



## Vegetable Pest Detection Survey Accomplishment Report 2022 Ann Hazelrigg, Ph.D., UVM Extension



Dorsal view of an adult male light brown apple moth, *Epiphyas postvittana* (Walker).  
Photograph by Natasha Wright, Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; Bugwood.org.

UVM conducted an exotic pest trapping survey at 10 vegetable farms in six counties in 2022 (Chittenden, Addison, Grand Isle, Franklin, Washington and Windsor) to target five species with specific trap types (see below) and pest specific lure combinations used to monitor for these insects. A total of 50 traps at 10 different locations were set for the survey beginning in June and continuing every 2 weeks totaling 7 trap changes with the changing of lures at CAPS approved intervals. Taxonomic identification was performed in the Plant Diagnostic Clinic after each collection. The director of the plant diagnostic clinic supervised the survey. **No target pests were found on any of the farms.**

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Grand Isle Pomykala Farm