

# MOLD & AIR QUALITY REPORT



**SAMPLE DATE** 

5/10/2022

**SAMPLE RECEIVED** 

5/10/2022

PREPARED FOR

**Demo Location** 

**ADDRESS** 

123 Main Street

**SAMPLED BY** 

**Demo 2022** 

REPORT DATE

10/31/2022

**CERTIFIED BY** 

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## AIRBORNE TEST RESULTS

#### **KITCHEN**



The types and concentrations of mold found in this sample are slightly elevated compared to the levels found in the outdoor control sample.

This result indicates that there is a possibility of mold and moisture problems in the home.

#### **BASEMENT**



The types and concentrations of mold found in this sample are highly elevated compared to the levels found in the outdoor control sample.

These results are a strong indication that there is a possibility of mold or moisture problems in the home.

#### **RECOMMENDATIONS**

We recommend hiring a qualified mold professional to perform a detailed assessment of the property for potential mold and moisture issues.

See our <u>Resources section</u> on our website for more information or to book a consulation with a mold expert.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS

Sporecyte strongly recommends hiring a qualified mold professional to do a detailed assessment of the property for mold and moisture issues.

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## **AIRBORNE TEST RESULTS**

#### **BEDROOM**



The types and concentrations of mold found in this sample were found to be similar to what was collected in the outdoor control sample.

#### **RECOMMENDATIONS**

There is no indication of an airborne mold issue in this area.

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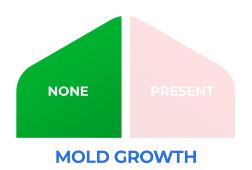


## **SURFACE TEST RESULTS**

#### **DRYWALL SWAB**

# NONE PRESENT MOLD GROWTH

#### **ATTIC SHEATHING**



This sample has determined that physical mold growth exists on the surface which was sampled.

This sample does not indicate physical mold growth exists on the surface which was sampled.

#### **RECOMMENDATIONS**

We recommend hiring a qualified mold professional to perform a detailed assesment of the area to determine the scope of the mold and moisture issues.

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# Air Sample

#### Predominantly Indoor - Water Related

Fungal Classifications	Spores Found per m³		
rungai Giassincations	Kitchen	Basement	Outdoors
Asp/Pen String	120	413	13
Chaetomium	0	1266	0
Clado-Sphaerospermum	0	0	0
Fusarium	0	0	0
Gliomastix	0	0	0
Scopulariopsis	0	147	0
Stachybotrys	0	400	0
Trichoderma	0	0	0
Ulocladium	0	67	0
Wallemia	13	0	0

#### Indoor / Outdoor

Fungal Classifications	Spores Found per m³		
Fullyal Classifications	Kitchen Basement Out		Outdoors
Alternaria-like	27	53	0
Aspergillus / Penicillium	1106	13423	333
Cladosporium	333	2159	413



## **Predominantly Outdoor**

Fungal Classifications	Spores Found per m³		3
Fungal Classifications	Kitchen	Basement	Outdoors
Arthrinium	347	347	0
Ascospore	267	400	320
Basidiospore	4039	4039	2079
Bipolaris	0	0	0
Bispora	0	0	0
Botrytis	0	107	0
Brachysporium-like	0	0	0
Cercospora	13	80	67
Chaetoconis	0	0	0
Coelomycete	0	0	0
Curvularia	0	0	0
Epicoccum	53	67	0
Exosporium	0	0	0
Fusicladium	0	0	0
Lasiosphaeria	0	0	0
Mitospore	0	0	0
Myrothecium	0	0	0
Nigrospora	13	0	0
Oidium	0	0	0
Paecilomyces	27	0	67
Peronospora	0	0	0
Pestilotiopsis	13	0	0
Pithomyces	13	93	0
Polythrincium	0	0	0
Pyricularia	0	0	0
Smut, Periconia, and Myxomycete-like	53	320	13
Spegazzinia	13	13	0
Stemphylium	0	0	0
Torula	13	13	0
Trichocladium	0	0	0
Unidentified Spore	1240	1240	120
Urediniospores	0	0	0
Zygomycetes	0	0	0
Zygophiala	0	0	0
Total	7878	25727	3426



## Particulates

Non-Fungal Particulate	Particles Found per m³		
	Kitchen	Basement	Outdoors
Hypha	160	760	13
Pollen	27	227	0
Skin Fragment Human	17929	2173	413
Skin Fragment Animal	413	27	13
Carbon Dust	7705	23861	2466
Soil	20781	105800	3226
< 2.5 microns	98749	133820	70876
2.5-10 microns	92444	439477	29459
> 10 microns	7278	19195	920



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Chaetomium	0	0	
Clado-Sphaerospermum	0	0	
Fusarium	0	0	
Gliomastix	0	0	
Scopulariopsis	0	0	
Stachybotrys	0	0	
Trichoderma	0	0	
Ulocladium	0	0	
Wallemia	0	0	

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Fullyal Classifications	Bedroom	Outdoors
Alternaria-like	0	0
Aspergillus / Penicillium	520	333
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Bispora	0	0	
Botrytis	0	0	
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Cercospora	0	67	
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Curvularia	0	0	
Epicoccum	0	0	
Exosporium	0	0	
Fusicladium	0	0	
Lasiosphaeria	0	0	
Mitospore	0	0	
Myrothecium	0	0	
Nigrospora	0	0	
Oidium	0	0	
Paecilomyces	67	67	
Peronospora	0	0	
Pestilotiopsis	0	0	
Pithomyces	0	0	
Polythrincium	0	0	
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Stemphylium	0	0	
Torula	0	0	
Trichocladium	0	0	
Unidentified Spore	120	120	
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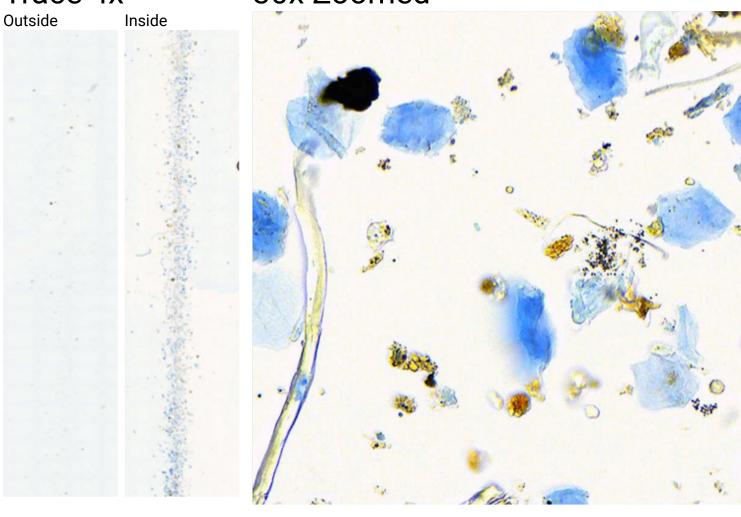
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2.5-10 microns	29459	29459
> 10 microns	920	920



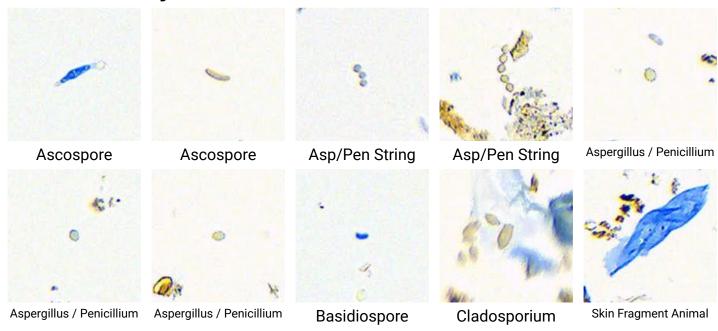
# Kitchen

#### Trace 4x

#### 30x Zoomed



## **Notable Objects**

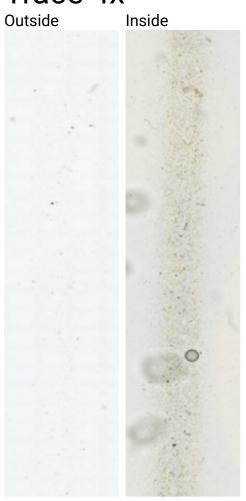


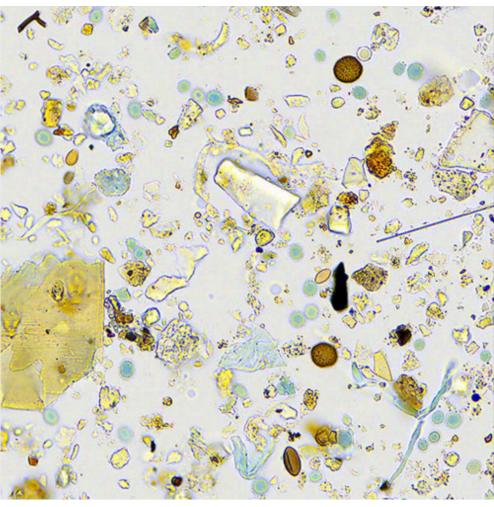


## Basement

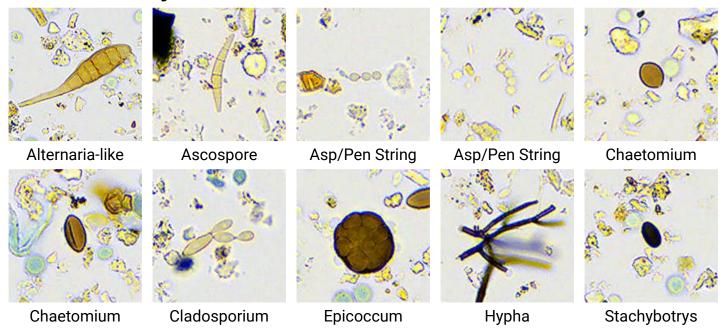
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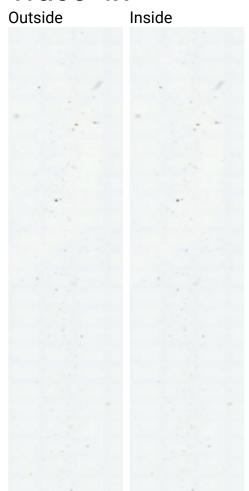


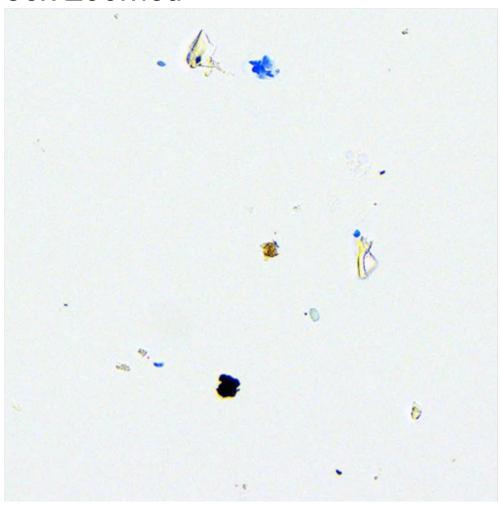


# **Bedroom**

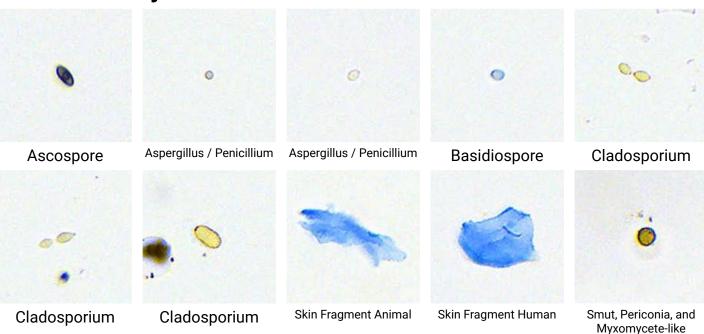
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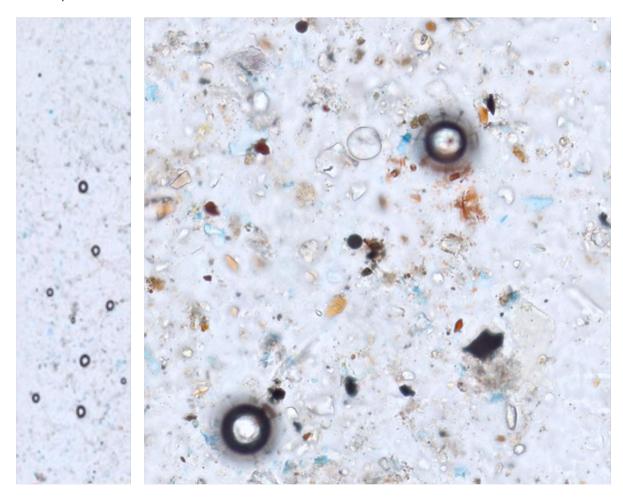
# Surface Sample

Sample ID: Drywall Swab Sample Type: Swab			
Fungal Identification	Fungal Growth	Background Spores	
Aspergillus / Penicillium	_	Present	
Cladosporium Ulocladium	Light  Moderate	_ _	



#### Sample ID: Attic Sheathing Sample Type: Tape

Fungal Identification	Fungal Growth	Background Spores
Aspergillus / Penicillium	_	Present
Basidiospore	_	Present
Cladosporium	_	Present







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Our deep learning AI works to help This makes our analyses more specialists classify and count the types of mold spores and particulate matter in the air in your environmental laboratories. home.

consistent and thorough than the current standards in traditional

Sporecyte is also able to capture images from the air in your home. allowing you to actually see what is in the air you're breathing!

#### A FEW THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT MOLD



We spend more time in our homes with our families today than ever before: playing. working, and living our day-to-day lives. Mold and indoor air quality have become critical factors to our home, health, and well-being.



The buildings we live and work in are not completely airtight. Some mold in the air outside enters our homes through doors, windows, heating and cooling systems, and even very small openings we can't see. Don't worry, though, these small amounts of mold are unavoidable and completely normal.



Mold can be found all over our day-to-day environment, both outdoors and indoors. The term "mold" refers to a special group of fungi that grows in filaments and produces reproductive structures called spores.



Mold becomes an issue indoors when spores land on surfaces that enable them to grow. The main factor for mold growth indoors is almost always moisture.

Most surfaces in our home have adequate nutrients and the correct temperature but lack the required moisture for mold to grow. Without moisture, mold can't grow.

When building materials get damp or humidity goes unchecked for too long, mold growth can begin to develop indoors.



Naturally occurring mold found outdoors plays a key role in nature, breaking down dead plants, leaves, soil, and much more. It is all around us, as natural forces such as rain and wind spread them throughout the outside air.

The EPA has not established regulations or standards for airborne or surface mold concentrations. There are also no EPA regulations or standards for evaluating health effects due to airborne mold exposure. For information about mold please go to www.epa.gov/mold.

All samples were received in acceptable condition unless noted in the comments in the report. All results within the report relate only to the samples submitted for analysis

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