SUMMARY

New localities of Geastrum rufescens Pers.: Pers. and Trichaster melanocephalus Czern. in the Western Pomerania (NW Poland)

Geastrum rufescens and Trichaster melanocephalus are very rare, threatened, and strictly protected species in Poland. These fungi have been found in the "Love Valley" Park near Zatoń Dolna (53°00'25" N, 14°16'30" E) in the years 2004–2006. They grow in beech forest (G. rufescens) and in thickets under Aesculus hippocastanum, Fagus sylvatica, Robinia pseudoacacia, Crataegus sp. and Malus sp. (T. melanocephalus).