

Allergen, *Stemphylium botryosum* (m10) IgE

Test ID: 3256

CPT: 86003

Clinical Significance

Latin name: *Stemphylium herbarum*/S.botryosum

Source material: Spores and mycelium

Family: Pleosporaceae

A mould, which may result in allergy symptoms in sensitised species of mould, very common in temperate and subtropical regions and found on a wide range of host plants. Soil isolates have been reported from forests, grasslands, decaying vegetation, wheat plantings, beet and citrus cultivation and coffee plantations. It has also been isolated from polluted fresh water, leaf litter of trees, and bark and leaves of citrus. As a typical seedborne fungus, it is seen on tomato (black mould rot), wheat and barley.

Test Details

Components:

Methodology: Immunoassay (IA)

Reference Range

< 0.35 KU/LTM

Container

Serum Separator Tube (SST)

Transport Temperature

Refrigerated

Specimen(s)

Serum

Specimen Stability

Refrigerated: 7 days

Frozen: 30 days

Reject Criteria

Days Performed

Mon-Sat

Collection Instructions

Separate serum from cells within 45 minutes of venipuncture.

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