

Boxwood Blight Host List 2023

Primary Hosts

Buxus spp. (Boxwood)

Sarcococca spp. (Sweet box)

Pachysandra terminalis (Japanese spurge) (Virginia 2016)

P. procumbens (Allegheny spurge) (by inoculation)

P. axillaris (Windcliff fragrant) (by inoculation)

Hosts **Groundcovers** and **companion plants** commonly associated with boxwood plantings:

boxwood blight infection and sporulation were observed on twelve plant species:

- *Alchemilla mollis* (Lady's Mantle)
- *Arctostaphylos uva-ursi* (Bearberry)
- *Brunnera macrophylla* (Siberian bugloss)
- *Epimedium youngianum* (Bishop's hat)
- *Galium odoratum* (Sweet woodruff)
- *Geranium sanguineum* (Bloody geranium)
- *Phlox subulate* (Moss phlox)
- *Tiarella cordifolia* (Foam flower)
- *Callirhoe involucrate* (Purple poppy mallow)
- *Iberis sempervirens* (Candytuft)
- *Mazus reptans* (Mazus)
- *Vinca minor* (Dwarf periwinkle)