



Spider Blitz 2007

58 participants
2,553 volunteer hours





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1,040 specimens
representing:

18 families
101 genera
151 species





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89 species new to the park
6 species new to Maine

Porrhomma pallidum – until very recently, not previously collected in North America

Sciastes sp – appears to represent an extreme range extension

Pardosa palustris – may represent first record in conterminous U.S.





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Sheet Weavers – 292 specimens, 54 species

Cobweb Spiders – 269 specimens, 20 species
(48% of these were introduced species)

Orb Weavers – 101 specimens, 8 species





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Sweeping – 314 specimens, 53 species

Pit fall traps – 264 specimens, 65 species

Hand collecting – 274 specimens, 74 species

Beating – 103 specimens, 37 species

Litter extraction – 64 specimens, 38 species

