



Increased exposure to pesticides

Increased income

A broad spectrum of insecticides

Consisted of 25 commercial brands:

- 2 category I (highly toxic)
- 9 category II (moderately toxic)
- 7 category III (slightly toxic)
- 7 category IV (non-toxic)

Reported effects on health:

- Dermal irritation
- Respiratory problems
- Dizziness, nausea, vomiting
- Altered cardiovascular function
- Reduced muscular strength
- Occupational skin cancer 0
- Increased risk of non-Hodgkin lymphoma 0
- Atrophy and paralysis of exposed body parts

Insecticide residue detected

Fruit and shoot borer (FSB) causes 20-92% yield loss

Internal feeders, pesticide application is often futile

Better health

Peace of mind

Not prone to FSB infestation

No soil contamination

