

***Hydnum corneri* nom prov.**



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Habitat: found in rings with Eucalyptus at a single site

Cap: applanate; 30 - 50 mms diameter; lannose; white to cream; margin appendiculate and slightly sulcate.

Stipe: central, cylindrical; 18 - 20 × 5 - 6 mms diameter; colour similar to cap.

Spines: subdecurrent, crowded, tapering, to 4 mm long, held vertically; creamy ochre.

Flesh: white with a pleasant smell.

Spores: hyaline, globose; 4.5 - 5 × 4 - 4.5 μm , Q = 1.2; smooth.

Cheilocystidia: clavate, narrowly clavate; 20 × 5 μm .

Pileipellis: not seen, but clamp connections present.

Notes: a white to cream to *Hydnum* with vertical spines and small spores appears distinct from *Hydnum repandum*.

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