

White-egg Birds Nest

Crucibulum crucibuliforme
(Scop.) V.S. White



OVERALL: Western Regional Park, 9/25/2011, R. Solem.
TOP: Pigtail, 6/2/2010, J. Solem.
SIDE: Pigtail, 6/2/2010, J. Solem.

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Agaricaceae

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ID: Body exterior surface (yellow-orange, finely velvety), interior surfachitish, sm); cup filled w/ tiny white “eggs.”

Habitat: Scattered to gregarious. On wood chips, twigs, leather, cardboard.

Fruiting Body: 1/4” – 3/8” H x 1/4” – 3/8” W [6 – 10 mm x 6 – 10 mm] Interior whitish, smooth; exterior yellow¹/₄-orange (pale¹/₄n age), hairy/finely velvety; white, membrane-like lid when immature (coated w/ yellowish-orange fibers).

Peridioles: 1/16 – 3/32” [1.5 – 2 mm] White/pallid, each attached beneath by tiny coiled cord.

Frequency: Common.

Locations: FRANF,GATWY, HAMVL, MANWD, MCLUR, MCHPV, OTHER, PIGTL, ROBNC, SLMLP, SYRIV, UMDCF, WSTRP.

Notes: Mycobank 454314.

Synonyms: *C. laeve*.*C. vulgare*. *C. levis*.

References: Bar 97. BBF 465, 18. KUM 165. Lin 828, 633. Mck 366, 48. M&M 473. Pac 385. Phi 341. Roo 460.