

# Crepidotus kauffmanii Hesler & Smith

Crepidotus is from the Greek for slipper



## Description:

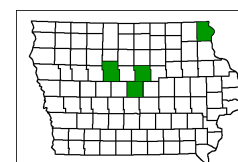
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**Fruiting Body:** cap (6)10-30mm; stalk none; attached eccentrically. **Spore Print Color:** brown.

**Spores:** basidiospores (5)5.5-7(8) x 4-5(5.5) micro, m, ellipsoid or subovoid, marked with small spots; Basidia 2 to 4 spored. Pleurocystidia none; Cheliocystidia present; clamp connections present..

**Diagnostic macroscopic feature:** presence of dense brown fibrils that fade with age, sometimes forming small scales, basal portion white to buff tomentose

**Diagnostic microscopic feature:** spores marked with small spots, Lack of pleurocystidia, Cuticle of repent hyphae bearing 2 types: brownish incrustated hyphae and colorless hyphae; clamp connections present.



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**Nutritional Mode:** saprobe

**Substrate:** hardwood logs

**Habitat:** deciduous woods

**Fruiting Season:** summer, fall

**Kingdom:** Fungi

**Phylum:** Basidiomycota

**Order:** Agaricales