

A Bug's Life Domestic house spider


Family: Agelenidae; Species: *Tegenaria domestica*

Fun facts

- Also called barn funnel weaver
- Commonly found indoors
- Found in window frames, near pipes, under furniture, room corners in basements and crawlspaces
- Often males are found wandering around looking for mates
- Very quick runner when disturbed



Identification

Eye arrangement (8): 8 small eyes in 2 curved rows of 4 

Spider: Small to medium body length (1/10" to 3/5" long), shorter spinnerets than grass spiders, light brown body with dark brown patterns on body and legs, males have enlarged pedipalps



Management

- Come inside through gaps under doors and can be found year round
- Remove webbing with vacuum and regular sanitation
- Not harmful or aggressive to humans
- Use glue boards to trap wanderers
- Bite may occur if pressed up against body, shake out clothing and shoes

