

Orange Pinwheel Mushroom

Marasmius siccus
(Schweinitz) Fries



OVERALL: Wincopin Trail, 8/8/2018,
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CAP: Pigtail, 8/9/2013, *J. Solem*.
GILLS and STALK: Wincopin Trail,
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Marasmiaceae

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ID: Orange/yellowish-brown, bell-shaped, strongly grooved. Gills white/pale yellow. Long, thin stalk.

Habitat: Scattered, groups. Decaying leaves, deciduous/conifer twigs, conifer needles (white pine).

Cap: 1/8 – 1 “ [3 – 25 mm]
Orange/reddish-orange/yellowish-brown (fading to orange-yellow/brownish-orange). Surface roughened. Cushion-/bell-shaped (convex, disc depressed in age); strongly grooved. Flesh white, thin.

Gills: White/pale yellow. Notched or free. Distant.

Spores: White. Spindle-shaped, smooth, hyaline.

Stalk: 0.8 – 2.8” x 1/32” [2 – 7 cm x 0.2 – 1 mm]
Yellowish (darkens to brown from bottom up). Cylindrical; equal; hollow.

Frequency: Fairly common.

Locations: BRNBR, CEDLP, GONRA, MPENA, MURHL, PIGTL, SAVPK, WINTR, WSTRP.

Notes: Mycobank 210716. Wincopin Trail (10/8/2014) specimen identified by examination of spores by R. Solem.

References: Bar 263. BBF 202, 301. BBH 132. Bni 182. E&S 212. K&M 273. Lin 775, 67. M&M 198. Phi 90. W&L 410.



SPORES (18.9 – 20.3 X 3.2 – 3.6 µm): Wincopin Trail, 10/8/2014, *R. Solem*.