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Termitomyces eurrhizus (Berk.) Heim

GENUS *Termitomyces* **FAMILY** Lyophyllaceae

COMMON NAMES Termite mushroom

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fungus, Mushroom

It is cooked and eaten as a vegetable.

DESCRIPTION

A mushroom. The cap of the fruiting body is 4.5-8.5 cm wide. This is greyish brown.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in moist soil in pine forests and mixed forests. It grows on termite mounds.

NOTES

Also put in the family Agaricaceae.

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