

Pleurotrema Mll. Arg.

Thallus crustose, epi or endophloedal. Photobiont Trentepohlia. Perithecia solitary or usually confluent, partially covered by thallus, with lateral, long ostiolar canal; involucrellum present; exciple black; paraphyses branched and anastomosing in lower part. Asci 8spored; spores colorless, transversely manyseptate, elongateellipsoid with cylindrical cells.

= Ditremis (at least for N. American spp.; Aptroot treats it as incertae sedis within "Group C")

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