

# Crumble Cap

*Coprinus disseminatus* (Persoon) J.E. Lange



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 Agaricaceae

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**ID:** Caps small, yellowish/brownish-gray; conical, pleated. Gills become black but do not deliquesce.

**Habitat:** Dense groups. On hardwood debris, bark, or buried wood.

**Cap:** 0.2 – 0.6" [0.5 – 1.5 cm]

Pale yellowish, brownish-gray (disc yellow-brown). Minute shiny particles (smooth in age). Hemispheric/bell-shaped/conical, deeply pleated.

**Gills:** White, ashy/black in age. Attached. Nearly distant. Broad.

**Spores:** Blackish. Ellipsoid, smooth.

**Stalk:** 0.8 – 1.2" x 1/64 – 1/32" [2 – 3 cm x 0.5 – 1 mm]

White/light tan/gray. Smooth/minutely hairy. Hollow. Fragile.

**Frequency:** Common.

**Locations:** BIGBR, DANPV, GONRA, HAMVL, HENPV, MPENA, MURHL, OTHER, WSTRP, WINTR.

**Notes:** Mycobank 107842. Does not deliquesce. MPENA specimen identified by examination of spores by *R. Solem*.

**Synonym:** *Pseudocoprinus disseminatus*.

**References:** Bar 198. BBH 179. BRBD 124, 23. E&S 148. K&M 147. Lin 598, 4. M&M 227. Phi 234. Roo 155. W&L 276-7.



SPORES (7.2 – 8.7 X 5.0 – 5.7 µm): MPENA, 10/16/2013, *R. Solem*.