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Russula puellaris Fries



TOP, GILLS, STALK: Pigtail, 8/26/2011, J. Solem.

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Russula puellaris
Russulaceae

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ID: Purplish, striate margin, viscid. Use KOH and NH₄OH.

Habitat: Solitary, scattered, groups. On ground in mixed forests.

Cap: 1 – 2.4" [2.5 — 6 cm]

Purple/vinaceous/rosy-red or somewhat washed out. Convex (flat, centrally depressed in age). Margin striate. Viscid (wet). Flesh white (yellowing in age), thin.

Gills: Pale ochre. Attached. Thin.

Spores: Pale yellow. Oval; warts up to 1.25 µm.

Stalk: 1 – 2.4" x 0.2 – 0.6" [2.5 – 6 cm x 5 – 15 mm]

White (stains yellow-ochre when bruised). Flesh white. Solid (hollow in age).

Frequency: Uncommon.

Locations: PIGTL.

Notes: Mycobank 204182. Pigtail specimen identified by examination of spores by R. Solem. KOH and NH₄OH turn cap golden yellow.

References: Kuo. Phi 146. Rog.



SPORES (8.1-8.8 X 6.7-7.4 µm): Pigtail, 8/26/2011, R. Solem.