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Basidiomata resupinate, effused, thin, loosely adnate, hymenial surface smooth, under lens pilose by projecting cystidia, white to grayish or ochraceous, with reddish brown dots visible under lens, margin not especially differentiated. Hyphal system monomitic, generative hyphae with clamps at all septa. Cystidia with hymenial or subhymenial origin, long, considerably projecting above basidia, obclavate, tubular or subcylindrical, with swollen base, tapering to the apices, excreting yellowish to reddish brown resinous matter. Clavate or capitate hyphal ends present in hymenium and rarely in context of the generic type, excreting resinous matter. Basidia initially clavate or subcylindrical, when mature constricted to suburniform, with 4 sterigmata and a basal clamp. Basidiospores subglobose, ellipsoid or allantoid, apiculate, smooth, thin-walled, non-amyloid.

Corticium argillaceum; here designated.

Kurtia argillacea (Bres.) Karasiński, comb.nov.

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Basionym: *Corticium argillaceum* Bres., *Fung. trident.* **2**(11-13): 63 (1898)

Kurtia macedonica (Litsch.) Karasiński, comb.nov.

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Basionym: *Gloeocystidium macedonicum* Litsch., *Glasnik (Bull.) Soc. Scient. Skoplje* **18**(6): 181 (1938)

Kurtia magnargillacea (Boidin & Gilles) Karasiński, comb.nov.

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Basionym: *Hyphoderma magnargillaceum* Boidin & Gilles, *Cryptog. Mycol.* **12**(2): 113 (1991)