

Sweet Knot

*Globifomes graveolens* (Schweinitz) Murrill



OVERALL (on trunk): Savage Park, 9/30/2014, *J. Solem*.

CLOSEUP Savage Park, 9/30/2014, *J. Solem*.

OVERALL: Centennial Park, 12/12/2019, *A. Allor*.

OVERALL (old; two views): Henryton, 1/15/2013, *J. Solem*.

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[\*Globifomes graveolens\*](#)

Polyporaceae

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**ID:** Mass of overlapping dull to dark brown cups

**Habitat:** Alone, groups. On trunks or logs of hardwoods (oaks).

**Fruiting Body:** 2 — 8" wide & high [5 — 20.5 cm]

Cylindric/hoof-shaped mass of small overlapping caps rising from a common core. Each cap laterally fused w/ petal-shaped margins. Dull yellow-brown w/ tan margin (dark brown/gray-black in age). Slightly velvety surface, radially wrinkled; leathery (rigid in age). Flesh <= 1/4" (6 mm) thick.

**Pores:** Purplish-gray (dark gray-brown in age); circular (3 — 5/mm).

**Spores:** Brown (references disagree). Henryton specimen was old, but white was visible around some pores.

**Frequency:** Occasional.

**Locations:** CENPK, HENPV, MCHPV, SAVPK.

**Notes:** Mycobank 431671.

**Synonyms:** *Polyporus graveolens*.

**References:** BBF 376, 397. BBH 278. Bin 279. E&S 301. Lin 462, 544.