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Cortinarius is from cortina, meaning a veil or curtain, in reference to the cobwebby partial veil



Description:

mushroom

Fruiting Body: cap 4-15 cm; stalk central 4-12 cm long x 6-18 mm diameter at apex, club-shaped to bulbous at base. **Spore Print Color:** rusty brown. **Spores:** basidiospores 6-9 x 5-6 μ m, subglobose to

oval, rough.

Diagnostic macroscopic feature: the yellow colors of cap and stalk, and large size help distinguish this mushroom

Nutritional Mode: mycorrhizal

Substrate: on ground

Habitat: deciduous woods, especially under oak

Fruiting Season: late summer, fall

Kingdom: Fungi

Phylum: Basidiomycota



not common

Order: Agaricales