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[Myrmecopterula](#) Leal-Dutra et al.

The new genus [Myrmecopterula](#) was introduced by [Leal-Dutra et al. \(2020\)](#) to accommodate ant associated species previously classified in *Pterula*. [Myrmecopterula](#) differs from *Pterula* in the presence of the cottony subiculum. Currently, the genus includes three species viz., [M. moniliformis](#) (the type species), *M. nudihortorum* and *M. velohortorum* ([Leal-Dutra et al. 2020](#)) (M. Erdoğan).

### Reference

Leal-Dutra CA, Griffith GW, Neves MA, McLaughlin DJ et al. 2020 – Reclassification of *Pterulaceae* Corner (*Basidiomycota*, *Agaricales*) introducing the ant-associated genus *Myrmecopterula* gen. nov., *Phaeopterula* Henn. and the corticioid *Radulomycetaceae* fam. nov. IMA Fungus 11, 1–24. [Doi 10.1186/s43008-019-0022-6](https://doi.org/10.1186/s43008-019-0022-6)