

None

Pseudomerulius curtisii
(Berkeley) Redhead & Ginns



OVERALL: Daniels, PVSP, 8/8/2016, *J. Solem*.
SIDE: Henryton, 8/22/2011, *B. Ott*.
FERTILE SURFACE: Daniels, PVSP, 8/8/2016, *J. Solem*.
SPORES (3.4-3.8 X 2.1-2.3 μm): Daniels, PVSP, 8/8/2016, *R. Solem*.

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Tapinellaceae

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ID: Pale-yellowish-brown shelf-like cap w/ yellow to orange w/ gill-like ridges/slots. Use KOH and NH₄OH.

Habitat: Solitary, scattered, overlapping clusters. Decaying conifer logs.

Cap: 3/4 – 2" [2 – 3/4cm]

Pale yellowish-brown/olive-yellow. Convex (nearly plane in age). Fan-petal-shaped or semicircular. Margin incurved (expands in age). Dry. Tomentose/nearly glabrous. Flesh pale yellow. Odor disagreeable in age.

Fertile surface: Orange-yellow (stains darker orange). Conspicuously wrinkled and wavy (almost looks like gills).

Stalk: None (or extremely short and lateral).

Spores: *Olive-yellow*. Smooth, Broadly elliptic, pale yellow/brown.

Frequency: Occasional.

Locations: DANPV, HENPV, ROBNC, WINTR.

Notes: Mycolank 102865. KOH and NH₄OH stain cap purplish-red/reddish-brown/blackish. Daniels, PVSP (8/8/2016) specimen identified by examination of spores by R. Solem. BBF shows this as *Paxillus corrugatus*, but the description and illustration match *P. curtisii*. (*P. corrugatus* is a different species.)

Synonyms: *Meiorganum curtisii*. *Paxillus curtisii*.

Reference: BBF 220, 304. BBH 158. Bni 275. BRBD 218, 330. Kuo. Stu 300.