

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 October 27, 2018 through November 2, 2018.

PLANT/SAMPLE TYPE	DISEASE/DISORDER	PATHOGEN	COUNTY
BROAD LEAFED WOODY ORNAMENTALS			
Maple (Unspecified)	<i>Anthraxnose</i> <i>Sphaeropsis Canker</i>	<i>Discula</i> sp. <i>Sphaeropsis</i> sp.	Dane Dane
Oak (Black)	<i>Oak Wilt</i>	<i>Bretziella fagacearum</i>	Marathon
Oak (Bur)	<i>Cytospora Canker</i>	<i>Cytospora</i> sp.	Iowa
FRUIT CROPS			
Apple	<i>Flyspeck</i> <i>Sooty Blotch</i>	<i>Schizothyrium pomi</i> Miscellaneous sooty blotch fungi	Jefferson Jefferson
HERBACEOUS ORNAMENTALS			
Goldenrod (Zig-Zag)	<i>Goldenrod-Pine Needle Rust</i>	<i>Coleosporium asterum</i>	Waukesha
NEEDED WOODY ORNAMENTALS			
Juniper	<i>Kabatina Tip Blight</i>	<i>Kabatina</i> sp.	Racine
Spruce (Blue)	<i>Rhizosphaera Needle Cast</i>	<i>Rhizosphaera kalkhoffii</i>	Sauk
Spruce (Unspecified)	<i>Rhizosphaera Needle Cast</i>	<i>Rhizosphaera kalkhoffii</i>	Dane
VEGETABLE CROPS			
Squash (Winter)	<i>Black Rot</i> <i>Fusarium Fruit Rot</i> <i>Phytophthora Fruit Rot</i> <i>Rhizopus Soft Rot</i>	<i>Stagonosporopsis cucurbitacearum</i> <i>Fusarium</i> sp. <i>Phytophthora</i> sp. <i>Rhizopus</i> sp.	Wood Wood Wood Wood

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