

# Bolete experiment

When handling fungi always wear a pair of gloves and make sure you wash your hands afterwards.

A bolete is a type of umbrella shaped mushroom.

If you cut them open carefully some turn amazing colours inside!

Try this for yourself and see what colours you can find.



Cornflower bolete. Andrew Thurm.

Draw a picture of the mushroom you found.

Draw a picture of the mushroom you found.

Date found.....

Weather.....

Time of day.....

After cutting did it change colour?

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What colour?.....

How long did it take to change colour?

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