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PATHOGEN: Peronosclerospora sorghi (syn: Sclerospora sorghi)

HOST: Maize (Zea mays)

COMMON NAME: sorghum downy mildew

METHOD: Mz 6.1 Grow-out (Adenle and Cardwell, 2000) (formerly Cf 6.1)

METHOD CLASS: STANDARD (A)

SAMPLE: 400 seeds, 4 replicates of 100 seeds

PROCEDURE:

- 1. Four replicates of 4 pots of 25 maize seeds in each replicate are planted in plastic pots in a greenhouse.
- 2. Downy mildew-infected seedlings should be detectable 7 days after seedling emergence.

REFERENCES:

Adenle, V. O. and Cardwell, K. E. 2000, Seed transmission of maize downy mildew (Peronosclerospora sorghi) in Nigeria. Plant pathology. 49:628-634.