

# Basic Detail Report

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## ***Smerinthus saliceti (Salicet Sphinx Moth)***

### **Date**

2010 (printed 2025)

### **Primary Maker**

Jo Whaley

### **Medium**

Pigment print

### **Description**

The basis of the image is an historic tintype portrait of a woman in a dark dress with lacy cuffs and collar, as well as a large, floppy bow at her neck that is secured with a brooch. On her head, in place of an ornate hat, is a dried moth specimen. Moth, woman's cheeks, and fabric bow are tinted pink. The edges of a metal mat around surrounding the original tintype is visible here as a frame around the portrait.

### **Dimensions**

Support: 24 × 20 in. (61 × 50.8 cm)