tetrigidae

Black-sided Pygmy Grasshopper ..... *Tettigidea lateralis*

## **Mantids (Mantodea)**

### Mantidae

Praying Mantis

## **Bugs (Heteroptera)**

### Coreidae

Leaf-footed Bug ..... *Acanthocephala terminalis*

Gerridae	
Water Strider	
Lygaeidae	
False Milkweed Bug .....	<i>Lygaeus turcicus</i>
Large Milkweed Bug .....	<i>Oncopeltus fasciatus</i>
Pentatomidae	
Stink Bug	
Reduviidae	
Assassin Bug .....	<i>Pselliopus</i>
Wheel Bug .....	<i>Arilus cristatus</i>
Tingidae	
Buckeye Lace Bug .....	<i>Corythucha aesculi</i>

**Cicadas, Hoppers & Aphids (Homoptera)**

Cercopidae	
Two-lined Spittlebug .....	<i>Prosapia bicincta</i>
Cicadellidae	
Leafhopper .....	<i>Arboridia</i> sp.
Cicadidae	
Periodical Cicada .....	<i>Magicicada</i> sp.
Membracidae	
Treehopper .....	<i>Publilia concava</i>
Two-marked Treehopper .....	<i>Enchenopa binotata</i>

**Lacewings, Antlions (Neuroptera)**

Chrysopidae	
Green Lacewing	

**Beetles (Coleoptera)**

Cantharidae	
Soldier Beetle .....	<i>Chauliognathus marginatus</i>
Goldenrod Soldier Beetle .....	<i>Chauliognathus pensylvanicus</i>
Soldier Beetle .....	<i>Tryptherus latipennis</i>
Cerambycidae	
Six-banded Longhorn Beetle .....	<i>Dryobius sexnotatus</i>
Juniper Borer .....	<i>Callidium texanum</i>
Chrysomelidae	
Cucumber Beetle .....	<i>Diabrotica</i> sp.
Leaf Beetle .....	<i>Galeruca</i> sp.
Cleridae	
Checked Beetle .....	<i>Thanasimus</i> sp.
Coccinellidae	
Multicolored Asian Lady Beetle .....	<i>Harmonia axyridis</i>
Cicindelidae	
Six-spotted Tiger Beetle .....	<i>Cicindela sexguttata</i>
Eastern Red-bellied Tiger Beetle .....	<i>Cicindela rufiventris</i>

Lampyridae	
Firefly	
Meloidae	
Blister Beetle.....	<i>Lytta</i> sp.
Nitidulidae	
Sap Beetle	
Passalidae	
Horned Passallus.....	<i>Odontotaenius disjunctus</i>
Scarabaeidae	
Japanese Beetle .....	<i>Popillia japonica</i>
Silphidae	
Tomentose Burying Beetle .....	<i>Nicrophorus tomentosus</i>

**Scorpionflies (Mecoptera)**

Panorpidae	
Scorpionfly .....	<i>Panorpa</i> sp.

**Flies (Diptera)**

Asilidae	
Robber Fly	
Bombyliidae	
Bee Fly	
Ephydriidae	
Shore Fly.....	<i>Ochthera</i> sp.
Keroplastidae	
Predatory Fungus Gnat.....	<i>Macrocera nobilis</i>
Psychodidae	
Moth Fly	
Rhagionidae	
Snipe Fly .....	<i>Chrysopilus</i> sp.
Syrphidae	
Flower Fly.....	<i>Helophilus</i> sp.
Tachinidae	
Tachinid Fly .....	<i>Gymnosoma</i> sp.
Feather-legged Fly.....	<i>Trichopoda pennipes</i>
Tipulidae	
Crane Fly	
Ulididae	
Picture-winged Fly.....	<i>Callopistromyia annulipes</i>

**Butterflies (Lepidoptera)**

Papilionidae - Swallowtails	
Pipevine Swallowtail.....	<i>Battus philenor</i>
Zebra Swallowtail .....	<i>Eurytides marcellus</i>
Giant Swallowtail.....	<i>Papilio cresphontes</i>
Eastern Tiger Swallowtail .....	<i>Papilio glaucus</i>

Black Swallowtail .....	<i>Papilio polyxenes</i>
Spicebush Swallowtail .....	<i>Papilio troilus</i>
Pieridae - Whites & Sulphurs	
Falcate Orangetip .....	<i>Anthocharis midea</i>
Orange Sulphur .....	<i>Colias eurytheme</i>
Clouded Sulphur .....	<i>Colias philodice</i>
Southern Dogface .....	<i>Zerene cesonia</i>
Little Yellow .....	<i>Eurema lisa</i>
Sleepy Orange .....	<i>Eurema nicippe</i>
Dainty Sulphur .....	<i>Nathalis iole</i>
Cloudless Sulphur .....	<i>Phoebis sennae</i>
Cabbage White .....	<i>Pieris rapae</i>
Checkered White .....	<i>Pontia protodice</i>
Lycaenidae - Blues & Hairstreaks	
Juniper Hairstreak .....	<i>Callophrys gryneus</i>
Henry's Elfin .....	<i>Callophrys henrici</i>
Red-banded Hairstreak .....	<i>Calycopis cecrops</i>
Spring Azure .....	<i>Celestrina ladon</i>
Summer Azure .....	<i>Celastrina neglecta</i>
Eastern Tailed-Blue .....	<i>Cupido comyntas</i>
Banded Hairstreak .....	<i>Satyrium calanus</i>
Striped Hairstreak .....	<i>Satyrium liparops</i>
Gray Hairstreak .....	<i>Strymon melinus</i>
Nymphalidae - Brushfooted Butterflies	
Goatweed Leafwing .....	<i>Anaea andria</i>
Hackberry Emperor .....	<i>Asterocampa celtis</i>
Tawny Emperor .....	<i>Asterocampa clyton</i>
Common Wood-Nymph .....	<i>Cercyonis pegala</i>
Silvery Checkerspot .....	<i>Chlosyne nycteis</i>
Monarch .....	<i>Danaus plexippus</i>
Northern Pearly-eye .....	<i>Enodia anthedon</i>
Common Buckeye .....	<i>Junonia coenia</i>
American Snout .....	<i>Libytheana carinenta</i>
Viceroy .....	<i>Limenitis archippus</i>
Red-Spotted Purple .....	<i>Limenitis arthemis</i>
Little Wood-Satyr .....	<i>Megisto cymela</i>
Mourning Cloak .....	<i>Nymphalis antiopa</i>
Pearl Crescent .....	<i>Phyciodes tharos</i>
Eastern Comma .....	<i>Polygonia comma</i>
Question Mark .....	<i>Polygonia interrogationis</i>
Gray Comma .....	<i>Polygonia progne</i>
Great Spangled Fritillary .....	<i>Speyeria cybele</i>
Red Admiral .....	<i>Vanessa atalanta</i>
Painted Lady .....	<i>Vanessa cardui</i>
American Lady .....	<i>Vanessa virginiensis</i>

## Skippers (Lepidoptera)

### Hesperiinae - Grass Skippers

Delaware Skipper .....	<i>Anatrytone logan</i>
Least Skipper .....	<i>Ancyloxypha numitor</i>
Sachem .....	<i>Atalopedes campestris</i>
Dun Skipper .....	<i>Euphyes vestris</i>
Fiery Skipper .....	<i>Hylephila phyleus</i>
Hobomok Skipper.....	<i>Poanes hobomok</i>
Zabulon Skipper.....	<i>Poanes zabulon</i>
Tawny-edged Skipper.....	<i>Polites themistocles</i>
Peck's Skipper.....	<i>Polites peckius</i>
Little Glassywing.....	<i>Pompeius verna</i>
Byssus Skipper.....	<i>Problema byssus</i>
Northern Broken-Dash.....	<i>Wallengrenia egeremet</i>

### Pyrginae - Spread-wing Skippers

Hoary Edge .....	<i>Achalarus lyciades</i>
Silver-spotted Skipper.....	<i>Epargyreus clarus</i>
Wild Indigo Duskywing.....	<i>Erynnis baptisiae</i>
Sleepy Duskywing.....	<i>Erynnis brizo</i>
Horace's Duskywing.....	<i>Erynnis horatius</i>
Juvenal's Duskywing.....	<i>Erynnis juvenalis</i>
Common Checkered Skipper.....	<i>Pyrgus communis</i>

## Moths (Lepidoptera)

### Arctiidae

Yellow-collared Scape Moth.....	<i>Cisseps fulvicollis</i>
Packard's Lichen Moth.....	<i>Cisthene packardii</i>
Tiger Moth.....	<i>Grammia</i> sp.
Banded Tussock Moth.....	<i>Halysidota tessellaris</i>
Leconte's Haploa Moth.....	<i>Haploa lecontei</i>
Giant Leopard Moth.....	<i>Hypercompe scribonia</i>
Isabella Tiger Moth .....	<i>Pyrrharctia isabella</i>

### Crambidae

Leaf-folder Moth .....	<i>Desmia</i> sp.
Spotted Beet Webworm Moth.....	<i>Hymenia perspectalis</i>
Celery Webworm Moth .....	<i>Nomophila nearctica</i>
Basswood Leafroller .....	<i>Pantographis limata</i>
Hawaiian Beet Webworm Moth .....	<i>Spoladea recurvalis</i>

### Erebidae

Looper .....	<i>Caenurgina</i> sp.
Black-bit Moth .....	<i>Celiptera frustulum</i>
Haploa Moth.....	<i>Haploa</i> sp.
Phytometrines.....	<i>Hemeroplanis</i> sp.
White-lined Bomolocha .....	<i>Hypena abalienalis</i>
Green Cloverworm Moth .....	<i>Hypena scabra</i>
Thin-winged Owlet Moth .....	<i>Nigetia formosalis</i>

Spotted Grass Moth.....	<i>Rivula propinqualis</i>
Herald Moth .....	<i>Scoliopteryx libatrix</i>
Moon-lined Moth .....	<i>Spiloloma lunilinea</i>
Geometridae	
Angle .....	<i>Macaria</i> sp.
Eusarca sp.	
Three-spotted Filip Moth.....	<i>Heterophleps triguttaria</i>
Orange Wing .....	<i>Mellilla xanthometata</i>
The Gem .....	<i>Orthonama obstipata</i>
Lasiocampidae	
Eastern Tent Caterpillar.....	<i>Malacosoma americana</i>
Large Tolype.....	<i>Tolype velleda</i>
Noctuidae	
Eight-spotted Forester.....	<i>Alypia octomaculata</i>
Corn Earworm Moth .....	<i>Helicoverpa zea</i>
Army Worm Moth .....	<i>Mythimna unipuncta</i>
Soybean Looper .....	<i>Pseudoplusia includens</i>
Armyworm.....	<i>Spodoptera</i> sp.
Black-bordered Lemon Moth .....	<i>Thioptera nigrofimbria</i>
Notodontidae	
White-dotted Prominent .....	<i>Nadata gibbosa</i>
Saturniidae	
Luna Moth .....	<i>Actias luna</i>
Io Moth.....	<i>Automeris io</i>
Sphingidae	
Lettered Sphinx.....	<i>Deidamia inscriptum</i>
Snowberry Clearwing .....	<i>Hemaris diffinis</i>
Tortricidae	
<i>Ancylis</i> sp.	

## **Wasps, Bees & Ants (Hymenoptera)**

Apidae	
Honey Bee.....	<i>Apis mellifera</i>
Bumble Bee.....	<i>Bombus</i> sp.
Carpenter Bee .....	<i>Xylocopa</i> sp.
Crabronidae	
Eastern Cicada Killer .....	<i>Sphecius speciosus</i>
Formicidae	
Ant	
Mutillidae	
Velvet Ant	
Siricidae	
Pigeon Horntail.....	<i>Tremex columba</i>
Soliidae	
Double-banded Scoliid.....	<i>Scolia bicincta</i>

Vespidae

- Hornet ..... *Dolichovespula* sp.
- Paper Wasp ..... *Polistes* sp.
- Yellowjackets ..... *Vespula* sp.

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