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Nigrocarnea Sparre P. & Læssøe

Nigrocarnea was erected by van de Peppel et al. (2022) as a monotypic genus to accommodate *N. radicata* as the type species, based on morphological characteristics and phylogenetic analysis of ITS, LSU, and *tefla* sequence data. Nigrocarnea radicata was obtained from soil under Fagaceae-rich forest with Quercus and Castanopsis trees in Laos. Nigrocarnea differs from other genera within the termitomycetoid clade by producing dark-pigmented arthroconidia in the pileus context of the basidiome (van de Peppel et al. 2022). In the type species, basidiospores are ellipsoid and smooth. Basidia are clavate and 4-sterigmate. Hymenial cystidia and clamp connections are absent. The taxonomic placement of Nigrocarnea is in Agaricales, Agaricomycetidae, Agaricomycetes, Agaricomycotina, and Basidiomycota.

Reference

van de Peppel LJ, Aime MC, Læssøe T, Pedersen OS et al. 2022 – Four new genera and six new species of lyophylloid agarics (*Agaricales, Basidiomycota*) from three different continents. Mycological Progress 21(10), 85. https://doi.org/10.1007/s11557-022-01836-7

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