Cornell University Plant Disease Diagnostic Clinic Diagnostic Review Report

Host		Diagnosis	Confidence (to genus)			
Scientific Name	Common Name	This section reports samples from all statuses. Each sample may have one or more diagnosis or identification; hence this section does not represent the total number of samples	Confirmed	Not Detected	Suspected	Inconclusive

Time Period Report for December 22 nd through December 31 st 2015										
Abies sp./spp.	Fir	Armillaria Root Rot (Armillaria sp./spp.)	0	1	0	0				
Abies sp./spp.	Fir	Crown and Root Rot (<i>Phytophthora</i> sp./spp.)	1	0	0	0				
Abies sp./spp.	Fir	Drainage Problem (Abiotic disorder)	0	0	1	0				
Medicago sativa	Alfalfa	Alfalfa Brown Root Rot (Leptosphaeria sclerotioides)	2	0	0	0				
Medicago sativa	Alfalfa	Aphanomyces Root Rot (Aphanomyces euteiches)	0	2	0	0				
Medicago sativa	Alfalfa	Crown and Root Rot (<i>Phytophthora</i> sp./spp.)	0	2	0	0				
Turfgrass mixed species	Turfgrass	Not Pathogen; Saprophyte (Secondary Agents; Saprophytes; Unspecif.)	1	0	0	0				

Confirmed - The diagnosis was derived using approved molecular technologies, serological testing and/or morphological observations which allowed for the confirmation of the organism to Genus, species and/or race or pathovar level.

Not Detected -The sample was submitted as a suspect sample or as part of survey project. The pathogen was not detected on this sample at this time using approved molecular technologies, serological testing and/or morphological observations.

Suspected - Diagnostic symptoms of the pathogen were present but evidence of the pathogen could not be confirmed at this time. This term may also be used at the species level if confirmations cannot be made. This term may also be used with abiotic entries.

Inconclusive - Although a suitable sample was received, a reliable result could not be achieved. For example, the test kit may have not worked correctly and there was no sample material remaining to perform the test again. Or, no DNA was detected in a PCR analysis. Inhibitors may have been present in the sample. A second attempt may have been made with the same results. The only conclusion is to label the sample as inconclusive.