

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 April 25, 2015 through May 1, 2015.

PLANT/SAMPLE TYPE	DISEASE/DISORDER	PATHOGEN	COUNTY
BROAD-LEAVED WOODY ORNAMENTALS			
Maple	Verticillium Wilt	<u>Verticillium</u> sp.	Dane
HERBACEOUS ORNAMENTALS			
Petunia	Unspecified Potyvirus Disease	Unspecified potyvirus	Monroe
NEEDLED WOODY ORNAMENTALS			
Spruce (Blue)	Rhizosphaera Needle Cast	Rhizosphaera kalkhoffii	Racine

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