PLANT FACT SHEET

# *Polyporus squamosus* (Huds.) Fr.

**GENUS** *Polyporus* **FAMILY** Polyporaceae

**COMMON NAMES** Dryad's saddle, Scaly polypore

## EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

**Edible parts:** Mushroom, Fungus

It can be eaten when unripe or very young.

## DESCRIPTION

A mushroom.

## HABITAT

It is a temperate climate plant.

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