

Date 25 April 2012. Black Sugarloaf, Birralee (home).

Habitat: Eucalypt forest: vegetable garden.

Substrate stem of *Foeniculum vulgare* (fennel).

Description scattered to gregarious stalked sporangia, 1.2 mm high. **Sporotheca** subglobose, 0.4–0.6 mm diameter.

Stalk slender, subulate, yellowish brown, darker at base grading to lighter at apex. **Hypothallus** discoid or contiguous under adjacent sporangia, yellowish brown. **Peridium** white crystalline lime, dehiscence irregular. **Columella** absent but large pseudocolumella discoid, white. **Capillitium** delicate hyaline threads attached to pseudocolumella and peridium; hyaline to light brown by transmitted light. **Spores** dark brown in mass, brown by transmitted light, coarsely warted with clusters of warts, 10 µm. **Notes:** One collection only.

