

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 November 14, 2015 through November 20, 2015.

PLANT/SAMPLE TYPE	DISEASE/DISORDER	PATHOGEN	COUNTY
BROAD-LEAVED WOODY ORNAMENTALS			
Natal Mahogany	Anthracnose <i>Phomopsis Canker</i>	<i>Colletotrichum</i> sp. <i>Phomopsis</i> sp.	Waukesha Waukesha
Pear	Root Rot	<i>Pythium</i> sp.	Brown
NEEDED WOODY ORNAMENTALS			
Pine (Scots)	<i>Cyclaneusma Needle Blight</i>	<i>Cyclaneusma</i> sp.	Milwaukee
FORAGE CROPS			
Alfalfa	<i>Root/Crown Rot</i>	<i>Pythium</i> sp., <i>Fusarium</i> sp.	Fond du Lac
FRUIT CROPS			
Apple	<i>Cytospora Canker</i> Fire Blight	<i>Cytospora</i> sp. <i>Erwinia amylovora</i>	Bayfield Bayfield
VEGETABLES			
Cabbage	<i>Gray Leaf Spot</i>	<i>Alternaria brassicicola</i>	Outagamie
Carrot	<i>Cavity Spot</i> <i>Crown Rot</i> <i>Fusarium Dry Rot</i>	<i>Pythium</i> sp. <i>Rhizoctonia</i> sp. <i>Fusarium</i> sp.	Dane Dane Dane
SOIL			
Soybean Soil	<i>Soybean Cyst Nematode</i>	<i>Heterodera glycines</i>	Kenosha, Lafayette, Outagamie, Pepin, Racine

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