



CAP, PORES, STALK: Daniels, 8/12/2011, *J. Solem*.
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SPORES (10.0-10.5 X 4.5-5.9 μm): Rockburn Branch Park, 7/28/2010, *R Solem*. None

ID: Rose-red; convex; velvety; cracked in age. Pores yellow/ greenish. Stains blue-green. Use KOH and NH₄OH.

Habitat: Scattered, groups. Open woodlands (oak).

Cap: 1.5 – 4" [4 – 10 cm]

Rose-red (soon grayish, then olive-brown/olive-gray in age). Convex (broadly convex/nearly plane in age). Dry. Velvety (cracked in age). Margin incurved when young. Flesh yellow-pink through cracks; stains blue.

Pores: Yellow (brownish-yellow in age). Irregular (1 - 2/mm). Tubes (7 - 12 mm). Stain blue.

Spores: Olive-brown. Fusiform/ellipsoid, weakly longitudinally striate.

Stalk: 2 - 4.8" x $1/4\frac{1}{4}5/8$ " [5 - 12 cm x 7 - 16 mm] Yellow at top, punctate w/ red dots below; faint ribs. Dry. Nearly equal. Solid. White/pale yellow mycelium.

Frequency: Uncommon.

Locations: DANPV, RKBRP.

Notes: Mycobank 309622. Rockburn Branch Park specimen identified by examination of spores by R. Solem. KOH: cap stains yellow; flesh stains orange. NH₄OH: *removes* blue stain from flesh; cap negative.

Synonym: Boletellus intermedius

References: BRB1 85, 283. BRB2 419.