



**Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service
Pest Detection and Management Programs – Program Update**

Program: *Phytophthora ramorum* **Date:** November 3, 2006

October Report

Federal Order, State Inspection, National Survey and Other Finds

Sixty-two positive sites in eleven states have been identified through the Federal Order, State Inspection, National Survey, and/or other finds.

National Nursery Survey

As of the most recent reports, forty-six states have reported National Nursery Survey results; Alaska, Iowa, Missouri, and Puerto Rico are not participating in the National Survey; Wisconsin is looking for *P. ramorum* as part of their regular nursery inspection; 4,799 nurseries have been visited and 140,867 samples collected. Out of the samples collected, 415 have been confirmed positive.

Forest Detection Survey

The United States Forest Service (USFS) and States are conducting nursery perimeter and general forest detection surveys. As of October 16th, USFS reports 637 nursery perimeter surveys in 29 states with 1842 samples collected. USFS also reports 366 general forest surveys have been conducted in 29 states, with 922 samples collected.