

## Agaricus subrufescens Peck

subrufescens means somewhat becoming red



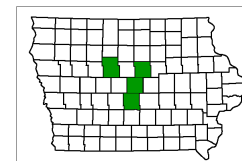
### Description:

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**Fruiting Body:** cap (6) 8-18 (20) cm; stalk central, 7-15 cm long x 1-2 cm at apex, up to 4 cm at base.

**Spore Print Color:** purplish brown. **Spores:** basidiospores 6-7.5 x 4-5  $\mu\text{m}$ , ellipsoid, smooth, dark brown.

**Diagnostic macroscopic feature:** white mushroom with tawny brown scales on cap and free gills that are dark brown when mature, with white stalk and



not common

annulus growing on ground in woods, compost, yards

**Nutritional Mode:** saprobe

**Substrate:** on humus

**Habitat:** woodlands

**Fruiting Season:** summer, fall

**Kingdom:** Fungi

**Phylum:** Basidiomycota

**Order:** Agaricales