

# CASE SUMMARY

Case #2011/1340

**Complainant:** University Park Veterinary Hospital  
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1. On July 26, 2011, I, Agent Joe Becovitz of the Office of Indiana State Chemist (OISC), performed an investigation at University Park Veterinary Hospital in response to a claim of injury/damage to non-target trees and shrubs possibly resulting from exposure to the herbicide Imprelis. I observed the following during my on-site investigation:
  - a) Spruce and fir trees had new growth that was twisted and browned. Some of the spruce and fir trees had partially defoliated beyond the new growth (see Figures 1 thru 4).
  - b) A tulip poplar and a paulownia tree had new growth that was cupped and curled (see Figures 5 thru 8).
  - c) Ash trees at the site had been injured by emerald ash borer (see Figures 9 and 10).
2. I photographed the site documenting the symptoms I observed:



Figure 1-spruce tree



Figure 2-spruce tree close up



Figure 3-fir tree



Figure 4-fir tree close up



Figure 5-tulip poplar



Figure 6-tulip poplar close up



Figure 7-paulownia tree



Figure 8-paulownia tree close up



Figure 9-defoliated ash tree

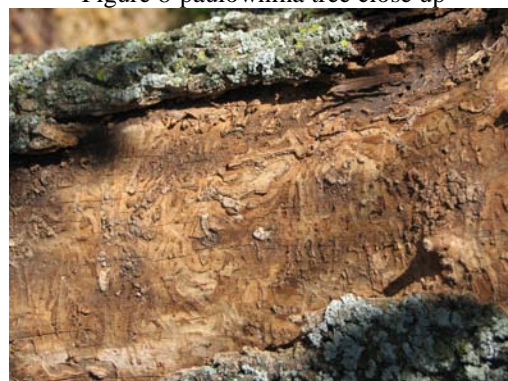


Figure 10-emerald ash borer galleries

