

Crowded Parchment

Stereum complicatum (Fries) Fries



OVERALL: Scholley Mill Park, 5/82009, *J. Solem*.
 FERTILE SURFACE: High Ridge Park, 8/1/2009, *R. Solem*
 INFERTILE SURFACE: High Ridge Park, 8/1/2009, *R. Solem*.
 SIDE: High Ridge Park, 8/1/2009, *R. Solem*.

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 Stereaceae

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ID: Body tan/orange-brown/pinkish; velvety (less so in age); often fused; stalkless. Fertile surface orange (cream in age), smooth. Use KOH.

Habitat: Groups, overlapping clusters (often fusing together). On dead hardwood branches/stumps (especially oak).

Fruiting Body: Up to 0.8" [2 cm] but usually fused together. Tan/orange-brown/pinkish/cinnamon. Densely velvety/hairy/appressed hairs (sometimes nearly smooth in age). Laterally attached, irregular/fan-shaped. Margin wavy.

Pores: Orange (cream/cinnamon-buff in age). Smooth.

Spores: *White* (difficult to obtain).

Frequency: Abundant.

Locations: BIGBR, BOLPL, CASCT, CEDLP, DANPV, FRANF, GONRA, HAMPV, HENPV, HIRIP, HOUC, LONGC, MANWD, MCHPV, MPENA, MTPLT, MURHL, OTHER, PATBT, PIGTL, RKBRP, ROBNC, ROGOR, SAVPK, SLMLP, SUKBR, SYRIV, TUFTS, UMDCF, WSTRP, WFRDP, WINTR, WSKPV.

Notes: Mycobank 169676. KOH turns upper surface red, then black. Sometimes parasitized by jelly fungi.

Synonym: *S. remeale*.

References: BBH 286. Bin 425. BRBD 329, 89. E&S 323. K&M 360. Kuo. Lin 496, 545. M&M 436. Phi 319. Stu 327. W&L 489-90.