Amanita vaginata [group] (Bullard) Lamark









OVERALL: Big Branch, 9/19/2011, J. Solem SIDE: Browns Bridge,10/16/2008, J. Solem.

STALK and GILLS: Wincopin Trail, 6/22/2014, J. Solem.

CAP: Hammond Village, 7/8/2016, J. Solem.

Grisette

Amanita vaginata Amanitaceae

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ID: Cap grayish-brown; convex (flat/depressed in age); margin grooved. Stalk w/ club-shaped bulb; white sac-like volva. No ring.

Habitat: Solitary, clustered. On disturbed ground in forests under trees/in grassy areas.

Cap: 1.2 - 3.9" [3 – 10 cm]

Gray/grayish-brown, sometimes with a few white/grayish patches, margin lighter. Sticky at first or when wet. Curved (becoming convex/nearly flat). Margin prominently grooved.

Gills: White. Free/slightly attached. Close. Broad.

Spores: White. Nearly round.

Stalk: 2.8 - 5.9" x 0.2 - 0.8" [7 - 15 cm x 5 - 20 mm] White or a few gray scales. Egg-/club-shaped bulb. No ring. White saclike volva fitting loosely around stalk (sometimes discolored grayish/reddish-brown). Hollow.

Frequency: Abundant.

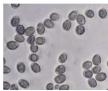
Locations: BIGBR, BRNBR, CASCT, FRANF, GONRA, HAMVL, HIRIP, HOLLO, LONGC, MANWD, MPENA, NOLAP, PIGTL, RKBRP, ROGOR, SAVPK, SLMLP, SYRIV, TUFTS, UMDCF, WINTR, WINTR, WSTRP.

Notes: Do not taste! Mycobank 114685. Wincopin Trail and Hammond Village specimens identified by examination of spores by R. Solem.

Section: Vaginatae

References: Bar 236. BBF 58key. BBH 57. Bni 36. K&M 100. Kuo. Lin 549, 112. M&M 32. Phi 20. Stu 5. W&L 303-4.





SPORES (10.9 – 11.4 X 10.4 – 10.9 μm): Wincopin Trail, 6/22/2014, *R. Solem*.

SPORES (10.2 – 11.6 X 7.6 – 10.2 μm): Hammond Village, 7/8/2016, *R. Solem.*