The following samples were collected from the JFK Library, rooms/areas:

- L23
- M02
- M04
- U02



Report for:

Donald C. Johnson Eastern Washington University EH&S, 002 Martin Hall Cheney, WA 99004

Regarding:

Project: JFK EML ID: 1872050

Approved by:

Operations Manager Joshua Cox Dates of Analysis:

Spore trap analysis: 02-06-2018

Service SOPs: Spore trap analysis (EM-MY-S-1038) AIHA-LAP, LLC accredited service, Lab ID #102297

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Date of Sampling: 01-31-2018

Client: Eastern Washington University

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Date of Receipt: 02-02-2018 Re: JFK Date of Report: 02-06-2018

# SPORE TRAP REPORT: NON-VIABLE METHODOLOGY

Location:		1:		2:	3:			4:	
	2567 3043 M04			3038 L23		3016 M02	2567 3028 U02		
Comments (see below)		Vone		Vone		Vone	None		
Lab ID-Version‡:	8779677-1		877	9678-1	877	9679-1	8779680-1		
Analysis Date:	02/06/2018		02/0	06/2018	02/0	06/2018	02/06/2018		
	raw ct. spores/m3		raw ct.	spores/m3	raw ct. spores/m3		raw ct.	spores/m3	
Ascospores									
Basidiospores	1	53	2	110	2	110	1	53	
Bipolaris/Drechslera group									
Botrytis									
Chaetomium									
Cladosporium	2	110			1	53	1	53	
Curvularia									
Epicoccum									
Fusarium									
Myrothecium									
Nigrospora									
Other colorless									
Penicillium/Aspergillus types†	1	53			1	53			
Pithomyces									
Rusts									
Smuts, Periconia, Myxomycetes	11	13	1	13					
Stachybotrys									
Stemphylium									
Torula									
Ulocladium									
Zygomycetes									
Background debris (1-4+)††	2+		2+		2+		2+		
Hyphal fragments/m3	< 13		< 13		27		< 13		
Pollen/m3	13		< 13		< 13		< 13		
Skin cells (1-4+)	1+		< 1+		1+		1+		
Sample volume (liters)	75		75		75		75		
§ TOTAL SPORES/m3		230		120		210		110	

#### **Comments:**

Spore types listed without a count or data entry were not detected during the course of the analysis for the respective sample, indicating a raw

The analytical sensitivity is the spores/m<sup>3</sup> divided by the raw count, expressed in spores/m<sup>3</sup>. The limit of detection is the analytical sensitivity (in spores/m<sup>3</sup>) multiplied by the sample volume (in liters) divided by 1000 liters.

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<sup>†</sup> The spores of Aspergillus and Penicillium (and others such as Acremonium, Paecilomyces) are small and round with very few distinguishing characteristics. They cannot be differentiated by non-viable sampling methods. Also, some species with very small spores are easily missed, and may be undercounted.

<sup>††</sup>Background debris indicates the amount of non-biological particulate matter present on the trace (dust in the air) and the resulting visibility for the analyst. It is rated from 1+ (low) to 4+ (high). Counts from areas with 4+ background debris should be regarded as minimal counts and may be higher than reported. It is important to account for samples volumes when evaluating dust levels.

For more information regarding analytical sensitivity, please contact QA by calling the laboratory. ‡ A "Version" indicated by -"x" after the Lab ID# with a value greater than 1 indicates a sample with amended data. The revision number is reflected by the value of "x".

<sup>§</sup> Total Spores/m3 has been rounded to two significant figures to reflect analytical precision.



Report for:

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Regarding:

Project: JFK EML ID: 1872050

Approved by:

Operations Manager Joshua Cox Dates of Analysis:

Spore trap analysis: 02-06-2018

Service SOPs: Spore trap analysis (EM-MY-S-1038) AIHA-LAP, LLC accredited service, Lab ID #102297

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Date of Sampling: 01-31-2018 Date of Receipt: 02-02-2018 Date of Report: 02-06-2018

## SPORE TRAP REPORT: NON-VIABLE METHODOLOGY

Location:	1:			2:			3:			4:						
		2567 3043 M04			2567 3038 L23			2567 3016 M02			2567 3028 U02					
Comments (see below)		None			None			None			None					
Lab ID-Version‡:		8779677-1			8779678-1			8779679-1			8779680-1					
Analysis Date:		02/06/2018			02/06/2018			02/06/2018				02/06/2018				
Sample volume (liters)		75			75			75				75				
Background debris (1-4+)††		2+			2+			2+				2+				
, ,,,	raw ct.	Count/m3	DL/m3*	%	raw ct.	Count/m3	DL/m3*	%	raw ct.	Count/m3	DL/m3*	%	raw ct.	Count/m3	DL/m3*	%
Hyphal fragments									2	27	13	n/a				
Pollen	1	13	13	n/a												
§ TOTAL FUNGAL SPORES	5	230	n/a	100	3	120	n/a	100	4	210	n/a	100	2	110	n/a	100
Ascospores																
Basidiospores	1	53	53	24	2	110	53	89	2	110	53	50	1	53	53	50
Chaetomium																
Cladosporium	2	110	53	47					1	53	53	25	1	53	53	50
Other colorless																
Penicillium/Aspergillus types	1	53	53	24					1	53	53	25				
Pithomyces																
Rusts																
Smuts, Periconia, Myxomycetes	1	13	13	6	1	13	13	11								
Stachybotrys																
Stemphylium																
Torula																
Ulocladium																

#### **Comments:**

Spore types listed without a count or data entry were not detected during the course of the analysis for the respective sample, indicating a raw count of <1 spore.

The analytical sensitivity/limit of detection is the Count/m<sup>3</sup> divided by the raw count, expressed in Count/m<sup>3</sup>.

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<sup>\*</sup>The detection limit/limit of detection (DL) per cubic meter (m3) has been rounded to two significant figures to reflect analytical precision.

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Service SOPs: Culturable air fungi (Incl. Asp spp.) (EM-MY-S-1043) AIHA-LAP, LLC accredited service, Lab ID #102297

All samples were received in acceptable condition unless noted in the Report Comments portion in the body of the report. Due to the nature of the analyses performed, field blank correction of results is not applied. The results relate only to the items tested.

Dates of Analysis:

Culturable air fungi (Incl. Asp spp.): 02-07-2018

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## **CULTURABLE AIR FUNGI REPORT**

Location:	U02		N	102	I	L23	M04		
Comments (see below)	A			В		A	A		
Lab ID-Version‡:	8779669-1		8779	9671-1	8779	9673-1	8779675-1		
Analysis Date:	02/07/2018		02/0	7/2018	02/0	7/2018	02/07/2018		
Medium:	MEA		M	<b>I</b> EA	N	<b>I</b> EA	MEA		
	raw ct.	cfu*/m3	raw ct.	cfu*/m3	raw ct.	cfu*/m3	raw ct.	cfu*/m3	
Aspergillus nidulans									
Aspergillus niger									
Aspergillus ochraceus									
Aspergillus versicolor									
Aureobasidium									
Basidiomycetes									
Bipolaris/Drechslera group									
Botrytis									
Chaetomium									
Cladosporium									
Curvularia									
Epicoccum									
Fusarium									
Non-sporulating fungi									
Paecilomyces									
Penicillium									
Phoma									
Rhizopus									
Stachybotrys chartarum									
Ulocladium									
Yeasts									
Positive Hole	400		400		400		400		
Sample volume (liters)	141.5		141.5		141.5		141.5		
§ TOTAL CFU*/M3		< 7		< 7		< 7		< 7	

<sup>\*</sup> cfu = colony forming units Positive hole correction chart used for all calculations

Comments: A) No fungal colonies detected. B) No impaction marks detected.

Note: Interpretation is left to the company and/or persons who conducted the field work. Variation is an inherent part of biological sampling. The presence or absence of a few genera in small numbers should not be considered abnormal.

NORMAL SPORE LEVELS: Indoor spore levels usually average 30 to 80% of the outdoor spore level at the time of sampling, with the same general distribution of spore types. Filtered air, air-conditioned air, or air remote from outside sources may average 5 to 15% of the outside air at the time of sampling. (These percentages are guidelines, only. A major factor is the accessibility of outdoor air. A residence with open doors and windows and heavy foot traffic may average 95% of the outdoor level while high rise office buildings with little air exchange may average 2%. Dusty interiors may exceed 100% of the outdoors to some degree, but will still mirror the outdoor distribution of spore types.)

PROBLEM INTERIORS: A substantial increase of one or two spore types which are inconsistent with and non-reflective of the outside distribution of spore types is usually indicative of an indoor reservoir of mold growth.

The limit of detection is 1 raw count per volume of air sampled. The analytical sensitivity is 1 raw count/volume x the positive hole correction factor.

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<sup>§</sup> Total CFU/m3 has been rounded to two significant figures to reflect analytical precision.

Fungal culture types listed without a count or data entry were not detected during the course of the analysis for the respective sample.