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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
<b>BROAD-LEAFED WOOD ORNAMENTALS</b>			
Boxwood	Macrophoma Leaf Blight Volutella Canker	<i>Macrophoma</i> sp. <i>Volutella</i> sp.	Ozaukee Ozaukee
Crabapple	Apple Scab	<i>Venturia inaequalis</i>	Dane
<b>FRUIT CROPS</b>			
Apple	Apple Scab	<i>Venturia inaequalis</i>	Dane
Apricot	Bacterial Canker Virus Disease (Suspected)	<i>Pseudomonas syringae</i> Unspecified virus	Jefferson Jefferson
<b>HERBACEOUS ORNAMENTALS</b>			
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
<b>NEEDED WOODY ORNAMENTALS</b>			
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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<b>VEGETABLE CROPS</b>			
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
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>			
Mushroom ID	Golden Oyster ( <i>Pleurotus citinopileatus</i> )	None	Brown

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