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Devonian bryozoans of the Holy Cross Mountains, Poland Part 1. Ctenostomata

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Nine species and 3 subspecies of the Couvinian and Givetian bryozoans of the order Ctenostomata Busk, belonging to 5 genera: *Ropalonaria* Miller, *Vinella* Ulrich, *Allonema* Ulrich & Bassler, *Ascodictyon* Nicholson & Etheridge Jr. and *Eliasopora* Bassler are described. Two of the described species have not been given names (*Vinella* sp. and *Ascodictyon* sp.), one is a new subspecies (*Allonema moniliforme parvum* n. subsp.) and five - new species (*Ropalonaria givetiana* n. sp., *Ascodictyon sparsiforme* n. sp., *Ascodictyon vinelliforme* n. sp., *Ascodictyon venustum* n. sp. and *Eliasopora devoniana* n. sp.). The specimens in vestigated come from the localities Skały and Grzegorzowice, situated in the eastern part of the Bodzentyn syncline. The problems of age, stratigraphic and geographical range, as well as ecological conditions of the Ctenostomata assemblage investigated are discussed.

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