

Summary of Butterfly Observations for Iowa by county

Observations made by Ed Rothwell
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14 total observations made of 12 species from 5 families.
Observations made in 4 counties.
Date range shows earliest and latest observations, regardless of year

Allamakee (5 total observations of 5 species from 3 families)

Lycaenidae (1 observations of 1 species)

- Everes comyntas (Eastern tailed-blue): (1) (Jun 3)

Nymphalidae (3 observations of 3 species)

- Phyciodes tharos (Pearl crescent): (1) (Jun 3)
- Vanessa atalanta (Red admiral): (1) (Jun 3)
- Vanessa viginensis (American lady): (1) (Jun 3)

Hesperiidae (1 observations of 1 species)

- Poanes Hobomok (Hobomok skipper): (1) (Jun 3)

Clayton (2 total observations of 2 species from 2 families)

Papilionidae (1 observations of 1 species)

- Papilio cressphontes (Giant swallowtail): (1) (Jun 3)

Nymphalidae (1 observations of 1 species)

- Megisto cymela (Little wood-satyr): (1) (Jun 3)

Guthrie (5 total observations of 5 species from 2 families)

Pieridae (2 observations of 2 species)

- *Colias eurytheme* (Orange sulphur): (1) (Sep 29)
- *Colias philodice* (Clouded sulphur): (1) (Sep 29)

Nymphalidae (3 observations of 3 species)

- *Danaus plexippus* (Monarch): (1) (Sep 29)
- *Boloria bellona* (Meadow fritillary): (1) (Sep 29)
- *Phyciodes tharos* (Pearl crescent): (1) (Sep 29)

Iowa (2 total observations of 2 species from 2 families)

Papilionidae (1 observations of 1 species)

- *Papilio polyxenes* (Black swallowtail): (1) (Sep 29)

Nymphalidae (1 observations of 1 species)

- *Danaus plexippus* (Monarch): (1) (Sep 29)