



FUNGAL GLOSSARY

Pithomyces

Natural Habitat

- ◆ Leaf litter
- ◆ Soils
- ◆ Tree bark

Suitable Substrates in the Indoor Environment

- ◆ Paper

Water Activity

- ◆ Requires high moisture level for spore germination

Mode of Dissemination

- ◆ Wind

Allergenic Potential

- ◆ Unknown

Potential Opportunist or Pathogen

- ◆ Etiologic agent in immunocompromised patients

Industrial Uses

- ◆ Unknown

Potential Toxins Produced

- ◆ Cyclodepsipeptides
- ◆ Sporidesmin
- ◆ Sporidesmolides