

None

*Boletus variipes* Peck



OVERALL: Hammond Schools, 8/25/2010, *J. Solem*.  
 PORES and STALK: Hammond Schools, 8/25/2010, *J. Solem*.

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[\*Boletus variipes\*](#)  
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**ID:** Brownish cap, white pores; tan, sometimes reticulated stalk. Use KOH and NH<sub>4</sub>OH.

**Habitat:** Scattered, groups. Under hardwoods (occasionally conifers).

**Cap:** 2.4 – 8" [6 – 20 cm]  
 Brown, grayish-/yellowish-brown. Convex (broadly convex/flat in age). Dry. Velvety (cracks in age). Flesh white.

**Pores:** White (yellowish-olive in age). Circular (1 – 2/mm). Tubes (1 – 3 cm).

**Spores:** Olive-brown.

**Stalk:** 3.1 – 6" x 0.4 – 1.4" [8 – 15 cm x 1 – 3.5 cm]  
 Whitish to yellowish-/grayish-brown. Reticulated or not. Equal or tapers up. Solid.

**Frequency:** Uncommon.

**Locations:** BIGBR, HAMVL.

**Notes:** Mycobank 356789. Cap stains dark amber w/ purplish-black zone w/ KOH or NH<sub>4</sub>OH. Flesh stains pale pinkish-orange, then grayish w/ KOH. Highly variable cap and stalk color from light to dark. Specimen shown is dark extreme.

**References:** BBF 326key. BBH 238. Bni 356. BRB2 168, 316. BRB2 167. K&M 129. Phi 269.