

LEAFMINER

Agromyza sp

Cause: The flies are black with most of their bodies, halteres, and scutellum yellow. The maggots are yellow, with black mouth hooks.

Symptoms : The maggots make long, winding mines under the epidermis of the leaves.

Demographics : Most abundant in the Southwest, but are found throughout the United States.

Importance : Not usually a very serious pest.

Control : Parasites, predators and pesticides.

