

# Report on Butterflies

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# Butterfly Facts

- Over 700 Species in North America
- Most active during the day

# Black Swallowtail



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Paul A. Opler egg



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Black Swallowtail

- **Flight:** One-2 flights from April-October in northern regions of range; 3 flights in southern regions
- **Habitat:** A variety of open areas including fields, suburbs, marshes, deserts, and roadsides.
- **Range:** Most of the eastern U.S., north into Quebec, west into s. Saskatchewan, Colorado and se. California; south to n. South America.

# Eastern Tailed-Blue



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Eastern Tailed-Blue

- **Flight:** Three broods from April-November in the north, many broods from February-November in the south.
- **Habitat:** Many open, sunny places including weedy areas and disturbed habitats.
- **Range:** Southeast Canada and Eastern United States west to western North Dakota, central Colorado, and central Texas. Also ranges from southeastern Arizona, western New Mexico, and west Texas south to Costa Rica.



# Red-banded Hairstreak



- **Flight:** All year in Florida, two broods northward from April-October.
- **Habitat:** Coastal hammocks, overgrown fields, forest edges.
- **Range:** Southeastern United States from Long Island south through Florida, west through entire area to southeast Kansas, eastern Oklahoma, and eastern Texas. Strays to eastern Nebraska, northern Illinois, and Michigan.

# VICEROY



caterpillar

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egg

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Viceroy

- **Flight:** Two to three broods from May-September in most of its range, all year in Florida.
- **Habitat:** Moist open or shrubby areas such as lake and swamp edges, willow thickets, valley bottoms, wet meadows, and roadsides.
- **Range:** Northwest Territories south along the eastern edges of the Cascade and Sierra Nevada mountains to central Mexico, east through all the eastern United States.