

**New species of marasmioid genera (Basidiomycetes, Tricholomataceae) from tropical Africa – V. *Marasmius violaceoides*, a new species based on *M. violaceus* Henn. in the sense of Singer**

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A new species, *Marasmius violaceoides* (Basidiomycetes, Tricholomataceae), is described for a taxon known in the modern literature as *Marasmius violaceus* Henn. sensu Singer. Revision of the type specimen of *Marasmius violaceus* showed that this taxon belongs to the genus *Gymnopus*.

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