4.1b Pesticide Use and Reading Labels

Knowledge Check (1 of 4)

This Knowledge Check covers presentation segments

Pesticide Basics & Formulations

1. What is a pesticide?
2. What is not a pesticide?
3. What are sources of pesticides?
4. How do pesticides differ?
5. Identify materials that contain pesticides.
6. What are some pesticide characteristics that make it useful?
7. What is a pesticide formulation?
8. What is a pesticide active ingredient?
9. What is a pesticide inert ingredient?
10. What is a pesticide trade name?
11. What is a pesticide’s chemical name?
12. What is a pesticide’s common name?
13. What is the relationship between a pesticide’s trade name and its active ingredient or ingredients?
14. What might different trade names mean to a pesticide user?
15. Why is a pesticide formulation important?
16. Name two pesticide formulations available to homeowners.
17. When choosing a pesticide formulation, what should you consider?
18. Explain the responsibilities of Cornell Cooperative Extension educators and Master Gardener Volunteers when making pesticide recommendations.



References: Pesticide Management Education Program (PMEP)

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