Annulohypoxylon cohaerens (Persoon) Y.M. Ju, J.D. Rogers & H.M. Hsieh



OVERALL: Avalon, PVSP, 3/17/2011, R. Orr.

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ID: Purplish-brown to purplish-black; surface bumpy. Use KOH.

Habitat: Dense clusters on bark of beech (*Fagus*) only—highly host specific..

Fruiting body: 1/16 – 3/16" [1.5 – 3.5 mm]

Brown (purple-brown in age). Surface minutely bumpy. Single layer of embedded perithecia; sometimes has hollow center. Flesh dark brown/black below perithical layer.

Frequency: Uncommon.

Locations: AVORG.

Synonym: Hypoxylon cohaerens

Notes: Mycobank 500304. KOH releases sienna/orangish pigments. Identification by examination of spores by Richard Orr.

References: BBF 522key. W&L 84-5.