

COMMON NAME:
OYSTER MUSHROOM

SCIENTIFIC NAME:
PLEUROTUS OSTREATUS

ALSO CALLED: TREE MUSHROOMS

NORMAL SIZE: 6" TO 12" HALF CIRCLE

EDIBLE: SAID TO BE SAFEST FOR INEXPERIENCED

NORMAL ELEVATION: 7000' TO 9500'

HABITATION: NEAR STREAMS ON DEAD TREE TRUNKS

ABUNDANCE: RARE

NOTABLE DETAILS: WHITE AND STACKS OF HALF CIRCLE GROWTHS