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Fluffy fungus growth is visible on stems and pegs during humid weather.

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- Stems are bleached and shredded.
- Black sclerotia form on and in the stems and pods. Sclerotia are irregular and resemble mouse or insect droppings



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Southern stem rot

- Fungus is coarse, not fluffy. Growth may be fan-shaped or ropy.
- Sclerotia are white at first and then darken to tan or brown.
- Sclerotia are round and resemble mustard seed.
- Stem lesions are the color of a brown paper bag.
- There is little to no bleaching or shredding.

