



UW-Madison/Extension Plant Disease Diagnostic Clinic (PDDC) Update

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The PDDC receives samples of many plant and soil samples from around the state. The following diseases/disorders have been identified at the PDDC from March 29, 2014 through April 4, 2014.

PLANT/SAMPLE TYPE	DISEASE/DISORDER	PATHOGEN	COUNTY
HERBACEOUS ORNAMENTALS			
Geranium (Ivy)	<i>Edema</i> Heat Stress	None None	Ozaukee Ozaukee
HOUSEPLANTS			
Natal Mahogany	<i>Anthraxnose</i>	<i>Colletotrichum</i> sp.	Washington
NEEDED WOODY ORNAMENTALS			
Spruce (Blue)	<i>Rhizosphaera Needle Cast</i> <i>Winter Burn</i>	<i>Rhizosphaera kalkhoffii</i> None	Florence Florence
VEGETABLES			
Carrot	<i>Black Rot</i>	<i>Alternaria radacina</i>	Dane

For additional information on plant diseases and their control, visit the PDDC website at pddc.wisc.edu.