SIPHULELLA

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Siphulella Kantvilas, Elix & P.James, Bryologist 95: 186 (1992); from the Latin diminutive of Siphula, referring to the superficial resemblence to some species of Siphula.

T: S. coralloidea Kantvilas, Elix & P.James

Thallus crustose, with erect solid vegetative and fertile podetia. Apothecia rare, terminal, immarginate, strongly convex, hemispherical or subglobose. Asci with a slightly thickened weakly amyloid wall at the apex and a non-amyloid tholus. Ascospores simple. Pycnidia not seen.

A monotypic genus endemic to south-western Tas.

G.Kantvilas, J.A.Elix & P.W.James, *Siphulella*, a new lichen genus from southwest Tasmania, *Bryologist* 95: 186–191 (1992).