

Parasitic Bolete

Pseudoboletus parasiticus
(Bulliard) Šutara



OVERALL: Windsor Forest, 7/12/2020, J. Solem

SIDE: Windsor Forest, 7/12/202, Solem.

PORES and STALK: Windsor Forest, 7/12/2020, J. Solem.

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Boletaceae

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ID: Brown cap w/ yellow pores; parasitic on *Scleroderma citrinum*

Habitat: Solitary, small groups attached at base of *Scleroderma citrimun*. In hardwood (oak) and conifer (hemlock) forests.

Cap: 1 – 2.3" [2.5 – 6 cm]
Shades of brown, velvety to glabrous; margin strongly incurved when young, Flesh pale yellow, spongy.

Pores: Yellow (olivaceous in age), occasionally w/ rusty stains. Slightly decurrent, often depressed at stalk, angular (2/mm).

Spores: Olive brown. Semi-fusiform/cylindrical, smooth, light brown.

Stalk: 1 – 2.5" x 0.2 – 0.5" [2.5 – 5.5 cm x 0.8 – 1.3 cm]
Yellow base color, lower part densely covered w/ longitudinal dark fibers. Nearly equal. White/pale yellow mycelium at base.

Frequency: Uncommon.

Locations: OTHER.

Notes: Mycobank 129783. Windsor Forest specimen identified by examination of spores by R. Solem.

Synonym: *Boletus parasiticus*. *Xerocomus parasiticus*

References: Bar 372. BBF 343, 366. Bin 75. Bni 372. BRB1 136, 303. BRB2 287. E&S 261. K&M 120. Lin 571, 370. M&M 388.



SPORES (14.2-16.0 x 4.3-5.2 µm): Windsor Forest, 7/12/2020, R Solem.