

Flecked-flesh Polypore

Phellinus igniarius
(Linnaeus) Quelet



UPPER SURFACE: Browns Bridge, 5/12/2009, J. Solem.
 PORES: Daniels, PVSP, 4/26/2009, R. Solem.
 OVERALL: Henryton, PVSP, 11/17/2009, J. Solem.
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Phellinus igniarius complex
Hymenochaetaceae

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ID: Body tan/brown (dark in age) elf-like/hoof-shaped; concentrically furrowed, cracked in age. Pores grayish-brown, annual layers. Stalkless.

Habitat: Solitary, scattered. On hardwood tree trunks (living)/logs/stumps.

Fruiting Body:

2 – 16" x 2 – 7.9" [5 – 20 cm x 10 – 40 cm], 0.4 – 3.1" thick [2 – 8 cm] Tan/brown (grayish-black/black in age). Finely hairy, often concentrically furrowed (smooth and usually cracked in age). Convex/semicircular/hoof-shaped. Flesh rust-brown.

Pores: Grayish-brown. Circular (4 – 5/mm). Annual layer of tubes (3 – 5 mm). (Older tube layers become conspicuously stuffed w/ white threads.)

Spores: White.

Frequency: Very common.

Locations: BIGBR, BRNBR, DANPV, FRANF, GONRA, HENPV, HOUCH, MARPV, MPENA, MTPLT, PATBT, RKBPR, ROGOR, SAVPK, SLMLP, TRIRS, TROYH, UMDCF, WSTRP.

Notes: Mycobank 120661. Causes white rot. *P. pini* occurs on conifers.

Synonym: *Fomes igniarius*

References: Bar 141. Bni 444. Lin 475, 530. Phi 307. Rog. W&L 551fn.