

White Cheese Polypore

Tyromyces chioneus
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TOP: Manor Woods ES, 7/18/2019, *J. Solem*.
SIDE and PORES: Manor Woods ES, 7/18/2019, *J. Solem*.
PORES: Wincopin Trail, 5/28/2018, *J. Solem*.
PORES: Gorman Stream Valley NRA, 8/27/2018, *J. Solem*.

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Polyporaceae

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ID: Body white (pale yellow/gray in age); finely hairy/smooth, oozes water when young; variety of shapes, lumpy; fleshy; stalkless. Pores white (pale yellow/gray in age).

Habitat: Scattered. On decaying hardwoods.

Fruiting Body: 0.8 – 4" [2 – 10 cm]

Whitish. Dry and soft (but may ooze water). Finely hairy (smooth in age). Slightly tomentose/warty. Variety of shapes. Flesh (<= 2 cm) white, spongy. Does not bruise/discolor. Unpleasant taste. Aromatic.

Pores: White (pale yellow/pale gray in age). Angular/circular (3 – 5/mm). Tubes (1.5 – 8 mm).

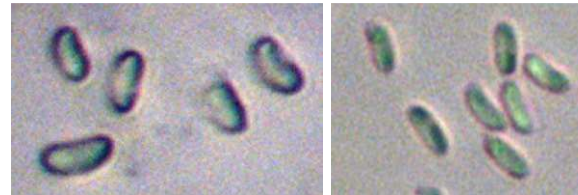
Spores: *White*. Cylindrical (some curved), smooth, hyaline.

Frequency: Abundant.

Locations: ANNRK, BENBR, BIGBR, BRNBR, CASCT, CEDLP, DANPV, DFWMA, FRANF, GONRA, GUIPK, HENPV, HIRIP, HOUCH, LONGC, MANWD, MCHPV, MPENA, MURHL, NOLAP, PATBT, PIGTL, RKBRP, ROBNC, SAVPK, SLMLP, SUKBR, SYRIV, TRIRS, UMDCF, WSTRP, WINTR.

Notes: Mycobank 414603. Wincopin Trail and Manor Woods ES specimens identified by examination of spores by R. Solem.

References: Bar 136. BBF 394, 400. BBH 275. Bni 435. K&M 386. Lin 491, 490. Phi 310. Roo 388. W&L 496-7.



SPORES (3.7-4.6 x 2.0-2.4 μm) : Wincopin Trail, 5/28/2018, *R. Solem*.

SPORES (3.9-4.7 x 1.4-1.9 μm): Manor Woods ES, 7/18/2019, *R. Solem*.