

**Bullatina**

(Gomphillaceae)

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Thallus crustose, dispersed to continuous, rounded, convex, corticated; cortex paraplectenchymatous, with white hairs. Photobiont Chlorococcoium. Hypophores setaelike. Apothecia common, immersed in thallus; exciple not distinct; hymenium with epithelial alga. Asci 1spored; spores colorless, muriform. On leaves.

**B. aspidota**

(synonym Calenia aspidotum)

Thallus in white cushions, strongly convex, with white hairs (hyphophores), and colorless crystals below cortex. Apothecia 0.20.5 mm diam.; disc concave, gray, yellowish to brownish gray; hymenium 6090 um; spores 4080 x 1528 um. Tropical and temperate. U.S.

**Literature**

Awasthi, 19 . Microlichens of India, etc.