



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 4, 2017 through March 10, 2017.

PLANT/SAMPLE TYPE	DISEASE/DISORDER	PATHOGEN	COUNTY
BROAD-LEAFED WOODY ORNAMENTAL			
Maple (Unspecified)	Diplodia Canker	<i>Diplodia</i> sp.	Winnebago
FRUIT CROPS			
Apple	Nectria Twig Blight Thread Blight	<i>Tubercularia vulgaris</i> <i>Corticium stevensii</i>	Oneida Vernon
NEEDED WOODY ORNAMENTALS			
Fir (White)	Phyllosticta Needle Blight	<i>Phyllosticta</i> sp.	Dane
Pine (Austrian)	<i>Dothistroma</i> Needle Blight	<i>Dothistroma pini</i>	Milwaukee
Spruce (Blue)	<i>Rhizosphaera</i> Needle Cast	<i>Rhizosphaera kalkhoffii</i>	Milwaukee
VEGETABLE CROPS			
Potato	<i>Edema</i>	None	Dane
Rosemary	<i>Powdery Mildew</i>	<i>Oidium</i> sp.	Dane
Spinach	<i>Heterosporium</i> Leaf Spot	<i>Heterosporium</i> sp.	Bayfield

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