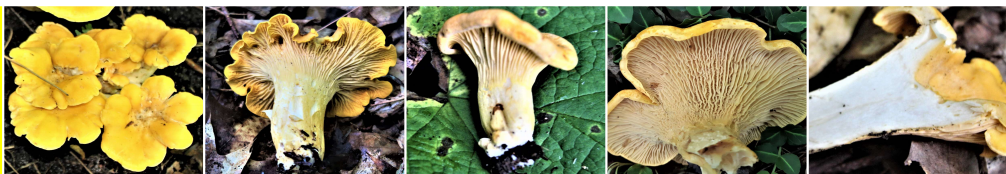


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The Chanterelle is the most picked and consumed mushroom in the world. It is found everywhere as far north as the boreal forest in association with coniferous trees and also with deciduous trees including birches. It fruits from the end of June to the end of August; the most interesting harvests are made during the first three weeks, at a rate of one harvest per week.

The *Cantharellus cibarius* var. *pallidifolius* is larger and generally stockier than the Chanterelle. It fruits in hard deciduous forests from mid-summer to autumn. The fruiting surface, whitish at first, gradually turns yellow until maturity. The fruitbody become stained brown when bruised.

Very small chanterelle whose fruitbodies come in two colors, yellow and orange. Its small size and color mean that it is often mistaken for an *Hygrophorus*. It fruits in deciduous to hardwood forests. Its flesh ranges from yellow to orange-yellow.

This rare chanterelle is also found in hardwood deciduous forests from July to September. When young, it often has a pale, greenish tint around the margin. The center of the cap also tends to become gray and scaly when mature. The white flesh turns yellow to orange in insect injuries.

This chanterelle has a more brownish appearance because of the scales that adorn its cap. Slowly, all parts of its fruitbodies become stained brown when bruised or cut. Under certain conditions, the caps can fuse and produce polycephalic basidiomas. It fruits in the presence of resinous trees, mainly during the month of August

This chanterelle is characterized by its stipe and the center of its cap which are in shades of yellow to brownish orange. It fruits from July to September in deciduous hardwood forests. The color of its flesh ranges from white to buff or pale yellowish brown.

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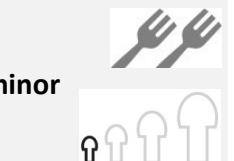
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