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Kaarikia C. Mayers & T.C. Harr.

The monotypic genus, *Kaarikia* was introduced by [Mayers et al. \(2020\)](#) to accommodate *K. abrahamsonii*. *Kaarikia* resembles *Distoseptispora* in general culture morphology and in having thick, darkly pigmented hyphae and multiseptate conidia, but *Kaarikia* does not produce sporidesmium-like conidiophores; its conidiophores are significantly less-developed, its conidia much less pigmented, and its formation of spherical chlamydospores unique ([Mayers et al. 2020](#)) (M. Erdoğdu).

Reference

Mayers CG, Harrington TC, McNew DL, Roeper RA et al. 2020 – Four mycangium types and four genera of ambrosia fungi suggest a complex history of fungus farming in the ambrosia beetle tribe *Xyloterini*. *Mycologia* 3, 1–34. [Doi 10.1080/00275514.2020.1755209](https://doi.org/10.1080/00275514.2020.1755209)