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Agaricus lanipes (F.H. Møller & Jul. Schäff.) Singer is a very rare species in Poland. It has been reported once (Adamczyk 1996), near Częstochowa (south Poland). This species is currently absent in "Red list of the macrofungi in Poland" (Wojewoda, Ławrynowicz 2006) but Wojewoda (2003) proposed to categorize it as endangered (E). The first locality of A. lanipes in the Wielkopolska region was found on 27 August 2006 in the "Puszcza Zielonka" Landscape Park. "Puszcza Zielonka" is one of the biggest forest complexes in the Wielkopolska comprising 12 000 hectares in which 78.4% is mixed forest. A. lanipes stand was found in the northern part of the landscape park, near Lopuchówko village, 200 m eastwards from forester's lodge (52°35'58" N, 17°05'38" E, CC80 square of the ATPOL grid). About 40 fruitbodies was found on rich soil, on the area of 100 square meters, in mixed, littered forest with intensive shrub vegetation and poor ground cover.