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Every year, the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) conducts the Agricultural Resource Management Survey. The survey gathers information on production practices, nutrient and fertilizer use, tillage practices, and pest management practices for different commodities.

Your participation is vital. By responding to this survey, you are helping USDA compile an accurate picture of farming in the United States. The timely data will inform decisions that directly impact farms.

A representative from the National Association of State Departments of Agriculture will work with you to complete your survey by telephone or in person. During the interview, our representative will ask you detailed questions about the types of applications you use on your crops. To make the interview process faster, it will be helpful to have the following types of records or information available:

• nutrient and/or fertilizers used

• biocontrols and/or pesticides used

- pest management practices
- machinery and other equipment used

If you used a commercial chemical company, please have those records accessible.

The enclosed booklet will help you and our representative find and record the correct pesticide products. The booklet lists registered label names of products with their Environmental Protection Agency registration number. If you do not find the correct product listed in this booklet, record where the product was purchased or as much information about the product as possible.

Your survey response is confidential. The information you provide will be used for statistical purposes only. In accordance with federal law, your responses will not be published in identifiable form.

Thank you for your participation and support of U.S. agriculture. If you have any questions, please call 888-424-7828 or visit <u>www.nass.usda.gov/go/arms</u>/.

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