RUSSET MOLD HAZARD 6

ENVIRONMENTAL

FUNGUS

Complexity Simple

Stealth DC 25 (trained)

Description Found in dark, wet areas, russet mold is a dangerous fungus that can easily be mistaken for ordinary rust.

Disable DC 21 Survival (trained) to carefully remove the mold without inhaling the spores.

AC 24, Fort +17, Ref +11

HP 55; **Immunities** critical hits, cold, fire, object immunities, precision damage; **Weaknesses** acid 15, alcohol

Spore Cloud Trigger A creature moves within 5 feet of the russet mold. The russet mold cannot use this effect if it is in direct sunlight; **Effect** The russet mold releases a cloud of spores in a 5-foot emanation. All creatures within this area are exposed to Russet Mold Spores.

Russet Mold Spores (disease) Plants are immune. Treating the afflicted areas with alcohol grants the creature a +3 circumstance bonus on their saving throws against Russet Mold Spores for 24 hours. Saving Throw DC 24 Fortitude; Stage 1 1d6 poison damage and drained 1 (1 round); Stage 2 2d6 poison damage and drained 2 (1 round); Stage 3 3d6 poison damage and drained 3 (1 day); Stage 4 6d6 poison damage and drained 3 (1 day); Stage 5 death and one live vegepygmy bursts from the corpse for each size category the creature was above Small after 24 hours.