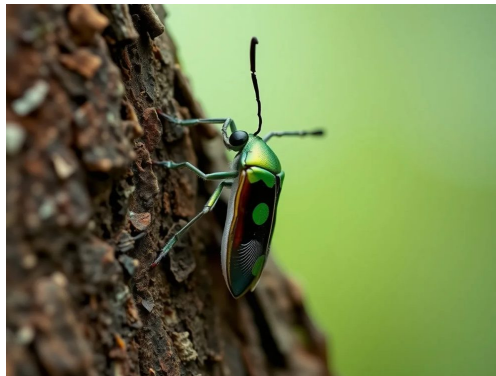


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Emerald Ash Borer

Agrilus planipennis

The Emerald Ash Borer is a small, metallic green beetle native to northeastern Asia. It is known for its destructive impact on ash trees, as its larvae feed on the inner bark, disrupting the tree's a...

Quick facts

Classification: Invertebrate

Family: Buprestidae

Habitat: Deciduous forests, woodlands, and urban areas with ash trees

Diet: Herbivore

Conservation status: Least Concern

Lifespan: 1-2 years

Weight: 0.05-0.2 grams

Scientific name: *Agrilus planipennis*

Did you know?

- Despite its tiny size, the Emerald Ash Borer is considered one of the most destructive forest pests ever introduced to North America.
- The Emerald Ash Borer can be identified by its bright, metallic green color and is often more easily found by the damage it causes than by spotting t...

What I learned
