

Pterygiopsis Vainio

Apothecia with a punctiform disc, appearing perithecia like. Thallus crustose, black, tinged greenish, at least when moist. Asci uniformly I+ redbrown, the apical structure I. Photobiont chroococcoid. Asci with distinctly thickened apices. Apothecia with an indistinct true exciple and a welldeveloped thalline exciple. Thallus with a ± distinct pseudoparenchyma. Mainly confined to wet, acid rocks.

[I haven't seen a description of this]. P. atra Vainio

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