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Do You Know?

Synthetic pesticides account for one in three known endocrine disruptors (chemicals that interfere with the hormone system). Studies suggest these chemicals may, before a child's first breath, set the stage for autism, ADHD, obesity, and cancer.*

* "TEDX List of Potential Endocrine Disruptors," 2011, accessible at <http://www.endocrinedisruption.com/endocrine.TEDXList.overview.php>

According to Dr. Lynn Carroll, TEDX (The Endocrine Disruptor Exchange) Senior Scientist, there are 269 pesticides, and pesticide metabolites and breakdown products on the list of 803 potential endocrine disruptors (269/803 = 33.5%). The 269 pesticide-related endocrine disruptors are associated with 71 herbicides, 52 fungicides, 93 insecticides, and several "other" types of pesticides.



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