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Prince Georges County  
Environmental Safety Office  
13306 Old Marlboro Pike  
Upper Marlboro, MD 20772

Attention: Mr. Alex Baylor

RE: Indoor Air Quality Screening Report

Global Project Number: 20-064  
School: Parkdale High School

Dear Mr. Baylor,

On January 27, 2021, Global Inc.'s (GLOBAL) team of Industrial Hygienists under the supervision of Certified Industrial Hygienist, Dr. Channa Bambaradeniya, conducted an Indoor Air Quality Screening at Parkdale High School located at 6001 Good Luck Rd, Riverdale, MD 20737.

### **Methodology**

The IAQ evaluation included a visual assessment, sampling for non-viable mold spores in air, and measurement of comfort parameters (temperature, humidity, carbon dioxide, and carbon monoxide) in randomly selected representative locations within the building. GLOBAL's inspector conducted a walkthrough with Prince Georges County Public School (PGCPS) personnel present. Rooms were selected in a random manner throughout the building so as to prevent sampling bias.

During the visual assessment of representative locations, and when noted, GLOBAL documented those areas with suspected mold growth, water intrusions, and wet conditions that have the potential to lead to mold growth. GLOBAL also noted any unusual odors. At least one microbial air sample was collected for every 10,000 Square Feet (SF) of space in the building and the analytical results for the interior spaces were compared to an outdoor (ambient) sample collected on the same day.

Microbial samples (including a field blank for quality control) were delivered under strict chain-of-custody procedures were to Hayes Microbial Consulting - an AIHA EMPAT-certified laboratory in Midlothian, Virginia for analysis by microscopy. The sample chain-of-custody and laboratory report is attached.



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## Observations

The general observations in the twenty-five indoor locations inspected are summarized in Table 1 below:

**Table 1: Observations**

Location	Observations
Multipurpose room	Water damage on ceiling tiles
Main gym	No issues
G4	No issues
Auxiliary gym	No issues
Room 130	No issues
Room 138	No issues
Room 140	No issues
Room 142	Stained ceiling tiles
Room 147	Water damage, warped ceiling tiles
Media center	Warped ceiling tiles
Room 217	No issues
Room 253	Discolored ceiling tiles
Room 258	No issues
Room 248	No issues
Room 242	No issues
Room 230	No issues
Room 261	No issues
Room 225	No issues
Room 202	No issues
Room 206	No issues
Room 215	No issues
Room 229	No issues
Room A154	No issues
Room A116	No issues
Room A126	No issues

## Comfort Parameter Measurements and Mold-in-Air Sample Results

The comfort parameter measurements and status of fungal ecology is summarized in Table 2.

### *Temperature*



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The American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE) have published recommendations for year-round acceptable temperatures in Standard 55-2016 (*Thermal Environmental Conditions for Human Occupancy*). The winter comfort range is 68 to 75°F and the summer comfort range is 73 to 79°F. It is important to note that ASHRAE standards are intended as a suggested guideline as opposed to a regulation. The indoor temperature readings of few rooms were below and room 225 was above the ASHRAE Standard.

### ***Relative Humidity (RH)***

Relative humidity is a key factor for mold growth. Mold has the potential of growing on suitable surfaces with humidity levels above 60%. ASHRAE standard 62.1-2013 (*Ventilation for Acceptable Indoor Air Quality*) recommends a maximum indoor relative humidity of 65% to preclude the likelihood of condensation on cool surfaces encouraging mold growth. All the indoor relative humidity readings were below the ASHRAE recommended level of 65%.

### ***Carbon Monoxide***

Carbon monoxide (CO) is a colorless and odorless gas that is produced by the incomplete combustion of carbon-containing fuels. Oil, gasoline, diesel fuels, wood, coke, and coal are the major sources of CO. All registered CO concentrations were below the EPA National Ambient Air Quality Standard (NAAQS) of 9 ppm.

### ***Carbon Dioxide***

Under conditions of maximum occupancy, ASHRAE Standard 62.1-2013, Appendix C, infers that the acceptable carbon dioxide upper limit is the prevailing outdoor carbon dioxide concentration plus 700 parts per million (ppm). On January 27, 2021, the outdoor (ambient) carbon dioxide concentration was approximately 417 ppm so indoor concentrations should not exceed approximately 1117 ppm (700 + 417). All indoor carbon dioxide measurements were within the ASHRAE standards.

### ***Mold-in-Air Samples***

There are no definitive regulations or standardized guidelines for addressing airborne mold in an indoor setting. If building systems (ventilation, envelope) are functioning properly, the indoor fungal ecology profile should be consistent with what is encountered outdoors and the spore concentrations should be below the ambient levels.

The analytical results of indoor air sample collected from room 242 indicate elevated presence of *Aspergillus/Penicillium*. The horizontal surfaces of Room 242 were thoroughly cleaned, and air scrubbers with HEPA filters were operated for 24-36 hours. Subsequently, Room 242 was reinspected on March 3, 2021, and the analytical results of air samples collected indicated normal fungal ecology. Laboratory analytical results are attached at the end of this report.



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**Table 2: Air Quality Results (Inspected on January 27, 2021)**

Sample Location	Temp °F	RH%	CO ppm	CO2 ppm	Normal Fungal Ecology?
Standards	ASHRAE 68 to 75°F	ASHRAE <65%	NAAQS <9	ASHRAE 1117	
Ambient	41.0	50.0	0	417	Yes
Multipurpose room	67.5	33.0	0	443	Yes
Main gym	68.4	32.7	0	462	Yes
G4	74.6	49.0	0	449	Yes
Auxiliary gym	64.0	51.0	0	439	Yes
Room 130	74.8	45.0	0	440	Yes
Room 138	72.8	51.0	0	448	Yes
Room 140	67.3	49.0	0	432	Yes
Room 142	67.4	37.0	0	436	Yes
Room 147	69.8	31.0	0	436	Yes
Media center	69.6	32.4	0	443	Yes
Room 217	64.8	50.9	0	447	Yes
Room 253	65.1	50.8	0	451	Yes
Room 258	67.2	38.2	0	441	Yes
Room 248	67.9	32.0	0	433	Yes
Room 242	68.0	32.6	0	424	No
Room 230	72.8	50.0	0	470	Yes
Room 261	72.9	51.2	0	439	Yes
Room 225	77.8	49.3	0	478	Yes



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Sample Location	Temp °F	RH%	CO ppm	CO2 ppm	Normal Fungal Ecology?
Standards	ASHRAE 68 to 75°F	ASHRAE <65%	NAAQS <9	ASHRAE 1117	
Room 202	75.2	50.6	0	428	Yes
Room 206	72.0	36.9	0	424	Yes
Room 215	70.5	39.9	0	429	Yes
Room 229	66.3	36.8	0	427	Yes
Room A154	68.4	31.1	0	435	Yes
Room A116	69.4	48.5	0	431	Yes
Room A126	64.7	32.2	0	454	Yes

**Table 3: Air Quality Results (Inspected on March 3, 2021)**

Sample Location	Temp °F	RH%	CO ppm	CO2 ppm	Normal Fungal Ecology?
Standards	ASHRAE 68 to 75°F	ASHRAE <65%	NAAQS <9	ASHRAE 1143	
Ambient	56.0	31.0	0	443	N/A
Room 242	58.0	30.0	0	449	Yes

### Conclusions and Recommendations

Among the comfort parameters measured, some of the indoor temperature readings were not within the range of the ASHRAE recommended range for winter. The indoor temperature should be regulated at the ASHRAE recommended range (68 to 75°F) for general comfort in the winter.

The indoor mold samples collected from Classroom 242 indicate an elevated presence of *Aspergillus/Penicillium* during the screening performed on January 27, 2021, while the other mold sample was found to have a normal fungal ecology for an indoor environment. Room 242 was thoroughly cleaned and resampled on March 3, 2021, and the analytical results indicated normal fungal ecology.



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It has been our pleasure to conduct these IAQ Screening services for the Prince Georges County Public School system. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Channa Bambaradeniya".

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## **ATTACHMENT I**

### **Air Sample Analytical Results and Chain-Of-Custody Form**

Analysis Report prepared for

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**BB203**  
Indoor Air Quality Assessment  
PGCPS Parkdale High School

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We would like to thank you for trusting Hayes Microbial for your analytical needs!  
We received 26 samples by FedEx in good condition for this project on January 28th, 2021.

The results in this analysis pertain only to this job, collected on the stated date, and should not be used in the interpretation of any other job. This report may not be duplicated, except in full, without the written consent of Hayes Microbial Consulting, LLC..

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Steve Hayes, BSMT(ASCP)  
Laboratory Director  
Hayes Microbial Consulting, LLC.



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Sample Number	1	PHS-0127-01			2	PHS-0127-02			3	PHS-0127-03			4	PHS-0127-04		
Sample Name	<b>Ambient</b>			<b>Multipurpose Room</b>			<b>Main Gymnasium</b>			<b>G-4</b>						
Sample Volume	75.00 liter			75.00 liter			75.00 liter			75.00 liter						
Reporting Limit	13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>			13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>			13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>			13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>						
Background	2			2			2			2						
Fragments	ND			ND			ND			ND						
Organism	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total				
Alternaria																
Ascospores	12	160	70.6%	2	27	100.0%	2	27	66.7%	1	13	50.0%				
Aspergillus Penicillium																
Basidiospores	4	53	23.5%				1	13	33.3%	1	13	50.0%				
Bipolaris Drechslera																
Chaetomium																
Cladosporium	1	13	5.9%													
Curvularia																
Epicoccum																
Fusarium																
Memnoniella																
Myxomycetes																
Pithomyces																
Stachybotrys																
Stemphylium																
Torula																
Ulocladium																
<b>Total</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>226</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>				

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Sample Number	5 PHS-0127-05			6 PHS-0127-06			7 PHS-0127-07			8 PHS-0127-08		
Sample Name	Auxiliary Gymnasium			Room 130			Room 138			Room 140		
Sample Volume	75.00 liter			75.00 liter			75.00 liter			75.00 liter		
Reporting Limit	13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>			13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>			13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>			13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>		
Background	2			2			2			2		
Fragments	ND			ND			ND			ND		
Organism	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total
Alternaria												
Ascospores	2	27	66.7%	1	13	100.0%	1	13	50.0%	2	27	66.7%
Aspergillus Penicillium												
Basidiospores							1	13	50.0%	1	13	33.3%
Bipolaris Drechslera												
Chaetomium												
Cladosporium												
Curvularia												
Epicoccum												
Fusarium												
Memnoniella												
Myxomycetes	1	13	33.3%									
Pithomyces												
Stachybotrys												
Stemphylium												
Torula												
Ulocladium												
Total	3	40	100%	1	13	100%	2	26	100%	3	40	100%

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Sample Number	9	PHS-0127-09			10	PHS-0127-10			11	PHS-0127-11			12	PHS-0127-12		
Sample Name	<b>Room 142</b>			<b>Room 147</b>			<b>Media Center</b>			<b>Room 217</b>						
Sample Volume	75.00 liter			75.00 liter			75.00 liter			75.00 liter						
Reporting Limit	13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>			13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>			13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>			13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>						
Background	2			2			2			2						
Fragments	ND			ND			ND			ND						
Organism	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total				
Alternaria																
Ascospores	1	13	25.0%	2	27	33.3%	1	13	50.0%	1	13	33.3%				
Aspergillus Penicillium				3	40	50.0%				2	27	66.7%				
Basidiospores				1	13	16.7%	1	13	50.0%							
Bipolaris Drechslera																
Chaetomium																
Cladosporium	3	40	75.0%													
Curvularia																
Epicoccum																
Fusarium																
Memnoniella																
Myxomycetes																
Pithomyces																
Stachybotrys																
Stemphylium																
Torula																
Ulocladium																
<b>Total</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>100%</b>				

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Sample Number	13	PHS-0127-13			14	PHS-0127-14			15	PHS-0127-15			16	PHS-0127-16		
Sample Name	<b>Room 253</b>			<b>Room 258</b>			<b>Room 248</b>			<b>Room 242</b>						
Sample Volume	75.00 liter			75.00 liter			75.00 liter			75.00 liter						
Reporting Limit	13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>			13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>			13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>			13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>						
Background	2			2			2			3						
Fragments	ND			ND			ND			ND						
Organism	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total				
Alternaria																
Ascospores	1	13	100.0%	3	40	75.0%	4	53	80.0%							
Aspergillus Penicillium										> 5600	> 74667	100.0%				
Basidiospores				1	13	25.0%	1	13	20.0%							
Bipolaris Drechslera										1	13	<1%				
Chaetomium																
Cladosporium																
Curvularia																
Epicoccum																
Fusarium																
Memnoniella																
Myxomycetes																
Pithomyces																
Stachybotrys																
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<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>&gt; 5601</b>	<b>&gt; 74680</b>	<b>100%</b>				

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Sample Number	17	PHS-0127-17			18	PHS-0127-18			19	PHS-0127-19			20	PHS-0127-20		
Sample Name	<b>Room 230</b>			<b>Room 261A</b>			<b>Room 225</b>			<b>Room 202</b>						
Sample Volume	75.00 liter			75.00 liter			75.00 liter			75.00 liter						
Reporting Limit	13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>			13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>			13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>			13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>						
Background	2			2			2			2						
Fragments	ND			ND			ND			ND						
Organism	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total				
Alternaria																
Ascospores	2	27	66.7%	1	13	100.0%	2	27	66.7%	1	13	50.0%				
Aspergillus Penicillium																
Basidiospores	1	13	33.3%				1	13	33.3%	1	13	50.0%				
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Sample Number	21	PHS-0127-21			22	PHS-0127-22			23	PHS-0127-23			24	PHS-0127-24		
Sample Name	<b>Room A206</b>			<b>Room A215</b>			<b>Room A229</b>			<b>Room A154</b>						
Sample Volume	75.00 liter			75.00 liter			75.00 liter			75.00 liter						
Reporting Limit	13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>			13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>			13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>			13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>						
Background	2			2			1			2						
Fragments	ND			ND			ND			ND						
Organism	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total				
Alternaria																
Ascospores	1	13	100.0%	1	13	100.0%	1	13	33.3%	1	13	50.0%				
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<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>				

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Sample Number	25 PHS-0127-25			26 PHS-0127-26				
Sample Name	Room A116			Room A126				
Sample Volume	75.00 liter			75.00 liter				
Reporting Limit	13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>			13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>				
Background	2			2				
Fragments	ND			ND				
Organism	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total	Raw Count	Count / m <sup>3</sup>	% of Total		
Alternaria								
Ascospores	1	13	100.0%	2	27	66.7%		
Aspergillus Penicillium								
Basidiospores				1	13	33.3%		
Bipolaris Drechslera								
Chaetomium								
Cladosporium								
Curvularia								
Epicoccum								
Fusarium								
Memnoniella								
Myxomycetes								
Pithomyces								
Stachybotrys								
Stemphylium								
Torula								
Ulocladium								
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>100%</b>		

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**Spore Trap Information**

<b>Reporting Limit</b>	The Reporting Limit is the lowest number of spores that can be detected based on the total volume of the sample collected and the percentage of the slide that is counted. At Hayes Microbial, 100% of the slide is read so the LOD is based solely on the total volume. Raw spore counts that exceed 500 spores will be estimated.										
<b>Blanks</b>	Results have not been corrected for field or laboratory blanks.										
<b>Background</b>	<p>The Background is the amount of debris that is present in the sample. This debris consists of skin cells, dirt, dust, pollen, drywall dust and other organic and non-organic matter. As the background density increases, the likelihood of spores, especially small spores such as those of <i>Aspergillus</i> and <i>Penicillium</i> may be obscured. The background is rated on a scale of 1 to 5 and each level is determined as follows:</p> <p><b>NBD:</b> No background detected due to possible pump or cassette malfunction. Recollect sample. (Field Blanks will display NBD)</p> <p><b>1 :</b> &lt;5% of field occluded. No spores will be uncountable.</p> <p><b>2 :</b> 5-25% of field occluded.</p> <p><b>3 :</b> 25-75% of field occluded.</p> <p><b>4 :</b> 75-90% of field occluded.</p> <p><b>5 :</b> &gt;90% of field occluded. Suggested recollection of sample.</p>										
<b>Fragments</b>	Fragments are small pieces of fungal mycelium or spores. They are not identifiable as to type and when present in very large numbers, may indicate the presence of mold amplification.										
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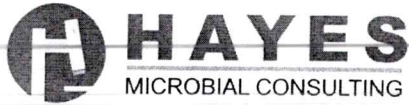
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1	PHS-0127-01	AMBIENT	S	75L	
2	PHS-0127-02	MULTIPURPOSE ROOM	S	75L	
3	PHS-0127-03	MAIN GYMNASIUM	S	75L	
4	PHS-0127-04	G-4	S	75L	
5	PHS-0127-05	AUXILLARY GYMNASIUM	S	75L	
6	PHS-0127-06	ROOM 130	S	75L	
7	PHS-0127-07	ROOM 138	S	75L	
8	PHS-0127-08	ROOM 140	S	75L	
9	PHS-0127-09	ROOM 142	S	75L	
10	PHS-0127-10	ROOM 147	S	75L	
11	PHS-0127-11	MEDIA CENTER	S	75L	
12	PHS-0127-12	ROOM 217	S	75L	
13	PHS-0127-13	ROOM 253	S	75L	
14	PHS-0127-14	ROOM 258	S	75L	
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16	PHS-0127-16	ROOM 242	S	75L	

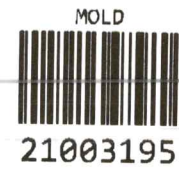
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2	PHS-0127-18	ROOM 261A	S	75L	
3	PHS-0127-19	ROOM 225	S	75L	
4	PHS-0127-20	ROOM 202	S	75L	
5	PHS-0127-21	ROOM A206	S	75L	
6	PHS-0127-22	ROOM A215	S	75L	
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20-064  
IAQ Reinspection  
Parkdale HS

Collected: **March 3, 2021**  
Received: **March 4, 2021**  
Reported: **March 4, 2021**

We would like to thank you for trusting Hayes Microbial for your analytical needs!  
We received 3 samples by FedEx in good condition for this project on March 4th, 2021.

The results in this analysis pertain only to this job, collected on the stated date, and should not be used in the interpretation of any other job. This report may not be duplicated, except in full, without the written consent of Hayes Microbial Consulting, LLC..

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Sample Number	1	01		2	02		3	03				
Sample Name	<b>Ambient</b>			<b>Room 242</b>			<b>Field Blank</b>					
Sample Volume	75.00 liter			75.00 liter			0.00 liter					
Reporting Limit	13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>			13 spores/m <sup>3</sup>			1 spore/m <sup>3</sup>					
Background	2			3			NBD					
Fragments	ND			ND			ND					
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Basidiospores	7	93	53.8%									
Bipolaris Drechslera												
Chaetomium												
Cladosporium	3	40	23.1%	2	27	100.0%						
Curvularia												
Epicoccum												
Fusarium												
Memnoniella												
Myxomycetes	1	13	7.7%									
Pithomyces												
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