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## **Certificate of Mold Analysis**

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Test Location:

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ANALYSIS METUOD	0440 4:	D: 1.E		0440 4:	D: 1.E		0440 4:	D:		0440 4:	D:	
ANALYSIS METHOD	6110 Air Direct Examination		6110 Air Direct Examination			6110 Air Direct Examination		6110 Air Direct Examination				
LOCATION	AMBIENT		GUIDANCE			NURSE		RM 120				
COC / LINE #	1814324 - 1		1814324 - 2			1814324 - 3		1814324 - 4				
SAMPLE TYPE	PRO-15		PRO-15			PRO-15		PRO-15				
VOLUME	75.00L		75.00L			75.00L		75.00L				
SERIAL NUMBER	Q2639341		Q2635188			Q2635174		Q2647678				
COLLECTION DATE	Jan 28, 2025		Jan 28, 2025			Jan 28, 2025		Jan 28, 2025				
ANALYSIS DATE	Jan 30, 2025		Jan 30, 2025			Jan 30, 2025		Jan 30, 2025				
CONCLUSION	CONTROL		NOT ELEVATED			NOT ELEVATED		NOT ELEVATED				
IDENTIFICATION	Raw Count	Spores per m <sup>3</sup>	Total %	Raw Count	Spores per m <sup>3</sup>	Total %	Raw Count	Spores per m <sup>3</sup>	Total %	Raw Count	Spores per m <sup>3</sup>	Total %
Cladosporium							4	53	50			
Hyphae												
Penicillium/Aspergillus	16	210	100	12	160	100	4	53	50	8	110	100
TOTAL SPORES	16	210	100	12	160	100	8	106	100	8	110	100
MINIMUM DETECTION LIMIT	4	53		4	53		4	53		4	53	
BACKGROUND DEBRIS	Light		Light		Light		Light					
Cellulose Fiber										4	53	
OBSERVATIONS & COMMENTS												

Background debris qualitatively estimates the amount of particles that are not pollen or spores and directly affects the accuracy of the spore counts. The categories of Light, Moderate, Heavy and Too Heavy for Accurate Count, are used to indicate the amount of deposited debris. Light (None to up to 25% obstruction); Medium (26% to up to 75% obstruction); Heavy (76% to up to 90% obstruction); Too Heavy (Greater than 90% obstruction). Increasing amounts of debris will obscure small spores and can prevent spores from impacting onto the slide. The actual number of spores present in the sample is likely higher than reported if the debris estimate is 'Heavy' or 'Too Heavy for Accurate Count'. All calculations are rounded to two significant figures and therefore, the total percentage of spore numbers may not equal 100%. The effect of the results relate only to the items tested. The methods used in this analysis have been validated and is fit for the intended use. R "version" indicated after the lab ID# indicates a sample with amended data. PRO-LAB/SSPTM Inc. does not perform any sample collection. The information is supplied by the customer and can affect the validity of results. The results apply to the sample as received.

Spores that were observed from the samples submitted are listed on this report. If a spore is not listed on this report it was not observed in the samples submitted.

Interpretation Guidelines: A determination is added to the report to help users interpret the mold analysis results. A mold report is only one aspect of an indoor air quality investigation. The most important aspect of mold growth in a living space is the availability of water. Without a source of water, mold generally will not become a problem in buildings. These determinations are in no way meant to imply any health outcomes or financial decisions based solely on this report. For questions relating to medical conditions you should consult an occupational or environmental health physician or professional.

Conclusions for Air Sampling
CONTROL is a baseline sample showing what the spore count and diversity is at the time of sampling. The control sample(s) is usually collected outside of the structure being tested and used to determine if this sample(s) is similar in diversity and abundance to the inside sample(s).

ELEVATED means that the amount and/or diversity of spores, as compared to the control sample(s), and other samples in our database, are higher than expected. This can indicate that fungi have grown because of a water leak or water intrusion. Fungi that are considered to be indicators of water damage include, but are not limited to: Chaetomium, Fusarium, Memnoniella, Stachybotrys, Scopulariopsis, Ulocladium. NOT ELEVATED means that the amount and/or the diversity of spores, as compared to the control sample and other samples in our database, are lower than expected and may indicate no problematic fungal growth.

Conclusions for Physical Sampling
UNUSUAL means that the presence of growth was observed in the analyzed sample. An abundance of spores are present, and/or growth structures including hyphae and/or fruiting bodies are present and associated with one or more of the types of mold/fungi identified in the analyzed sample.

NORMAL means that no presence of growth was observed in the analyzed sample. If spores are recorded they are normally what is in the air and have settled on the surface(s) tested.

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ANALYSIS METHOD	6210 Surface and Bulk Direct Examination	INTENTIONALLY BLANK	INTENTIONALLY BLANK	INTENTIONALLY BLANK		
LOCATION	GUIDANCE VENT					
COC / LINE #	1814324 - 5					
SAMPLE TYPE	SWAB					
VOLUME	NA					
SERIAL NUMBER	5					
COLLECTION DATE	Jan 28, 2025					
ANALYSIS DATE	Jan 30, 2025					
CONCLUSION	UNUSUAL					
IDENTIFICATION	Mold Present					
Cladosporium	X					
Hyphae	X					
Penicillium/Aspergillus						
TOTAL SPORES	NA					
MINIMUM DETECTION LIMIT	NA					
BACKGROUND DEBRIS	Not Applicable					
Cellulose Fiber						
OBSERVATIONS & COMMENTS	Presence of growth observed.					

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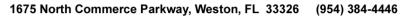
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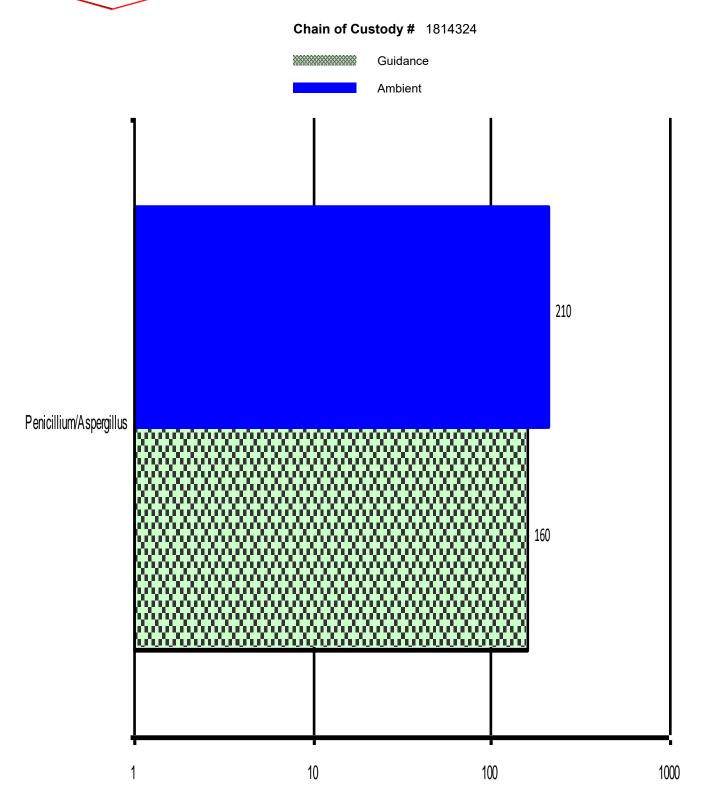
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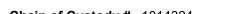


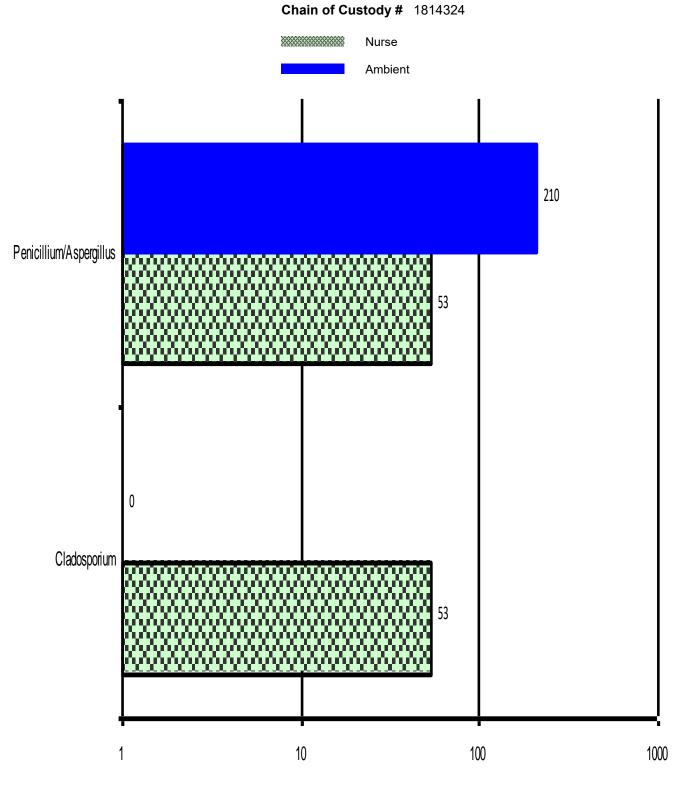


Spores per cubic meter

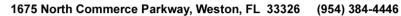






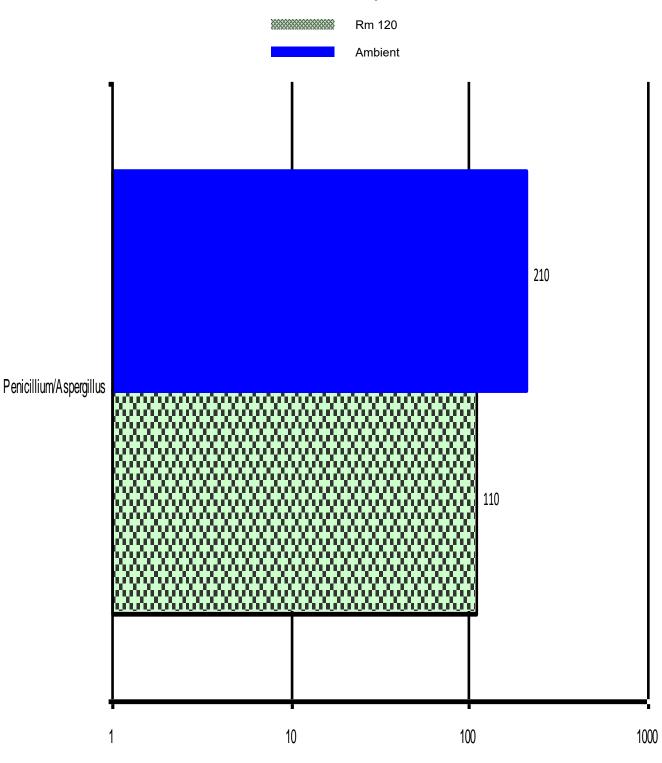


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Identification	Outdoor Habitat	Indoor Habitat	Possible Allergic Potential Not an opinion or interpretation	Comments
Cladosporium	The most common spore type reported in the air worldwide. Found on dead and dying plant litter, and soil.	Commonly found on wood and wallboard. Commonly grows on window sills, textiles and foods.	Type I (hay fever and asthma), Type III (hypersensitivity pneumonitis) allergies.	A very common and important allergen source both outdoors and indoors.
Hyphae	Common everywhere.	All substrates.	None known.	Hyphae are the "root-like" food absorption strands common to nearly all fungi. They sometimes can become airborne.
Penicillium/Aspergillus	Common everywhere. Normally found in the air in small amounts in outdoor air. Grows on nearly everything.	Wetted wallboard, wood, food, leather, etc. Able to grow on many substrates indoors.	Type I (hay fever and asthma) allergies and Type III (hypersensitivity pneumonitis) allergies.	This is a combination group of Penicillium and Aspergillus and is used when only the spores are seen. The spores are so similar that they cannot be reliably separated into their respective genera.