

## Coprinus atramentarius (Bull.: Fr.) Fr.

*inky cap; tippler's bane*

### Description:

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**Fruiting Body:** cap 3-6.5 cm; stalk central, 7-17.5 cm long x 9-15 mm diameter, equal. **Spore Print**

**Color:** black. **Spores:** basidiospores 8-11 x 5-6  $\mu\text{m}$ , cylindric-ellipsoid, smooth, dark brown, central truncate pore.

**Diagnostic macroscopic feature:** large single to caespitose gray inky cap with ring at base, on wood

**Diagnostic microscopic feature:** smooth, broad spores

**Nutritional Mode:** saprobe

**Substrate:** on downed wood, or on wood in soil

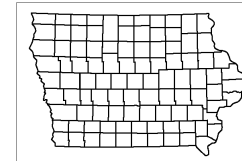
**Habitat:** woodlands

**Fruiting Season:** summer, fall

**Kingdom:** Fungi

**Phylum:** Basidiomycota

**Order:** Agaricales



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