

Lactarius psammicola f. psammicola A.H. Smith

Lactarius from lac, giving milk



Description:

mushroom

Fruiting Body: Cap 4-10(14) cm; Stipe 1-3 cm long x 10-22 mm diameter.. **Spore Print Color:** Yellow.

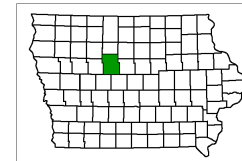
Spores: Basidiospores 7.5-9x 6-7.5 micro, m; ellipsoid, ornamentation of short ridges and isolated warts forming a broken reticulum, plage inconspicuous, no diffuse amyloid areas..

Diagnostic macroscopic feature: Latex present, white sometimes changing to pinkish purple, slowly staining white paper yellow.

Diagnostic microscopic feature: Spores ellipsoid, ornamentation of short ridges and isolated warts forming a broken reticulum, plage inconspicuous, no diffuse amyloid areas.

Nutritional Mode: ectomycorrhizal

Substrate: On soil



Eastern and Central United States

Habitat: Deciduous and Coniferous Woods

Fruiting Season: summer

Kingdom: Fungi

Phylum: Basidiomycota

Order: Russulales