

2011 Pesticide Misuse Case Summary
Calendar Year as of Dec 7, 2011
Illinois Department of Agriculture
Bureau of Environmental Programs

97 Formal complaints received

64 Ag cases	75 Ground application
15 Lawn care cases	19 Aerial application
18 Other cases	3 Other

45 Cases closed (no misuse)

37 Warning & Advisory letters

31 Ag
4 Lawn care
2 Other

10 Administrative hearings

2 Ag
7 Lawn care
1 Other

3 \$750 fine - Misuse

2 Ag
1 Other

4 \$500 fine - Applicator License Violation as a result of the complaint

0 Ag
4 Lawn care
0 Other

3 \$250 fine – Lawn care Act Violation as a result of the complaint

3 Lawn care

11 Cases not completed

2011 Complaints involving Aerial Applicators (These are included in the above numbers.)

19 Total cases (19 Ag and 0 Other)

8 cases closed with no evidence of misuse

0 applicator license violations

0 administrative hearing - \$750 fine due to drift

7 warning letters issued (7 Ag-related)

4 cases not completed

3 cases involved honeybees -- 1 aerial application and 2 ground applications