

Date 24 Oct. 2016. Black Sugarloaf, Birrallee (big tree track).

Habitat: Closed wet Eucalypt forest.

Substrate Standing dead *Bedfordia salicina*.

Description scattered and gregarious stalked sporangia, erect, 1.2–3.2 mm high. **Sporotheca** cylindrical, light brown, 0.8–1.9 mm long x 0.4–0.5 mm diameter. **Stalk** black covered in silvery film, about half height of sporotheca.

Hypothallus contiguous under group, red brown, shiny.

Peridium membranous, silvery, persisting as small flakes on some sporangia.

Columella reaches to the apex of the sporotheca.

Capillitium attached along length of columella, fragmented surface net. **Spores** brown in mass, lighter brown by transmitted light, faintly warted with groups of darker warts, 6–7.5 μm .

Notes This is a common species at Black Sugarloaf.

