

## Outlineoffungi.org - Note 1171 *Velebitea*

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*Velebitea* I. Kušan, Matočec & Jadan

*Velebitea* is a monotypic genus, the type species *V. chrysotexta* being described from rotten wood in Europe. ITS and LSU sequences from ex-type cultures place the genus in *Lachnaceae* (Phookamsak et al. 2019). These authors discuss morphological similarities between *Velebitea* and some *Dasyscyphella* species but note significant differences between their fungus and the type species of *Lachnellula*, *L. cassandrae*, a species with no available genetic data. Baral & Quijada (2020) place the genus in synonymy with *Dasyscyphella* for morphological reasons (H.-O. Baral, pers. comm.), but this is not supported by publicly available rDNA sequence data where specimens in GenBank identified as *Dasyscyphella* species are scattered across *Lachnaceae* and phylogenetically distinct from *V. chrysotexta* (P.R. Johnston, unpubl. data).

### References

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