

## Check list of the bryophytes of Réunion Island (France)

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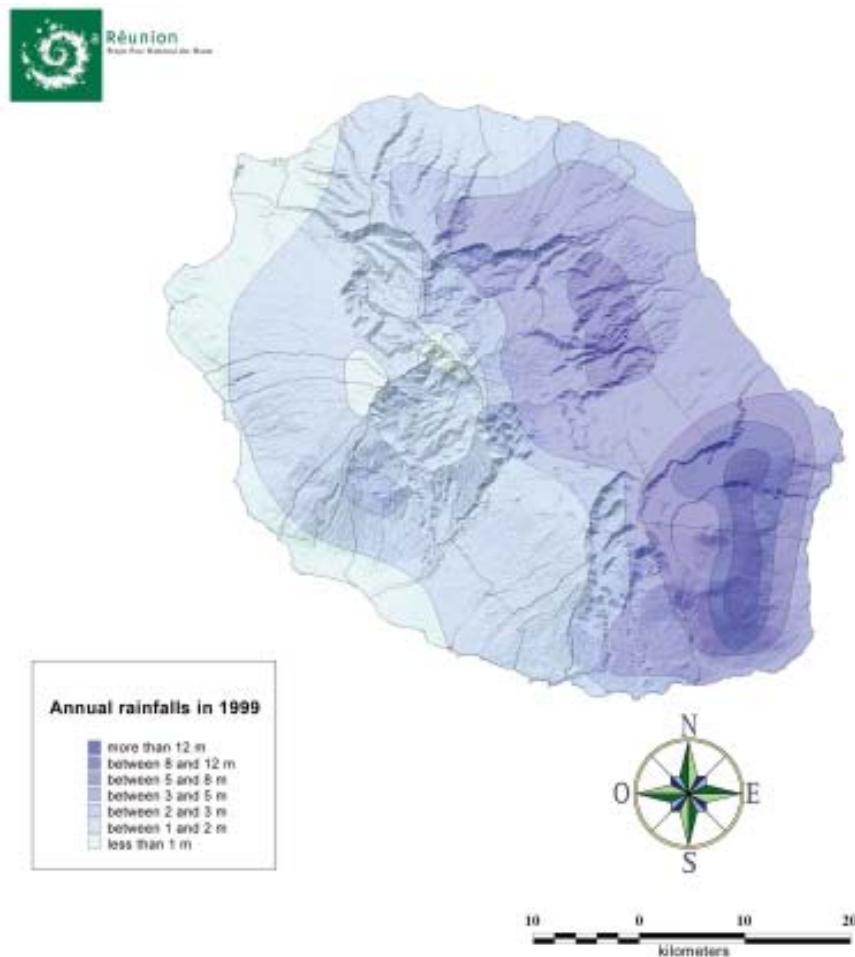
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**Abstract:** A systematic, literature-based compilation of bryophytes of Réunion Island has been made, with the additional examination of herbarium specimens. The list of 148 genera and 404 species and infraspecific taxa of mosses and 87 genera and 241 species and infraspecific taxa of hepatics and hornworts are here reported, including four mosses reported as new to Réunion.

### Introduction

Réunion Island is a French overseas department in the western Indian Ocean. This tropical island in the southern hemisphere is the remnants of a huge volcano, with an elliptical shape and an area of 2511 km<sup>2</sup> with its highest point at Le Piton des Neiges (3069 m), and still retains one of the most active volcanoes in the world, the Piton de la Fournaise, which reaches 2631 m. The island is characterized by the presence of primary

ecosystems (forest, lands, altitudinal grass) in a good state of conservation for the occidental Indian Ocean area. The presence of the two big volcanoes leads to the presence of a high diversity of biotopes. The resulting biodiversity reflects both the variation in altitude and the volcanic activity. Finally, an important contrast in the rainfall increases even more the ecological gradient of the island.



Annual rainfalls of Réunion Island (Source: Mission Parc National, 2003)

At present, 30 % of the surface of the island is still covered by natural forests. A good knowledge of the specific and functional diversity is required for the conservation of primary vegetation. In the past, the bryoflora of the island was collected intermittently, and few results were published. Generally, previous authors produced monographs that comprise the whole archipelago of Mascarenes and Madagascar.

The first bryological inventory of Réunion Island dates to the end of the 19th century, when Bescherelle wrote the first

synthesis (Bescherelle 1878, 1880), followed by the works of Renauld (1897). Other researchers collected bryophytes in the 20th century, (Jovet-Ast, 1958; Een, 1976; Onraedt 1977; Een, 1989; Bischler 1990; Jovet-Ast 1993; Arts & Yamada 1998), and Müller (2000, 2002) in the 21st century. Crosby and Schultze-Motel (1983) published a check-list of the western Indian Ocean Islands.

Existing bibliographies do not furnish an adequate assessment of the bryological richness of the island. Frahm (2003) estimates for Réunion island 376 Musci and 227 Hepaticae.

The authors believe that these figures do not adequately represent the bryological richness of the island, and that it is necessary to update these data with the aim of promoting and opening research fields on the ecology of insular tropical bryophytes.

## Methodology

In view of the phytogeographic interest in La Réunion island, this check list is intended to make available a summary of both Musci and Hepaticae reported in this area. This work is based on reports in the literature and has been mostly based on the recent publications of O'Shea (2003) and Wigginton (2002, 2004). Our compilation is divided into 3 parts:, the list of the Musci, the list of Hepaticae and Hornworts, and finally a third part that will summarize the data into tables.

Generally, the **nomenclature** used refers to the works of O'Shea (2003) & Wigginton (2004). However, for the species of wide distribution and present notably in Europe (cosmopolitan or circumboreal species), we used for the Musci the nomenclature of Corley, Crundwell et al. (1981) and Corley & Crundwell (1991) and for the Hepaticae and Hornworts the work of Grolle & Long (2000). For example: *Sphagnum nemoreum* Scop. is mentioned with the name of *Sphagnum capillifolium* (Ehrh.) Hedw. var. *capillifolium*, another example is *Loeskeobryum brevirostre* (Brid.) M.Fleisch. ex Broth., mentioned as *Hylocomium brevirostre* (Brid.) Bruch, Schimp. & W.Gümbel

The **endemicity** proposed for the species is a strict endemicity for Réunion Island: this is indicated in the species list by the letter **B** for Bourbon, the former name of Réunion Island. However this criteria remains relative and depends on both collecting and taxonomic work on Réunion as well as in neighbouring areas. In the same way, the identification of some taxa should be treated cautiously: for example, the presence of the *Schistidium apocarpum* var. *apocarpum* (Hedw.) Bruch, Schimp. & W.Gümbel on the island was reported before the

publication of Blom (1996) on the *Schistidium apocarpum* complex, and thus should be verified. It is the same for such difficult families as *Lejeuneaceae* or *Aneuraceae*.

The **check list** is presented in this way:

- Synopses of genera for Musci, Hornworts and Hepaticae are made based on the work of O'Shea (2003) and Wigginton (2004).
- Families are arranged alphabetically within each order. The number of species for each genera is reported in brackets.
- The checklists are in alphabetical order of taxon name with the current name shown in bold italic font. Except for Jovet-Ast, the authorities of names follow Brummitt & Powell (1992).
- The number of species for each genera is reported in brackets.
- The reference that follows the species name is usually the first report of the occurrence of the taxon on the island, but otherwise follows the check list of O'Shea (2003) and Wigginton (2004).
- The references from herbarium specimens, when present, are cited as: locality, ecology, altitude, collection date, collector, determiner, herbarium number, herbarium!.
- Data was current at the end of February 2005.

### Synopsis of families and genera for Musci

Family <b>Andreaeaceae</b>	Family <b>Dicranaceae</b>
<i>Andreaea</i> (2)	<i>Anisothecium</i> (1)
Family <b>Anomodontaceae</b>	<i>Aongstroemia</i> (2)
<i>Anomodon</i> (2)	<i>Attractyllocarpus</i> (1)
Family <b>Bartramiaceae</b>	<i>Bryohumbertia</i> (1)
<i>Anacolia</i> (1)	<i>Campylopus</i> (22)
<i>Bartramia</i> (3)	<i>Dicranella</i> (3)
<i>Breutelia</i> (6)	<i>Dicranoloma</i> (3)
<i>Leiomela</i> (1)	<i>Holomitrium</i> (4)
<i>Philonotis</i> (8)	<i>Leptotrichella</i> (1)
Family <b>Brachytheciaceae</b>	<i>Leucoloma</i> (19)
<i>Brachythecium</i> (5)	<i>Pseudephemerum</i> (1)
<i>Eurhynchium</i> (1)	Family <b>Ditrichaceae</b>
<i>Palamocladium</i> (1)	<i>Ceratodon</i> (1)
<i>Pseudoscleropodium</i> (1)	<i>Ditrichum</i> (2)
<i>Rhynchostegiella</i> (1)	<i>Garckea</i> (1)
<i>Rhynchostegium</i> (3)	Family <b>Entodontaceae</b>
<i>Squamidium</i> (1)	<i>Entodon</i> (3)
Family <b>Bruchiaceae</b>	Family <b>Eustichiaceae</b>
<i>Trematodon</i> (3)	<i>Eustichia</i> (1)
Family <b>Bryaceae</b>	Family <b>Fabroniaceae</b>
<i>Anomobryum</i> (1)	<i>Rhizofabronia</i> (1)
<i>Brachymenium</i> (5)	Family <b>Fissidentaceae</b>
<i>Bryum</i> (9)	<i>Fissidens</i> (13)
<i>Rhodobryum</i> (2)	Family <b>Funariaceae</b>
Family <b>Calymperaceae</b>	<i>Entosthodon</i> (2)
<i>Calymperes</i> (4)	<i>Funaria</i> (3)
<i>Leucophanes</i> (3)	<i>Physcomitrium</i> (1)
<i>Syrrhopodon</i> (12)	Family <b>Grimmiaceae</b>
Family <b>Catagoniaceae</b>	<i>Grimmia</i> (3)
<i>Catagonium</i> (1)	<i>Gymnostomielia</i> (1)
Family <b>Daltoniaceae</b>	<i>Racomitrium</i> (3)
<i>Calyptrochaeta</i> (1)	<i>Schistidium</i> (1)
<i>Daltonia</i> (4)	Family <b>Hedwigiaceae</b>
<i>Distichophyllum</i> (1)	<i>Hedwigidium</i> (1)

<b>Family Hookeriaceae</b>	<b>Family Neckeraceae</b>
<i>Hookeria</i> (1)	<i>Homaliodendron</i> (1)
<i>Chaetomitrium</i> (1)	<i>Neckera</i> (1)
<b>Family Hylocomiaceae</b>	<i>Neckeropsis</i> (2)
<i>Hylocomium</i> (1)	<i>Pinnatella</i> (1)
<b>Family Hypnaceae</b>	<i>Porothamnium</i> (2)
<i>Ectropothecium</i> (5)	<i>Porotrichum</i> (3)
<i>Hypnum</i> (6)	<b>Family Orthodontiaceae</b>
<i>Isopterygium</i> (4)	<i>Orthodontium</i> (1)
<i>Mittenothamnium</i> (5)	<b>Family Orthotrichaceae</b>
<i>Phyllodon</i> (2)	<i>Cardotiella</i> (2)
<i>Taxithelium</i> (1)	<i>Leiomitrium</i> (1)
<i>Vesicularia</i> (5)	<i>Macrocoma</i> (1)
<b>Family Hypopterigiaceae</b>	<i>Macromitrium</i> (10)
<i>Lopidium</i> (1)	<i>Schlotheimia</i> (13)
<i>Hypopterygium</i> (1)	<i>Ulota</i> (1)
<b>Family Leptodontaceae</b>	<i>Zygodon</i> (2)
<i>Leptodon</i> (1)	<b>Family Pterigynandraceae</b>
<b>Family Leskeaceae</b>	<i>Trachyphyllum</i> (1)
<i>Schwetschkea</i> (1)	<b>Family Phyllogoniaceae</b>
<b>Family Leucobryaceae</b>	<i>Phyllogonium</i> (3)
<i>Leucobryum</i> (5)	<b>Family Pilotrichaceae</b>
<i>Octoblepharum</i> (1)	<i>Callicostella</i> (2)
<b>Family Leucodontaceae</b>	<i>Cyclodictyon</i> (6)
<i>Felipponea</i> (1)	<i>Lepidopilidium</i> (3)
<i>Pterogonium</i> (2)	<i>Lepidopilum</i> (1)
<b>Family Leucomiaceae</b>	<i>Pilotrichella</i> (3)
<i>Leucomium</i> (1)	<b>Family Plagiotheciaceae</b>
<b>Family Meteoriaceae</b>	<i>Plagiothecium</i> (1)
<i>Aerobryidium</i> (1)	<b>Family Polytrichaceae</b>
<i>Aerobryopsis</i> (1)	<i>Atrichum</i> (1)
<i>Floribundaria</i> (2)	<i>Pogonatum</i> (7)
<i>Orthostichella</i> (1)	<i>Polytrichum</i> (3)
<i>Papillaria</i> (1)	<b>Family Pottiaceae</b>
<b>Family Mniiaceae</b>	<i>Anoectangium</i> (4)
<i>Mielichhoferia</i> (1)	<i>Astomum</i> (1)
<i>Pseudopohlia</i> (1)	<i>Barbula</i> (2)
<i>Plagiomnium</i> (1)	<i>Bryoerythrophyllum</i> (1)

<i>Didymodon</i> (1)	<i>Trichosteleum</i> (4)
<i>Hymenostylium</i> (2)	<i>Warburgiella</i> (1)
<i>Hyophila</i> (1)	<i>Wijkia</i> (1)
<i>Leptodontium</i> (5)	<b>Family Serpotortellaceae</b>
<i>Leptophascum</i> (1)	<i>Serpotortella</i> (2)
<i>Pseudosymbblepharis</i> (2)	<b>Family Sphagnaceae</b>
<i>Tortella</i> (2)	<i>Sphagnum</i> (14)
<i>Trichostomum</i> (5)	<b>Family Splachnaceae</b>
<i>Weissia</i> (3)	<i>Tayloria</i> (2)
<b>Family Prionodontaceae</b>	<b>Family Stereophyllaceae</b>
<i>Prionodon</i> (1)	<i>Stereophyllum</i> (1)
<b>Family Pterobryaceae</b>	<b>Family Symphyodon</b>
<i>Calyptothecium</i> (2)	<i>Symphyodon</i> (1)
<i>Hildebrandtiella</i> (2)	<b>Family Thuidiaceae</b>
<i>Jaegerina</i> (2)	<i>Pelekium</i> (1)
<i>Orthostichidium</i> (1)	<i>Thuidium</i> (3)
<i>Orthostichopsis</i> (5)	<b>Family Trachypodaceae</b>
<b>Family Ptychomitriaceae</b>	<i>Trachypodopsis</i> (1)
<i>Ptychomitrium</i> (1)	<i>Trachypus</i> (2)
<b>Family Racopilaceae</b>	
<i>Racopilum</i> (6)	
<b>Family Rhabdoweisiaceae</b>	
<i>Amphidium</i> (1)	
<b>Family Rhacocarpaceae</b>	
<i>Rhacocarpus</i> (1)	
<b>Family Rhizogoniaceae</b>	
<i>Pyrrhobryum</i> (2)	
<b>Family Rutenbergiaceae</b>	
<i>Rutenbergia</i> (2)	
<b>Family Seligeriaceae</b>	
<i>Blindia</i> (2)	
<b>Family Sematophyllaceae</b>	
<i>Acroporium</i> (1)	
<i>Macrohymenium</i> (1)	
<i>Meiothecium</i> (1)	
<i>Radulina</i> (1)	
<i>Rhaphidorrhynchium</i> (2)	
<i>Sematophyllum</i> (4)	

## Synopsis of families and genera for Hepaticae and Hornworts

### Division Marchantiophyta (Hepaticae, Liverworts)

#### Class MARCHANTIOPSIDA

##### Subclass Marchantiidae

##### Order MARCHANTIALES

###### Family Aytoniaceae

*Asterella* (1)

*Plagiochasma* (2)

###### Family Exormothecaceae

*Exormotheca* (1)

###### Family Marchantiaceae

*Dumontiera* (1)

*Marchantia* (3)

###### Family Ricciaceae

*Riccia* (4)

###### Family Targioniaceae

*Targionia* (1)

###### Family Wiesnerallaceae

*Wiesnerella* (2)

#### Class JUNGERMANNIOPSIDA

##### Subclass Metzgeriidae

##### Order METZGERIALES

###### Family Aneuraceae

*Aneura* (1+3\*)

*Riccardia* (5)

###### Family Fossombroniaceae

*Fossombronia* (4)

###### Family Metzgeriaceae

*Metzgeria* (5)

###### Family Pallaviciniaceae

*Jensenia* (1)

*Pallavicinia* (1)

*Symphyogyna* (2)

*Symphyogynopsis* (1)

###### Family Balantiopsaceae

*Isotachis* (1)

###### Family Calypogeiaeae

*Calypogeia* (6)

*Mnioloma* (1)

###### Family Cephaloziaceae

*Cephalozia* (1)

*Iwatsukia* (1)

*Odontoschisma* (1)

##### Subclass Jungermanniidae

##### Order

##### JUNGERMANNIALES

###### Family Acrobolbaceae

*Lethocolea* (1)

*Marsupidium* (1)

*Tylimanthus* (1)

###### Family Adelanthaceae

*Adelanthus* (2)

###### Family Arnelliaceae

*Gongylanthus* (2)

<b>Family Cephaloziellaceae</b>	
<i>Allisoniella</i> (1)	<b>Lejeuneoideae</b>
<i>Cephaloziella</i> (2)	<b>Brachiolejeuneae</b>
<i>Kymatocalyx</i> (1)	<i>Acanthocoleus</i> (1)
<b>Family Exomorthecaceae</b>	<i>Odontolejeunea</i> (1)
<i>Exomortheca</i> (1)	<i>Stictolejeunea</i> (1)
<b>Family Geocalycaceae</b>	<b>Cololejeuneae</b>
<i>Clasmatocolea</i> (1)	<i>Cololejeunea</i> (15)
<i>Conoscyphus</i> (1)	<i>Colura</i> (5)
<i>Geocalyx</i> (1)	<i>Diplasiolejeunea</i> (1)
<i>Heteroscyphus</i> (3)	<b>Lejeuneae</b>
<i>Leptoscyphus</i> (1)	<i>Ceratolejeunea</i> (2)
<i>Lophocolea</i> (10)	<i>Cheilolejeunea</i> (10)
<b>Family Gymnomitriaceae</b>	<i>Drepanolejeunea</i> (4)
<i>Marsupella</i> (1)	<i>Haplolejeunea</i> (1)
<b>Family Herbertaceae</b>	<i>Lejeunea</i> (10)
<i>Herbertus</i> (2)	<i>Lepidolejeunea</i> (1)
<b>Family Jubulaceae</b>	<i>Leucolejeunea</i> (2)
<i>Frullania</i> (17)	<i>Microlejeunea</i> (1)
<b>Family Jungermanniaceae</b>	<i>Prionolejeunea</i> (1)
<i>Anastrophyllum</i> (2)	<i>Taxilejeunea</i> (2)
<i>Andrewsianthus</i> (1)	<b>Family Lepidoziaceae</b>
<i>Cryptochila</i> (1)	<i>Arachniopsis</i> (2)
<i>Gottschelia</i> (1)	<i>Bazzania</i> (4)
<i>Jamesoniella</i> (2)	<i>Kurzia</i> (1)
<i>Jungermannia</i> (5)	<i>Lepidozia</i> (1)
<i>Nardia</i> (1)	<i>Telaranea</i> (1)
<i>Notoscyphus</i> (1)	<b>Family Mastigophoraceae</b>
<i>Plicanthus</i> (1)	<i>Mastigophora</i> (1)
<i>Syzygiella</i> (1)	<b>Family Plagiochilaceae</b>
<b>Family Lejeuneaceae</b>	<i>Plagiochila</i> (18)
<b>Ptychanthoideae</b>	<b>Family Pleuroziaceae</b>
<b>Ptychantheae</b>	<i>Pleurozia</i> (1)
<i>Acrolejeunea</i> (2)	<b>Family Porellaceae</b>
<i>Bryopteris</i> (1)	<i>Porella</i> (2)
<i>Lopholejeunea</i> (9)	<b>Family Radulaceae</b>
<i>Marchesinia</i> (1)	<i>Radula</i> (12)
<i>Mastigolejeunea</i> (3)	<b>Family Schistochilaceae</b>
<i>Schiffnerolejeunea</i> (3)	<i>Gottschea</i> (2)
<i>Thysananthus</i> (1)	

**Division Anthocerotophyta (Hornworts)****Class ANTHOCEROTOPSIDA**

Order ANTHOCEROTALES

Family Dendrocerotaceae

Family Anthocerotaceae

*Dendroceros* (1)*Anthoceros* (1)*Phaeoceros* (1)**Musci reported from Réunion Island****Taxa****Andreaeaceae***Andreaea borbonica* Besch. (Een 1993a)*Andreaea tsaratananae* Thér. (Een 1993a)**Anomodontaceae***Anomodon pseudotristis* (Müll.Hal.) Kindb. (Müller 2000)*Anomodon tristis* (Ces.) Sull. & Lesq. (Müller 2002)**Bartramiaceae***Anacolia laevisphaera* Taylor (Een 1993a)*Bartramia gigantea* Bory (Fransén 2004)*Bartramia ithyphylla* subsp. *patens* (Brid.) Fransén (Een 1993a, Fransén 2004)*Bartramia longifolia* Hook. (Een 1993; Fransén 2004)*Breutelia borbonica* De Sloover (Een 1993a)*Breutelia gnaphalea* (P.Beaup.) Mitt. (Een 1993a)*Breutelia magdalena* De Sloover (Een 1993a)*Breutelia perrieri* Thér. (Een 1993a)*Breutelia stenodictyon* (Renauld & Cardot) Broth. (Een 1993a)*Breutelia stuhlmannii* Broth. (de Sloover 1975)*Leiomela bartramiooides* (Hook.) Paris (Een 1993a)*Philonotis bescherellei* Thér., **B** (Een 1993a)*Philonotis gracilescens* Schimp. (Een 1993a)*Philonotis hastata* (Duby) Wijk & Margad. (Een 1993a)*Philonotis mauritiana* Ångstr. (Een 1993a)*Philonotis perigonialis* Besch., **B** (Een 1993a)*Philonotis scabrifolia* (Hook.f. & Wilson) Braithw. (Müller & Schäfer-Verwimp 1999)*Philonotis submarchica* Besch., **B** (Een 1993a)*Philonotis submarchica* var. *plumosa* Renauld & Cardot, **B** (Een 1993a)**Brachytheciaceae***Brachythecium borgenii* (Hampe) A.Jaeger (Een 1993a, 1997)*Brachythecium chauvetii* Renauld & Cardot, **B** (Een 1993a, 1997)*Brachythecium decurrens* Cardot (Een 1997)*Brachythecium plumosum* (Hedw.) Bruch, Schimp. & W.Gümbel (Een 1997)*Brachythecium valentini* Besch., **B** (Een 1993a)*Eurhynchium acicladium* Besch., **B** (Een 1993a)*Palamocladium leskeoides* (Hook.) E. Britton (Townsend 1969; Een 1993a, 1997; Hofmann 1997)*Pseudoscleropodium purum* (Hedw.) M.Fleisch. (Een 1993a, 1997)

*Rhynchostegiella tenelliformis* (Renauld & Cardot) Broth., **B** (Een 1993a, 1997)

*Rhynchostegium comorae* (Müll.Hal.) A. Jaeger (Een 1997)

*Rhynchostegium distans* Besch. (Een 1997)

*Rhynchostegium pseudodistans* Cardot (Een 1997)

*Squamidium brasiliense* (Hornschr.) Broth. (Allen & Crosby 1986; Een 1993a; Delgadillo M. 1995)

#### Bruchiaceae

*Trematodon borbonicus* Besch., **B** (Een 1993a)

*Trematodon paradoxus* Hornsch. (Een 1993a)

*Trematodon subambiguus* Besch. (Een 1993a)

#### Bryaceae

*Anomobryum laceratum* Besch., **B** (Ochi 1972) (Een 1993a)

*Brachymenium eurychelium* Besch. (Ochi 1972)

*Brachymenium exile* (Dozy & Molk.) Bosch & Sande Lac. (Shaw, Allen et al. 1998)

*Brachymenium leptophyllum* (Bruch & Schimp. ex Müll.Hal.) Bruch & Schimp. ex A.Jaeger (Müller 2000)

*Brachymenium pulchrum* Hook. (Een 1993a)

*Brachymenium spathidophyllum* Besch., **B** (Een 1993a)

*Bryum apiculatum* Schwägr. (Ochi 1972; Een 1993a)

*Bryum argenteum* var. *argenteum* Hedw. (Ochi 1972; Een 1993a)

*Bryum argenteum* var. *submuticum* Besch., **B** (Een 1993a)

*Bryum aubertii* (Schwägr.) Brid. (Ochi 1972)

*Bryum billardierei* var. *billardierei* Schwägr. (Ochi 1972; Mohamed 1979; Een 1993a)

*Bryum cadetii* Bizot & Onr., **B** (Bizot 1974; Een 1993a)

*Bryum cellulare* Hook. (Ochi 1973; Een 1993a; Delgadillo M. 1995)

*Bryum coronatum* Schwägr. (Een 1993a)

*Bryum pseudotriquetrum* var. *pseudotriquetrum* (Hedw.) P.Gaertn., B.Mey. & Scherb. (Müller 2000)

*Rhodobryum commersonii* (Schwägr.) Brid. (Ochi 1972; Een 1993a)

*Rhodobryum giganteum* (Schwägr.) Paris (Een 1993a)

#### Calymperaceae

*Calymperes hispidum* Renauld & Cardot (Een 1993a)

*Calymperes palisotii* Schwägr. (Müller 2000)

*Calymperes taitense* (Sull.) Mitt. (Een 1993a; Orbán 1995)

*Leucophanes angustifolium* Renauld & Cardot (Een 1993a; Salazar Allen 1993a, b)

*Leucophanes hildebrandtii* Müll.Hal. (Een 1993a)

*Leucophanes rodriguezii* Müll.Hal. (Salazar Allen 1993a)

*Syrrhopodon armatus* ssp. *insularus* (Bizot & Onr.) Orbán & W.D.Reese (Orbán 1977)

*Syrrhopodon asper* Mitt. (Een 1993a)

*Syrrhopodon gardneri* (Hook.) Schwägr. (Orbán 1981; Een 1993a)

*Syrrhopodon gaudichaudii* Mont. (Orbán 1981)

*Syrrhopodon involutus* Schwägr. (Orbán 1981)

*Syrrhopodon mahensis* var. *mahensis* Besch., **B** (Een 1993a)

*Syrrhopodon mauritanus* Müll.Hal. ex Ångstr. (Orbán 1978, 1981)

*Syrrhopodon parasiticus* (Brid.) Besch. (Müller 2002)

*Syrrhopodon prolifer* var. *acanthoneuros* (Müll.Hal.) Müll.Hal. (Orbán 1981)

*Syrrhopodon prolifer* var. *hispidocostatus* (Renauld & Cardot in Renauld) Orbán & W.D.Reese (Orbán 1981)

*Syrrhopodon prolifer* var. *prolifer* Schwägr. (Een 1993a)

**Syrrhopodon prolifer var. seychellarum** Orbán, 14 Km W of Ste Anne, Ravine d' Etang, 21°5'20"S, 55°38'10"E, very wet forest with many tree ferns, and rocks affected by the spray of the huge Annette falls at 530-560 m alt., 29th august 1994, Orbán 9434/CH; det. Orbán , REU!  
**Syrrhopodon rodriguezii** Renauld & Cardot, B (Orbán 1981)

**Catagoniaceae**

**Catagonium nitens** ssp. **nitens** (Brid.) Cardot (Lin 1984; Een 1993a, 1997)

**Daltoniaceae**

**Calyptrochaeta asplenoides** (Brid.) Crosby (Een 1993a)

**Daltonia angustifolia** var. **angustifolia** Dozy & Molk. (Een 1993a)

**Daltonia latimarginata** Besch. (Een 1993a)

**Daltonia onraedtii** Bizot, B (Bizot 1974; Een 1993a)

**Distichophyllum mascarenicum** Besch. (Een 1993a)

**Dicranaceae**

**Anisothecium cardottii** (R.Br.bis) Ochyra (Müller 2002)

**Aongstroemia filiformis** (P.Beauv.) Wijk & Margad. (Een 1993a) (Delgadillo M. 1995)

**Aongstroemia julacea** (Hook.) Mitt. (Een 1993a)

**Atractylocarpus madagascariensis** (Thér.) Padberg & J.-P.Frahm (Townsend 1987)

**Bryohumbertia filifolia** var. **filifolia** (Hornschr.) J.-P.Frahm (Een 1993a)

**Campylopus arctocarpus** ssp. **madecassus** (Besch.) J.-P.Frahm (Frahm 1985)

**Campylopus arcuatus** (Brid.) A.Jaeger (Frahm 1985)

**Campylopus aureonitens** (Müll.Hal.) A. Jaeger (Frahm 1985)

**Campylopus bartramiae** (Müll.Hal.) Thér. (Een 1993a)

**Campylopus crateris** Besch. (Crosby, Schultze-Motel et al. 1983; Frahm 1985)

**Campylopus flexuosus** var. **flexuosus** (Hedw.) Brid. (Frahm 1985)

**Campylopus flexuosus** var. **incacorralis** (Herzog) J.-P.Frahm (Een 1989)

**Campylopus fragilis** ssp. **fragilis** (Brid.) Bruch, Schimp. & W.Gümbel (Een 1993a)

**Campylopus hildebrandtii** (Müll.Hal.) A.Jaeger (Frahm 1985; Een 1989)

**Campylopus introflexus** (Hedw.) Brid. (Frahm 1985)

**Campylopus jamesonii** (Hook.) A.Jaeger (Crosby, Schultze-Motel et al. 1983; Frahm 1985)

**Campylopus julaceus** ssp. **arbogastii** (Renauld & Cardot) J.-P.Frahm (Frahm 1985)

**Campylopus nanophyllus** Müll.Hal. ex Broth. (Frahm 1985)

**Campylopus nivalis** var. **nivalis** (Brid.) Brid. (Frahm 1985)

**Campylopus pilifer** ssp. **pilifer** Brid. (Frahm 1985)

**Campylopus praetermissus** J.-P.Frahm (Een 1989)

**Campylopus pyriformis** var. **pyriformis** (Schultz) Brid. (Een 1989)

**Campylopus robillardrei** Besch. (Frahm 1985)

**Campylopus schmidii** (Müll.Hal.) A.Jaeger (Crosby, Schultze-Motel et al. 1983; Frahm 1985)

**Campylopus smaragdinus** (Brid.) A.Jaeger (Bizot 1974; Frahm 1985)

**Campylopus thwaitesii** (Mitt.) A.Jaeger (Frahm 1985)

**Campylopus trachybilepharon** ssp. **comatus** (Renauld & Cardot) J.-P.Frahm (Een 1989)

**Dicranella cratericola** Besch., B (Een 1993a)

**Dicranella flavipes** Besch., B (Een 1993a)

**Dicranella subsubulata** (Hampe ex Müll.Hal.) A.Jaeger (Müller 2000)

**Dicranoloma billardierei** (Brid. ex Anon.) Paris (Een 1993a)

**Dicranoloma billardierei** var. **scopareolum** (Müll.Hal.) Thér. (Een 1993a)

**Dicranoloma borbonicum** Renauld & Cardot, B (Een 1993a)

**Holomitrium borbonicum** Besch. (Een 1993a)

**Holomitrium borbonicum** var. **hamatum** (Müll.Hal.) Thér. (Een 1993a)

**Holomitrium cylindraceum** var. **cucullatum** (Besch.) Wijk & Margad. (Een 1993a)

- Holomitrium cylindraceum* var. *cylindraceum* (P.Beauv.) Wijk & Margad. (Een 1993a)  
*Leptotrichella lutaria* (Besch.) Ochyra, **B** (Een 1993a)  
*Leucoloma bifidum* (Brid.) Brid. (La Farge 2002a)  
*Leucoloma boivinianum* var. *boivinianum* Besch. (Een 1993a)  
*Leucoloma candidulum* Besch. (Een 1993a)  
*Leucoloma capillifolium* Renauld, La Réunion Plaine des Osmondes dans l'enclos de la  
Fournaise, sur les arbres ou arbustes, alt 900 m, 14/12/1970, Leg. Gimalac, det. Bizot, N° MNHN  
17204, PC !  
*Leucoloma cinctidotoides* Besch. (Een 1993a; La Farge 2002a)  
*Leucoloma cirrosulum* Renauld, Mare Longue, sur troncs morts couchés, 100 m, rec. Cadet; det.  
Bizot (1.02.1972), N° MNHN 19401, PC !  
*Leucoloma fuscifolium* Besch. (Een 1993a)  
*Leucoloma fuscifolium* var. *crispatum* Renauld (Een 1993a)  
*Leucoloma lepervancheri* Besch. (Een 1993a; La Farge 2002a)  
*Leucoloma longifolium* (Brid.) Wijk & Margad. (Een 1993a; La Farge 2002b)  
*Leucoloma mafatense* Renauld, **B** (Een 1993a; La Farge 2002a)  
*Leucoloma membranaceum* La Farge  
*Leucoloma onraedtii* La Farge, **B** (Bizot 1974; Een 1993a; La Farge 2002b)  
*Leucoloma persecundum* Besch. Bourbon, Leg. Rodriguez, Herbier Renauld, PC !  
*Leucoloma rutenbergii* var. *elatum* Renauld (Een 1989)  
*Leucoloma sanctae-mariae* Besch., Réunion, Herbier Bizot 8470, N° MNHN 21046, PC !  
*Leucoloma seychellense* Besch. (Een 1993a; La Farge 2002a)  
*Leucoloma sinuosulum* Müll.Hal. ex Besch. (Een 1993a)  
*Leucoloma subcespitosum* Besch., **B** (Een 1993a)  
*Pseudephemerum nitidum* (Hedw.) Reimers (Müller 2000)

**Ditrichaceae**

- Ceratodon purpureus* ssp. *convolutus* (Reichardt) Burley (Burley & Pritchard 1990; Een 1993a)  
*Ditrichum difficile* (Duby) M.Fleisch. (Een 1993a)  
*Ditrichum punctulatum* Mitt. (Müller 2000)  
*Garckea flexuosa* (Griff.) Margad. & Nork. (Een 1993a)

**Entodontaceae**

- Entodon dregeanus* var. *borbonicus* Renauld & Cardot, **B** (Een 1993a)  
*Entodon geminidens* (Besch.) Broth. (Buck 1980)  
*Entodon macropodus* (Hedw.) Müll.Hal. (Een 1997)

**Eustichiaceae**

- Eustichia longirostris* (Brid.) Brid. (Een 1993a)

**Fabroniaceae**

- Rhizofabronia persoonii* var. *persoonii* (Schwägr.) M.Fleisch. (Een 1993a, 1997)

**Fissidentaceae**

- Fissidens asplenoides* Hedw. (Een 1993a)  
*Fissidens brevifrons* Mitt. (Bizot 1974; Een 1993a)  
*Fissidens crispulus* Brid. (Bruggeman-Nannenga 1997)  
*Fissidens darntyi* Schimp. (Een 1993a)  
*Fissidens ellipticus* Besch. (Een 1993a)  
*Fissidens intramarginatus* (Hampe) Mitt. (Een 1993a)  
*Fissidens ovatus* Brid. (Een 1993a)  
*Fissidens palmifolius* (P.Beauv.) Broth. (Pursell 1987; Een 1993a)  
*Fissidens pellucidus* var. *pellucidus* Hornsch. (Bruggeman-Nannenga 1993)  
*Fissidens planifrons* Besch. (Blockeel, Arts et al. 2003)  
*Fissidens plumosus* Hornsch. (Een 1993a)

*Fissidens pseudoplumosus* Bizot & Onr., **B** (Bizot 1974; Een 1993a)  
*Fissidens sciophyllus* fo. *sciophyllus* Mitt. (Bruggeman-Nannenga 1993)

## Funariaceae

*Entosthodon borbonicus* Besch. (Een 1993a)  
*Entosthodon lepervanchei* Besch., **B** (Een 1993a)  
*Funaria hygrometrica* var. *calvescens* (Schwägr.) Kindb. (Een 1993a)  
*Funaria hygrometrica* var. *hygrometrica* Hedw. (Een 1993a)  
*Funaria hygrometrica* var. *mauritiana* (Besch.) Paris (Een 1993a)  
*Physcomitrium spathulatum* var. *spathulatum* (Hornschr.) Müll.Hal. (Müller 2000)

## Grimmiaceae

*Grimmia elongata* Kaulf. (Een 1993a; Muñoz 1999)  
*Grimmia laevigata* (Brid.) Brid. (Een 1993a)  
*Grimmia longirostris* Hook. (Greven 1996; Muñoz 1998)  
*Gymnostomiella vernicosa* var. *tenerum* (Müll.Hal. ex Dusén) Arts (Arts 1998)  
*Racomitrium lanuginosum* (Hedw.) Brid. (Een 1993a)  
*Racomitrium membranaceum* (Mitt.) Paris (de Sloover 1977; Ochyra & Hertel 1990; Een 1993a)  
*Racomitrium subsecundum* (Hook. & Grev.) Mitt. & Wilson (Een 1993a)

*Schistidium apocarpum* var. *apocarpum* (Hedw.) Bruch, Schimp. & W.Gümbel (Een 1993a)

## Hedwigiaceae

*Hedwigidium integrifolium* (P.Beauv.) Dixon in C.E.O.Jensen (Een 1993a)

## Hookeriaceae

*Hookeria splachnifolia* (Brid.) Arn., **B** (Een 1993a)  
*Chaetomitrium borbonicum* Besch. (Een 1993a)

## Hylocomiaceae

*Hylocomium brevirostre* (Brid.) Bruch, Schimp. & W.Gümbel (Een 1993a)

## Hypnaceae

*Ectropothecium occultum* Renauld & Cardot (Een 1993a)  
*Ectropothecium regulare* (Brid.) A. Jaeger (Een 1993a, 1997)

*Ectropothecium regulare* var. *laxitextum* Thér., **B** (Een 1993a)

*Ectropothecium valentini* Besch. (Een 1993a)

*Ectropothecium viridulum* (Brid.) A.Jaeger, **B** (Een 1993a)

*Hypnum bicolor* Bél., **B** (Een 1993a)

*Hypnum boryanum* Schwägr., **B** (Een 1993a)

*Hypnum cupressiforme* var. *cupressiforme* Hedw. (Een 1997)

*Hypnum jutlandicum* Holmen & E.Warncke (Een 1993a)

*Hypnum macrogynum* Besch. (Een 1993a, 1997)

*Hypnum radiatum* Schwägr., **B** (Een 1993a)

*Isopterygium citrinellum* Renauld & Cardot, **B** (Een 1993a)

*Isopterygium intortum* (P.Beauv.) A. Jaeger (Een 1993a)

*Isopterygium molle* Thér., **B** (Een 1993a)

*Isopterygium radicans* (Brid.) A. Jaeger, **B** (Een 1993a)

*Mittenothamnium bescherellei* (Renauld & Cardot) Cardot, **B** (Een 1993a)

*Mittenothamnium limosum* (Besch.) Cardot (Een 1993a)

*Mittenothamnium madagassum* (Besch.) Cardot (Een 1993a, 1997)

*Mittenothamnium microthamnioides* (Geh.) Wijk & Margad. (Een 1997)

*Mittenothamnium reptans* (Hedw.) Cardot (Een 1993a, 1997)

*Phyllobon perplanicaulis* (Broth.) Kis (Kis 2002)

*Phyllobon truncatulus* (Müll. Hal.) W.R.Buck (Kis 2002)

*Taxithelium pseudo-amoenum* (Bél.) Renauld (Een 1993a)

<i>Vesicularia galericulata</i> (Duby) Broth. (Een 1993a)	
<i>Vesicularia lepervanchei</i> (Besch.) Broth. (Een 1993a)	
<i>Vesicularia rodriguezii</i> (Renauld & Cardot) Broth., <b>B</b> (Een 1993a)	
<i>Vesicularia scaturigina</i> (Brid.) Broth. (Een 1993a)	
<i>Vesicularia subsphaerica</i> (Müll.Hal.) Broth., <b>B</b> (Een 1993a)	<b>Hypopteriaceae</b>
<i>Hypopterygium tamarisci</i> (Sw. ex Sw.) Brid. ex Müll.Hal. (Een 1993a; Kruijer 1997, 2002)	
<i>Lopidium struthiopteris</i> (Brid.) M.Fleisch. (Een 1993a, 1997; Kruijer 1997, 2002)	<b>Leptodontaceae</b>
<i>Leptodon fuciformis</i> (Brid.) Enroth (Enroth 1992; Een 1993a)	
<i>Schwetschkea grateloupiae</i> (Mont.) Müll.Hal. (Een 1993a)	<b>Leskeaceae</b>
<i>Leucobryum javense</i> (Brid.) Mitt., <b>B</b> (Een 1993a)	
<i>Leucobryum juniperoides</i> (Brid.) Müll.Hal. (Een 1993a)	
<i>Leucobryum boryanum</i> Besch. (Een 1993a)	
<i>Leucobryum isleanum</i> Besch. (Een 1993a)	
<i>Leucobryum mayottense</i> Cardot (Een 1993a)	
<i>Octoblepharum albidum</i> Hedw. (Een 1993a)	<b>Leucodontaceae</b>
<i>Felipponea assimilis</i> (Müll.Hal.) O'Shea (Een 1976, 1993a)	
<i>Pterogonium gracile</i> (Hedw.) Sm. (Een 1993a, 1997)	
<i>Pterogonium gracile</i> var. <i>madagassum</i> (Geh.) M.Fleisch. (Een 1993a)	<b>Leucomiaceae</b>
<i>Leucomium strumosum</i> (Hornschr.) Mitt. (Müller 2000)	
<i>Aerobryidium subpiligerum</i> var. <i>majus</i> (Renauld & Cardot) Wijk & Margad., <b>B</b> (Een 1993a)	
<i>Aerobryopsis capensis</i> (Müll.Hal.) M.Fleisch. (Een 1993a)	
<i>Floribundaria floribunda</i> (Dozy & Molk.) M.Fleisch. (Een 1993a)	
<i>Floribundaria vaginans</i> (Welw. & Duby) Broth. (Een 1993a, 1997)	
<i>Orthostichella pentasticha</i> (Brid.) W.R.Buck (Een 1993a)	
<i>Papillaria africana</i> (Müll.Hal.) A. Jaeger (Een 1993a, 1997)	<b>Mniaceae</b>
<i>Mielichhoferia borbonica</i> Thér., <b>B</b> (Een 1993a)	
<i>Plagiomnium rhynchophorum</i> var. <i>rhynchophorum</i> (Hook.) T.J.Kop. (Koponen 1981; Een 1993a)	
<i>Pseudopohlia microstoma</i> (Harv.) Mizush. (Een 1993a)	<b>Neckeraceae</b>
<i>Homaliodendron exiguum</i> (Bosch & Sande Lac.) M.Fleisch. (Een 1993a)	
<i>Neckera valentiniana</i> Besch. (Een 1993a)	
<i>Neckeropsis lepineana</i> (Mont.) M.Fleisch. (Een 1993a)	
<i>Neckeropsis madecassa</i> (Besch.) M.Fleisch. (Enroth 1993)	
<i>Pinnatella minuta</i> (Mitt.) Broth. (Enroth 1994)	
<i>Porothamnium stipitatum</i> (Mitt.) Touw ex De Sloover (de Sloover 1983; Een 1993a)	
<i>Porothamnium variifoloides</i> De Sloover (de Sloover 1983)	
<i>Porotrichum elongatum</i> (Welw. & Duby) A.Gepp (de Sloover 1983)	
<i>Porotrichum madagassum</i> Kjaer ex Besch. (de Sloover 1983; Een 1997)	
<i>Porotrichum usagarum</i> Mitt. (de Sloover 1983)	<b>Orthodontiaceae</b>
<i>Orthodontium loreifolium</i> Besch. (Een 1993a)	

## Orthotrichaceae

- Cardotiella appendiculata* (Renauld & Cardot) Vitt (Een 1993a)  
*Cardotiella subappendiculata* (Broth.) Vitt (Vitt 1981)  
*Leiomitrium plicatum* (P.Beauv.) Mitt. (Een 1993a)  
*Macrocoma tenuis* ssp. *tenuis* (Hook. & Grev.) Vitt (Een 1993a)  
*Macromitrium belangeri* Müll.Hal., **B** (Een 1993a)  
*Macromitrium fasciculare* Mitt. (Een 1993a)  
*Macromitrium fimbriatum* (P.Beauv.) Schwägr. (Een 1993a)  
*Macromitrium gimalacii* Bizot & Onr., **B** (Een 1993a)  
*Macromitrium mauritianum* Schwägr. (Een 1993a)  
*Macromitrium pallidum* (P.Beauv.) Wijk & Margad. (Een 1993a)  
*Macromitrium rufescens* Besch. (Een 1993a)  
*Macromitrium scleropodium* Besch. (Een 1993a)  
*Macromitrium serpens* (Bruch ex Hook. & Grev.) Brid. (Een 1993a)  
*Macromitrium voeltzkowii* Broth. (Een 1993a)  
*Schlotheimia angulosa* P.Beauv. (Een 1993a)  
*Schlotheimia badiella* Besch. (Een 1993a)  
*Schlotheimia badiella* var. *helicophylla* Besch. (Een 1993a)  
*Schlotheimia badiella* var. *longicaulis* Besch., **B** (Een 1993a)  
*Schlotheimia brachyphylla* Renauld & Cardot, **B** (Een 1993a)  
*Schlotheimia fornicata* Duby (Een 1993a)  
*Schlotheimia illecebra* Schimp. ex Besch. (Een 1993a)  
*Schlotheimia malacophylla* Besch. (Een 1993a)  
*Schlotheimia microcarpa* Geh. (Een 1993a)  
*Schlotheimia richardii* Besch. (Een 1993a)  
*Schlotheimia robillardii* Duby (Een 1993a)  
*Schlotheimia squarrosa* Brid. (Delgadillo M. 1995)  
*Schlotheimia subfornicata* Thér. (Een 1993a)  
*Ulota fulva* Brid. (Een 1993a)  
*Zygodon intermedius* Bruch, Schimp. & W.Gümbel (Een 1993b)  
*Zygodon reinwardtii* (Hornschr.) A.Braun (Een 1993a)

## Pterigynandraceae

- Trachyphyllum inflexum* (Harv.) A.Gepp (Buck 1979)

## Phyllogoniaceae

- Phyllogonium fulgens* var. *fulgens* (Hedw.) Brid., **B** (Lin 1983; Een 1993a)  
*Phyllogonium viride* Brid., **B** (Lin 1983)  
*Phyllogonium viscosum* (P.Beauv.) Mitt. (Lin 1983, 1985; Een 1993a; Delgadillo M. 1995)

## Pilotrichaceae

- Callicostella fissidentella* (Besch.) Kindb. (Een 1993a)  
*Callicostella salaziae* (Besch.) Broth. (Een 1993a)  
*Cyclodictyon albicans* (Hedw.) Kuntze, **B** (Een 1993a)  
*Cyclodictyon aubertii* (P.Beauv.) Kuntze (Een 1993a, 1997)  
*Cyclodictyon borbonicum* (Besch.) Broth. (Een 1993a)  
*Cyclodictyon brevifolium* Broth. (Een 1993a)  
*Cyclodictyon perrottetii* Demaret & P.de La Varde, **B** (Een 1993a)  
*Cyclodictyon vesiculosum* (Brid.) Kuntze (Een 1993a)  
*Lepidopilidium cespitosum* (Besch.) Broth. (Een 1993a, 1997)  
*Lepidopilidium flexuosum* (Besch.) Paris, **B** (Een 1993a, 1997)  
*Lepidopilidium isleanum* (Besch.) Broth., **B** (Een 1993a)  
*Lepidopilum hirsutum* Besch., **B** (Een 1993a)

*Pilotrichella isleana* var. *isleana* Besch. (Een 1993a, 1997)  
*Pilotrichella mascarenica* (Müll.Hal.) A. Jaeger (Een 1993a)  
*Pilotrichella phleoides* (Brid.) A. Jaeger, **B** (Een 1993a)

## Plagiotheciaceae

*Plagiothecium nitens* Dixon (Een 1997)

## Polytrichaceae

*Atrichum androgynum* (Müll.Hal.) A.Jaeger (Een 1993a) (de Sloover 1986)  
*Pogonatum belangeri* (Müll.Hal.) A. Jaeger (Hyvönen 1989)  
*Pogonatum convolutum* (Hedw.) P.Beauv. (de Sloover 1986; Hyvönen 1989)  
*Pogonatum gracilifolium* Besch. (Hyvönen 1989)  
*Pogonatum perichaetiale* ssp. *oligodus* (Müll.Hal.) Hyvönen (de Sloover 1986; Hyvönen 1989)  
*Pogonatum proliferum* (Griff.) Mitt. (Een 1993b, a)  
*Pogonatum urnigerum* (Hedw.) P.Beauv. (Müller 2002)  
*Pogonatum usambaricum* (Broth.) Paris (Hyvönen 1989)  
*Polytrichum commune* var. *commune* Hedw. (de Sloover 1986)  
*Polytrichum piliferum* Hedw. (Müller & Schäfer-Verwimp 1999)  
*Polytrichum subpilosum* P.Beauv. (de Sloover 1986; Een 1993a)

## Pottiaceae

*Anoectangium aestivum* (Hedw.) Mitt. (Sollman & Een 1996)  
*Anoectangium borbonense* Besch. (Een 1993a)  
*Anoectangium mafatense* Renauld & Cardot (Een 1993a)  
*Anoectangium raphidostegium* Besch. (Een 1993a)  
*Astomum borbonicum* Bizot & Onr., **B** (Een 1993a) (Bizot 1974)  
*Barbula indica* var. *indica* (Hook.) Spreng. in Steud. (Sollman & Een 1996)  
*Barbula unguiculata* Hedw. (Müller 2000)  
*Bryoerythrophyllum campylocarpum* (Müll.Hal.) H. A. Crum (Sollman & Een 1996)  
*Didymodon maschalogenia* (Renauld & Cardot) Broth. (Een 1993b)  
*Hymenostylium recurvirostrum* (Hedw.) Dixon (Müller 2002)  
*Hymenostylium scaturiginosum* (Müll.Hal.) Broth. (Een 1993a)  
*Hyophila involuta* (Hook.) A. Jaeger (Een 1993a; Sollman & Een 1996)  
*Leptodontium flexifolium* (Dicks.) Hampe (de Sloover 1987)  
*Leptodontium longicaule* ssp. *stellatum* (Brid.) De Sloover (de Sloover 1987)  
*Leptodontium longicaule* var. *longicaule* Mitt. (de Sloover 1987; Delgadillo M. 1995)  
*Leptodontium longicaule* var. *microruncinatum* (Dusén) R.H.Zander, (Een 1993b, Delgadillo, 1995)  
*Leptodontium pungens* (Mitt.) Kindb. (de Sloover 1987)  
*Leptodontium viticulosoides* var. *viticulosoides* (P.Beauv.) Wijk & Margad. (de Sloover 1987; Een 1993a; Delgadillo M. 1995)  
*Leptophascum leptophyllum* (Müll.Hal.) J.Guerra & M.J.Cano (Müller 2000)  
*Pseudosymbelpharis bombayensis* (Müll.Hal.) P.Sollm. (Sollman & Een 1996)  
*Pseudosymbelpharis circinnatula* (Broth. in Voeltzk.) R.H.Zander (Een 1993a)  
*Tortella humilis* (Hedw.) Jenn. (Müller & Schäfer-Verwimp 1999)  
*Tortella vernicosa* (Renauld & Cardot) Broth., **B** (Een 1993a)  
*Trichostomum brachydontium* ssp. *mutable* (Bruch) Giacom., **B** (Een 1997)  
*Trichostomum brachydontium* var. *brachydontium* Bruch (Een 1993a; Sollman & Een 1996)  
*Trichostomum cardotii* Bizot, **B** (Een 1993a)  
*Trichostomum crispulum* var. *crispulum* Bruch (Müller 2000)  
*Trichostomum tenuirostre* var. *tenuirostre* (Hook. & Taylor) Lindb. (Een 1993a)  
*Weissia ayresii* Schimp. (Een 1993a)  
*Weissia controversa* var. *controversa* Hedw. (Een 1993a)

<i>Weissia ricciae</i> Brid., <b>B</b> (Een 1993a)	Prionodontaceae
<i>Prionodon ciliatus</i> Besch. (Een 1993a, 1997)	Pterobryaceae
<i>Calyptothecium acutifolium</i> var. <i>acutifolium</i> (Brid.) Broth. (Argent 1973; Een 1993a)	
<i>Calyptothecium acutifolium</i> var. <i>antitrichioides</i> (Besch.) Paris (Argent 1973; Een 1993a)	
<i>Hildebrandtiella pachyclada</i> Besch. (Argent 1973; Een 1993a)	
<i>Hildebrandtiella rotundifolia</i> Renauld (Een 1993a)	
<i>Jaegerina solitaria</i> (Brid.) A.Jaeger (Een 1993a, 1997)	
<i>Jaegerina solitaria</i> var. <i>ramosa</i> Besch., <b>B</b> (Een 1993a)	
<i>Orthostichidium involutifolium</i> ssp. <i>thomeanum</i> (Broth.) Argent (Een 1993a)	
<i>Orthostichopsis debilinervis</i> (Renauld & Cardot) Broth., <b>B</b> (Een 1993a)	
<i>Orthostichopsis longinervis</i> (Renauld & Cardot) Broth. (Een 1997)	
<i>Orthostichopsis subimbricata</i> (Hampe) Broth. (Argent 1973; Een 1997)	
<i>Orthostichopsis subimbricata</i> var. <i>borbonica</i> (Renauld & Cardot) Cardot, <b>B</b> (Een 1993a)	
<i>Orthostichopsis sublivens</i> (Besch.) Broth., <b>B</b> (Een 1993a)	
<i>Ptychomitrium subcrispatum</i> Thér. & P.de La Varde (de Sloover 1976)	Ptychomitriaceae
<i>Racopilum africanum</i> Mitt. (Een 1993a, 1997)	Racopilaceae
<i>Racopilum ayresii</i> Mitt., <b>B</b> (Een 1993a)	
<i>Racopilum capense</i> Müll.Hal. ex Broth. (Een 1993a)	
<i>Racopilum mauritianum</i> Müll.Hal. ex Besch. (Een 1993a, 1997)	
<i>Racopilum schmidii</i> (Müll.Hal.) Mitt., <b>B</b> (Een 1993a)	
<i>Racopilum tomentosum</i> (Hedw.) Brid. (Een 1993a)	
<i>Amphidium tortuosum</i> (Hornschr.) Cufod. (Müller & Schäfer-Verwimp 1999)	Rhabdoweisiaceae
<i>Rhacocarpus purpurascens</i> (Brid.) Paris (Een 1993a; Delgadillo M. 1995; Frahm 1996)	Rhacocarpaceae
<i>Pyrrhobryum spiniforme</i> (Hedw.) Mitt. (Een 1993a)	Rhizogoniaceae
<i>Pyrrhobryum spiniforme</i> var. <i>brevifolium</i> (Besch.) Manuel, <b>B</b> (Een 1993a)	
<i>Rutenbergia borbonica</i> Besch. (Een 1993a)	Rutenbergiaceae
<i>Rutenbergia prionodon</i> (Besch.) Renauld (Een 1993a)	
<i>Blindia acuta</i> (Hedw.) Bruch, Schimp. & W.Gümbel (de Sloover 1979)	Seligeriaceae
<i>Blindia magellanica</i> Schimp. ex Müll.Hal. (Een 1993a)	
<i>Acroporium megasporum</i> (Duby) M.Fleisch. (Een 1993a)	Sematophyllaceae
<i>Macrohymenium acidodon</i> (Mont.) Dozy & Molk. (Eakin 1976; Een 1993a)	
<i>Meiothecium madagascariense</i> (Brid.) Broth. (Een 1997)	
<i>Radulina borbonica</i> (Bél.) W.R.Buck (Een 1993a, 1997)	
<i>Rhaphidorrhynchium crispans</i> (Besch.) Broth., <b>B</b> (Een 1993a)	
<i>Rhaphidorrhynchium rubricaule</i> (Besch.) Broth. (Een 1993a, 1997)	
<i>Sematophyllum crassiusculum</i> (Brid.) Broth. (Een 1993a)	
<i>Sematophyllum schimperi</i> (Besch.) Broth. (Een 1993a)	
<i>Sematophyllum sinuosulum</i> (Besch.) Broth. (Een 1993a)	
<i>Sematophyllum subpinnatum</i> (Brid.) E. Britton (Een 1993a)	
<i>Trichosteleum adhaerens</i> (Besch.) Kindb., <b>B</b> (Een 1993a)	

- Trichosteleum constrictum* (Brid.) Renauld, **B** (Een 1993a)  
*Trichosteleum debettei* (Besch.) Kindb. (Een 1993a)  
*Trichosteleum pervilleanum* (Schimp.) W. R. Buck (Een 1997)  
*Warburgiella leptorrhyncha* (Müll.Hal.) Broth. (Een 1993a)  
*Wijkia protensa* (Renauld & Cardot) H.A.Crum, **B**

**Serpotortellaceae**

- Serpotortella chenagonii* (Renauld & Cardot) W.D.Reese & R.H.Zander (Een 1993a)  
*Serpotortella cyrtophylla* (Besch.) W.D.Reese & R.H.Zander (Een 1993a)

**Sphagnaceae**

- Sphagnum bourbonense* H.A.Crum, **B** (Crum 1992)  
*Sphagnum capense* Hornsch. (Eddy 1985)  
*Sphagnum capillifolium* var. *capillifolium* (Ehrh.) Hedw. (Een 1993a)  
*Sphagnum ceylonicum* Mitt. ex Warnst. (Eddy 1985)  
*Sphagnum condensatum* Brid., **B** (Een 1993a)  
*Sphagnum davidi* Warnst. (Eddy 1985)  
*Sphagnum ericetorum* Brid. (Eddy 1985)  
*Sphagnum perichaetiale* Hampe (Eddy 1985)  
*Sphagnum rutenbergii* Müll.Hal. (Eddy 1985)  
*Sphagnum strictum* ssp. *pappeanum* (Müll.Hal.) A.Eddy (Eddy 1985)  
*Sphagnum truncatum* var. *bordasii* (Besch.) A.Eddy  
*Sphagnum tumidulum* var. *confusum* A. Eddy, **B** (Eddy 1985)  
*Sphagnum tumidulum* var. *tumidulum* Besch. (Eddy 1985)  
*Sphagnum violascens* Müll.Hal. (Eddy 1985)

**Splachnaceae**

- Tayloria isleana* (Besch.) Broth. (Koponen & Weber 1972)  
*Tayloria orthodontia* (P.Beauv.) Wijk & Margad. (Koponen & Weber 1972)

**Stereophyllaceae**

- Stereophyllum radiculosum* (Hook.) Mitt. (Een 1993a)

**Sympyodontaceae**

- Sympyodon pygmaeus* (Broth.) S.He & Snider (Ochyra & Pócs 1985; He & Snider 2000)

**Thuidiaceae**

- Pelekium versicolor* (Hornsch. ex Müll.Hal.) Touw (Touw 1976; de Sloover 1977; Een 1997; Touw 2001)

- Thuidium aculeoserratum* Renauld & Cardot (Touw 1976)

- Thuidium assimile* (Mitt.) A.Jaeger (Touw 1976; de Sloover 1977)

- Thuidium tamariscinum* (Hedw.) Bruch, Schimp. & W.Gümbel (Touw 1976; de Sloover 1977)

**Trachypodaceae**

- Trachypodopsis serrulata* var. *serrulata* (P.Beauv.) M.Fleisch. (Van Zanten 1959; Een 1993a, 1997)

- Trachypus bicolor* var. *hispidus* (Müll.Hal.) Cardot (Een 1997)

- Trachypus bicolor* var. *viridulus* (Mitt.) Zanten (Een 1993a)

**Notes**

- *Entodon dregeanus* is now a synonym of *Entodon macropodus* (Townsend 1991). The variety *Entodon dregeanus* var. *borbonicus* Renauld & Cardot, is also in need of revision (O'Shea, 2003).
- We found in the herbarium PC, a specimen of *Leucoloma convolutaceum* Renauld, (Leg. *Onraedt R 1217*, 30/12/1969, Herbier Bizot, det. Bizot, n°17183, PC!), a synonym of *Leucoloma delicatulum* Renauld from Réunion Island, that O'Shea (2003) reports the presence only for Madagascar and Seychelles, but we decided not to include it in our check list because the specimen does not correspond to the other specimen from Madagascar, and thus the name given to the specimen may be erroneous.
- Allen & Magill (2003) made *Pilotrichella isleana* var. *isleana* Besch. a synonym of *Pilotrichella mascarenica* (Müll. Hal.) A.Jaeger, but after examining herbarium specimens, the authors prefer keeping the two species as distinct.

**Hepaticae and Hornworts reported from Réunion Island****Acrobolbaceae**

*Lethocolea congesta* (Lehm.) S.W.Arnell (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)  
*Marsupidium limbatum* (Steph.) Grolle (Grolle 1995)  
*Tylimanthus ruwenzorensis* S.W.Arnell (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)

**Adelanthaceae**

*Adelanthus decipiens* (Hook.) Mitt. (Grolle 1995)  
*Adelanthus lindenbergianus* (Lehm.) Mitt. (Grolle 1995)

**Aneuraceae**

*Aneura latissima* Spruce (Grolle 1995)  
*Riccardia limbata* (Steph.) E.W.Jones (Grolle 1995)  
*Riccardia longispica* (Steph.) Pearson (Grolle 1995)  
*Riccardia nudiflora* (Steph.) Grolle (Grolle 1995)  
*Riccardia ramosissima* (Steph.) Grolle, **B** (Grolle 1995)  
*Riccardia saccatiflora* (Steph.) S.W.Arnell (Grolle 1995; Perold 2001)  
*Riccardia* sp. (*Aneura caespitans* Steph.) (Grolle 1995)  
*Riccardia* sp. (*Aneura comosa* Steph.) (Grolle 1995)  
*Riccardia* sp. (*Aneura lepervanchei* Steph.) (Grolle 1995)

**Anthocerotaceae**

*Folioceros fuciformis* Mont. (Grolle 1995)  
*Phaeoceros carolinianus* (Michx.) Prosk. (Grolle 1995)

**Arnelliaceae**

*Gongylanthus ericetorum* (Raddi) Nees (Grolle 1995)  
*Gongylanthus scariosus* (Lehm.) Steph. (Grolle 1995)

**Aytoniaceae**

*Asterella syngenesica* (Bory) Grolle (Grolle 1995)  
*Plagiochasma eximium* (Schiffn. in Steph.) Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Plagiochasma rupestre* (J.R.Forst. et G.Forst.) Steph. (Grolle 1995)

**Balantiopsaceae**

*Isotachis aubertii* (Schwägr.) Mitt. (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)  
*Calypogeia afrocaerulea* E.W.Jones (Pócs 1995)  
*Calypogeia arguta* Nees & Mont. (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)  
*Calypogeia bidentula* (F.Weber) Nees (Grolle 1995)  
*Calypogeia fissaa* (L.) Raddi (Pócs 1995)  
*Calypogeia maccarenensis* Bischl. (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)  
*Calypogeia microstipula* (Steph.) Steph. (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)  
*Mnioloma fuscum* (Lehm.) R. M. Schust. (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)

**Cephaloziaceae**

*Cephalozia bicuspidata* (L.) Dumort. (Grolle 1995)  
*Iwatsukia jishibae* (Steph.) N.Kitag. (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)  
*Odontoschisma africanum* (Pearson) Sim (Müller 2000)

**Cephaloziellaceae**

*Allisoniella nigra* (Rodway) R.M.Schust. (Grolle 1995)  
*Kymatocalyx madagascariensis* (Steph.) Gradst. & Váda (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995; Gradstein & Vána 1999)  
*Cephaloziella kiaeri* (Austin) Douin (Grolle 1995)  
*Cephaloziella vaginans* Steph. (Müller 2000)

	Dendrocerotaceae
<i>Dendroceros borbonicus</i> Steph. (Grolle 1995)	Exomorthecaceae
<i>Exormotheca pustulosa</i> Mitt. (Grolle 1995)	Fossombroniaceae
<i>Fossombronia foveolata</i> Lindb. (Müller 2000)	Geocalycaceae
<i>Fossombronia pusilla</i> (L.) Nees (Grolle 1995)	
<i>Fossombronia stephanii</i> Schiffn. ex Steph., <b>B</b> (Grolle 1995)	
<i>Clasmatocolea vermicularis</i> (Lehm.) Grolle (Engel 1980; Grolle 1995)	
<i>Conoscyphus trapezoides</i> (Sande Lac.) Schiffn. (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)	
<i>Geocalyx orientalis</i> Besch. & Spruce, <b>B</b> (Grolle 1995)	
<i>Heteroscyphus dubius</i> (Gottsche) Schiffn. (Grolle 1995)	
<i>Heteroscyphus grandistipus</i> (Steph.) Schiffn. (Grolle 1995)	
<i>Heteroscyphus splendens</i> (Lehm. et Lindenb.) Grolle (Grolle 1995)	
<i>Leptoscyphus infuscatus</i> (Mitt.) E.W.Jones (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)	
<i>Lophocolea bidentata</i> (L.) Dumort. (Grolle 1995)	
<i>Lophocolea concreta</i> Mont. (Grolle 1995)	
<i>Lophocolea difformis</i> Nees (Grolle 1995)	
<i>Lophocolea fragrans</i> (Moris & De Not.) Gottsche, Lindenb. & Nees (Grolle 1995)	
<i>Lophocolea lepervanchei</i> Steph., <b>B</b> (Grolle 1995)	
<i>Lophocolea lucida</i> (Spreng. ex Lehm.) Mont. (Grolle 1995)	
<i>Lophocolea martiana</i> Nees (Grolle 1995)	
<i>Lophocolea minor</i> Nees, (Grolle 1995)	
<i>Lophocolea muricata</i> (Lehm.) Nees (Grolle 1995)	
<i>Lophocolea onraedtii</i> Grolle (Grolle 1995)	
<i>Marsupella subintegra</i> S.W.Arnell (Grolle 1995)	Gymnotriaceae
<i>Herbertus dicranus</i> (Taylor ex Gottsche, Lindenb. & Nees) Trevis. (Grolle 1995)	Herbaceae
<i>Herbertus mascarenicus</i> (Steph.) S.W.Arnell ex Váoa (Grolle 1995)	
<i>Frullania anderssonii</i> Ångstr. (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)	Jubulaceae
<i>Frullania angulata</i> Mitt. (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)	
<i>Frullania apicalis</i> Mitt. (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)	
<i>Frullania apiculata</i> (Reinw., Blume & Nees) Nees (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)	
<i>Frullania arecae</i> (Spreng.) Gottsche (Grolle 1995)	
<i>Frullania borbonica</i> Lindenb. (Grolle 1995)	
<i>Frullania caffraria</i> Steph. (Grolle 1995)	
<i>Frullania capensis</i> Gottsche (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)	
<i>Frullania diptera</i> (Lehm.) Drège (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)	
<i>Frullania ericoides</i> (Nees) Mont. (Grolle 1995)	
<i>Frullania humbertii</i> Vanden Berghe (Grolle 1995)	
<i>Frullania lindenbergi</i> Lehm. (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)	
<i>Frullania repandistipula</i> Sande Lac. (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)	
<i>Frullania serrata</i> Gottsche (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)	
<i>Frullania usambarana</i> Schiffn. ex Steph. (Pócs 1995)	
<i>Frullania usambarana</i> var. <i>reducta</i> Vanden Berghe (Grolle 1995)	
<i>Frullania variegata</i> Steph. (Grolle 1995)	

## Jungermanniaceae

- Anastrophyllum auritum* (Lehm.) Steph. (Müller 2000)  
*Anastrophyllum piligerum* (Reinw., Blume & Nees) Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Andrewsianthus aberrans* (Nees & Mont.) Grolle (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)  
*Cryptochila grandiflora* (Lindenb. & Gottsche) Grolle (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)  
*Gottschelia schizopleura* (Spruce) Grolle (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)  
*Jamesoniella contracta* (Reinw., Blume & Nees) N.Kitag. (Pócs 1995)  
*Jamesoniella purpurascens* Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Jungermannia borgenii* Gottsche ex Pearson (Grolle 1995)  
*Jungermannia onraedtii* Váòa (Grolle 1995)  
*Jungermannia perloii* (Gola) Váòa (Grolle 1995)  
*Jungermannia renauldii* Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Jungermannia sphaerocarpa* Hook. (Grolle 1995)  
*Nardia arnelliana* Grolle (Grolle 1995)  
*Notoscyphus lutescens* (Lehm. & Lindenb.) Mitt. (Grolle 1995)  
*Plicanthus hirtellus* (F.Weber) R.M.Schuster (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)  
*Syzygiella geminifolia* (Mitt.) Steph. (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)

## Lejeuneaceae

- Acanthocoleus madagascariensis* (Steph.) Kruijt (Grolle 1995)  
*Acrolejeunea aulacophora* (Mont.) Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Acrolejeunea emergens var. *emergens** (Mitt.) Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Acrolejeunea pycnoclada* (Taylor) Schiffn. (Grolle 1995)  
*Bryopteris gaudichaudii* Gottsche (Grolle 1995)  
*Ceratolejeunea belangeriana* (Gottsche) Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Ceratolejeunea variabilis* (Lindenb.) Schiffn. (Grolle 1995)  
*Cheilolejeunea cordistipula* (Steph.) Grolle ex E.W.Jones (Grolle 1995)  
*Cheilolejeunea decursiva* (Sande Lac.) R.M.Schust. (Grolle 1995)  
*Cheilolejeunea ecarinata* Vanden Berghen, **B** (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)  
*Cheilolejeunea intertexta* (Lindenb.) Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Cheilolejeunea krakakammae* (Lindenb.) R.M.Schust. (Grolle 1995)  
*Cheilolejeunea montagnei* (Gottsche) R.M.Schust. (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)  
*Cheilolejeunea serpentina* (Mitt.) Mizut. (Grolle 1995)  
*Cheilolejeunea surrepens* (Mitt.) E.W.Jones (Grolle 1995)  
*Cheilolejeunea trifaria* (Reinw., Blume et Nees) Mizut. (Grolle 1995)  
*Cheilolejeunea usambarana* (Steph.) Grolle (Grolle 1995)  
*Cololejeunea appressa* (A.Evans) Benedix (Grolle 1995)  
*Cololejeunea bebourensis* Tixier (Grolle 1995)  
*Cololejeunea bidentula* (Steph.) E.W.Jones (Grolle 1995)  
*Cololejeunea bosseriana* Tixier, **B** (Grolle 1995)  
*Cololejeunea ceatocarpa* (Ångstr.) Steph., **B** (Grolle 1995)  
*Cololejeunea cuneata* (Lehm. & Lindenb.) Herzog (Grolle 1995)  
*Cololejeunea decemplicata* (Steph.) Tixier (Grolle 1995)  
*Cololejeunea duvignaudii* E.W.Jones (Grolle 1995)  
*Cololejeunea duvignaudii* var. *papillata* Tixier (Grolle 1995)  
*Cololejeunea haskarliana* (Lehm. & Lindenb.) Schiffn. (Grolle 1995)  
*Cololejeunea hildebrandii* (Austin) Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Cololejeunea marginata* (Lehm. et Lindenb.) Schiffn. (Grolle 1995)  
*Cololejeunea minutissima* (Sm.) Schiffn. (Grolle 1995)  
*Cololejeunea obliqua* (Nees & Mont.) Schiffn. (Grolle 1995)  
*Cololejeunea peponiformis* Mizut. (Grolle 1995)

- Cololejeunea takamakae* Tixier, **B** (Grolle 1995)  
*Colura digitalis* (Mitt.) Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Colura heimii* Jov.-Ast (Grolle 1995)  
*Colura humbertii* Jov.-Ast (Grolle 1995)  
*Colura obesa* Ast (Grolle 1995)  
*Colura tenuicornis* (A.Evans) Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Diplasiolejeunea cornuta* Steph. (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)  
*Drepanolejeunea helenae* Pócs, **B** (Pócs 1997)  
*Drepanolejeunea madagascariensis* (Steph.) Grolle (Grolle 1995)  
*Drepanolejeunea physaefolia* (Gottsche) Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Drepanolejeunea trematodes* (Nees) Bischl. (Grolle 1995)  
*Exormothecea pustulosa* Mitt. (Grolle 1995)  
*Haplolejeunea sticta* Grolle (Pócs 1995)  
*Lejeunea alata* Gottsche (Grolle 1995)  
*Lejeunea caespitosa* Lindenb. (Grolle 1995)  
*Lejeunea cameroonensis* (Steph.) E.W.Jones (Grolle 1995)  
*Lejeunea ecarinata* (Steph.) Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Lejeunea eckloniana* Lindenb. (Grolle 1995)  
*Lejeunea flavovirens* Ångstr. (Grolle 1995)  
*Lejeunea papilionacea* Steph. (Zhu & Grolle 2001)  
*Lejeunea ramosissima* Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Lejeunea rodriguezii* (Steph.) Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Lejeunea villaumei* (Steph.) Grolle (Grolle 1995)  
*Lepidolejeunea delessertii* (Nees et Mont.) Grolle (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)  
*Leucolejeunea rotundistipula* (Lindenb. ex Lehm.) Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Leucolejeunea xanthocarpa* (Lehm. & Lindenb.) A.Evans (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)  
*Lopholejeunea borbonica* Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Lopholejeunea eulopha* (Taylor) Schiffn. (Grolle 1995)  
*Lopholejeunea grandicrista* Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Lopholejeunea minima* Vanden Berghen, **B** (Grolle 1995)  
*Lopholejeunea multilacera* Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Lopholejeunea nigricans* (Lindenb.) Schiffn. (Grolle 1995)  
*Lopholejeunea paramultilacera* Vanden Berghen, **B** (Grolle 1995)  
*Lopholejeunea quinquecarinata* Vanden Berghen (Grolle 1995)  
*Lopholejeunea subfusca* (Nees) Schiffn. (Grolle 1995; Wigginton & Grolle 1996)  
*Marchesinia madagassa* Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Mastigolejeunea auriculata* (Wils.) Schiffn. (Grolle 1995)  
*Mastigolejeunea rhodesica* (Vanden Berghen) E.W.Jones (Grolle 1995)  
*Microlejeunea dispar* Ast (Grolle 1995)  
*Odontolejeunea lunulata* (F.Weber) Schiffn. (Wigginton & Grolle 1996)  
*Prionolejeunea grata* (Gottsche) Schiffn. (Grolle 1995)  
*Schiffnerolejeunea pappeana* (Nees) Gradst. (Grolle 1995)  
*Schiffnerolejeunea pappeana* var. *bidentata* Gradst. & Vanden Berghen (Grolle 1995)  
*Schiffnerolejeunea parviloba* (Steph.) Gradst. (Grolle 1995)  
*Stictolejeunea balfourii* (Mitt.) E.W.Jones (Grolle 1995)  
*Taxilejeunea conformis* (Mont. et Nees) Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Taxilejeunea furcicornuta* Grolle (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)  
*Thysananthus spathulifolius* (Reinw., Blume et Nees) Lindenb. (Grolle 1995)

**Lepidoziaceae**

- Arachniopsis diacantha* (Mont.) M.Howe (Grolle 1995)

- Arachniopsis diplopoda* Pócs (Pócs 1995)  
*Bazzania decrescens* (Lehm. & Lindenb.) Trevis. (Grolle 1995)  
*Bazzania mascarena* (Steph.) Herzog (Grolle 1995)  
*Bazzania nitida* (F.Weber) Grolle (Grolle 1995)  
*Bazzania praerupta* (Reinw., Blume & Nees) Trevis (Grolle 1995)  
*Kurzia capillaris* ssp. *stephani* (Renauld ex Steph.) Pócs (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)  
*Lepidozia africana* Steph. (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)  
*Telaranea nematodes* (Gott sche ex Austin) M.Howe (Pócs 1995) **Marchantiaceae**
- Dumontiera hirsuta* (Sw.) Nees (Grolle 1995)  
*Marchantia globosa* Brid. ex F.Weber (Grolle 1995)  
*Marchantia paleacea* Bertol. (Grolle 1995)  
*Marchantia polymorpha* L. (Grolle 1995) **Mastigophoraceae**
- Mastigophora diclados* (Brid. ex F.Weber) Nees (Grolle 1995) **Metzgeriaceae**
- Metzgeria consanguinea* Lindb. (Grolle 1995; So 2004)  
*Metzgeria furcata* (L.) Dumort. (Grolle 1995)  
*Metzgeria leptoneura* Spruce (Grolle 1995)  
*Metzgeria nudifrons* Steph. (So 2004) **Pallavinaceae**
- Jensenia spinosa* (Lindenb. et Gott sche) Grolle (Grolle 1995)  
*Pallavicinia lyellii* (Hook.) Carruth. (Grolle 1995)  
*Sympygyna brasiliensis* Nees & Mont. (Grolle 1995)  
*Sympygyna podophylla* (Thunb.) Mont. & Nees (Grolle 1995)  
*Sympygynopsis gottscheana* (Mont. et Nees) Grolle (Grolle 1995) **Plagiochilaceae**
- Plagiochila angusta* Lindenb. (Grolle 1995)  
*Plagiochila barteri* Mitt. (Grolle 1995)  
*Plagiochila barteri* var. *valida* (Steph.) Vanden Berghen (Grolle 1995)  
*Plagiochila boivinii* Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Plagiochila boryana* Gott sche ex Steph. (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)  
*Plagiochila drepanophylla* Sande Lac. (Grolle 1995)  
*Plagiochila exigua* (Taylor) Taylor (Grolle 1995)  
*Plagiochila flabellata* Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Plagiochila incerta* Gott sche (Grolle 1995)  
*Plagiochila integerrima* Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Plagiochila paucidentata* Mont. & Gott sche (Grolle 1995)  
*Plagiochila pectinata* Willd. ex Lindenb. (Grolle 1995)  
*Plagiochila renauldi* Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Plagiochila repanda* (Schwägr.) Lindenb. (Grolle 1995)  
*Plagiochila rodriguezii* Steph. (Grolle 1995)  
*Plagiochila squamulosa* var. *crispulo-caudata* (Gott sche) Vanden Berghen (Grolle 1995)  
*Plagiochila squamulosa* var. *sinuosa* (Mitt.) Vanden Berghen (Grolle 1995)  
*Plagiochila terebrans* Nees & Mont. ex Lindenb. (Grolle 1995) **Pleuroziaceae**
- Pleurozia gigantea* (F. Weber) Lindb. (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995) **Porellaceae**
- Porella prolixa* (Gott sche ex Steph.) E.W.Jones (Grolle 1995)  
*Porella triquetra* (Steph.) E.W.Jones (Grolle 1995)

**Radulaceae**

- Radula ankefinensis* Gottsche ex Steph. (Grolle 1995, 2001)  
*Radula appressa* Mitt. (Grolle 1995; Arts & Yamada 1998)  
*Radula boryana* (F. Weber) Mont. (Grolle 1995; Arts & Yamada 1998; Grolle 2001)  
*Radula carringtonii* J.B.Jack (Arts & Yamada 1998)  
*Radula comorensis* Steph. (Grolle 1995; Arts & Yamada 1998)  
*Radula evelynae* Yamada (Grolle 1995)  
*Radula flavifolia* (Hook.f. & Taylor) Gottsche, Lindenb. & Nees (Müller 2000; Grolle 2001)  
*Radula madagascariensis* Gottsche (Grolle 1995, 2001)  
*Radula quadrata* Gottsche (Grolle 1995)  
*Radula retroflexa* Taylor, **B** (Arts & Yamada 1998)  
*Radula stenocalyx* Mont. (Grolle 1995)  
*Radula voluta* Taylor ex Gottsche, Lindenb. & Nees (Grolle 1995; Arts & Yamada 1998)

**Ricciaceae**

- Riccia cavernosa* Hoffm. em. Raddi (Müller 2002)  
*Riccia helenae* Ast, **B** (Grolle 1995)  
*Riccia hortorum* Bory ex Lindenb. (Grolle 1995)  
*Riccia huebeneriana* Lindenb. (Müller 2000)

**Schistochilaceae**

- Gottschea neesii* Mont. (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)  
*Gottschea sphagnoides* (Schwägr.) Lindb. (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)

**Targoniaceae**

- Targionia hypophylla* L. (Grolle 1995)

**Wiesnerellaceae**

- Wiesnerella denudata* (Mitt.) Steph., **B** (Grolle 1995; Pócs 1995)  
*Wiesnerella javanica* Schiffn., **B** (Bischler 1998)

**Notes**

- According to Wigginton (2004), the record of *Lophocolea minor* Nees needs verification
- All the records of *Metzgeria conjugata* Lindb. from sub-Saharan Africa are old and are treated as erroneous by Wigginton (2004).
- Dauphin (2000) placed *Ceratolejeunea variabilis* (Lindenb.) Schiffn. in synonymy with *C. cornuta*. Both species were reported from the 19th century from the East African Islands.
- *Herbertus mascarenicus* belongs to the *H. capensis* complex (Grolle 1978), but is treated as a separate species by Váoa (Váoa, Pócs et al. 1979).
- *Aneura caespitans* Steph. E. W. Jones, *nom inval.* is known only from Mascarenes archipelago, but according to Meenks & Pócs (1985) in Wigginton & Grolle (1996), this species could correspond to *Riccardia compacta* (Steph.) S. Arnell.
- Concerning *Aneura comosa* Steph. and *Aneura lepervanchei* Steph., we follow the work of Wigginton (2004) but the attribution to the genus *Riccardia* has not yet been followed by a new diagnosis.

<b>Family</b>	<b>Genera</b>	<b>Species-Taxa</b>	<b>Endemicity</b>
Andreaeaceae	1	2	
Anomodontaceae	1	2	
Bartramiaceae	5	1-9	4
Brachytheciaceae	7	1-3	4
Bruchiaceae	1	3	1
Bryaceae	4	1-7	4
Calymperaceae	3	1-9	2
Catagoniaceae	1	1	
Daltoniaceae	3	5	1
Dicranaceae	11	5-8	7
Ditrichaceae	3	4	
Entodontaceae	1	3	1
Eustichiaceae	1	1	
Fabroniaceae	1	1	
Fissidentaceae	1	1-3	1
Funariaceae	3	6	1
Grimmiaceae	4	8	
Hedwigiaaceae	1	1	
Hookeriaceae	2	2	1
Hylocomiaceae	1	1	
Hypnaceae	7	8	11
Hypopterigiaceae	2	2	
Leptodontaceae	1	1	
Leskeaceae	1	1	
Leucobryaceae	2	6	1
Leucodontaceae	2	3	
Leucomiaceae	1	1	
Meteoriaceae	5	6	1
Mniaceae	3	3	1
Neckeraceae	6	1	
Orthodontiaceae	1	1	
Orthotrichaceae	7	3	4
Pterigynandraceae	1	1	
Phyllogoniaceae	1	3	2
Pilotrichaceae	5	1-5	6
Plagiotheciaceae	1	1	
Polytrichaceae	3	1-1	
Pottiaceae	13	3-1	5
Prionodontaceae	1	1	
Pterobryaceae	5	1-2	4
Ptychomitriaceae	1	1	
Racopilaceae	1	6	2
Rhabdoweisiaceae	1	1	
Rhacocarpaceae	1	1	
Rhizogoniaceae	1	2	
Rutenbergiaceae	1	2	
Seligeriaceae	1	2	
Sematophyllaceae	9	1-6	4
Serpotortellaceae	1	2	
Sphagnaceae	1	1-4	3
Splachnaceae	1	2	
Stereophyllaceae	1	1	
Symphyodontaceae	1	1	
Thuidiaceae	2	4	
Trachypodaceae	2	3	
<b>Totals</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>404</b>	<b>72</b>

**Table 1 : Summary for the Musci of Réunion Island**

Family	Genera	Species-Taxa	Endemicity
Acrobolbaceae	3	3	
Adelanthaceae	1	2	
Aneuraceae	2	9	1
Anthocerotaceae	2	2	
Arnelliaceae	1	2	
Aytoniaceae	2	3	
Balantiopsaceae	1	1	
Calypogeiaciae	2	7	
Cephaloziaceae	3	3	
Cephaloziellaceae	3	4	
Dendrocerotaceae	1	1	
Exormothecaceae	1	1	
Fossombroniaceae	1	4	1
Geocalycaceae	6	1-7	2
Gymnomitriaceae	1	1	
Herbertaceae	1	2	
Jubulaceae	1	1-7	
Jungermanniaceae	10	1-6	
Lejeuneaceae	23	8	7
Lepidoziaceae	5	9	
Marchantiaceae	2	4	
Mastigophoraceae	1	1	
Metzgeriaceae	1	4	
Pallaviciniaceae	4	5	
Plagiochilaceae	1	1-8	
Pleuroziaceae	1	1	
Porellaceae	1	2	
Radulaceae	1	12	1
Ricciaceae	1	4	1
Schistochilaceae	1	2	
Targioniaceae	1	1	
Wiesnerellaceae	1	2	2
<b>Totals</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>241</b>	<b>15</b>

**Table 2: Summary for the Hepaticae and Anthocerotae of Réunion Island**

### Conclusion

645 species and infraspecific taxa of bryophytes have been reported from literature and herbarium specimens. The diversity of bryophytes is not dissimilar to the diversity of native phanerogams estimated as 821 species (V. Boullet, Pers. Com.) in the island.

The *Bartramiaceae*, *Calymperaceae*, *Dicranaceae*, *Hypnaceae*, *Orthotrichaceae*, *Pilotrichaceae*, *Pottiaceae* and *Sematophyllaceae* are the families of Musci that contribute most of diversity. From this report, 17.9 % of Musci are considered as endemic to Réunion Island. Eleven species of the 72

endemics belong to the *Hypnaceae*, and as members of this family are quite hard to identify, probably the specimens need revision, and the endemicity should be verified by more systematic collections and identification. Concerning the Hepaticae, the level of endemicity (6.6 %) is lower than Musci, and the families most represented on the island are the *Lejeuneaceae*, *Plagiochilaceae*, *Geocalycaceae*, *Jubulaceae* and particularly *Frullaniaceae* and *Jungermanniaceae*.

This article aims to give an initial appreciation of the bryoflora of Réunion Island. In the future there will certainly be additions of

	Genera	Species	Endemics	endemicity (%)
Musci	148	404	72	17.82
Hepaticae & Anthocerotae	87	241	15	6.22
<b>Totals</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>645</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>13,49</b>

**Table 3: Summary**

new records and revisions of some groups, and this will be the basis of future work in tropical bryology in this island.

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