

**Table 4. National Cotton Insecticide Acre Treatments by Likely Pest Category**

|  | 1982   | 1995   | 1997   | 1998   | 1999   | 2000   |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Likely Target Pest                             |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Budworm/Bollworm Complex – Subtotal (millions) | 21.382 | 35.428 | 17.253 | 13.965 | 11.362 | 11.144 |
| Acre Treatments per planted acre               | 2.12   | 3.03   | 1.32   | 1.16   | 0.85   | 0.77   |
| Multiple Pests – Subtotal (millions)           | 5.494  | 11.84  | 12.956 | 11.899 | 39.964 | 40.647 |
| Acre Treatments per planted acre               | 0.54   | 1.01   | 0.99   | 0.99   | 3.0    | 2.82   |
| Other – Subtotal (millions)                    | 3.121  | 5.932  | 3.209  | 2.201  | 2.715  | 2.423  |
| Acre Treatments per planted acre               | 0.31   | 0.51   | 0.25   | 0.18   | 0.2    | 0.17   |
| Whitefly/Thrips – Subtotal (millions)          | 9.07   | 15.514 | 13.316 | 12.56  | 8.645  | 9.111  |
| Acre Treatments per planted acre               | 0.9    | 1.33   | 1.02   | 1.05   | 0.65   | 0.63   |
| All Insects -- Total                           | 39.067 | 68.714 | 46.734 | 40.626 | 62.685 | 63.236 |
| All Acre Treatments per planted acre           | 3.87   | 5.87   | 3.57   | 3.39   | 4.71   | 4.40   |