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# AAPCO/SFIREG Dicamba Update

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# September Survey



## **AAPCO ASKED:**

- **Number of complaints**
- **Do you have website with updated numbers**
- **Will you participate in conference calls with EPA?**

# 19 Respondents

- All agreed to participate in SLA/EPA conference calls.



# TOTAL NUMBER OF INVESTIGATIONS/REPORTS

- **1392 reported complaints resulting in investigations.**
- **9 of the 19 reporting states had 10 or less complaints**
- **3 of the reporting states had zero complaints.**

# **AAPCO/SFIREG JWC Sept, 2019**

- **The POM and EQI committees met in West Lafayette, IN at Purdue University**
- **Met simultaneously and with members of the WSSA**
- **Discussed ongoing research**
- **EPA Region 5 and EPA HQ were well represented at the meeting(s)**

# Current Efforts

**APPCO has provided results of the survey to USEPA HQ**

**AAPCO has repeatedly advised USEPA that States are willing to provide data and to discuss the 2019 growing season**

**EPA has responded that they do want to hear from SLA's regarding the 2019 growing season**

# Current Efforts

Conference call held 11-26 with US EPA

States reported complaint numbers and concerns

SLA questions include: "does EPA consider plant damage from dicamba usage an unreasonable adverse effect?"