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

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The following diseases/disorders were identified at the PDDC from May 18, 2024 through May 24, 2024.

| PLANT/SAMPLE TYPE | DISEASE/DISORDER | PATHOGEN | COUNTY |
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| BROAD-LEAFED WOOD ORNAMENTALS | | | |
| Boxwood | Macrophoma Leaf Blight Volutella Canker | <i>Macrophoma</i> sp. <i>Volutella</i> sp. | Ozaukee Ozaukee |
| Crabapple | Apple Scab | <i>Venturia inaequalis</i> | Dane |
| FRUIT CROPS | | | |
| Apple | Apple Scab | <i>Venturia inaequalis</i> | Dane |
| Apricot | Bacterial Canker Virus Disease (Suspected) | <i>Pseudomonas syringae</i> Unspecified virus | Jefferson Jefferson |
| HERBACEOUS ORNAMENTALS | | | |
| Begonia | Impatiens Necrotic Spot Root Rot | <i>Impatiens necrotic spot virus</i> <i>Pythium</i> sp. | Manitowoc Manitowoc |
| Geranium | Edema | None | Jackson |
| Pansy | Root/Crown Rot | <i>Fusarium</i> sp., <i>Phytophthora</i> sp., <i>Pythium</i> sp., <i>Rhizoctonia</i> sp. | Kenosha |
| Petunia | Fertility Issues (Suspected) Gray Mold/Botrytis Blight | None <i>Botrytis cinerea</i> | Jefferson Manitowoc |
| NEEDED WOODY ORNAMENTALS | | | |
| Juniper | Diplodia Shoot Blight and Canker Phomopsis Tip Blight | <i>Diplodia</i> sp. <i>Phomopsis juniperovora</i> . | Waukesha Waukesha |
| Pine (Swiss Stone) | Root Rot | <i>Phytophthora</i> sp. | Milwaukee |
| Spruce (Unspecified) | Phomopsis Canker Rhizosphaera Needle Cast | <i>Phomopsis</i> sp. <i>Rhizosphaera kalkhoffii</i> | Dane Dane |

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| VEGETABLE CROPS | | | |
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| Corn (Sweet) | Seedling Blight | <i>Fusarium</i> spp. | Dane |
| Potato | Black Dot | <i>Colletotrichum coccodes</i> | Portage |
| | Black Scurf | <i>Rhizoctonia</i> sp. | Portage |
| | Silver Scurf | <i>Helminthosporium solani</i> | Portage |
| MISCELLANEOUS | | | |
| Mushroom ID | Golden Oyster (<i>Pleurotus citinopileatus</i>) | None | Brown |

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