

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 24, 2018 through November 30, 2018.

PLANT/SAMPLE TYPE	DISEASE/DISORDER	PATHOGEN	COUNTY
NEEDLED WOODY ORNAMENTALS			
Pine (White)	White Pine Blister Rust	Cronartium ribicola	Dane
Spruce (Black)	Rhizosphaera Needle Cast	Rhizosphaera kalkhoffii	Waukesha
Spruce (Blue)	Phomopsis Canker	<u>Phomopsis</u> sp.	Waukesha
Spruce (Norway)	Cytospora Canker	Cytospora sp.	Dane
	Phomopsis Canker	<u>Phomopsis</u> sp.	Dane
	Rhizosphaera Needle Cast	Rhizosphaera kalkhoffii	Dane
SOILS			
Alfalfa Soil	Aphanomyces Seedling Blight	Aphanomyces euteiches race 2	Rock

For additional information on plant diseases and their control, visit the PDDC website at pddc.wisc.edu. Follow the clinic on Facebook and Twitter @UWPDDC.