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## ABSTRACT

Four hundred papers published in refereed papers during the years 1935-1985 were researched for information on the biology of trypanorhynchs, and a publishable host-parasite list was compiled for (Dollfus, 1942) this period as a complement to the only previous monograph (published forty-five years ago) on all known members of the order Trypanorhyncha (Platyhelminthes: Cestoda). The theoretical information gained from this initial exercise was then used in carrying out original research on trypanorhynchs found in over 1,000 elasmobranch and teleost fish. This led to a choice of three research topics for more detailed investigations: (i) taxonomic studies on four little-known species and the application of this information to fisheries biology, (ii) life-cycle studies on Grillotia erinaceus (van Beneden, 1858) and (iii) the use of Grillotia smaris-gora (Wagener, 1854) Dollfus, 1946 as a biological tag for commercially important teleosts. A pre-requisite of this last problem was the need to review critically all information on the use of parasites as population indicators. Thus a further 100 papers published in primary journals were researched.

The work concludes with a discussion of the above and also brief comments on the need for further research on tapeworms of the order Trypanorhyncha as an aid to our understanding of other basic contemporary problems in parasitology, relating to host-specificity, ecology and phylogeny.

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**ASPECTS OF THE BIOLOGY OF TRY PANORHYNCH TAPEWORMS AND INVESTIGATIONS  
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**PART 1**

**INTRODUCTION AND MATERIALS AND METHODS**

### Introduction

Less than 200 species are known for the order Trypanorhyncha (Platyhelminthes : Cestoda). With one notable exception, they are highly characteristic tapeworms in having four eversible hooked tentacles. Adult trypanorhynchs mature only in the spiral valve intestine of elasmobranchs. Larval stages have been recorded from many sites in a variety of hosts, predominantly crustaceans, molluscs and teleosts.

During the last thirty years, trypanorhynchs have been recognised as important in fisheries research for two main reasons. First, they occur in very large numbers in the flesh of edible fish and, for this reason, large consignments of fish intended for the food markets are often rejected at a considerable economic loss (Rae, 1958; Overstreet, 1978). Secondly, it was discovered in the 1960s that they have great potential use as biological tags in determining the spawning grounds, stocks and movements of commercially important food fish (Sindermann, 1957). It is surprising, therefore, that they remain a sadly neglected group of worm parasites. This neglect is immediately apparent from the literature, as no comprehensive review exists after the early studies of Vaullegeard (1899), Linton (1890, 1897a, 1897b) Pintner (1880, 1893, 1896, 1903, 1913, 1931), Southwell (1929, 1930) and Dollfus (1929, 1930, 1942).

When this work commenced in 1983, there were about five known researchers of the group world-wide. All seemed to agree that the taxonomy of the group was in a state of confusion and that schemes of

identification and classification then in use were all arbitrary. No complete life-cycle is known for the trypanorhynchs and yet fishery biologists and helminthologists are unanimous in suggesting the need for more research on the taxonomy of the group and on life-cycles. Such information is thought to be of basic importance in understanding the biology of the group as a whole, including such aspects as host-specificity, ecology and phylogeny.

For reasons given above, the primary aims of my chosen research topic were four-fold: (1) to produce and publish a host-parasite checklist for the years 1935-1985; (2) to investigate the taxonomy of selected representatives from the three main groups of the Trypanorhyncha, including a study of the unique tentacle-less species Aporhynchus norvegicus (Olssen, 1866) Nybelin, 1918; (3) to gain some insight into life-cycle aspects of the group; and (4) to gain theoretical and practical experience in the use of trypanorhynchs as biological tags.

My long-term objective was to attract far more attention to this intriguing group of tapeworms from both the applied and academic aspects of their biology, including their origin, evolution and success as a group of invertebrates.

#### Materials and Methods

Fish and tapeworms required for this project were collected by me during a three week research cruise on the F.R.V. "Explorer" in the North Sea (20 May - 9 June 1983) and three weeks on the "Kay B.B." in

Cardigan Bay in August 1984 and September 1985. The material obtained was supplemented by further expeditions to collect off Mevagissey in Cornwall, Tromsø in Northern Norway and Passamaquoddy Bay in New Brunswick. Additional specimens of fish and tapeworms were obtained, details of all sources of material are given in Tables 1 - 3.

Whenever possible living fish were obtained, killed by a blow to the head and examined immediately for parasites. This forestalled autolysis within the gut damaging the parasites, and prevented the build-up of mucus in elasmobranch intestines, which tends to obscure small specimens.

The length (and also the greatest width across the wings in rays) and weight of all fish were recorded, when feasible, and otoliths of teleosts taken for ageing. The problems of measuring the age of elasmobranchs are well known (Holden, 1974), but it was assumed that although the weight and length of elasmobranch specimens are not directly proportional to age, the measurements might give an indication of the relative age of individuals belonging to the same sex and species, and caught in the same season in the same area.

The examination of the elasmobranchs was initially focussed on the oesophagus, the cardiac and pyloric stomachs, duodenum, spiral valve, intestine, rectum and rectal gland. Because no adult trypanorhynchs have been recorded from any site other than the stomach, spiral valve and rectal gland (see Section 1), effort was later concentrated on these areas.

The spiral valves were opened as described by McVicar (1979), first by cutting longitudinally along the line of the blood vessels on the ventral surface. Each tier of the spiral valve was then cut transversely. This causes each tier to appear as a flap which can be examined on both sides under a Wild dissecting microscope at a magnification of X6-X12. The number and position of parasites were recorded and the trypanorhyncs identified. Only trypanorhyncs with scoleces were included in the totals. Notes were taken of stomach contents.

Teleosts were sexed and measured to the nearest centimetre from the tip of the snout to the fork in the tail, and an incision made to expose the body cavity and contents. The lumen and outside surfaces of the entire digestive tract were examined under a dissecting microscope at a magnification of X6-X12. The gut contents were also searched, and the contents identified. In any further examination of the fish particular attention was given to the eyes, gonads and musculature.

On a number of occasions fresh fish were not immediately available to me. When collected on my behalf teleost fish were deep frozen as whole specimens whilst with elasmobranchs their digestive tracts only were sent. Each elasmobranch gut was ligatured anterior to the cardiac stomach and posterior to the rectal gland, injected with as much 4% formaldehyde as they would hold, excised and stored in 4% formaldehyde with all relevant host information. Dissection of preserved spiral valves began with making an incision in the anterior portion, and extending the cut posteriorly and spirally. This resulted in an easily

examined single band of tissue whose upper and lower surfaces corresponded with anterior and posterior facing surfaces of the spiral valve (Williams, 1961).

The position of trypanorhynchs in the intestine was noted during dissection but treated with caution as migration of the parasites along the gut could have taken place after the death of the host unless it had been fixed immediately (Crompton, 1973).

The tentacles of adult trypanorhynchs from freshly caught elasmobranchs were everted wherever possible. Usually coverslip pressure was enough to achieve this. It was preferred to the traditional method of addition of freshwater to achieve tentacle eversion because this method results also in the relaxation and death of the parasites, and this renders them unsuitable for S.E.M. work.

The measurements of cysts containing larval trypanorhynchs were taken, and the plerocerci then dissected out. Tentacle eversion was again achieved by coverslip pressure. In frozen samples containing robust specimens (e.g. Hepatoxylon sp.) or species with tentacles of moderate width (e.g. Grillotia erinaceus), tentacle extrusion could still be accomplished by applying moderate pressure, but not in small, delicate specimens, e.g. Grillotia smaris-gora.

Representative specimens of adults and plerocerci were taken from various hosts and measurements were taken of each part of the scolex considered to be of taxonomic importance as described by Schmidt

(1986), e.g. the lengths and widths of the pars bothridialis, pars post-bulbosa and pars vaginalis.

Trypanorhynchs prepared for S.E.M. study were dehydrated through a graded series of ethanol and dried in a Samdri-780 Critical Point Drier using CO<sub>2</sub>. They were then sputter coated with gold in an argon atmosphere in an Emscope SC500 and examined using a Jeol JSM-T100 scanning electron microscope operated at 15 KV.

Whole mounts were stained with Ehrlich's haematoxylin and eosin, or Gower's carmine and Fast Red salt B (Johri and Smyth, 1956). Serial sections of both parasites and host gut were cut at 8-12 µm and stained with Ehrlich's haematoxylin and eosin. All parasites were entered into the collections maintained by the National Museum of Wales, Cathays Park, Cardiff.

Grillotia erinaceus from Raja erinaceus caught in Passamaquoddy Bay, New Brunswick was chosen for training in the understanding of life-cycle work largely because Dr. L. Jarecka, an internationally recognised expert on tapeworm life-cycles, was based at the University of New Brunswick, Canada. Gravid worms were stimulated to release eggs by placing them in fresh seawater. The eggs were maintained in aerated seawater at 15-19°C before being presented to locally collected copepods. Development was observed using both dissecting and compound microscopes.

Table 1: Original records of fish examined for trypanorhynches

Fish species	Collection area	No. of fish examined	Trypanorhynch species
<b>EUSELACHII</b>			
Pleurotremata			
Hexanchidae			
<i>Hexanchus griseus</i> (Bonnaterre, 1788)	North Sea	7	
Scyliorhinidae			
<i>Galeus melastomus</i>	North Sea	2	
<i>Rafinesque - Schmaltz,</i> 1810			
<i>Scyliorhinus caniculus</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	North Sea	25	
<i>S. stellaris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	Concarneau North Sea	15 3	
Isuridae			
<i>Lamna nasus</i> (Bonnaterre, 1788)	North Sea	9	
Carcharinidae			
<i>Galeorhinus galeus</i> Linnaeus, 1758)	North Sea	8	<i>Lacistorhynchus tenuis</i>
<i>Prionace glauca</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	North Sea Aberystwyth	7 3	
Triakidae			
* <i>Mustelus asterias</i> Cloquet, 1819	North Sea	6	<i>Eutetrahynchus ruficollis</i>
<i>M. mustelus</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	North Sea	5	
Squaloidae			
<i>Etmopterus spinax</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	Northern Norway	87	<i>Aporhynchus norvegicus</i>
<i>Squalus acanthias</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	North Sea	62	<i>Gilquinia squali</i>
Squatiniidae			
<i>Squatina squatina</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	Aberystwyth, Cardigan Bay S.W. Ireland	21 4	<i>Grillotia smaris-gora</i> <i>G. smaris-gora</i>

contd.

Fish species	Collection area	No. of fish examined	Trypanorhynch species
<b>Hypotremata</b>			
Torpedinidae			
<u>Torpedo marmorata</u> Risso, 1810	North Sea	3	
<u>T. nobiliana</u> Bonaparte, 1835	North Sea	2	
Rajidae			
<u>Raja batis</u> Linnaeus, 1758	North Sea	1	
<u>R. brachyura</u> Lafont, 1873	North Sea	27	<u>Grillotia erinaceus</u>
<u>R. circularis</u> Couch, 1835	North Sea	4	
<u>R. clavata</u> Linnaeus, 1758	Aberystwyth	5	<u>G. erinaceus</u>
+ <u>R. erinaceus</u> Mitchill, 1825	Passamaquoddy Bay, Canada	46	<u>G. erinaceus</u>
<u>R. fullonica</u> Linnaeus, 1758	North Sea	2	
+* <u>R. hollandi</u> Jordan and Richardson	South China Sea	9	<u>Parachristianella monomegacantha</u>
<u>R. montagui</u> Fowler, 1910	North Sea	44	
<u>R. naevus</u> Müller and Henle, 1841	Aberystwyth	3	
<u>R. ocellata</u> Mitchill	North Sea	9	<u>G. erinaceus</u>
<u>R. radiata</u> Donovan, 1806	Passamaquoddy Bay, Canada	10	
<u>R. santa</u>	Passamaquoddy Bay, Canada	10	
	North Sea	11	
	Passamaquoddy Bay, Canada	16	
Dasyatidae			
+ <u>Dasyatis pastinaca</u> (Linnaeus, 1758)	North Sea	1	<u>Parachristianella trygonis</u>
Myliobatidae			
<u>Myliobatis aquila</u> (Linnaeus, 1758)	North Sea	2	
OSTEICHTHYES			
Isopondylidae			
Clupeidae			
<u>Clupea harengus</u> Linnaeus, 1758	North Sea	29	<u>Nybelinia sp.</u>
	Ireland	3	<u>Lacistorhynchus tenuis</u>

contd.

Fish species	Collection area	No. of fish examined	Trypanorhynch species
Argentinidae			
<u>Argentina sphyraena</u> Linnaeus, 1758	North Sea	25	
Anacanthini			
Gadidae			
* <u>Enchelyopus cimbrius</u> (Linnaeus, 1776)	North Sea	1	<u>G. erinaceus</u>
<u>Gadus morhua</u> Linnaeus, 1758	North Sea	15	<u>G. erinaceus</u>
<u>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</u> (Linnaeus, 1758)	North Sea	27	<u>G. erinaceus</u>
<u>Merlangius merlangus</u> (Linnaeus, 1758)	North Sea	57	<u>Gilquinia squali</u>
<u>Merluccius merluccius</u> (Linnaeus, 1758)	North Sea	7	
<u>Micromesistius poutassou</u> (Risso, 1826)	North Sea	14	
<u>Phycis blennoides</u> (Brünnich, 1768)	North Sea	1	
<u>Pollachius virens</u> (Linnaeus, 1758)	North Sea	9	<u>Hepatoxylon trichiuri</u>
<u>Trisopterus esmarkii</u> (Nilsson, 1855)	North Sea	17	
<u>T. luscus</u> (Linnaeus)	Aberystwyth North Sea	8	
Carangidae			
* <u>Trachurus trachurus</u> (Linnaeus, 1758)	Celtic Sea	76	<u>Grillotia smaris-gora</u>
Sparidae			
<u>Boops boops</u> (Linnaeus, 1758)	North Sea Aberystwyth and Bay of Biscay	12	<u>Grillotia</u> sp.
<u>Pagellus acarne</u> (Risso, 1826)	Bay of Biscay	8	
*+ <u>Pagellus bogaraveo</u> (Brünnich, 1758)	Bay of Biscay	37	<u>G. smaris-gora</u>
Scombridae			
<u>Scomber scombrus</u> Linnaeus, 1758	Aberystwyth North Sea	7 23	<u>G. smaris-gora</u>
Anarhichadidae			
<u>Anarhichas lupus</u> Linnaeus, 1758	North Sea	4	<u>G. smaris-gora</u>

contd.

Fish species	Collection area	No. of fish examined	Trypanorhynch species
<b>Scleroparei</b>			
Triglidae			
<u>Aspitrigla cuculus</u> (Linnaeus, 1758)	North Sea	10	
<u>Eutrigla gurnardus</u> (Linnaeus, 1758)	North Sea	11	<u>G. erinaceus</u>
Cottidae			
<u>Taurulus bubalis</u> (Euphrasen, 1786)	Aberystwyth	3	<u>G. erinaceus</u>
<b>Heterosomata</b>			
Pleuronectidae			
<u>Hippoglossoides</u> <u>platessoides</u> (Fabricius, 1780)	North Sea	12	<u>G. erinaceus</u>
<u>Hippoglossus</u> <u>hippoglossus</u> (Linnaeus, 1758)	North Sea	2	<u>G. erinaceus</u>
<u>Platichthys flesus</u> (Linnaeus, 1758)	North Sea	13	
	Aberystwyth	7	
<u>Pleuronectes</u> <u>platessa</u> Linnaeus, 1758	North Sea	9	
Bothidae			
<u>Lepidorhombus</u> <u>whiffiagonis</u> (Walbaum, 1792)	North Sea	21	<u>G. erinaceus</u>
Pediculati			
Lophiidae			
<u>Lophius piscatorius</u> Linnaeus, 1758	North Sea	12	<u>G. erinaceus</u>

\* New host record

+ New distribution record

Table 2: Original records of trypanorhynchs found in fish

<b>Homeoacanths</b>				
Hepatoxylidae				
<u>Hepatoxylon trichiuri</u> (Holten, 1802)	post-larva	<u>Pollachius virens</u>	liver	
Tentaculariidae				
<u>Nybelinia</u> sp.	plerocercus	<u>Clupea harengus</u>	encysted on stomach wall	
 <b>Poeciloacanths</b>				
Lacistorhynchidae				
<u>Grillotia erinaceus</u> (van Beneden, 1858)	plerocercus	<u>Anarhichas lupus</u>	encysted on intestine	
		<u>Boops boops</u>	encysted on pyloric caeca	
		<u>Enchelyopus cimbrius</u>	encysted on stomach and liver	
		<u>Eutrigla gurnadus</u>	encysted on pyloric caeca	
		<u>Gadus morhua</u>	encysted on stomach, intestine	
		<u>Hippoglossus hippoglossus</u>	encysted on stomach and intestine	
		<u>Hippoglossoides platessoides</u>	encysted on stomach and intestine	
		<u>Lepidorhombus whiffagonis</u>	encysted on stomach and intestine	
		<u>Lophius piscatorius</u>	encysted on stomach and intestine	
		<u>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</u>	encysted on stomach and intestine	
	adult	<u>Raja brachyura</u>	spiral valve	
		<u>R. clavata</u>	spiral valve	
		<u>R. erinaceus</u>	spiral valve	
		<u>R. naevus</u>	spiral valve	
 <u>Grillotia smaris-gora</u> (Wagener, 1854), Dollfus, 1946	plerocercus	<u>Pagellus bogaraveo</u>	encysted on stomach and pyloric caeca	
		<u>Scomber scombrus</u>	encysted on stomach and pyloric caeca	

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<u>Grillotia smaris-gora</u> (Wagener, 1854) Dollfus, 1946	plerocercus adult	<u>Trachurus trachurus</u> <u>Squatina squatina</u>	encysted on stomach and pyloric caeca spiral valve
<u>Grillotia</u> sp.	plerocercus	<u>Boops boops</u>	encysted on pyloric caeca
<u>Lacistorhynchus tenuis</u>	plerocercus adult	<u>Clupea harengus</u> <u>Galeorhinus galeus</u>	encysted on pyloric caeca spiral valve
<b>Heteroacanths</b>			
<u>Eutetrarhynchidae</u> <u>Parachristianella monomegacantha</u> Kruse, 1959	adult	<u>Raja hollandi</u>	spiral valve
<u>P. trygonis</u> Dollfus, 1946	adult	<u>Dasyatis pastinaca</u>	spiral valve
<u>Eutetrarhynchus ruficollis</u> (Eysenhardt, 1829)	adult	<u>Mustelus asterias</u>	spiral valve
<u>Gilquiniidae</u> <u>Aporhynchus norvegicus</u> (Olssen, 1868) Nybelin, 1918	adult	<u>Etmopterus spinax</u>	spiral valve
<u>Gilquinia squali</u> (Fabricius, 1794)	plerocercus adult	<u>Merlangius merlangus</u> <u>Squalus acanthias</u>	eyes spiral valve

Table 3: Additional trypanorhynchs examined from collections

Trypanorhynch	Host	Source
Homeoacanths		
Hepatoxylidae		
<u>Hepatoxyylon trichiuri</u> (Holten, 1802)	<u>Lamna cornubica</u> (Gmelin)	North Sea, NMW
Sphyrioccephalidae		
<u>Sphyrioccephalus viridus</u> (Wagener, 1854)	<u>Scymnorhinus licha</u> (Bonnaterre)	North Sea, NMW
Tentaculariidae		
<u>Nybelinia surmenicola</u> Okada in Dollfus, 1929	<u>Sphyrna blochii</u>	Singapore, BM(NH)
<u>N. perideraeus</u> (Shipley and Hornell, 1906)	<u>Carcharhinus obscurus</u>	River van der Elst BM(NH)1982.4.6.37-45
Poeciloacanths		
Lacistorhynchidae		
<u>Grillotia acanthoscolex</u> Rees, 1944	<u>Hexanchus griseus</u> (Gmelin)	BM(NH)1976.4.13.48 -49
<u>G. branchii</u> Shaharom and Lester, 1982	<u>Scomberomorus commersoni</u>	Point Lockout, Australia BM(NH)1981.3.8.1- 3
<u>G. smaris-gora</u> (Wagener, 1854) Dollfus, 1946	<u>Squatina squatina</u>	Museum National d'Histoire Naturelle
	<u>Synodus lucioceps</u>	US National Helminthological Collection No. 76803 M1345-15
<u>Lacistorhynchus tenuis</u> (van Beneden, 1858)	<u>Galeorhinus galeus</u>	Scarborough, England BM(NH)1979.1.12.89- 90
Gymnorhynchidae		
<u>Gymnorhynchus malleum</u> (Linton, 1929)	<u>Trygon kuhli</u>	Sri Lanka, 1960 BM(NH)1977.11.15.62 -64
<u>Pterobothrium</u> sp.	<u>Lepturacanthus savala</u>	Hooghly Estuary, India BM(NH)1980.6. 23.11-12

contd.

Trypanorhynch	Host	Source
<b>Heteroacanths</b>		
<u>Eutetra</u> <u>rhynchidae</u>		
<u>Eutetra</u> <u>rhynchus</u> sp.	<u>Dasyatis</u> sp.	Hooghly Estuary, India
<u>Christianella</u> sp.	blue spotted ray	BM(NH)1968.11.4.6
<u>Prochristianella</u> <u>monomegacantha</u> , Kruse, 1959 (adult)	<u>Dasyatis americana</u>	USNM 73827
<u>Rhynchobothrium</u> <u>longispine</u> Linton, 1890		USNM 7707, 7718
<b>Otobothriidae</b>		
<u>Otobothrium</u> <u>dipsaccum</u> Linton 1897	<u>Serranus undulosus</u>	Sri Lanka BM(NH)1977.11.15. 58-60
<u>O. linstowi</u> Southwell, 1912	<u>Rhynchobatis</u> <u>djeddensis</u>	Sri Lanka BM(NH)1977.11.15.29
<b>Trypanorhynchs of uncertain taxonomic status</b>		
<u>Oncomegas wageneri</u> (Linton, 1890)	<u>Holothuria</u> <u>leucospilota</u>	Singapore BM(NH)1968.2.14. 16-25
<u>Synbothrium malleum</u>	<u>Pteroplate micrura</u>	BM(NH)1977.11.16. 25-32
<u>Tetra</u> <u>rhynchus macrocephalus</u> Shipley and Hornell, 1906	<u>Trygon kuhli</u>	Sri Lanka 1910 BM(NH)1977.11.4. 32-38

SECTION ONE

A CHECKLIST OF THE TRY PANORHYNCHA (PLATYHELMINTHES : CESTODA)  
OF THE WORLD (1935-1985)

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Summary

The literature over a 50-year period was analysed for records of trypanorhynchs. About 400 papers, mainly taxonomic or brief summaries of survey results, were published during this period. 150 species of trypanorhynchs were recorded from about 500 hosts. The results are presented as parasite-host and host-parasite lists since this information is not readily available to modern researchers of this unique group of tapeworms.

## Introduction

In March, 1983, I advisedly began work on the biology of the Trypanorhyncha in view of the increased interest in this unique but sadly neglected group of tapeworms. This neglect was emphasised by the time-consuming and laborious task of searching for the scattered literature, which appeared sporadically in many journals of different disciplines and in various languages.

The dispersed papers included many synonyms and mis-identifications, reflecting the chaotic state of the Order's taxonomy, including many highly controversial aspects of classification and major difficulties in identifying genera and species. Such information, however, is of increased importance since it is now thought that trypanorhynchs can be used as biological tags for fish of economic importance.

Apart from Southwell's (1930) historical review of the Trypanorhyncha and Dollfus' (1942) monograph, there has been no attempt to bring together all papers on the Trypanorhyncha in one publication. Since over 400 relevant papers have been published since 1935, it was considered advisable to collate and publish the information in the checklist as a basis for future work on the group.

Collection of the host-parasite records began with the aid of a Dialog search of the Commonwealth Agricultural Bureaux Abstracts Database for the period 1972-1982, carried out by the CAB International Institute of Parasitology. Abstracts from papers published during the years 1935-1971 and from 1983 onwards were obtained by scanning the Helmintological Abstracts published for those years. Further references were traced from the bibliographies of original papers, and from the Host-Parasite catalogue at the British Museum (Natural History) in London.

This checklist is largely based on original papers published in primary journals, in order to avoid the duplication of information in standard texts, e.g. Wardle and McLeod (1952), Yamaguti (1959), and checklists, e.g. Love and Moser (1983). The checklist is divided into two parts, the first containing a list of parasite species, arranged alphabetically within families, together with their stage of development, host, site of infection if given, geographical distribution and author index. The second part consists of a host-parasite list with their author index.

There are two appendices. The first contains references which include information other than original host-parasite data, which is still relevant to the study of the Trypanorhyncha. The second appendix consists of parasite records which I received too late to include in the main text.

In the light of new taxonomic knowledge some authors have used a variety of synonyms for the same trypanorhynch species in successive publications. I have, therefore, exercised my own

judgement in choosing the most commonly accepted name by experts on the group. The synonym may still be used in cross-referencing.

As is often customary for helminthologists who have little experience or knowledge of vertebrate taxonomy, little attempt has been made to investigate the most commonly used host name and its synonyms. Thus, the list of hosts contains those given in the original paper, appearing alphabetically within orders.

Although I have tried to include all papers primarily concerned with the Trypanorhyncha in this checklist, it is certain that some papers will have been missed. The checklist should, however, provide a useful base for workers in this field and it is hoped that a critical review of the literature may follow this checklist.

PARASITE-HOST LIST

PARASITE FAMILY

DASYRHYNCHIDAE

Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Carcharhinus leucas (Möller and Henle, 1841)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Nicaragua

WATSON, D.E. AND THORSON, T.B., 1976

Prionace glauca (Linnaeus, 1758)

Distribution: California, southern

HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Osteichthyes

Chascanopsetta lugubris Alcock

Distribution: Coast of Mozambique

REIMER, L.W., 1984

Chlorophthalmus agassizii Bonaparte

Distribution: Coast of Mozambique

REIMER, L.W., 1984

Malacocephalus leaevis (Lowe)

Distribution: Coast of Mozambique

REIMER, L.W., 1984

Saurida undosquamis (Richardson)

Distribution: Coast of Mozambique

REIMER, L.W., 1984

Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931 (?) (cysts)

(tentative identification)

REMARKS: Bane remarked that the cysts resembled those of

Callitetrarhynchus gracilis.

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Thunnus albacares

Location: stomach

Distribution: South of Accra, Ghana, Atlantic

BANE, G.W., 1969

Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931 (adult) syn.

Tentacularia macfieei Southwell, 1929

REMARKS: Subhapradha considered Tentacularia macfieei Southwell, 1929 and Tentacularia pseudodera Shuler, 1938 to be synonyms of Callitetrarhynchus gracilis.

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Carcharias sp.

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Madras Coast, India

SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955

Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931 (encysted plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Pomatomus saltatrix (L.)

Location: pyloric caeca, mesenteries

Distribution: Raritan Bay, southern, New Jersey

MEYERS, T.R., 1978

Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931 (larva)  
Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes  
Euthynnus pelamys (Linne)  
Distribution: inland Sea of Japan, Pacific Coast of Japan, East China Sea  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952  
Merluccius gayi peruanus Gingsburg, 1954  
Location: mesenteries  
Distribution: Callao, Peru  
DURAN, L.E. AND OLIVA, M., 1980  
Muraenesox cinereus (Forskal)  
Distribution: inland Sea of Japan, Pacific Coast of Japan, East China Sea  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952  
Platycephalus indicus (Linne)  
Distribution: inland Sea of Japan, Pacific Coast of Japan, East China Sea  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952  
Platycephalus punctatus Cuvier and Valenciennes  
Distribution: inland Sea of Japan, Pacific Coast of Japan, East China Sea  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952  
Pomatomus saltatrix (L.)  
Location: coelom, attached to the surface of the visceral peritoneum  
Distribution: Rio de Janeiro, Brazil  
CARVAJAL, J. AND REGO, A.A., 1985  
Sciaena albiflora (Richardson)  
Distribution: inland Sea of Japan, Pacific Coast of Japan, East China Sea  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952  
Scomber japonicus Houttuyn  
Distribution: Sea of Japan, inland, Pacific Coast of Japan, East China Sea  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952  
Scomberoides guttatus Bloch and Schneider  
Distribution: inland Sea of Japan, Pacific Coast of Japan, East China Sea  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952  
Seriola purpurascens Temmick and Schlegel  
Distribution: inland Sea of Japan, Pacific Coast of Japan, East China Sea  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952  
Trichiurus japonicus (Temmick and Schlegel)  
Distribution: inland Sea of Japan, Pacific Coast of Japan, East China Sea  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952

Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931 (plerocercoid)  
Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes  
Cerberus rhynchos  
Location: body cavity  
Distribution: Palawan, Philippines  
JENSEN, L.A., SCHMIDT, G.D. AND KUNTZ, K.E., 1983  
Megalaspis cordyla (L.)  
Distribution: Indian Ocean  
REIMER, L.W., 1980  
Secutor ruconius Buchanan-Hamilton  
Distribution: Indian Ocean  
REIMER, L.W., 1980  
Selar kalla (Cuvier and Valenciennes)

Distribution: Indian Ocean  
REIMER, L.W., 1980

Synodus lucioceps

Location: mesentery

JENSEN, L.A., MOSER, M. AND HECKMANN, R.A., 1979

Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931 (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Alohester afer

Location: body cavity, mesentery, gut, viscera,  
liver, gonad

Distribution: Bermuda

REES, G., 1969

Caranx cryos (Mitchill)

Location: body cavity, mesentery, gut, viscera,  
liver, gonad

Distribution: Bermuda

REES, G., 1969

Caranx rhonchus Saint-Hilaire, 1809

Location: peritoneum, body cavity

Distribution: Mauritania

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Caranx ruber

Location: body cavity, mesentery, gut, viscera,  
liver, gonad

Distribution: Bermuda

REES, G., 1969

Centropomus undecimalis Lacépède

Location: peritoneum

Distribution: Ilha Marajo, Brazil

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Cephalopholis fulvus

Location: body cavity, mesentery, gut, viscera,  
liver, gonad

Distribution: Bermuda

REES, G., 1969

Epinephelus adscensionis

Location: body cavity, mesentery, gut, viscera,  
liver, gonad

Distribution: Bermuda

REES, G., 1969

Epinephelus aenius (Et. Geoff. St-Hil)

Location: peritoneum

Distribution: Mauritania, depth 95-100 m

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Epinephelus guttatus

Location: body cavity, mesentery, gut, viscera,  
liver, gonad

Distribution: Bermuda

REES, G., 1969

Epinephelus striatus (Bloch)

Location: body cavity, mesentery, gut, viscera,  
liver, gonad

Distribution: Bermuda

REES, G., 1969

Euthynnus alleteratus (Rafinesque, 1810)

Location: peritoneal cyste

Distribution: Atlantic

BUSSIERAS, J. AND BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1973

Euthynnus sp. (Cuvier and Valenciennes)

Location: viscera

Distribution: Miami

WARD, H.L., 1954  
Lutjanus griseus (L.)  
Location: body cavity, mesentery, gut, viscera,  
liver, gonad  
Distribution: Bermuda  
REES, G., 1969  
Lutjanus guineensis Bleeker  
Location: peritoneum  
Distribution: Guinea Coast, 55-60 m deep  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Morone labrax  
Location: peritoneum  
Distribution: "SS Venneau", Ston CXXI  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Mullus barbatus L.  
Location: abdominal cavity  
Distribution: Concarneau, Finistère, Marseille, Coast  
of  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Mycteroptera bonaci (Poey)  
Location: body cavity, mesentery, gut, viscera,  
liver, gonad  
Distribution: Bermuda  
REES, G., 1969  
Mycteroptera falcata  
Location: body cavity, mesentery, gut, viscera,  
liver, gonad  
Distribution: Bermuda  
REES, G., 1969  
Mycteroptera tigris  
Location: body cavity, mesentery, gut, viscera,  
liver, gonad  
Distribution: Bermuda  
REES, G., 1969  
Mycteroptera venenosa (L.)  
Location: body cavity, mesentery, gut, viscera,  
liver, gonad  
Distribution: Bermuda  
REES, G., 1969  
Ocyurus chrysurus Bloch  
Location: body cavity, mesentery, gut, viscera,  
liver, gonad  
Distribution: Bermuda  
REES, G., 1969  
Otolithus senegalensis Valenciennes  
Location: body cavity  
Distribution: Mauritania  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Palameton  
Location: peritoneum  
Distribution: Mauritania  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Platycephalus bassensis  
Location: mesenteries, encysted among  
Distribution: Hobart, Tasmania  
PRUDHOE, S., 1969  
Rachycentron canadum (L.)  
Location: peritoneum, body cavity  
Distribution: Dakar, Senegal  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Sarda sarda (Bloch)  
Location: peritoneum

Distribution: Fedhala, Morocco  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Scisena aquila (Lacépède)  
Location: peritoneum  
Distribution: Rabat, Morocco, Mauritania  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Temnodon saltator (L.)  
Location: peritoneum  
Distribution: Casablanca, Morocco  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Location: visceral surfaces  
Distribution: Mauritania  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Thunnus albacares (Bonnaterre, 1788)  
Location: peritoneal cysts  
Distribution: Atlantic  
BUSSIÈRAS, J. AND BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1973

Trachinotus goodei  
Location: body cavity, mesentery, gut, viscera,  
liver, gonad  
Distribution: Bermuda  
REES, G., 1969

Trigla lucerna L.  
Location: on the pyloric caeca  
Distribution: Mauritania  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931 (post-larva)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes  
Thunnus albacares  
Location: viscera  
Distribution: Gulf of Guinea  
BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1971

Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931 syn.  
Tentacularia pseudodera Shuler, 1938  
REMARKS: Dollfus (1942) and Subhapradha (1955) considered  
Tentacularia pseudodera to be a synonym of Callitetrarhynchus gracilis.  
Host: Vertebrates Selachii  
Hypopriion brevirostris Poey  
Location: spiral valve  
Distribution: Tortugas, Florida  
SHULER, R.H., 1938

Callitetrarhynchus lepidus (Chandler, 1935) Chandler 1942 (larva)  
REMARKS: Chandler (1942) reallocated Tentacularia lepida Chandler, 1935 to the genus Callitetrarhynchus.  
Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes  
Galeichthys felis  
Location: mesenteries, attached to  
Distribution: Galveston Bay, Texas  
CHANDLER, A.C., 1935a

Callitetrarhynchus lepidus (Chandler, 1935) Chandler, 1942 (larva) syn.

Tentacularia lepida Chandler, 1935

REMARKS: Chandler (1942) reallocated Tentacularia lepida Chandler, 1935 to the genus Callitetrarhynchus.

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Bagre marina

Location: mesenteries, attached to

Distribution: Galveston Bay, Texas

CHANDLER, A.C., 1935e

Callitetrarhynchus nipponica Nakajima and Egusa, 1973 (adult)

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Scoliodon walbeemi

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Bungo Channel, Japan

NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1972a

Sphyraea zygaena (L.)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Bungo Channel, Japan

NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1972a

Triakis scyllia Müller and Henle

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Japan

NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1972d

NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1973

Callitetrarhynchus nipponica Nakajima and Egusa, 1973 (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Triakis scyllia Müller and Henle

Distribution: Japan

NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1972b

Osteichthyes

Seriola quinqueradiata Temmick and Schlegel

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Japan

NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1972b

NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1972c

NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1973

Distribution: Suge, Japan

NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1969c

Callitetrarhynchus nipponica Nakajima and Egusa, 1973 (plerocercus) syn.

Callitetrarhynchus sp. Nakajima and Egusa, 1968

REMARKS: Callitetrarhynchus sp. referred to by Nakajima and Egusa, (1968) (1969a), (1969b), (1969c), (1971a), (1971b), (1972a), (1972b), (1972c), (1972d), (1972e), (1972f) was named C. nipponica by Nakajima and Egusa in 1973.

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Seriola quinqueradiata Temmick and Schlegel

Location: abdominal cavity

Distribution: Shikoku, Japan

NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1968

Callitetrarhynchus nipponica Nakajima and Egusa, 1973 (plerocercus, adult)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Triakis scyllia Müller and Henle

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Japan

NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1972c

Callitetrarhynchus nipponica Nakajima and Egusa, 1973 (procercoïd)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Engraulis japonicus (Houttuyn)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Bungo Channel, Hyuga Sea, Japan

NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1971a

Distribution: Bungo Channel, Sea of Suo, Iyo harbour, Japan

NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1969a

Distribution: Japan

NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1972b

Distribution: Japanese coast

NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1971b

Location: body cavity, liver

Distribution: Bungo Channel, Sea of Suo, Japan

NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1969b

Callitetrarhynchus sp. (larva)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Clevelandia ios (Jordan and Gilbert)

Distribution: Mission Bay, San Diego, California

BROOKS, D.R. AND BROTHERS, E.B., 1974

Ilyonotus gilberti (Eigenmann and Eigenmann)

Distribution: Mission Bay, San Diego, California

BROOKS, D.R. AND BROTHERS, E.B., 1974

Quietula y-cauda (Jenkins and Evermann)

Distribution: Mission Bay, San Diego, California

BROOKS, D.R. AND BROTHERS, E.B., 1974

Callitetrarhynchus sp. Nakajima and Egusa, 1968 SEE: Callitetrarhynchus nipponica Nakajima and Egusa, 1973 (plerocercus)

Callitetrarhynchus sp. (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Epinephelus morio Valenciennes, 1824

Location: muscles, digestive tract, liver, gonads

Distribution: Bance de Campeche

FEJER, E., VALDES, R. AND BARRERA, M., 1979

Callitetrarhynchus speciosus (Linton, 1897) Carvajal and Rego, 1985 (larva)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Pomatomus saltatrix (L.)

Location: coelom, attached to the surface of the  
visceral peritoneum

Distribution: Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

CARVAJAL, J. AND REGO, A.A., 1985

Dasyrhynchus giganteus (Diesing, 1850) Pintner, 1928 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Carcharhinus leucas (Müller and Henle, 1841)

BUTEAU, JR., G.H., SIMMONS, J.E., FAIRBAIRN, D., 1969

Dasyrhynchus giganteus (Diesing, 1850) Pintner, 1928 (adult)

REMARKS: Dollfus (1969b) considered that although the tentacles of his specimens corresponded with descriptions of D. giganteus, the strobile corresponded to D. variouncinatus and D. telismani.

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Carcharhinus leucas (Müller and Henle, 1841) syn.

Prionodon platyodon (Poey, 1861) syn. Carcharhinus commersoni Blainville, 1816

Distribution: Florida, Sarasota

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969b

Negaprion brevirostris (Poey, 1868) syn. Hypoprion brevirostris Poey

Distribution: Florida, Sarasota

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969b

Dasyrhynchus giganteus (Diesing, 1850) Pintner, 1928 (immature adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Carcharhinus emblyrhynchos Bleeker

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Hawaii

CARVAJAL, J., CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CORNFORD, E.M., 1976

Carcharhinus limbatus (Valenciennes)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Hawaii

CARVAJAL, J., CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CORNFORD, E.M., 1976

Dasyrhynchus ingens (Linton, 1921) (adult) SEE: Floriceps saccatus  
Cuvier, 1817 (adult)

Dasyrhynchus insigne (Linton, 1924)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Carcharias platyodon (Poey)

CHANDLER, A.C., 1942

Dasyrhynchus pacificus Robinson, 1965 (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Sciaena antarctica Castelnau

Location: viscera, encysted amongst

Distribution: McKenzie Bay, New South Wales

ROBINSON, E.S., 1965

Dasyrhynchus pillersi (Southwell, 1929)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Saurida undosquamis (Richardson)

Distribution: Coast of Mozambique

REIMER, L.W., 1984

Dasyrhynchus pillerei (Southwell, 1929) (larva)

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes  
Paettodes erumei (Bloch and Schneider)  
Distribution: Coast of Mozambique  
REIMER, L.W., 1984

Dasyrhynchus sp.

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes  
Thyrsites atun (Euphrasen, 1791)  
Distribution: New Zealand, Australia  
KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1971

Dasyrhynchus sp. (adult)

Host: Vertebrate Selachii  
Raja kincaidii  
DOUGLAS, L.I., 1959

Dasyrhynchus sp. (encysted plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes  
Paralichthys dentatus  
Location: stomach wall, intestine wall, pyloric caeca, mesenteries  
Distribution: Raritan Bay, southern, New Jersey  
MEYERS, T.R., 1978  
Pomatomus saltatrix (L.)  
Location: stomach wall, pyloric caeca, pericardium, mesenteries  
Distribution: Raritan Bay, southern, New Jersey  
MEYERS, T.R., 1978  
Scophthalmus aquosus  
Location: stomach wall  
Distribution: Raritan Bay, southern, New Jersey  
MEYERS, T.R., 1978

Dasyrhynchus sp. (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes  
Irachurus symmetricus (Ayres)  
Location: throughout the fish, abdominal wall and muscle tissue, especially  
DAILEY, M.D., 1969

Dasyrhynchus talismani Dollfus, 1935

Host: Vertebrate Selachii  
Carcharhinus longimanus (Poey, 1861)  
Distribution: Pacific Ocean, east  
HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Dasyrhynchus talismani Dollfus, 1935 (adult)

Host: Vertebrate Selachii  
Galeus glaucus Rondelet, 1554 syn. Carcharias  
(Prionodon) glaucus (L.) Müller and Henle  
Distribution: Dakar and Ile de Santiago, Cape Verde, Archipelago  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Dasyrhynchus talismani Dollfus, 1935 (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Thunnus albacores (Bonnaterre, 1788)

Location: circulatory system

Distribution: Atlantic

BUSSIERAS, J. AND BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1973

Location: liver, spleen, pyloric caeca

Distribution: Gulf of Guinea

BUSSIERAS, J. AND ALDRIN, J.F., 1965

Thunnus obesus (Lowe, 1839)

Location: circulatory system

Distribution: Atlantic

BUSSIERAS, J. AND BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1973

Location: liver, spleen, pyloric caeca

Distribution: Gulf of Guinea

BUSSIERAS, J. AND ALDRIN, J.F., 1965

Dasyrhynchus talismani Dollfus, 1935 (post-larva)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Thunnus albacores

Location: branchial arteries, ducts in the hepato-spleno-pyloric region

Distribution: Gulf of Guinea

BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1971

Dasyrhynchus variouncinatus (Pintner, 1913) Pintner, 1928

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Carcharhinus leucas (Müller and Henle, 1841)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Nicaragua

WATSON, D.E. AND THORSON, T.B., 1976

Carcharias sp.

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Madras Coast, India

SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955

Dasyrhynchus variouncinatus (Pintner, 1913) Pintner, 1928 (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Xiphias gladius Linnaeus, 1758

Location: stomach

Distribution: Atlantic, north west

HOGANS, W.E., BRATTEY, J., UHAZY, L.S. AND HURLEY, P.C.F., 1983

Dasyrhynchus variouncinatus (Pintner, 1913) Pintner, 1928 (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Caran sp.

Location: under the tegument in the gill chamber

Distribution: Cote d'Annam

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Caranx armatus (Forskål)

Location: under the tegument in the gill chamber

Distribution: Cote d'Annam

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Euthynnus yeito Kishinouye

Location: under the tegument in the gill chamber

Distribution: Cote d'Annam

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

"Loche saumonée"

Location: intramuscular capsules

Distribution: New Caledonia

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Polynemus quadrifiliis Cuvier  
    Location: gill chamber under the tegument  
    Distribution: Pointe Padron, Belgian Congo  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Seriola dumerili Risso, 1810  
    Location: body cavity  
    Distribution: Miami  
WARD, H.L., 1954

Dasyrhynchus variouncinatus (Pintner, 1913) Pintner, 1928 syn. Tentacularis insignis (Linton, 1819) Shuler, 1938

Host: Vertebrates Selachii  
Hopopion brevirostris Poey  
    Distribution: Tortugas, Florida  
SHULER, R.H., 1938  
SHULER, R.H., 1938

Floriceps caballeroi Cruz-Reyes, 1977 (adult)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii  
Negaprion brevirostris (Poey, 1868)  
    Location: spiral valve  
    Distribution: Laguna de Agiabampo, Mexico  
CRUZ-REYES, A., 1977

Floriceps oxneri Guiart, 1938 (larva)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes  
Coris julis  
    Location: peritoneal cavity  
    Distribution: Monaco  
GUIART, J., 1938

Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817

Host: Vertebrates Selachii  
Carcharhinus limbatus (Valenciennes)  
    Distribution: California, southern  
HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974  
Carcharias sp.  
    Location: spiral valve  
    Distribution: Madras Coast, India  
SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955  
Notorhynchus maculatus Ayres, 1855  
    Distribution: Mexico  
HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817 (adult)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii  
Negaprion brevirostris (Poey, 1868)  
    Distribution: Mexico, north west coast  
CRUZ-REYES, A., 1974b

Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817 (adult) syn. Dasyrhynchus ingens (Linton, 1921) (adult)

REMARKS: Dollfus (1942) recognised Dasyrhynchus ingens (Linton, 1921) as a synonym of Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817.

Host: Vertebrates Selachii  
Carcharhinus japonicus  
    Location: spiral intestine  
    Distribution: Japan  
IWATA, S., 1939

Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817 (adult) syn. Dasyrhynchus ingens (Linton, 1921) (adult)

Host: Vertebrates      Selachii

Prionace glauca (Linnaeus, 1758)

Location: spiral intestine

Distribution: Japan

IWATA, S., 1939

Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817 (larva)

Host: Vertebrates      Osteichthyes

Glyptocephalus stelleri (Schmidt)

Distribution: Peter the Great Bay

TSIMBALYUK, E.M., 1978b

Distribution: Zaliv Petra Velikogo, Japan, Sea of

TSIMBALYUK, E.M., 1978a

Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817 (larva)

REMARKS: Guiart (1935) considered that Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817 was a rare, minute trypanorhynch found under the peritoneum of Mola mola and not the giant trypanorhynch commonly found in the liver of the same host.

Host: Vertebrates      Osteichthyes

Mola mola (L.)

Location: under the peritoneum

Distribution: Nice

GUIART, J., 1935c

Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817 (larva)

Host: Vertebrates      Osteichthyes

Sphaeroides borealis

Distribution: Peter the Great Bay

TSIMBALYUK, E.M., 1978b

Trichiurus japonicus

Distribution: Peter the Great Bay

TSIMBALYUK, E.M., 1978b

Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817 (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrates      Osteichthyes

Mola mola (L.)

Location: body wall, inside

Distribution: Ireland, Co. Donegal

HILLIS, J.P. AND O'RIORDAN, C.E., 1961

Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817 (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrates      Osteichthyes

Coryphaenoides hippurus

Location: visceral cavity, wall of

Distribution: Concarneau

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b

Diodon holocanthus Linnaeus, 1758

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Guadeloupe

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1975

Mola mola (L.)

Location: liver

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Location: peritoneum

Distribution: Mediterranean

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Mola mola (L.) syn. Orthagoriscus mola (L.)

Location: encysted in liver, mesentery, stomach wall,

surface of the intestine, musculature

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946a

Sercola mazatlana Steindachner, 1876

Location: musculature

Distribution: Antofagaster, Chile

SOTO, J. AND CARVAJAL, J., 1979

Tentacularia insignis (Linton, 1819) Shuler, 1938 SEE: Dasyrhynchus variuncinatus (Pintner, 1913) Pintner, 1928

Tentacularia lepida Chandler, 1935 SEE: Callitetrarhynchus lepidus (Chandler, 1935) Chandler, 1942 (larva)

Tentacularia macfieei Southwell, 1929 SEE: Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931 (adult)

Tentacularia pseudodera Shuler, 1938 SEE: Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931

## PARASITE FAMILY

## EUTETRARHYNCHIDAE

Christianella minute (Van Beneden, 1849)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Trachurus trachurus trachurus L.

Distribution: Atlantic

GAEVSKAYA, A.V. AND KOVALEVA, A.A., 1980b

Christianella minute (Van Beneden, 1849) (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Dasyatis pastinaca L.

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Black Sea

KORNYUSHIN, V.V. AND SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1978

Raja clevata L.

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Black Sea

KORNYUSHIN, V.V. AND SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1978

Rhinobatos halavi (Forsk)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Madras Coast, India

SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955

Squalus acanthias (L.)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Black Sea

KORNYUSHIN, V.V. AND SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1978

Squatina squatina (L.)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Mauritania, Coasts of

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Trygon imbricata (Bloch and Schneider)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Madras Coast, India

SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955

Christianella minute (Van Beneden, 1849) (adult) syn. Tetrarhynchus minutus

Van Beneden, 1849 (in Nybelin, 1940) syn. Wageneria porrecta Lühe, 1902

REMARKS: Nybelin (1940) and Dollfus (1942) both suggested that

Tetrarhynchus minutus and Wageneria porrecta were synonyms of  
Christianella minute.

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Squatina squatina (L.) syn. Rhina squatina (L.)

Distribution: Roscoff, France

NYBELIN, O., 1940

Christianella minute (Van Beneden, 1849) larva

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Trachurus trachurus trachurus L.

Distribution: North Sea, Atlantic, north

GAEVSKAYA, A.V. AND KOVALEVA, A.A., 1980b

Christianella minute (Van Beneden, 1849) (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Mullus barbatus ponticus Essipov

Distribution: Black Sea

KORNYUSHIN, V.V. AND SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1978

Ophidium rochei Müller

Distribution: Black Sea

KORNYUSHIN, V.V. AND SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1978

Platichthys flesus luscus (Pallas)

Distribution: Black Sea

KORNYUSHIN, V.V. AND SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1978

Scorpaena porcus L.  
Distribution: Black Sea  
KORNYUSHIN, V.V. AND SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1978  
Soles lescaris nasuta (Pallas)  
Distribution: Black Sea  
KORNYUSHIN, V.V. AND SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1978

Christianella minute (Van Beneden, 1849) (plerocercus) syn. Lacistorhynchus  
sp. in Pintner, 1893 syn. Grillotia sp. in Dollfus, 1942  
REMARKS: Nybelin (1940) suggested that the plerocercus  
described as Lacistorhynchus sp. by Pinter (1893) was really  
Christianella minute (Van Beneden, 1849). Dollfus 1942 remarked  
on its similarity to Grillotia spp.

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes  
Smaris sp.  
Distribution: Naples, Nice, Trieste  
NYBELIN, O., 1940

Christianella sp. (adult)  
Host: Vertebrate Selachii  
Urobatis halleri (Cooper)  
Distribution: California, southern  
YOUNG, R.T., 1954a

Christianella sp. (larva)  
Host: Invertebrate Gastropoda  
Bullia melanoides (Deshayes)  
Distribution: Madras, India  
REIMER, L.W., 1975a  
Theais rudolphi (Lamarck)  
Distribution: Madras, India  
REIMER, L.W., 1975a  
Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes  
Cubiceps natalensis Gilchrist and Von Bonde  
Distribution: Coast of Mozambique  
REIMER, L.W., 1984

Christianella trygon-brucco of Euzet, 1956 SEE: Parachristianella  
trygonis Dollfus, 1946 (adult)

Christianella trygonis-bucconis (Wagener, 1854) adult  
Host: Vertebrate Selachii  
Urobatis halleri (Cooper) (?)  
Distribution: California, southern  
YOUNG, R.T., 1954a

Christianella trygonis-bucconis (Wagener, 1854) (larva)  
Host: Invertebrate Crustacea  
Callianassa sp.  
Distribution: California  
YOUNG, R.T., 1954a  
Hemigrapsus  
Distribution: California, southern  
YOUNG, R.T., 1954a  
Pachygrapsus sp.  
Distribution: California, southern  
YOUNG, R.T., 1954a

Eutetrarhynchid sp.

Host: Vertebrate Selachii  
Carcharhinus leucas (Möller and Henle, 1841)  
Location: spiral valve  
Distribution: Texas  
HENSON, R.N., 1975

Eutetrarhynchidae sp. (larva)

Host: Invertebrate Crustacea  
Euphausia similis Sars  
Distribution: Saruga Bay, Japan  
SHIMAZU, T., 1975a

Eutetrarhynchus areys (Woodland, 1934) Rego and Dias, 1976

Host: Vertebrates Selachii  
Partrygon motoro (Möller and Henle)  
Distribution: Salobra, Mato Grosso  
REGO, A.A., 1979

Eutetrarhynchus areys (Woodland, 1934) Rego and Dias, 1976 (adult) syn.

Eutetrarhynchus baeri López-Neyra and Diaz-Ungria, 1958  
REMARKS: The hosts Potamotrygon hystrix and Preticulatys were tentatively identified pending a taxonomic revision of the potamotrygonids.

Host: Vertebrates Selachii  
Potamotrygon falkneri  
Location: middle third of spiral valve  
Distribution: Venezuela  
BROOKS, D.R., MAYES, M.A. AND THORSON, T.B., 1981

Eutetrarhynchus areys (Woodland, 1934) Yamaguti, 1959

Host: Vertebrates Selachii  
Partrygon hystrix (Möller and Henle)  
Distribution: Rio Amazonas, South America  
REGO, A.A., 1979

Eutetrarhynchus areys (Woodland, 1934) Yamaguti, 1959 (adult)

REMARKS: Rego and Dias (1976) concluded that Eutetrarhynchus baeri described by López-Neyra and Diaz-Ungria (1958) was a synonym of Eutetrarhynchus areys.

Host: Vertebrates Selachii  
Potamotrygon hystrix (Möller and Troschel)  
Location: spiral valve  
Distribution: Orinoco River Delta, Venezuela  
LOPEZ-NEYRA, C.R. AND DIAZ-UNGRIA, C., 1958

Eutetrarhynchus areys (Woodland, 1934) Yamaguti, 1959 (adult) syn.

Eutetrarhynchus baeri López-Neyra and Diaz-Ungria, 1958  
REMARKS: Rego and Dias (1976) redescribed Eutetrarhynchus areys and considered that E. baeri is a synonym.

Host: Vertebrates Selachii  
Partrygon motoro (Möller and Henle)  
Location: spiral valve  
Distribution: Salobra, Mato Grosso  
REGO, A.A. AND DIAS, A.P.L., 1976

Eutetrarhynchus areye (Woodland, 1934) Yamaguti, 1959 (adult) syn.

Eutetrarhynchus baeri López-Neyra and Diaz-Ungria, 1958

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Potamotrygon hystric (Müller and Troschel)

Location: middle third of spiral valve

Distribution: Venezuela

BROOKS, D.R., MAYES, M.A. AND THORSON, T.B., 1981

Potamotrygon motoro (Müller and Henle)

Location: middle third of spiral valve

Distribution: Venezuela

BROOKS, D.R., MAYES, M.A. AND THORSON, T.B., 1981

Potamotrygon reticulatus (Gunther)

Location: middle third of spiral valve

Distribution: Venezuela

BROOKS, D.R., MAYES, M.A. AND THORSON, T.B., 1981

Eutetrarhynchus areye (Woodland, 1934) Yamaguti, 1959 (post-larva)

Host: Invertebrates Crustacea

Dilocarcinus (Dilocarcinus) pagei Stimson, 1861

Distribution: Mato Grosso

REGO, A.A., 1982

Valdivia serrata Bott, 1969

Distribution: Mato Grosso

REGO, A.A., 1982

Eutetrarhynchus australis Prudhoe, 1969 (adult)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Mustelus antarcticus Günther

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Hobart, Tasmania

PRUDHOE, S., 1969

Eutetrarhynchus baeri López-Neyra and Diaz-Ungria, 1958 SEE:

Eutetrarhynchus areye (Woodland, 1934) Rego and Dias, 1976 (adult)

Eutetrarhynchus baeri López-Neyra and Diaz-Ungria, 1958 SEE:

Eutetrarhynchus areye (Woodland, 1934) Yamaguti, 1959 (adult)

Eutetrarhynchus carayoni Dollfus, 1942 (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Clibanarius misanthropus Rissö

Location: bile duct

Distribution: Arachon, Gironde, France

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Eutetrarhynchus carayoni Dollfus, 1942 (plerocercus-tentative identification)

Host: Invertebrates Crustacea

Upogebia gracilipes De Man 1927

Location: liver

Distribution: Castighoise, Algiers

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b

Eutetrarhynchus caribbenensis Kovacs and Schmidt, 1980 (adult)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Urolophus jamaicensis (Cuvier, 1817)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Discovery Bay, Jamaica  
KOVACS, K.J. AND SCHMIDT, G.D., 1980

Eutetrarhynchus geraschmidti Dollfus, 1974 (pre-adult)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Urolophus testaceus (Möller and Henle)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Australia, South  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1974a

Eutetrarhynchus glaber Dollfus, 1969 (adult)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Myliobatis aquila (Linnaeus, 1758)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Mediterranean, Sete  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Eutetrarhynchus leucomelanus (Shipley and Hornell, 1906) (larva)

Host: Invertebrates Crustacea

Metapenaeus affini (Milne Edwards)

Location: digestive gland

Distribution: Bay of Bengal

CHANDRA, K.J., RAO, K.H. AND SHYAMASUNDARI. K., 1981

Metapenaeus brevirostris (Milne Edwards)

Location: digestive gland

Distribution: Bay of Bengal

CHANDRA, K.J., RAO, K.H. AND SHYAMASUNDARI. K., 1981

Metapenaeus monoceros (Fabricius, 1788)

Location: digestive gland

Distribution: Bay of Bengal

CHANDRA, K.J., RAO, K.H. AND SHYAMASUNDARI. K., 1981

Parapenaeus stylifera Alcock

Location: digestive gland

Distribution: Bay of Bengal

CHANDRA, K.J., RAO, K.H. AND SHYAMASUNDARI. K., 1981

Penaeus indicus (Milne Edwards)

Location: digestive gland

Distribution: Bay of Bengal

CHANDRA, K.J., RAO, K.H. AND SHYAMASUNDARI. K., 1981

Penaeus semisulcatus (de Haan)

Location: digestive gland

Distribution: Bay of Bengal

CHANDRA, K.J., RAO, K.H. AND SHYAMASUNDARI. K., 1981

Eutetrarhynchus lineatus (Linton, 1909) syn. Tentacularia lineata (Linton, 1909) (adult)

REMARKS: Dollfus (1942) examined specimens mentioned by Shuler (1938) as Tentacularia lineata (Linton) and transferred them into the genus Eutetrarhynchus.

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Ginglymostoma cirratum (Bonnaterre)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Dry Tortugas, Florida

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Eutetrarhynchus lineatus (Linton, 1909) syn. Tentacularia lineata (Linton, 1909) Shuler, 1938

REMARKS: Dollfus, 1942 considered that Rhynchobothrium lineatum Linton, 1909 was an eutetrarhynchid.

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Ginglymostoma cirratum

Distribution: Tortugas, Florida

SHULER, R.H., 1938

Eutetrarhynchus litocephalus Heinz and Dailey, 1974 (adult)

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Mustelus californicus

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: California, southern

HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Triakis semifasciata Girard, 1854

Distribution: Mexico

HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Eutetrarhynchus macrotrachelus Heinz and Dailey, 1974 (adult)

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Mustelus californicus

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: California, southern

HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Eutetrarhynchus ruficollis (Eysenhardt, 1829) (adult)

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Mustelus canis (Mitchell, 1815)

Distribution: Mediterranean

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Mustelus mustelus (Linnaeus, 1758)

Distribution: Mediterranean

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Eutetrarhynchus ruficollis (Eysenhardt, 1829) (larva)

Host: Invertebrate Crustacea

Macropipus depurator (L.)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Sète, France

VIVARES, C.P., 1971

Eutetrarhynchus ruficollis (Eysenhardt, 1829) (plerocercoid)

Host: Invertebrate Crustacea

Penaeus trisulcatus Leach

Location: hepatopancreas

HELDT, J.H., 1949

Eutetrarhynchus schmidti Heinz and Dailey, 1974 (adult)

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Rhinobatos productus (Ayres)

Distribution: California, southern

HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Urolophus helleri

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: California, southern

HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Eutetrahynchus sp. (adult)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Dasyatis pastinaca L.

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Bay of Bengal, northern  
CHOUDHURY, A. AND ROY, A., 1982

Dasyatis uarnak

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Bay of Bengal, northern  
CHOUDHURY, A. AND ROY, A., 1982

Rhinobatos granulatus

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Bay of Bengal, northern  
CHOUDHURY, A. AND ROY, A., 1982

Eutetrahynchus sp. of Sparks and Mackin (1957) SEE: Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975 (larva)

Eutetrahynchus sp. (plerocercoid)

Host: Invertebrate Gastropoda

Busycon spiratum pyrulooides (Say)

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Location: encysted in muscular folds of valve of  
Leiblein

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Crepidula fornicata (Linne)

Location: encysted in muscular folds of valve of  
Leiblein

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Crepidula sp.

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Fasciolaria lilium hunteria (Perry)

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Location: encysted in muscular folds of valve of  
Leiblein

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Fasciolaria tulipa (Linne)

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Location: encysted in muscular folds of valve of  
Leiblein

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Melongena corona (Gmelin)

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Pleuroploca gigantea (Kiener)

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Pleuroploca gigantea (Kiener)

Location: encysted in muscular folds of valve of  
Leiblein

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Thais haemastoma canaliculata (Gray)

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977  
Location: encysted in muscular folds of valve of  
Leiblein  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Pelecypoda

Argopecten irradians concentricus (Say)  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Atrina rigida (Lightfoot)  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Atrina seminuda (Lamarck)  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Dosinia discus (Reeve)  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Ensis spp.  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Eutetrahyynchus sp. (post-larva)

Host: Invertebrate Gastropoda  
gastropod  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1975

Pelecypoda  
pelecypod  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1975

Eutetrahyynchus spinifer Dollfus, 1969 (larva, adult)

Host: Vertebrate Selachii  
Myliobatis squila (Linnaeus, 1758)  
Location: spiral valve  
Distribution: Mediterranean, Sète  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Eutetrahyynchus thalassius Kovacs and Schmidt, 1980 (adult)

Host: Vertebrate Selachii  
Urolophus jamaicensis (Cuvier, 1817)  
Location: spiral valve  
Distribution: Discovery Bay, Jamaica  
KOVACS, K.J. AND SCHMIDT, G.D., 1980

Lacistorhynchus sp. in Pintner, 1893 syn. Grillotia sp. in Dollfus, 1942

SEE: Christianella minuta (Van Beneden, 1849) (plerocercus)

Mecistobothrium myliobati Heinz and Dailey, 1974 (adult)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Myliobatis californica

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: California, southern

HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Urolophus halleri

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: California, southern

HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Parachristianella dimegacantha Kruse, 1959

Host: Invertebrates Crustacea

Penaeus duorarum Burkenroad

Location: digestive gland with blastocyst protruding  
through the wall of the digestive gland

Distribution: Alligator Harbour, Apalachicola  
Harbour, Florida

KRUSE, D.N., 1959

Parachristianella dimegacantha (larva)

Host: Invertebrates Crustacea

Penaeus aztecus Ives

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north western coast  
CORKERN, C.C., 1978

Parachristianella heteromegacanthus Feigenbaum, 1975 (plerocercoid)

Host: Invertebrates Crustacea

Penaeus brasiliensis Latreille

Distribution: Galveston Bay, Texas

COUCH, J.A., 1978

Parachristianella heteromegacanthus Feigenbaum, 1975 (plerocercus)

Host: Invertebrates Crustacea

Penaeus brasiliensis Latreille

Location: body, hepatopancreas

Distribution: Sinaloa, Mexico

FEIGENBAUM, D.L., 1975

Location: digestive gland

Distribution: Biscayne Bay, Florida

FEIGENBAUM, D.L. AND CARNUCCIO, J., 1976

Penaeus duorarum Burkenroad

Location: digestive gland

Distribution: Biscayne Bay, Florida

FEIGENBAUM, D.L. AND CARNUCCIO, J., 1976

Parachristianella monomegacantha Kruse, 1959

Host: Invertebrates Crustacea

Penaeus duorarum Burkenroad

Location: digestive gland with blastocyst protruding  
through the wall of the digestive gland

Distribution: Gulf Coast, northern, Florida

KRUSE, D.N., 1959

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Rhinobatos planiceps Garman, 1880

Location: spiral valve, stomach

Distribution: Antofagaster, Chile

DAILEY, M.D. AND CARVAJAL, J., 1976

Rhinobatos productus (Ayres)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: California, southern

HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Parachristianella monomegacantha Kruse, 1959 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Dasyatis americana Hildebrand and Shroeder  
Distribution: Chesapeake Bay, Virginia  
CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CARVAJAL, J., 1975  
Dasyatis lata (Garmen)  
Location: spiral valve  
Distribution: Hawaii  
CARVAJAL, J., CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CORNFORD, E.M., 1976  
Rhinobatos productus (Ayres)  
Location: spiral valve  
Distribution: Seal Beach, California  
MUDRY, D.R., DAILEY, M.D., 1971

Parachristianella monomegacantha Kruse, 1959 (plerocercus)

Host: Invertebrata Crustacea  
Penaeus brasiliensis Latreille  
Location: body, hepatopancreas  
Distribution: Sinaloa, Mexico  
FEIGENBAUM, D.L., 1975  
Location: digestive gland  
Distribution: Biscayne Bay, Florida  
FEIGENBAUM, D.L. AND CARNUCCIO, J., 1976  
Penaeus duorarum Burkenroad  
Location: digestive gland  
Distribution: Biscayne Bay, Florida  
FEIGENBAUM, D.L. AND CARNUCCIO, J., 1976  
Penaeus merguiensis de Man  
Distribution: Norman river, Queensland  
OWENS, L., 1980  
Location: hepatopancreas  
Distribution: Norman River, Queensland, northern  
OWENS, L., 1981

Parachristianella monomegacantha Kruse, 1959 (plerocercus) syn.

Prochristianella sp. of Villella, Iversen and Sindermann (1970)  
REMARKS: Feigenbaum and Carnuccio (1976) identified the  
Prochristianella sp. as Parachristianella monomegacantha.

Host: Invertebrata Crustacea

Penaeus duorarum Burkenroad  
Distribution: Biscayne Bay, Florida  
VILLELLA, J.B., IVERSEN, E.S. AND SINDEMANN, C.J.,  
1970

Parachristianella monomegacantha Kruse, 1959 (procercoid)

Host: Invertebrata Crustacea  
Tigriopus californicus  
Distribution: California  
MUDRY, D.R., DAILEY, M.D., 1971

Parachristianella monomegacantha (larva)

Host: Invertebrata Crustacea  
Penaeus aztecus Ives  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north western coast  
CORKERN, C.C., 1978

Parachristianella sp. (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Chescanopsetta lugubris Alcock

Distribution: Coast of Mozambique

REIMER, L.W., 1984

Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)

Host: Invertebrata Gastropoda

Busycon spiratum pyrulaoides (Say)

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Cantharus cancellarius (Conrad)

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Crepidula fornicate (Linne)

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Crepidula sp.

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Fasciolaria lilium hunteria (Perry)

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Fasciolaria tulipe (Linne)

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Polinices duplicatus (Say)

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Pelecypoda

Anadara transversa (Say)

Location: encysted in intestine walls

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Argopecten irradians concentricus (Say)

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Location: encysted in intestine walls

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Atrina rigida (Lightfoot)

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Location: encysted in intestine walls

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Atrina seminuda (Lamarck)

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Location: encysted in intestine walls

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Chione cancellata (Linne)

Location: encysted in intestine walls  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Chione cancellata (Linne) (sp.1)  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Donax variabilis (Say)  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977  
Location: encysted in intestine walls  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Dosinia discus (Reeve)  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Macrocallista maculata (Linne)  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977  
Location: encysted in intestine walls  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Macrocallista nebulosa (Lightfoot)  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Macrocallista nimbosa (Lightfoot)  
Location: encysted in intestine walls  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Noetia ponderosa (Say)  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977  
Location: encysted in intestine walls  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Raeta plicatella (Lamarck)  
Location: encysted in intestine walls  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Spisula solidissima similis (Say)  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north eastern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977  
Location: encysted in intestine walls  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Crustacea

Metapenaeus monoceros (Fabricius, 1788)  
Location: hepatopancreas  
Distribution: Coast of Mozambique  
REIMER, L.W., 1984

Penaeus indicus Edwards, 1837  
Location: hepatopancreas  
Distribution: Coast of Mozambique  
REIMER, L.W., 1984

Penaeus japonicus Bate, 1888  
Location: hepatopancreas  
Distribution: Coast of Mozambique  
REIMER, L.W., 1984

Penaeus monodon Fabricius, 1798  
Location: hepatopancreas  
Distribution: Coast of Mozambique  
REIMER, L.W., 1984

Parachristianella sp. (post-larva)

Host: Invertebrate Gastropoda  
gastropod  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1975  
Pelecypoda  
pelecypod  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1975

Parachristianella trygonis Dollfus, 1946 (adult)

Host: Vertebrate Selachii  
Trygon pastinaca (L.)  
Location: spiral valve  
Distribution: Concarneau  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b  
Uropterus halleri (Cooper)  
Distribution: California, southern  
YOUNG, R.T., 1954a

Parachristianella trygonis Dollfus, 1946 (adult) syn. Christianella  
trygon-brucco of Euzet, 1956

REMARKS: Dollfus (1969a) examined Euzet's specimens and suggested that those described as Christianella trygon-brucco were Parachristianella trygonis.

Host: Vertebrate Selachii  
Myliobatis aquila (Linnaeus, 1758)  
Distribution: Sète  
EUZET, L., 1956

Parachristianella trygonis Dollfus, 1946 (immature adult)

Host: Vertebrate Selachii  
Myliobatis aquila (Linnaeus, 1758)  
Distribution: Mediterranean, Sète  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Parachristianella trygonis Dollfus, 1946 (plerocercus)

Host: Invertebrate Crustacea  
Upogebia stellata (Montagu, 1808)  
Location: body cavity  
Distribution: Arcachon  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b

Prochristianella setobatis Robinson, 1959

Host: Vertebrate Selachii  
Setobatis tenuicaudatus (Hector)  
Location: spiral valve  
Distribution: New Zealand  
ROBINSON, E.S., 1959b

Prochristianella fragilis Heinz and Dailey, 1974 (adult)

Host: Vertebrate Selachii  
Rhinobatos productus (Ayres)  
Location: spiral valve  
Distribution: California, southern  
HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Prochristianella heteracantha Dailey and Carvajal, 1976 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Rhinobatos planiceps Garman, 1880

Location: spiral valve, stomach

Distribution: Antofagaster, Chile

DAILEY, M.D. AND CARVAJAL, J., 1976

Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975 (adult)

syn. Rhynchobothrium hispidum Linton, 1890 syn. Prochristianella penaei

Kruse, 1959

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Dasyatis americana Hildebrand and Shroeder

Distribution: Chesapeake Bay, Virginia

CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CARVAJAL, J., 1975

Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975 (larva)

syn. Eutetrahynchus sp. of Sparks and Mackin (1957)

REMARKS: Sparks and Mackin (1957) misidentified the trypanorhynch as Eutetrahynchus sp. Sparks and Fontaine (1973) re-identified it as Prochristianella penaei, a synonym of P. hispida.

Host: Invertebrate Crustacea

Penaeus setiferus (L.)

Location: digestive gland

Distribution: Grand Isle, Louisiana

SPARKS, A.K. AND MACKIN, J.G., 1957

Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975

(oncosphere, procercoïd, plerocercus)

Host: Invertebrate Crustacea

Copepods (unspecified)

Location: haemocoel

Distribution: United States, south eastern

OVERSTREET, R.M., 1983

Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975

(plerocercoid) syn. Prochristianella penaei Kruse, 1959

Host: Invertebrate Crustacea

Penaeus duorarum Burkenroad

Location: hepatopancreas

Distribution: Atlantic, north west

COUCH, J.A., 1978

Penaeus setiferus (L.)

Location: hepatopancreas

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico

SPARKS, A.K. AND FONTAINE, C.T., 1973

Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975

(plerocercus)

Host: Invertebrate Crustacea

Penaeus brasiliensis Latreille

Location: digestive gland

Distribution: Biscayne Bay, Florida

FEIGENBAUM, D.L. AND CARNUCCIO, J., 1976

Penaeus duorarum Burkenroad

Location: digestive gland

Distribution: Biscayne Bay, Florida

FEIGENBAUM, D.L. AND CARNUCCIO, J., 1976

Penaeus setiferus L.

Location: hepatopancreas

Distribution: Louisiana, south eastern

RAGAN, J.C. AND ALDRICH, D.V., 1972  
Distribution: United States, eastern  
OVERSTREET, R.M., 1983

Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975  
(plerocercus) syn. Prochristianella penaei Kruse, 1959

Host: Invertebrates Crustacea

Penaeus aztecus Ives

Location: digestive gland

Distribution: Galveston Bay, Gulf of Mexico, Western  
ALDRICH, D.V., 1965

Location: digestive gland, tissues surrounding the  
digestive gland, stomach

Distribution: Gulf Coast, northern, Florida  
KRUSE, D.N., 1959

Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975  
(plerocercus) syn. Prochristianella penaei Kruse, 1959

REMARKS: Campbell and Carvajal (1975) gave Prochristianella  
penaei Kruse, 1959 as a synonym of Prochristianella hispida.

Host: Invertebrates Crustacea

Penaeus aztecus Ives

Location: hepatopancreas

Distribution: Louisiana, south eastern  
RAGAN, J.C. AND ALDRICH, D.V., 1972

Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975  
(plerocercus) syn. Prochristianella penaei Kruse, 1959

Host: Invertebrates Crustacea

Penaeus duorarum Burkenroad

Distribution: Biscayne Bay, Florida

VILLELLA, J.B., IVERSEN, E.S. AND SINDERMANN, C.J.,  
1970

Location: digestive gland, tissues surrounding the  
digestive gland, stomach

Distribution: Gulf Coast, northern, Florida  
KRUSE, D.N., 1959

Penaeus setiferus L.

Location: digestive gland

Distribution: Galveston Bay, Gulf of Mexico, Western  
ALDRICH, D.V., 1965

Penaeus setiferus (L.)

Location: digestive gland, tissues surrounding the  
digestive gland, stomach

Distribution: Gulf Coast, northern, Florida  
KRUSE, D.N., 1959

Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975  
(plerocercus) syn. Prochristianella sp. in Hutton et al. (1959)

Host: Invertebrates Crustacea

Penaeus aztecus Ives

Location: digestive gland, tissues surrounding the  
digestive gland, stomach, various organs within  
the cephalothoracic cavity

Distribution: Florida

HUTTON, R.F., SOGANDARES-BERNAL, F., ELDRED, B.,  
INGLE, R.M. AND WOODBURN, K.D., 1959

Penaeus duorarum Burkenroad

Location: digestive gland, tissues surrounding  
digestive gland, stomach, various organs within  
the cephalothoracic cavity

Distribution: Florida

HUTTON, R.F., SOGANDARES-BERNAL, F., ELDRED, B.,  
INGLE, R.M. AND WOODBURN, K.D., 1959

Penaeus setiferus L.

Location: digestive gland, tissues surrounding the  
digestive gland, stomach, various organs within  
the cephalothoracic cavity

Distribution: Florida

HUTTON, R.F., SOGANDARES-BERNAL, F., ELDRED, B.,  
INGLE, R.M. AND WOODBURN, K.D., 1959

Trachypenaeus constrictus (Stimpson)

Location: digestive gland, tissues surrounding the  
digestive gland, stomach, various organs within  
the cephalothoracic cavity

Distribution: Florida

HUTTON, R.F., SOGANDARES-BERNAL, F., ELDRED, B.,  
INGLE, R.M. AND WOODBURN, K.D., 1959

Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975

(plerocercus) syn. Rhynchobothrium hispidum Linton, 1890 syn.

Prochristianella penaei Kruse, 1959

REMARKS: Campbell and Carvajal (1975) recognised

Prochristianella penaei, described by Kruse (1959) as a synonym  
of Rhynchobothrium hispidum, described by Linton (1890) from  
Dasyatis centroura at Woods Hole, Massachusetts.

Rhynchobothrium was listed as an invalid genus by Dollfus  
(1942) and Yamaguti (1959), so R. hispidum became a species  
inquirenda. It is now a synonym of Prochristianella hispida  
(Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975.

Host: Invertebrate Crustacea

Penaeus brasiliensis Latreille

Location: body, hepatopancreas

Distribution: Sinaloa, Mexico

FEIGENBAUM, D.L., 1975

Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975 (pre  
adult and adult) syn. Prochristianella penaei Kruse, 1959

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Dasyatis sabina LeSueur

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Galveston Bay, Gulf of Mexico, Western  
ALDRICH, D.V., 1965

Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975 syn.

Prochristianella penaei Kruse, 1959

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Dasyatis sabina LeSueur

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Texas

HENSON, R.N., 1975

Prochristianella micracantha Carvajal, Campbell and Cornford, 1976

(immature adult)

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Dasyatis lata (German)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Hawaii

CARVAJAL, J., CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CORNFORD, E.M., 1976

- Prochristianella minima Heinz and Dailey, 1974 (adult)
- Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Platyrrhinoidis triseriata (Gordon and Gilbert)  
 Distribution: California, southern  
 HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974
- Urolophus halleri  
 Location: spiral valve  
 Distribution: California, southern  
 HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974
- Prochristianella musteli Carvajal, 1974 (adult)
- Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Mustelus mento Cope, 1877  
 Distribution: San Antonio, Antofagaster  
 CARVAJAL, J., 1974
- Prochristianella penaei Kruse, 1959 SEE: Prochristianella hispida  
 (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975
- Prochristianella penaei Kruse, 1959 SEE: Prochristianella hispida  
 (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975 (plerocercoid)
- Prochristianella penaei Kruse, 1959 SEE: Prochristianella hispida  
 (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975 (plerocercus)
- Prochristianella penaei Kruse, 1959 SEE: Prochristianella hispida  
 (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975 (pre adult and adult)
- Prochristianella penaei (larva)
- Host: Invertebrata Crustacea  
Penaeus aztecus Ives  
 Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north western coast  
 CORKERN, C.C., 1978
- Prochristianella sp. in Hutton et al. (1959) SEE: Prochristianella hispida  
 (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975 (plerocercus)
- Prochristianella sp. of Villella, Iversen and Sindermann (1970) SEE:  
Parachristianella monomegacantha Kruse, 1959 (plerocercus)
- Prochristianella sp. (plerocercoid)
- Host: Invertebrata Crustacea  
Metapenaeus monoceros (Fabricius, 1788)  
 Location: hepatopancreas  
 Distribution: Coast of Mozambique  
 REIMER, L.W., 1984  
Penaeus indicus Edwards, 1837  
 Location: hepatopancreas  
 Distribution: Coast of Mozambique  
 REIMER, L.W., 1984  
Penaeus japonicus Bate, 1888  
 Location: hepatopancreas  
 Distribution: Coast of Mozambique  
 REIMER, L.W., 1984  
Penaeus monodon Fabricius, 1798  
 Location: hepatopancreas  
 Distribution: Coast of Mozambique  
 REIMER, L.W., 1984

Prochristianella tenuispine (Linton, 1890)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii  
Dasyatis sabina LeSueur  
Location: spiral valve  
Distribution: Texas  
HENSON, R.N., 1975

Prochristianella trygonicola Dollfus, 1946 (adult)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii  
Trygon pastinaca (L.)  
Location: spiral valve  
Distribution: Concarneau  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b

Prochristianella trygonicola Dollfus, 1946 (plerocercus)

Host: Invertebrates Crustacea  
Upogebia stellata (Montagu, 1808)  
Location: body cavity  
Distribution: Arcachon  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b

Rhynchobothrium hispidum Linton, 1890 syn. Prochristianella penaei Kruse, 1959 SEE: Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975 (adult)

Rhynchobothrium hispidum Linton, 1890 syn. Prochristianella penaei Kruse, 1959 SEE: Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975 (plerocercus)

Tentacularia lineata (Linton, 1909) (adult) SEE: Eutetrahyynchus lineatus (Linton, 1909)

Tentacularia lineata (Linton, 1909) Shuler, 1938 SEE: Eutetrahyynchus lineatus (Linton, 1909)

Tetrahyynchus minutus Van Beneden, 1849 (in Nybelin, 1940) syn. Wageneria porrecta Lühe, 1902 SEE: Christianella minuta (Van Beneden, 1849) (adult)

Aporhynchus norvegicum (Olissen, 1868) Nybelin, 1918

Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Spinax spinax (L.)  
 Location: intestine  
 Distribution: Porcupine Bank  
 REES, G. AND LLEWELLYN, J., 1941

Aporhynchus norvegicum (Olissen, 1868) Nybelin, 1918 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Spinax spinax (L.)  
 Location: intestine  
 Distribution: Ireland, west  
 REES, G., 1941b

Gilquinia anteropus (Hart, 1936) (adult) syn. Tetrarhynchus anteropus Hart, 1936 syn. Gilquinia squali (Fabricius, 1794) syn. Gilquinia tetrabothrium (Van Beneden, 1894) in Wardle (1933) syn. Gilquinia squali (Fabricius, 1793) in Wardle (1933)

REMARKS: Hart (1936) considered that specimens described by Wardle (1932) as Gilquinia tetrabothrium (Van Beneden, 1849) and by Wardle (1933) as Gilquinia squali (Fabricius, 1793) were synonyms of Tetrarhynchus anteropus Hart, 1936  
 REMARKS: Dollfus (1942) considered Tetrarhynchus anteropus to be a synonym of Gilquinia squali (Fabricius, 1794) but Yamaguti (1959) considered it a separate species Gilquinia anteropus.

Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Squalus suckleyi (Girard)  
 Location: spiral valve  
 Distribution: Puget Sound  
 HART, J.F., 1936

Gilquinia sp. (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Micropogon opercularis (Desmarest)  
 Location: intestine  
 Distribution: Plate Estuary, Argentina  
 SURIANO, D.M., 1966  
Trachurus trachurus capensis Castelnau  
 Distribution: Namibia, Coast of, Atlantic, South  
 GAEVSKAYA, A.V. AND KOVALEVA, A.A., 1980b  
 Location: body cavity  
 KOVALEVA, A.A., 1970

Gilquinia sp. (larvae)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Trachurus trachurus capensis Castelnau  
 Location: body cavity  
 Distribution: Africa, south west  
 KOVALEVA, A.A., 1968

Gilquinia sp. (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Ceratoscopelus maderensis (Lowe, 1839)  
 Distribution: Africa, north west  
 REIMER, L.W., 1975b  
Paralepis elongata (Brauer, 1906)  
 Distribution: Africa, north west  
 REIMER, L.W., 1975b

Gilquinia squali (Fabricius, 1794)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Squalus acanthias (L.)

Distribution: California, southern

HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Distribution: Mediterranean

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Distribution: North Sea

WILLEMS, J.J., 1968

Distribution: Pacific Ocean

PAPPAS, P.W., 1970

Location: intestine

Distribution: British Isles

WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Iceland

MANGER, B.R., 1972

Squalus ferdinandinus Molina

Distribution: Mediterranean

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Gilquinia squali (Fabricius, 1794) (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Raja binoculata

Location: spiral valve anterior portion

Distribution: Puget Sound

RIGBY, D.W. AND MARX, R.A., 1962

Squalus acanthias (L.)

Location: intestine

Distribution: Newfoundland

THRELFALL, W., 1969

Distribution: North Sea

ORLOWSKA, K., 1979

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Irish Sea

MCCULLOUGH, J.S. AND FAIRWEATHER, I., 1983

Squalus suckleyi

Location: spiral valve, anterior portion

Distribution: Puget Sound

RIGBY, D.W. AND MARX, R.A., 1962

Gilquinia squali (Fabricius, 1794) (immature adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Centroscyllium granulosus Günther, 1880

Distribution: Coquimbo

CARVAJAL, J., 1974

Gilquinia squali (Fabricius, 1794) (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Gadus merlangus L.

Location: eyes

Distribution: North Sea

MACKENZIE, K., 1965

Merlangius merlangus (L.)

Location: eyes

Distribution: North Sea

MACKENZIE, K., 1975

Gilquinia squali (Fabricius 1794) (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Merlangius merlangus (L.)

Location: eye

Distribution: North Sea, northern

HISLOP, J.R.G. AND MACKENZIE, K., 1976

Tetrarhynchus anteropus Hart, 1936 syn. Gilquinia squali (Fabricius, 1794)

syn. Gilquinia tetrabothrium (Van Beneden, 1894) in Wardle (1933) syn.

Gilquinia squali (Fabricius, 1793) in Wardle (1933) SEE: Gilquinia anteropus (Hart, 1936) (adult)

Gymnorhynchus cybiumi Chincholikar and Shinde, 1977 (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Cybum guttatum

Location: intestinal wall, encysted in

Distribution: India, Maharashtra, Ratnagiri  
CHINCHOLIKAR, L.N. AND SHINDE, G.B., 1977Gymnorhynchus gigas (Cuvier, 1817)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Isurus oxyrinchus Rafinesque, 1810Distribution: California, southern  
HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

## Osteichthyes

Brama raii (Bloch, 1791)Distribution: Madrid, Malaga  
LOPEZ-NEYRA, C.R., 1947

Location: muscle

Distribution: British Isles  
WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960Gymnorhynchus gigas (Cuvier, 1817) (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Carcarodon lamia

Location: intestine

LOPEZ-NEYRA, C.R., 1947

Cetrina vulpecula Cuv

Location: intestine

Distribution: Madrid, Malaga  
LOPEZ-NEYRA, C.R., 1947Oxyrina pallanaii Bonaterre

Location: intestine

Distribution: Madrid, Malaga  
LOPEZ-NEYRA, C.R., 1947Gymnorhynchus gigas (Cuvier, 1817) (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Otolithus argenteus (C.V.)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Karachi coast  
BILQEES, F.M. AND KAZMI, F.S., 1974Gymnorhynchus gigas (Cuvier, 1817) (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Diodon hystrix L.

Location: liver

Distribution: Shankumugham, Trivandrum, India, Val  
yathurai, Trivandrum, India  
RADHAKRISHNAN, S. AND NAIR, N.B., 1980Gymnorhynchus gigas (Cuvier, 1817) (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Brama raii (Bloch, 1791)

Location: muscle

Distribution: Africa, north west coast  
SEYDA, M., 1976Brama rayi Schneid.

Location: musculature

Distribution: Genoa  
BRIAN, A., 1952

Gymnorhynchus isuri Robinson, 1959 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Isurus glaucus (Müller and Henle)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Makara, New Zealand, Cook Strait, New Zealand

ROBINSON, E.S., 1959b

Gymnorhynchus malleus (larva)

Host: Invertebrata Crustacea

Penaeus indicus (Milne Edwards)

Location: digestive gland

Distribution: Waltair Coast, Bay of Bengal  
CHANDRA, K.J. AND RAO, K.H., 1982

Gymnorhynchus (Molicola) horridus Goodsir, 1841

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Thyrsites sp.

Location: musculature

Distribution: Amsterdam  
JOYEUX, C. AND BAER, J.G., 1954

Gymnorhynchus (Molicola) horridus Goodsir, 1841 (adult)

REMARKS: Dollfus (1942) recognised Floriceps elongatus (Rudolphi, 1819) as a synonym of Gymnorhynchus (Molicola) horridus Goodsir, 1841.

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Isuropsis glauca

Location: spiral intestine

Distribution: Japan  
IWATA, S., 1939

Gymnorhynchus (Molicola) horridus Goodsir, 1841 (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Mola mola (L.)

Location: liver

Distribution: Japan  
IWATA, S., 1939

Location: liver, intestine

Distribution: Marseille, France  
GUIART, J., 1935a

Gymnorhynchus (Molicola) horridus Goodsir, 1841 (larva) syn. Tetrarhynchus elongatus Wagener, 1901

REMARKS: Dollfus 1942 considered Tetrarhynchus elongatus to be a synonym of Gymnorhynchus horridus.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Mola mola (L.)

Location: liver

Distribution: Newfoundland  
THRELFALL, W., 1967

Gymnorhynchus (Molicola) horridus Goodsir, 1841 (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Mola mola (L.)

Location: liver

Distribution: Marché de Lorient, Morbihan  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Distribution: Mediterranean  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Distribution: New Zealand

ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a  
Mola mola (L.) syn. Orthagoriscus mola (L.)  
Location: encysted in liver, musculature  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946a

Gymnorhynchus (Molicola) horridus Goodsir, 1841 (plerocercus) syn.

Tetrarhynchus elongatus Wagener, 1901

REMARKS: Dollfus (1942) considered Tetrarhynchus elongatus to  
be a synonym of Gymnorhynchus horridus.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Mola mola (L.)  
THRELFALL, W., 1967

Gymnorhynchus (Molicola) thyrsitae Robinson, 1959

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Thyrsites atun (Euphrassen, 1791)  
Distribution: New Zealand, Australia  
KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1971  
Location: muscle  
Distribution: Cape Campbell, New Zealand, Cook  
Strait, New Zealand  
ROBINSON, E.S., 1959b  
Location: musculature  
Distribution: New Zealand  
VALOVA, V.N., 1976  
Location: ventral muscle mass, dorsal muscle mass  
Distribution: eastern Cook Strait, New Zealand  
MEHL, J.A.P., 1970

Gymnorhynchus (Molicola) thyrsitae Robinson, 1959 (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Thyrsites atun (Euphrassen, 1791)  
Location: muscle mass  
Distribution: sore of Island of Banks, New Zealand  
KAGEI, N., KIHATA, M. AND ASANO, K., 1977

Gymnorhynchus sp.

Host: Vertebrata

Osteichthyes  
Coridodex pullas (Bloch and Schneider, 1801)  
Location: spine, around, skull, behind  
Distribution: New Zealand  
RITCHIE, L.D., 1969  
H. ilisha (full name missing)  
Location: coelom  
Distribution: Chandpur, East Pakistan  
ALI, M.Y., 1968  
P. pangasius (full name missing)  
Location: coelom  
Distribution: Chandpur, East Pakistan  
ALI, M.Y., 1968  
S. pema (full name missing)  
Location: coelom  
Distribution: Chandpur, East Pakistan  
ALI, M.Y., 1968  
S. silondia (full name missing)  
Location: coelom  
Distribution: Chandpur, East Pakistan  
ALI, M.Y., 1968

Gymnorhynchus sp. (larva)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Pama pama

Location: viscera on the coelom, encysted on, free in  
the viscera

RAHMAN, A.K.A., 1971

Molicola horridus (Goodsir, 1841)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Isurus oxyrinchus Rafinesque, 1810

Distribution: California, southern  
HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Osteichthyes

Masturus oxyuropterus (Bleeker)

Location: liver

Distribution: Gulf of Mannar, Pudumadam, Indian Coast  
DEVARAJ, M., NAMMALWAR, P. AND THIAGARAJAN, T., 1976  
[1981]

Molicola uncinatus (Linton, 1924)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Alopias vulpinus (Bonnaterre)

Distribution: California, southern  
HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Molicola uncinatus (Linton, 1924) (adult) syn. Rhynchobothrium uncinatum

Linton, 1924 syn. Floriceps uncinatus (Linton, 1924) Yamaguti, 1952

REMARKS: Yamaguti (1952) placed Rhynchobothrium uncinatum in  
the genus Floriceps. He later (1959) transferred it to the  
genus Molicola.

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Vulpecula marina Valmont

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Taizi, Japan  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952

Myrmillorhynchus pearsoni (Southwell, 1929) Bilqees, 1980 (adult) syn.

Tetrarhynchus pearsoni Southwell, 1929

REMARKS: Bilqees described Myrmillorhynchus pearsoni n.g.,  
n.comb., as the adult of Tetrarhynchus pearsoni Southwell,  
1929. Yamaguti (1959) listed T. pearsoni amongst those species  
of incorrect or doubtful generic diagnosis.

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Myrmillo manazo (Bik.)

Location: intestine

Distribution: Karachi coast  
BILQEES, F.M., 1980

Myrmillorhynchus pearsoni (Southwell, 1929) Bilqees, 1980 (larva) syn.

Tetrarhynchus pearsoni Southwell, 1929

REMARKS: Bilqees (1980) i.e. described Tetrarhynchus pearsoni  
as Myrmillorhynchus pearsoni.

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Otolithus argenteus (C.V.)

Distribution: Karachi coast  
BILQEES, F.M. AND KAZMI, F.S., 1974

Neogymnorhynchus platycephali Bilqees and Shah, 1982 (plerocercus)  
REMARKS: The absence of large hooks at the base of the tentacles distinguishes the genus Neogymnorhynchus Bilqees and Shah, 1982 from other genera in the family Gymnorhynchidae.

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Platycephalus scaber (L.)

Location: encysted on the visceral mesenteries

Distribution: Karachi coast

BILQEES, F.M. AND SHAH, M., 1982

Rhynchobothrium uncinatum Linton, 1924 syn. Floriceps uncinatus (Linton, 1924) Yamaguti, 1952 SEE: Molicola uncinatus (Linton, 1924) (adult)

Tetrarhynchus elongatus Wagener, 1901 SEE: Gymnorhynchus (Molicola)  
horridus Goodsir, 1841 (larva)

Tetrarhynchus elongatus Wagener, 1901 SEE: Gymnorhynchus (Molicola)  
horridus Goodsir, 1841 (plerocercus)

Tetrarhynchus pearsoni Southwell, 1929 SEE: Myrmillorhynchus pearsoni  
(Southwell, 1929) Bilqees, 1980 (adult)

Tetrarhynchus pearsoni Southwell, 1929 SEE: Myrmillorhynchus pearsoni  
(Southwell, 1929) Bilqees, 1980 (larva)

Dibothriorhynchus attenuatus (Rudolphi, 1819) SEE: Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (plerocercoid)

Dibothriorhynchus attenuatus (Rudolphi, 1819) SEE: Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)

Dibothriorhynchus carchariae (Welch, 1876) SEE: Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)

Dibothriorhynchus claviger (Leuckart, 1819) SEE: Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)

Dibothriorhynchus grossum (Rudolphi, 1819) SEE: Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (larva)

Dibothriorhynchus grossum (Rudolphi, 1819) SEE: Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (plerocercoid)

Dibothriorhynchus squali La Martinère, 1797 SEE: Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (adult)

Dibothriorhynchus squali (La Martinère, 1797) SEE: Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (larva)

Dibothriorhynchus stenocephala Guiart, 1935 SEE: Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)

Hepatoxylon attenuatus (Rudolphi, 1819) (plerocercoid)

REMARKS: Dollfus (1942) considers Hepatoxylon attenuatus a synonym of H. trichiuri.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Xiphias gladius Linnaeus, 1758

Location: stomach, mesenteries and serosa, intestine, mesenteres and serosa

Distribution: Atlantic, north west

HOGANS, W.E., BRATTEY, J., UHAZY, L.S. AND HURLEY, P.C.F., 1983

Hepatoxylon grossum (Rudolphi) SEE: Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)

Hepatoxylon megacephalum (Rudolphi, 1819) (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Carcharodon carcharias (Linnaeus)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Tory Channel, New Zealand

ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a

Hepatoxylon megacephalum (Rudolphi, 1819) (post-larva)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Dalatius licha (Bonnaterre)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Kaikoura Coast, New Zealand

ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a

Galeorhinus australis Macleay

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Cook Strait, New Zealand

ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a

Notorhynchus pectorosus (German)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Dusky Sound, New Zealand  
ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a

Hepatoxylon squali (? Martiniere, 1797) SEE: Hepatoxylon trichiuri  
(Holten, 1802) (post-larva)

Hepatoxylon squali Bosc, 1811 SEE: Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802)  
(post-larva)

Hepatoxylon squali (Martin, 1797) in Heinz and Dailey, 1974 SEE:  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802)

Hepatoxylon trichiuri

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Salmo salar L.

Location: attached to or partially embedded in  
viscera

Distribution: S.W. England, Godthaab, Greenland,  
Greenland, west, Miramichi River, New Brunswick,  
Margaree River, Nova Scotia, Chaleur Bay, Canada,  
Bay of Fundy, Canada

PIPPY, J.H.C., 1969

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Lamna cornubica (Gmelin)

Location: stomach

Distribution: British Isles  
WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960

Osteichthyes

Gadus virens L.

Location: mesentery

Distribution: British Isles  
WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960

Genypterus chilensis (Guichenot, 1848)

Location: mesenteries

Distribution: Talcahuano, Chile  
VERGARA, L.A. AND GEORGE-NASCIMENTO, M., 1982

Hippoglossus hippoglossus (L.)

Location: mesentery

Distribution: British Isles  
WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960

Lepidopus lex Phillips, 1932

Distribution: New Zealand, Australia  
KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1971

Merluccius merluccius (L.)

Location: mesentery

Distribution: British Isles  
WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960

Ostorhinchus conwaii

Location: intestines

Distribution: Great Australian Bight  
KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1974a

Salmo salar L.

Distribution: Labrador, Coastal  
HICKS, F.J. AND THRELFALL, W., 1973

Location: stomach

Distribution: tributaries of River Backwater, County  
Cork, Lake Currane, County Kerry, Ireland  
KANE, M.B., 1966

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (adult) syn. Dibothriorhynchus squali

La Martinère, 1797

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Isuropsis glauca

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Japan

IWATA, S., 1939

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Argentina elongata

Distribution: Antarctic

POIS, N.V., 1975

Gadus seglefinus L.

Location: peritoneal cavity

Distribution: Iceland

BAER, J.G., 1962

Gadus callarias L.

Location: peritoneal cavity

Distribution: Iceland

BAER, J.G., 1962

Gadus virens L.

Location: peritoneal cavity

Distribution: Iceland

BAER, J.G., 1962

Genypterus blacodes

Distribution: Antarctic

POIS, N.V., 1975

Hippoglossus maximus Nilss.

Location: peritoneal cavity

Distribution: Iceland

BAER, J.G., 1962

Lepidorhynchus denticulatus

Distribution: Antarctic

POIS, N.V., 1975

Macrurus australis

Distribution: Antarctic

POIS, N.V., 1975

Merluccius capensis Castelnau

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Namibia

KRZEPTOWSKI, M., 1980 [1982]

"merluza"

Location: muscles

Distribution: Puerto Montt, Chile

TAGLE, I., 1951

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (larva) syn. Dibothriorhynchus grossum

(Rudolphi, 1819)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Gadus virens L.

Location: coelom

Distribution: Irish Atlantic Slope

REES, G. AND LLEWELLYN, J., 1941

Mammalia

Homo sapiens

Location: anus, passed alive from

Distribution: Johannesburg

HEINZ, H.J., 1954

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (larva) syn. Dibothriorhynchus squali  
(La Martinère, 1797)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Prionace glauca (Linnaeus, 1758)

Location: stomach, liver

Distribution: Japan

IWATA, S., 1939

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (metacestode)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Salmo salar L.

Location: coelom

Distribution: River Lune, Lancashire

CHUBB, J.C., 1965

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrate Agnatha

Geotria australis Gray

Location: coelomic cavity

Distribution: Donnelly River, Australia, south western

LETHBRIDGE, R.C., POTTER, I.C., BRAY, R.A. AND HILLIARD, R.W., 1983

Osteichthyes

Gadus callarias L.

Location: coelom

Distribution: Iceland

REES, G., 1953

Genypterus blacodes

Location: muscles

Distribution: South Island, New Zealand, Campbell Island, New Zealand

GRABDA, J. AND SLOSARCZYK, W., 1981

Hippoglossus hippoglossus (L.)

Location: body cavity, mesenteries

Distribution: Atlantic, north east

RAE, B.B., 1958

Macruronus novae-zealandiae (Hector)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: South Island, New Zealand, Campbell Island, New Zealand, Auckland Island, New Zealand  
GRABDA, J. AND SLOSARCZYK, W., 1981

Merluccius australis

Location: muscles

Distribution: South Island, New Zealand

GRABDA, J. AND SLOSARCZYK, W., 1981

Micromesistius australis

Location: muscles

Distribution: Campbell Island, New Zealand

GRABDA, J. AND SLOSARCZYK, W., 1981

Pollachius virens (L.) syn. Gadus virens

Location: all organs, liver, stomach, intestine

Distribution: Atlantic, north

HEINRICH, L., 1975

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (plerocercoid) syn. Dibothriorhynchus attenuatus (Rudolphi, 1819)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Xiphias gladius Linnaeus, 1758  
Location: body cavity  
Distribution: Nova Scotia  
NIGRELLI, R.F., 1938

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (plerocercoid) syn. Dibothriorhynchus grossum (Rudolphi, 1819)

REMARKS: Dibothriorhynchus grossum (Rudolphi) was recognised by DOLLFUS (1942) as a synonym of Hepatoxylon trichiuri.

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Prionace glauca (Linnaeus, 1758)  
Location: visceral cavity  
Distribution: Chile, Caleta Cochao  
YANEZ, A.P., 1950

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (plerocercoid) syn. Dibothriorhynchus grossum (Rudolphi, 1819)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Gadus virens L.  
Location: coelom  
Distribution: Ireland, west  
REES, G., 1941a

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Prionace glauca (Linnaeus, 1758)  
Location: body cavity, on serous membrane of stomach,  
liver  
Distribution: Antofagaster  
CARVAJAL, J., 1974

Osteichthyes

Salmo sp.  
Location: gut  
Distribution: Ireland  
HEALY, A., 1956

Salmon

Location: ovary  
Distribution: River Mourne, Ireland  
HALE, P.A., 1959

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)

Host: Invertebrate Cephalopoda

Architeuthis dux Steenstrup, 1857  
Location: caecal portion of digestive tract  
Distribution: White Bay, Newfoundland  
PIPPY, J.H.C. AND ALDRICH, F.A., 1969

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Daenia kiaokourae Whitley  
Distribution: Kaikoura Coast, New Zealand  
ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a

Galeus glaucus Rondelet, 1554 syn. Squalus glaucus L.  
1758

Location: liver  
Distribution: Concarneau, Finistère, France  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Iurus glaucus (Müller and Henle)

Distribution: Bay of Islands, New Zealand  
ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a

- Isurus nasus* (Bonnaterre, 1788) *Lamna cornubica*  
 (Gmelin, 1789) Cuvier, 1817  
 Location: liver  
 Distribution: Concarneau, Finistère, France  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Isurus oxyrinchus* Rafinesque, 1810 syn. *Oxyrhina*  
*Spallanzanii* (Rafinesque, 1810) Bonaparte, 1841  
 Location: liver  
 Distribution: Concarneau, Finistère, France, Cape  
 Hadia, Morocco  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Prionace glauca* (Linnaeus, 1758)  
 Distribution: Kapiti Island, New Zealand  
 ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a  
 Location: liver  
 Distribution: Juan Fernandez Archipelago  
 CATTAN, P.E., CARVAJAL, J., TORRES, D. AND YANEZ,  
 J.L., 1979
- Somniosus pacificus*  
 Location: attached to internal intestinal wall  
 Distribution: Curaco de Vélez, Chile  
 REYES PIRIANO, X, 1982
- Squalus acanthias* (L.)  
 Location: free in coelom  
 Distribution: Strangford Lough, Co. Down, Ireland  
 GOTTO, R.V., 1955
- Squalus acanthias* (Rondelet, 1554) L.1754 syn.  
*Acanthias vulgaris* Risso, 1826  
 Distribution: Concarneau, Finistère, France  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Squalus lebruni* (Vaillant)  
 Distribution: Cape Campbell, New Zealand  
 ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a
- Torpedo fairchildi* Hutton  
 Distribution: Cape Campbell, New Zealand  
 ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a
- Osteichthyes  
*Cheilodactylus macropterus* (Bloch and Schneider)  
 Distribution: New Zealand  
 VOOREN, C.M. AND TRACEY, D., 1976
- Cytodus novae-zealandiae* (Arthur)  
 Location: body cavity  
 Distribution: Pallister Bay, New Zealand  
 ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a
- Gadus (Pollachius) virens* L.  
 Location: on the liver  
 Distribution: La Rochelle, Coast of  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Genypterus blacodes* (Bloch and Schneider)  
 Location: body cavity  
 Distribution: Kapiti Island, New Zealand  
 ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a
- Genypterus blacodes* Schneider  
 Location: stomach  
 Distribution: Talcahuano, Chile  
 CATTAN, P.E., 1977
- Gerimo alalonga* (Gmelin)  
 Location: internal and external stomach walls  
 Distribution: Concarneau, Finistère, France  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Katsuwonus pelamys* (L.)  
 Location: body cavity, stomach wall

Distribution: Atlantic  
 BUSSIÉRAS, J. AND BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1973  
Lepidopus caudatus (Euphrasen)  
 Location: body cavity, pericardium, mesentery, swim bladder  
 Distribution: Castle Point, New Zealand  
 ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a  
Macruronus novae-zealandiae (Hector)  
 Location: body cavity  
 Distribution: Cape Campbell, New Zealand  
 ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a  
Oncorhynchus tschawytscha (Walbaum)  
 Location: abdominal cavity  
 Distribution: Curaco de Vélez, Chile  
 REYES PIRIANO, X., 1982  
Thunnus albacores (Bonnaterre, 1788)  
 Location: body cavity, stomach wall  
 Distribution: Atlantic  
 BUSSIÉRAS, J. AND BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1973  
Thyrsites atun (Euphrasen, 1791)  
 Location: body cavity  
 Distribution: sore of Island of Banks, New Zealand  
 KAGEI, N., KIHATA, M. AND ASANO, K., 1977

Hepatoxyton trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)  
 REMARKS: The child had been eating fish while on holiday in Maputo.  
 Host: Vertebrata Mammalia  
Homo sapiens  
 Location: passed in faeces  
 FRIPP, P.J. AND MASON, P.R., 1983

Hepatoxyton trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva) syn. Dibothriorhynchus attenuatus (Rudolphi, 1819)  
 Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Coryphaena hippurus Linnaeus  
 Location: stomach  
 Distribution: L'île Flores, Azores, Atlantic  
 GUIART, J., 1935a  
Coryphaena sp.  
 Location: intestine wall  
 Distribution: Azores, west of, Atlantic  
 GUIART, J., 1935a

Hepatoxyton trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva) syn. Dibothriorhynchus carchariae (Welch, 1876)  
 Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Carcharias (Galeus) glaucus (Rond., 1554) Rafinesque, 1818  
 Location: abdominal cavity  
 Distribution: Strait of Gibraltar, Atlantic  
 GUIART, J., 1935a

Hepatoxyton trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva) syn. Dibothriorhynchus claviger (Leuckart, 1819)  
 Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Coryphaena sp.  
 Location: stomach  
 Distribution: Azores, Atlantic  
 GUIART, J., 1935a

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva) syn. Dibothriorhynchus stenocephala Guiart, 1935

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Coryphaena sp.

Location: intestinal wall

Distribution: Azores, Atlantic

GUIART, J., 1935a

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva) syn. Hepatoxylon grossum (Rudolphi)

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Xiphias gladius Linnaeus, 1758

Location: swim bladder

Distribution: Roskilde fjord, Denmark

RASMUSSEN, E., 1973

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva) syn. Hepatoxylon squali (? Martiniere, 1797)

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Prionace glauca (Linnaeus, 1758)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Newfoundland

THRELFALL, W., 1969

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva) syn. Hepatoxylon squali Bosc, 1811

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Prionace glauca (Linnaeus, 1758)

Location: exterior of liver

Distribution: Humboldt Bay

PAPPAS, P.W., 1970

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) syn. Hepatoxylon squali (Martin, 1797) in Heinz and Dailey, 1974

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Alopias vulpinus (Bonnaterre)

Distribution: California, southern

HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

## PARASITE FAMILY

## HORNELLIELLIDAE

Hornelliella annandalei (Hornell, 1912) Yamaguti, 1954 (adult) syn.

Tetrarhynchus annandalei, Hornell, 1912

REMARKS: Yamaguti (1954) describes the family Hornelliellidae with a characteristic hermaphroditic vesicle. He places Hornelliella annandalei, originally described as Tetrarhynchus annandalei, in this family.

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Stegostoma tigrinum

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Macassar, Celebes

YAMAGUTI, S., 1954

Hornelliella palesoorahi Zaidi and Khan, 1976 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Scoliodon palesoorah (Cuvier)

Location: intestine

Distribution: Karachi, Arabian Sea

ZAIDI, D.A. AND KHAN, D., 1976

Tetrarhynchus annandalei, Hornell, 1912 SEE: Hornelliella annandalei  
(Hornell, 1912) Yamaguti, 1954 (adult)

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## LACISTORHYNCHIDAE

Eulacistorhynchus chiloscyllius Subhapradha, 1955 (adult)

REMARKS: Subhapradha (1955) erected the subfamily Eulacistorhynchidae and the genus Eulacistorhynchus to accommodate Eulacistorhynchus chiloscyllius.

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Chiloscyllium griseum Müller and Henle

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Madras Coast, India

SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955

Grillotia acanthoscolex Rees, 1944 (adult)

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Hexanchus griseus (Gmelin)

Location: intestine

Distribution: Porcupine Bank, Atlantic

REES, G., 1944

Grillotia angeli Dollfus, 1969 (immature adult)

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Squatina squatina (L.)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Mediterranean

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Grillotia angeli Dollfus, 1969 (larva)

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Scomber scombrus L.

Location: visceral cavity outside the gut

Distribution: North Sea

MACKENZIE, K., 1982

Grillotia angeli Dollfus, 1969 (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Scomber scombrus L.

Location: stomach wall, the outer surfaces of pyloric caeca, intestine

Distribution: Mevagissey Bay, Cornwall

MACKENZIE, K., 1980

Grillotia bothridiopunctata Dollfus, 1969 (larva)

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Caranx trachurus (L.)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Mediterranean, Sete

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Grillotia branchii Shaharom and Lester, 1982 (metacestode)

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Scomberomorus commersoni (Lacépède)

Location: gill arches

Distribution: Brisbane, Australia, Pulau Ketam, Malaysia

SHAHAROM, F.M. AND LESTER, R.J.G., 1982

Grillotia dolichocephala (Guibert, 1935) (larva)

REMARKS: Dollfus (1942) was unable to comment on the validity of Grillotia dolichocephala (Guibert, 1935) without a more detailed description.

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Centroscymnus coelolepis Bocage and Capello, 1864

Location: skin, under

Distribution: S. Jorge, north, Cape Verde Isles,  
Atlantic

GUIART, J., 1935a

Grillotia dolichocephala (Guibert, 1935) (larva)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Pseudotriakis microdon Capello, 1867

Location: musculature

Distribution: Sal, south west, Cape Verde Islands,  
Atlantic

GUIART, J., 1935a

Grillotia dollfusi Carvajal, 1971

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Raja chilensis Guichenot, 1848

Distribution: Anna Pink Bay, Chile

WHITTAKER, F.H., CARVAJAL, J.G. AND APKARIAN, R.,  
1982

Grillotia dollfusi Carvajal, 1971 (adult)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Raja chilensis Guichenot, 1848

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Chile

CARVAJAL, J., 1971

Grillotia dollfusi Carvajal, 1971 (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Merluccius gayi (Guichenot, 1848)

Distribution: Los Vilos and Constitución, Chile

CARVAJAL, J., CATTAN, P.E., CASTILLO, C. AND SCHATTE,  
P., 1979

Location: surface of gonads, serosal surface of  
intestine and liver

Distribution: Chile

CARVAJAL, J. AND CATTAN, P.E., 1978

Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Raja batis L.

Location: intestine, mesentery

Distribution: British Isles

WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960

Raja brachyura Lafont

Location: intestine, mesentery

Distribution: British Isles

WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960

Raja clavata L.

Location: intestine

Distribution: Irish Sea

REES, G. AND LLEWELLYN, J., 1941

Location: intestine, mesentery

Distribution: British Isles

WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960

Raja fullonica L.

Location: intestine, mesentery

Distribution: British Isles

WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960

Raja laevis Mitchell, 1817 syn. Raja stabuliformis

Geman, 1913

Distribution: Magdalen Islands, Gulf of St. Lawrence

MYERS, B.J., 1959

Raja micro-ocellata Montagu

Location: intestine, mesentery

Distribution: British Isles

WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960

Raja miraletus L. 1758

Distribution: Arcachon

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b

Raja naevus Müller and Henle, 1841

Location: intestine, mesentery

Distribution: British Isles

WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960

Location: spiral intestine

Distribution: Aberdeen, North Sea, Plymouth, English Channel

MCVICAR, A.H., 1977

Distribution: Plymouth, English Channel, Aberdeen, North Sea

MCVICAR, A.H., 1979

Raja ocellata Mitchell, 1815

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Buzzard's Bay, Massachusetts

SIMMONS, J.E., 1961

Raja ocellata Mitchell, 1815 syn. Raja diaphanes

Geman, 1913

Distribution: Magdalen Islands, Gulf of St. Lawrence

MYERS, B.J., 1959

Raja oxyrhynchus L.

Location: intestine

Distribution: Irish Atlantic Slope

REES, G. AND LLEWELLYN, J., 1941

Location: intestine, mesentery

Distribution: British Isles

WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960

Raja radiata Donovan

Distribution: Iceland

BAER, J.G., 1962

Ray

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Irish Sea

HALTON, D.W. AND MCKERR, G., 1979

Osteichthyes

Limanda aspera (Pallas)

Distribution: Far Eastern seas

MAMAEV, Y.L., PARUKHIN, A.M. AND BAEVA, O.M., 1963

Melanogrammus aeglefinus (L.)

Location: mesenteries

Distribution: Scotian Gulf, Canada

SCOTT, J.S., 1981

Solea solea

Distribution: Porto-Lago, Aegean Sea

PAPOUTSOGLOU, S.E. AND PAPAPARASKEVA-PAPOUTSOGLOU, E.G., 1977

Trachurus trachurus trachurus L.

Distribution: Atlantic

Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (?) (tentative identification) syn.

Tetrarhynchus erinaceus Van Beneden

REMARKS: Tetrarhynchus erinaceus Van Beneden, 1858 is accepted (Dollfus, 1942) (Rae, 1958) (Jones, 1970) as a synonym of Grillotia erinaceus.

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Sebastes marinus (L.)

Location: musculature

Distribution: Norway, coast of  
KAHL, W., 1937

Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (adult)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Raja clavata L.

Distribution: South Devon, British Isles  
BAYLIS, H.A., 1939

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Black Sea  
KORNYUSHIN, V.V. AND SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1978

Osteichthyes

Torpedo marmorata Risso

Distribution: Arcachon, Gironde  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Centrophorus squamosus (Gmelin)

Location: coelom

Distribution: Porcupine Bank, Atlantic  
REES, G. AND LLEWELLYN, J., 1941

Raja naevus Möller and Henle

Location: intestine wall

Distribution: Porcupine Bank  
REES, G. AND LLEWELLYN, J., 1941

Osteichthyes

Clupea harengus L., 1758

Location: mesenteries, pyloric caeca, stomach wall  
Distribution: Gulf of Maine, Cape Cod  
SINDERMANN, C.J., 1957

Conger conger

Distribution: South Devon, British Isles  
BAYLIS, H.A., 1939

Cottus bimaculatus Euphrasen

Location: stomach wall

Distribution: Aberystwyth, rock pools, Wales  
REES, G., 1945

Gadus merlangus L.

Distribution: South Devon, British Isles  
BAYLIS, H.A., 1939

Location: stomach wall

Distribution: Irish Sea  
REES, G. AND LLEWELLYN, J., 1941

Glyptocephalus cynoglossus (L.)

Location: stomach wall

Distribution: Porcupine Bank

REES, G. AND LLEWELLYN, J., 1941

Merluccius bilinearis

Distribution: Atlantic, north west

GAEVSKAYA, A.V. AND UMNOVA, B.A., 1977

Odontogadus merlangus euxinus (Nordman)

Distribution: Black Sea  
KORNYUSHIN, V.V. AND SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1978

Pleuronectes platessa L.  
Location: stomach wall  
Distribution: Irish Atlantic Slope  
REES, G. AND LLEWELLYN, J., 1941

Scophthalmus rhombus  
Distribution: South Devon, British Isles  
BAYLIS, H.A., 1939

Theragra chalcogramma (Pallas, 1811)  
Distribution: Kamchatka  
MAMAEV, Y.L. AND BAEVA, O.M., 1963

Trachurus trachurus trachurus L.  
Distribution: North Sea, Atlantic, north  
GAEVSKAYA, A.V. AND KOVALEVA, A.A., 1980b

Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva ; tentative identification)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes  
Sebastes mentella Travini  
Location: mesenteries lining the body cavity or supporting the viscera  
Distribution: Atlantic, North  
JONES, D.H., 1970

Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva) syn. Tentacularia sp. of Hart 1936

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes  
Ophiodon elongatus Girard  
Location: vertebrae, region of  
Distribution: Puget Sound  
HART, J.F., 1936

Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva) syn. Tetrarhynchus erinaceus

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes  
Lophius piscatorius Linnaeus, 1758  
Location: musculature  
Distribution: San Benedetto del Tronto, Italy  
TESTI, F., 1960

Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva) syn. Tetrarhynchus erinaceus REMARKS: Tetrarhynchus erinaceus was widely accepted (Dollfus, 1942) (Jones, 1970) as a synonym of Grillotia erinaceus.

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes  
Sebastes marinus (L.)  
Location: musculature  
LØLING, K.H., 1952

Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva) syn. Tetrarhynchus erinaceus REMARKS: Løling (1951) considered that the larval trypanorhynchs found by Kahl (1937) were specimens of Grillotia (=Tetrarhynchus) erinaceus.

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes  
Sebastes marinus (L.)  
Location: musculature  
Distribution: Norway, Coast of  
LØLING, K.H., 1951

Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercoid)

REMARKS: Lubieniecki (1976) commented on the possibility of previous identifications of Grillotia erinaceus being misidentifications of Grillotia pseudoerinaceus.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Gadus morhua L.

Location: oesophagus, stomach, pyloric caeca, intestine

Distribution: North Sea

LUBIENIECKI, B., 1976

Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Hippoglossus hippoglossus (L.)

Location: throughout the fish

Distribution: Atlantic, north east

RAE, B.B., 1958

Melanogrammus aeglefinus (L.)

Location: oesophagus, stomach, pyloric caeca, intestine

Distribution: North Sea

LUBIENIECKI, B., 1976

Merlangius merlangus (L.)

Location: musculature of pyloric stomach, perivisceral cavity, posterior of

Distribution: Isle of Man, British Isles

SHOTTER, R.A., 1976

Odontogadus merlangus L.

Location: body cavity, viscera

Distribution: Isle of Man, British Isles

SHOTTER, R.A., 1973

Location: stomach wall, lumen of stomach, intestine, caeca

Distribution: Irish Sea, northern

SHOTTER, R.A., 1972

Pollachius virens (L.)

Location: oesophagus, stomach, pyloric caeca, intestine

Distribution: North Sea

LUBIENIECKI, B., 1976

Trigla gurnardus (L.)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Shetland Islands

DUNIEC, H., 1980

whiting

Location: stomach wall, body cavity

MCKERR, G., 1978

Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Raja clavata L.

Distribution: Concarneau, Finistère

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Raja maculata Montagu 1815 Raja montagui Fowler 1910

Location: mesentery, peritoneum

Distribution: Concarneau, Finistère

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Raja naevus Müller and Henle, 1841

Distribution: SS "Président Théodore Tissier" St. 80,  
3-1-1934

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Reja sp.

Distribution: Arcachon, Gironde

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Osteichthyes

Clupea harengus L., 1758

Location: stomach wall, encysted in

Distribution: Massachusetts, Woods Hole

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1956

Gadus morhua L.

Location: mesentery

Distribution: New Brunswick, Atlantic, north west

APPY, R.G. AND BURT, M.D.B., 1982

APPY, R.G. AND BURT, M.D.B., 1982

Melanogrammus aeglefinus (L.)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: North Sea

LUBIENIECKI, B., 1977

Mullus surmuletus L.

Location: stomach wall

Distribution: Bay of Biscay

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Trigla sp.

Location: mesentery, peritoneum

Distribution: Concarneau, Finistere

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercus) tentative

identification

Host: Vertebrate

Osteichthyes

Melanoglaea ventralis Bernard, 1941

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Keyar

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960a

Grillotia heptanchi (Vaullegaard, 1899) (adult)

Host: Vertebrate

Selachii

Hexanchus griseus (Bonnaterre, 1788)

Distribution: Chile

CARVAJAL, J., 1974

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Chile

CARVAJAL, J., 1971

Notorhynchus pectorosus (German)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Cook Strait, New Zealand

ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a

Grillotia heptanchi (Vaullegaard, 1899) (larva)

Host: Vertebrate

Osteichthyes

"merluza"

Location: muscles

Distribution: Puerto Montt, Chile

TAGLE, I., 1951

Molva dipterygia (Pennant, 1784)

Location: musculature

Distribution: Rockall, North Sea

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1975b

Sciaena coiter

Location: abdominal cavity in cloacal region

Distribution: Burma, Rangoon, estuarine

KYAW-MYINT, 1968

- Grillotia heptanchi (Vaullegaard, 1899) (plerocercoid)
- Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes
- Merluccius merluccius (L.)
- Location: supra-orbital lateral line canal
- Distribution: British Isles, west coast
- REES, G., 1950
- Theragra chalcogramma (Pallas, 1811)
- Location: cephalic canals
- Distribution: Strait of Georgia, British Columbia, Pacific Ocean, north eastern, West Coast, British Columbia, Pacific Ocean, north eastern
- ARTHUR, J.R., 1984
- Grillotia heptanchi (Vaullegaard, 1899) (plerocercus)
- Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes
- Genypterus chilensis (Guichenot, 1848)
- Location: musculature
- Distribution: Puerto Montt, Chile
- CARVAJAL, J. AND CAMPBELL, R.A., 1979
- Macruronus magellanicus
- Location: viscera and coelomic cavity
- Distribution: Puerto Montt, Chile
- CARVAJAL, J. AND CAMPBELL, R.A., 1979
- Merluccius polylepsis
- Location: musculature
- Distribution: Puerto Montt, Chile
- CARVAJAL, J. AND CAMPBELL, R.A., 1979
- Grillotia megabothridia (Hart, 1936) (adult) syn. Tentacularia megabothridia Hart, 1936 syn. Grillotia heptanchi (Vaullegaard, 1899)
- REMARKS: Dollfus (1942) considered Tentacularia megabothridia to be a synonym of Grillotia heptanchi. Yamaguti (1959) listed Grillotia megabothridia as a distinct species.
- Host: Vertebrate Selachii
- Hexanchus griseus (Bonnaterre, 1788)
- Location: spiral valve
- Distribution: Puget Sound
- HART, J.F., 1936
- Grillotia microthrix Dollfus, 1969 (plerocercus)
- Host: Vertebrate Selachii
- Torpedo nobiliana Bonaparte
- Distribution: Mediterranean, Sète
- DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a
- Grillotia minor Guiart, 1935 (larva)
- REMARKS: Dollfus (1942) was unable to comment on the validity of Grillotia minor Guiart, 1935 without further information.
- Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes
- Lepidorhynchus equosomus (Bonnaterre, 1788)
- Location: under peritoneum
- Distribution: Bay of Biscay
- GUIART, J., 1935a

Grillotia musculara (Hart, 1936) Dollfus, 1942 (adult) syn. Tentacularia musculara Hart, 1936

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Raja rhina (Jordan and Gilbert)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Puget Sound

HART, J.F., 1936

Grillotia musculicola (Yamaguti, 1934) (larva) syn. Pintneriella musculicola Yamaguti, 1934

REMARKS: Yamaguti (1959) transferred Pintneriella musculicola to the genus Grillotia.

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Epinephelus akaara

Location: flesh

Distribution: Tarumi, Kobe, Japan

YAMAGUTI, S., 1952

Grillotia (Paragrillotia) rowei Campbell, 1977 (immature adult)

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Bathyraja richardsoni (Garrick, 1961)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Hudson Submarine Canyon, Atlantic,  
north west

CAMPBELL, R.A., 1977

Grillotia (Paragrillotia) rowei Campbell, 1977 (larva)

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Coryphaenoides (Chalinura) carapinus (Goode and Bean,  
1883)

Distribution: New York Bight

CAMPBELL, R.A., HAEDRICH, R.L. AND MUNROE, T.A., 1980

Coryphaenoides (Nematonurus) armatus (Hector, 1875)

Distribution: New York Bight

CAMPBELL, R.A., HAEDRICH, R.L. AND MUNROE, T.A., 1980

Grillotia (Paragrillotia) rowei Campbell, 1977 (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Coryphaenoides (Chalinura) leptolepis Gunther, 1877

Location: encysted in liver, mesenteries, tunica  
serosa of stomach, pyloric caeca, intestine

Distribution: Hudson Submarine Canyon, Atlantic,  
north west

CAMPBELL, R.A., 1977

Coryphaenoides (Lionurus) carapinus Goode and Bean,  
1883

Location: encysted in liver, mesenteries, tunica  
serosa of stomach, pyloric caeca, intestine

Distribution: Hudson Submarine Canyon, Atlantic,  
north west

CAMPBELL, R.A., 1977

Coryphaenoides (Nematonurus) armatus (Hector, 1875)

Location: encysted in liver, mesenteries, tunica  
serosa of stomach, pyloric caeca, intestine

Distribution: Hudson Submarine Canyon, Atlantic,  
north west

CAMPBELL, R.A., 1977

Grillotia (Paragrillotia) simmonsi Dollfus, 1969 (adult)

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Ginglymostoma cirratum

Distribution: Florida

BUTEAU, JR., G.H., SIMMONS, J.E., FAIRBAIRN, D., 1969

Grillotia (Paragrillotia) simmonsi Dollfus, 1969 (adult)

REMARKS: The subgenus Paragrillotia described by Dollfus (1969b) showed no demarcation between the rows of principal hooks and the chainette.

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Ginglymostoma cirratum (Gmelin, 1788)

Location: alimentary canal

Distribution: Florida, Sarasota

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969b

Grillotia perelica (Shuler, 1938) Dollfus, 1942

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Carcharias sp.

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Madras Coast, India

SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955

Grillotia perelica (Shuler, 1938) Dollfus, 1942 (adult)

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Carcharhinus platyodon (Poey)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Bermuda

REES, G., 1969

Grillotia perelica (Shuler, 1938) Dollfus, 1942 (adult) syn. Tentacularia perelica Shuler, 1938

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Hopoprion brevirostris Poey

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Tortugas, Florida

SHULER, R.H., 1938

Grillotia (Progrillotia) pastinaceae Dollfus, 1946 (adult)

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Trygon pastinaca (L.)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Concarneau

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b

Grillotia pseuderinaceus Dollfus, 1969 (immature adult)

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Raja oxyrhynchus L.

Distribution: Mediterranean, Sète

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Grillotia recurvispinis Dollfus, 1969 (immature adult)

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Raja clavata L.

Distribution: Mediterranean, Sète

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Grillotia scolecina (Rudolphi, 1819) (larva)

REMARKS: Dollfus (1942) was unable to comment on the validity of Grillotia scolecina (Rudolphi, 1819) without further information.

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Centroscymnus coelolepis Bocage and Capello, 1864

Location: skin, under

Distribution: S. Jorge, north, Azores, Atlantic

GUIART, J., 1935a

Grillotia smaris-gora (Wagener, 1854)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Squatina californica Ayres

Distribution: California, southern

HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Grillotia smaris-gora (Wagener, 1854) Dollfus, 1946 (adult)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Squatina squatina (L.)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Concarneau Arcachon

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b

Grillotia smaris-gora (Wagener, 1854) (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Synodus lucioceps

Location: mesentery, spleen, stomach

JENSEN, L.A., MOSER, M. AND HECKMANN, R.A., 1979

Grillotia sp.

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Raja clavata L.

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: St. Andrews Bay, Scotland

LAVERACK, M.S. AND BLACKLER, M., 1974

Raja naevus Müller and Henle, 1841

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: North Sea

WILLIAMS, H.H., 1968

Raja scabrate

Location: spiral valve, intestine

Distribution: Baie de Chaleur region, Canada

HELLER, A.F., 1949

Grillotia sp. (adult)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Raja radiata Donovan

Location: spiral valve, tiers 1-3

Distribution: Scotland, waters

WILLIAMS, H.H., MCVICAR, A.H. AND RALPH, R., 1978

Grillotia sp. (encysted plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Merluccius bilinearis

Location: intestinal wall, liver surface,  
mesenteries, stomach wall

Distribution: Raritan Bay, southern, New Jersey

NEYERS, T.R., 1978

Grillotia sp. (identified as G. heptanchi group by Dollfus, 1942)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Cynoscion nebulosus (Cuvier)

CHANDLER, A.C., 1954

Grillotia sp. (larva)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Genypterus blacodes

Location: muscles

Distribution: Campbell Island, New Zealand

GRABDA, J. AND SLOSARCZYK, W., 1981

Macruronus novae-zealandiae (Hector)

Location: muscles

Distribution: South Island, New Zealand

GRABDA, J. AND SLOSARCZYK, W., 1981

Platichthys flesus (L.)

Distribution: Scotland, Coast of Aberdeenshire

GIBSON, D.I., 1972

Grillotia sp. (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Micromesistius poutassou (Risso)

Location: visceral cavity

Distribution: Scotland, north and west coast of,  
Faroe Islands

MACKENZIE, K., 1979

Grillotia sp. (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Lophius piscatorius Linnaeus, 1758

Location: in the thickness of the stomach wall  
Distribution: La Rochelle, Charente-Maritime

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Thunnus thynnus

Location: peritoneum

Distribution: Persian Gulf

TIGARI, M., RADHAKRISHNAN, C.V. AND HOWARD, B.R.,  
1975

Trachurus trachurus (L.)

Location: encysted on surface of stomach

Distribution: SS "Président Théodore Tissier" St.2,  
24-11-1933

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Trigla sp.

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Concarneau, Finistère

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Grillotia spinosissima Dollfus, 1969 (larva, immature adult, adult)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Hexanchus griseus (Bonnaterre, 1788)

Distribution: Mediterranean, Sète

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Lacistorhynchus bulbifer (Linton, 1889) SEE: Lacistorhynchus tenuis  
(Van Beneden, 1858) (adult)

Lacistorhynchus sp.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Clupea harengus L., 1758

Location: surfaces of the pyloric caeca

Distribution: Scotland, north and west, North Sea

MACKENZIE, K., 1985

Morone saxatilis (Walbaum, 1792)

Location: muscle, encysted in

Distribution: California, Sacramento-Sn Joquin delta

HENSLEY, G.H. AND NAHHAS, F.M., 1975

Scomber scombrus L.

Distribution: Mediterranean

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Sebastodes diplopros

Distribution: Pacific, north eastern

TKACHEV, V.A., 1976

Lacistorhynchus sp. (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

herring

Location: visceral cavity outside the gut

Distribution: Blåden area, North Sea

MACKENZIE, K., 1982

Lacistorhynchus sp. syn. Lacystorhynchus sp. of Kilejian and MacInnis, 1976

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Mustelus canis (Mitchell, 1815)

Distribution: Bodega Bay, California

KILEJIAN, A. AND MACINNIS, A.J., 1976

Lacistorhynchus tenue (Van Beneden, 1858) Pintner, 1913 SEE:

Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercus)

Lacistorhynchus tenue (Van Beneden, 1858) SEE: Lacistorhynchus tenuis  
(Van Beneden, 1858)

Lacistorhynchus tenue (Van Beneden, 1858) SEE: Lacistorhynchus tenuis  
(Van Beneden, 1858) (adult)

Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Mustelus californicus

Distribution: California, southern

HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Mustelus canis (Mitchell, 1815)

Distribution: Massachusetts

LUMSDEN, R.D., OAKS, J.A. AND ALWORTH, W.L., 1978

Location: spiral valve

LAURIE, J.S., 1961

PAPPAS, P.W., 1978

READ, C.P., 1957

Distribution: Buzzard's Bay, Massachusetts

SIMMONS, J.E., 1961

SIMMONS, J.E., 1969

Distribution: Massachusetts

BUTEAU, JR., G.H., SIMMONS, J.E., BEACH, D.H., HOLTZ,

JR., G.G., AND SHERMAN, I.W., 1971

LUMSDEN, R.D. AND BYRAM, J., III., 1967

Mustelus henlei (Gill)  
 Distribution: California, southern  
 HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Rhinobatos productus (Ayres)  
 Distribution: California, southern, California,  
 southern  
 HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Rhinotriakis henlei  
 Location: spiral valve, rectal gland  
 Distribution: San Francisco  
 BUTEAU, JR., G.H., SIMMONS, J.E., BEACH, D.H., HOLTZ,  
 JR., G.G., AND SHERMAN, I.W., 1971

Triakis henlei (Gill, 1862)  
 Location: spiral valve, rectal gland  
 Distribution: Humboldt Bay  
 PAPPAS, P.W., 1970

Triakis semifasciata Girard, 1854  
 Distribution: California, southern  
 HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Location: spiral valve  
 Distribution: Humboldt Bay  
 PAPPAS, P.W., 1970

Location: spiral valve, rectal gland  
 Distribution: Tomales Bay  
 BUTEAU, JR., G.H., SIMMONS, J.E., BEACH, D.H., HOLTZ,  
 JR., G.G., AND SHERMAN, I.W., 1971

Osteichthyes

Belonone belone (L.)  
 Distribution: North Sea  
 WILLEMS, J.J., 1968

Clupea harengus L., 1758  
 MACKENZIE, K., 1978

Coridodax pullus (Bloch and Schneider, 1801)  
 Location: body wall  
 Distribution: New Zealand  
 RITCHIE, L.D., 1969  
 RITCHIE, L.D., 1969

Trachurus trachurus trachurus L.  
 Distribution: Atlantic  
 GAEVSKAYA, A.V. AND KOVALEVA, A.A., 1980a

Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (adult)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Galeorhinus australis Macleay  
 Location: spiral valve, anterior portion  
 Distribution: Cook Strait, New Zealand  
 ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a

Galeus canis (Rondelet, 1554) syn. Squalus galeus L.,  
 1758 syn. Eugaleus galeus (L., 1758) Gill, 1864 syn.  
Galeorhinus galeus (L., 1758) Blainville, 1816  
 Location: spiral valve  
 Distribution: Ostende, Concarneau, Finistère,  
 Lorient, La Rochelle  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Mustelus canis (Mitchell, 1815)  
 Distribution: Massachusetts  
 LUMSDEN, R.D., 1965  
 LUMSDEN, R.D., 1966a  
 OAKS, J.A. AND LUMSDEN, R.D., 1971  
 Location: intestine  
 Distribution: Mediterranean, Sète  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Location: spiral valve  
Distribution: Fire Island  
LACEY, R.J. AND SPATZ, E.M., 1969  
Distribution: Massachusetts  
CAMPBELL, J.W., 1960  
CAMPBELL, J.W. AND LEE, T.W., 1963  
LUMSDEN, R.D., 1966b  
LUMSDEN, R.D., 1967  
Mustelus mustelus (Linnaeus, 1758)  
Location: intestine  
Distribution: Mediterranean, Sète  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a  
Rhinotriakis henlei  
Distribution: California  
VOGE, M., EDMONDS, H., 1969  
Triakis maculata Kner and Steindachner, 1867  
Distribution: Antofagaster  
CARVAJAL, J., 1974  
Triakis semifasciata Girard, 1854  
Distribution: California  
VOGE, M., EDMONDS, H., 1969  
Distribution: California, southern  
YOUNG, R.T., 1954a  
Location: spiral valve  
RISER, N.W., 1956  
Distribution: Mission Bay, California  
MUDRY, D.R., DAILEY, M.D., 1971  
Distribution: Monterey Bay, California  
SAKANARI, J. AND MOSER, M., 1985b

Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (adult) syn. Lacistorhynchus bulbifer (Linton, 1889)  
Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Eugaleus galeus (L., 1758) Gill, 1864  
Location: spiral valve  
Distribution: Azores, Atlantic  
GUIART, J., 1935a

Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (adult) syn. Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858)  
Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Mustelus canis (Mitchell, 1815)  
Location: spiral valve  
STUNKARD, H.W., 1981

Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (immature adult)  
Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Triakis semifasciata Girard, 1854  
Location: spiral valve  
Distribution: kept in laboratory  
SAKANARI, J. AND MOSER, M., 1985b

Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (immature adult) (experimental infection)  
Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Triakis semifasciata Girard, 1854  
Distribution: California  
YOUNG, R.T., 1954b

Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Clupea harengus L., 1758

Location: mesenteries, pyloric caeca, stomach wall

Distribution: Gulf of Maine, Cape Cod

SINDERMANN, C.J., 1957

Merluccius gayi peruanus Gingsburg, 1954

Location: mesenteries

Distribution: Callao, Peru

DURAN, L.E. AND OLIVA, M., 1980

Trachurus trachurus trachurus L.

Distribution: North Sea, Atlantic, north

GAEVSKAYA, A.V. AND KOVALEVA, A.A., 1980b

Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (metacestode)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Gambusia affinis

Location: body cavity, musculature

Distribution: kept in laboratory

SAKANARI, J. AND MOSER, M., 1985b

Genyonemus lineatus Ayres, 1855

Distribution: Monterey Bay, California

SAKANARI, J. AND MOSER, M., 1985b

Morone saxatilis (Walbaum, 1792)

Location: mesentery, intestine, peritoneum, muscle,  
external surface, lesions

Distribution: San Francisco Bay, California

MOSER, M., SAKANARI, J., WELLINGS, S. AND LINDSTROM,  
K., 1984

Location: surface of the fish

Distribution: San Francisco Bay, Delta area

SAKANARI, J.A., MOSER, M. AND SIMMONS, J.E., 1983

Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Clupea harengus pallasi Valenciennes, 1847

Distribution: San Francisco Bay, California

SAKANARI, J. AND MOSER, M., 1985a

Cymatogaster aggregate Gibbons

Distribution: California, southern

YOUNG, R.T., 1954a

Distribution: San Diego Bay, California

YOUNG, R.T., 1954b

Damalichthys vacca (Girard, 1855)

Distribution: San Francisco Bay, California

SAKANARI, J. AND MOSER, M., 1985a

Genyonemus lineatus Ayres, 1855

Distribution: San Francisco Bay, California

SAKANARI, J. AND MOSER, M., 1985a

Morone saxatilis (Walbaum, 1792)

Distribution: San Francisco Bay, California

SAKANARI, J. AND MOSER, M., 1985a

Platichthys stellatus (Pallas)

Location: intestine, stomach walls

Distribution: Monterey Bay, California

ORCUTT, H.G., 1950

Synodus lucioceps

Location: liver, mesentery, skeletal, muscle

JENSEN, L.A., MOSER, M. AND HECKMANN, R.A., 1979

Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Agnostomus forsteri (Cuvier and Valenciennes)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Waikane, New Zealand

ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a

Belone belone (L.)

Distribution: Mediterranean

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Location: abdominal cavity

Distribution: Pomeranian Bay

GRABDA, J., 1981

Belone belone (L.) syn. Belone vulgaris Flem.

Location: on the liver and intestine

Distribution: Concarneau, Finistere

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Clupea harengus L., 1758

Location: muscles, encysted in, viscera, encysted in

Distribution: Massachusetts, Woods Hole

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1956

Gadus luscus L.

Location: under the tegument of gill cavity

Distribution: Roscoff, Finistere

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Gadus pollachius L.

Location: on and encapsulated in liver and pyloric  
and external surfaces of stomach and external  
surface of intestine,

Distribution: France, Coasts of, Roscoff, Finistere

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Morone labrax (L.) syn. Labrax lupus Cuvier

Location: peritoneum

Distribution: Morocco, Ston CXXI

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Scomber scomber (L.)

Location: peritoneum, body cavity

Distribution: Erquy, France, north coast, Goury and  
Aurigny

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Thysites atun (Euphrasen, 1791)

Location: body cavity, ribs, anterior extremity of

Distribution: Petone Beach, New Zealand

ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a

Trachurus trachurus (L.)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Gijon, Oviedo

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Trigla gurnardus (L.)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Concarneau, Finistere

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Undetermined gadoid

Distribution: Dogger Bank

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Zenopsis nebulosus (Schlegel)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Cape Campbell, New Zealand

ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a

Zeus faber L.

Distribution: French Coasts

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (*plerocercus*) syn.

Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) Pintner, 1913

Host: Invertebrates Cephalopoda

Loligo paeleii (LeSueur, 1821)

Location: stomach washings

Distribution: Cape Cod area

STUNKARD, H.W., 1977

Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (procercoid)

Host: Invertebrates Crustacea

Tigriopus californicus

Distribution: California

MUDRY, D.R., DAILEY, M.D., 1971

Location: kept in laboratory

SAKANARI, J. AND MOSER, M., 1985b

Tigriopus fulvus (Fisher)

Location: haemocoel

RISER, N.W., 1951

RISER, N.W., 1956

Lacystorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) syn. Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858)

Host: Invertebrates Crustacea

Acartia tonsa

Distribution: sea water, experimental

STUNKARD, H.W., 1981

Lacystorhynchus sp. of Kilejian and MacInnis, 1976 SEE: Lacistorhynchus sp.

Pintneriella musculicola Yamaguti, 1934 SEE: Grillotia musculicola (Yamaguti, 1934) (larva)

Progrillotia dollfusi Carvajal and Rego, 1983

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Cynoscion striatus (Cuvier)

Location: visceral cavity

Distribution: Rio de Janeiro

CARVAJAL, J. AND REGO, A.A., 1983

Progrillotia louiseuzeti Dollfus, 1969 (immature adult)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Dasyatis violacea Bonaparte

Distribution: Mediterranean

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Tentacularia megabothridia Hart, 1936 syn. Grillotia heptanchi

(Vaullegaard, 1899) SEE: Grillotia megabothridia (Hart, 1936) (adult)

Tentacularia musculara Hart, 1936 SEE: Grillotia musculara (Hart, 1936)  
Dollfus, 1942 (adult)

Tentacularia perelica Shuler, 1938 SEE: Grillotia perelica (Shuler, 1938) Dollfus, 1942 (adult)

Tentacularia sp. of Hart 1936 SEE: Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva)

Tetrahyynchus erinaceus Van Beneden SEE: Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (?) (tentative identification)

Tetrahyynchus erinaceus SEE: Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva)

Mixodigma leptaleum Dailey and Vogelbein, 1982 (adult)

REMARKS: Dailey and Vogelbein (1982) erected the family Mixodigmatidae for the species Mixodigma leptaleum which possesses some features of the Eutetrarhynchidae and the Dasyrhynchidae, and distinguishing features such as combined heteroacanthous and poeciloacanthous arrangements of hooks.

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

"Megamouth"

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Hawaii

DAILEY, M.D. AND VOGELBEIN, W., 1982

PARASITE FAMILY

MUSTELICOLIDAE

Mustelicola woodsholei Dollfus, 1969 (adult)

REMARKS: Dollfus, 1969b described a new family, Mustelicolidae to contain the species Mustelicola woodsholei. The family belongs to the atypical Heterocantha.

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Mustelus canis (Mitchell, 1815)

Location: alimentary canal

Distribution: Massachusetts, Woods Hole

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969b

## PARASITE FAMILY

## OTOBOTHRIIDAE

Diplobothrium springeri Chandler, 1942 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Platysqualus tudes (Cuvier)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Florida, Gulf Coast

CHANDLER, A.C., 1942

Diplobothrium springeri Chandler, 1942 (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Pogonias cromis (Linnaeus)

Location: musculature, encysted in

Distribution: Texas, Avansas Bay

SCHLICHT, F.G. AND MCFARLAND, W.N., 1967

Diplobothrium tamilnadensis Reimer, 1980 (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Secutor ruconius Buchanan-Hamilton

Distribution: Indian Ocean

REIMER, L.W., 1980

Otobothrium arii Bilquees and Shaukat, 1976 (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Arius serratus (Day)

Location: encysted in head muscles and visceral  
mesenteries

Distribution: Karachi coast

BILQUEES, F.M. AND SHAUKAT, N., 1976

Otobothrium conglobatus Khambata and Bal, 1953

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Elasmobranch sp.

Distribution: Bombay

KHAMBATA, F.S. AND BAL, D.V., 1953

Otobothrium crenacolle Linton, 1890

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Neoscombrops annectens Gilchrist

Distribution: Coast of Mozambique

REIMER, L.W., 1984

Otobothrium crenacolle Linton, 1890 (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Bagre bahiensis

Location: peritoneum, mesenteries

Distribution: Alvarado, Veracruz, Mexico

PALACIOS, N.M. AND BARROETA, L.F., 1967

Location: peritoneum, muscles

Distribution: Alvarado, Veracruz, Mexico

PALACIOS, N.M., 1963

Lepidotrigla natalensis Gilchrist and Thompson

Distribution: Coast of Mozambique

REIMER, L.W., 1984

Wallagonia attu

Location: body wall under the peritoneum, encysted in

Distribution: Burma, Rangoon

KYAW-MYINT, 1968

Otobothrium crenacolle Linton, 1890 (larva)

REMARKS: O'Rourke does not state whether Otobothrium crenacolle was found in one or more of the named hosts.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes Food fishes including

Cynoscion regalis, Micropogon undulatus and Leiostomus xanthurus

Distribution: Maryland, Solomons

O'ROURKE, A.E., 1949

Otobothrium crenacolle Linton, 1890 (plerocercus)

Host: Invertebrata Cephalopoda

Loligo paeleii (LeSueur, 1821)

Location: stomach washings

Distribution: Cape Cod area

STUNKARD, H.W., 1977

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Acanthurus caeruleus Bloch and Schneider

Location: body cavity, intestine, surface of, stomach

Distribution: Bermuda

REES, G., 1969

Euthynnus alleteratus (Rafinesque, 1810)

Location: body cavity, intestine, surface of, stomach

Distribution: Bermuda

REES, G., 1969

Otobothrium cysticum (Mayer, 1842)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Dasybatus sp.

Distribution: Cameroons

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Otobothrium cysticum (Mayer, 1842) (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Carcharhinus melanopterus (Quoy and Gaimard)

Location: stomach wall

Distribution: Red Sea

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Osteichthyes

Corvina nigrata Cuvier

Location: peritoneum

Distribution: Cameroons

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Dentex macrophthalmus Cuvier and Valenciennes

Location: intestine

Distribution: Castiglione, Algiers

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Osteolaemus tetraspis Cope

Location: stomach wall

Distribution: French Congo

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Reptilia

Chelone mydas L.

Location: stomach wall, external

Distribution: Port-Etienne, Mauritania

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Otobothrium dipsacum Linton, 1897 SEE: Otobothrium (Pseudotobothrium)  
dipsacum Linton, 1897

Otobothrium harpodoni Kotwal and Masurekar, 1978 (encysted larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Harpodon nehereus (Ham-Buch)

Location: muscles and visceral organs

Distribution: Bombay

KOTWAL, V.P. AND MASUREKAR, V.B., 1978

Johnius ruber (Bloch-Schn)

Location: muscles and visceral organs

Distribution: Bombay

KOTWAL, V.P. AND MASUREKAR, V.B., 1978

Otobothrium ilisha (Southwell and Prashad, 1918) Goldstein, 1963

(plerocercus) syn. Poecilancistrum ilisha (Southwell and Prashad, 1918)

Dollfus, 1942

REMARKS: Goldstein (1963) suggested that Poecilancistrum  
ilisha (Southwell and Prashad, 1918) should be placed in the  
genus Otobothrium.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Hilsa hilsa

GOLDSTEIN, R.J., 1963

Otobothrium karachiensis Bilqeens and Muslehuddin, 1976 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Myrmillo manazo (Bik.)

Location: intestine

Distribution: Karachi Coast

BILQEES, F.M. AND MUSLEHUDDIN, R., 1976

Otobothrium kurisi Shields, 1985 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Sphyraea lewini

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: 400 m east of Campus Point, Santa

Barbara, California

SHIELDS, J.D., 1985

Otobothrium linstowi Southwell, 1912 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Rhynchosbatus djeddensis (Forsk) Bleeker

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Madras Coast, India

SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955

Otobothrium minutum Subhapradha, 1955 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Carcharhinus limbatus (Müller and Henle)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Madras Coast, India

SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955

Carcharias walbeehmi Bleeker

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Madras Coast, India

SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955

Otobothrium mugilis Hiscock, 1954

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Hilsa ilisha (Hamilton)  
Location: coelom, mesentery  
Distribution: Sind River  
RIZVI, S.S.H., 1971

Otobothrium mugilis Hiscock, 1954 (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Mugil cephalus L.  
Location: gut mesentery  
Distribution: Brisbane, Australia  
HISCOCK, I.D., 1954  
Netuma australis (Gunther)  
Location: body wall, between peritoneum and  
musculature  
Distribution: Brisbane, Australia  
HISCOCK, I.D., 1954

Otobothrium penetrans Linton, 1907

Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Carcharhinus leucas (Müller and Henle, 1841)  
Location: spiral valve  
Distribution: Nicaragua  
WATSON, D.E. AND THORSON, T.B., 1976  
Carcharhinus limbatus (Müller and Henle)  
Distribution: Tortugas, Florida  
SHULER, R.H., 1938  
SHULER, R.H., 1938  
Scoliodon terrae-novae (Richardson)  
Distribution: Tortugas, Florida  
SHULER, R.H., 1938  
SHULER, R.H., 1938

Otobothrium pephrikos Dollfus, 1969 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Sphyra zygaena (L.)  
Location: intestine  
Distribution: Mediterranean  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Otobothrium propectysticum Dollfus, 1969 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Sphyra zygaena (L.)  
Location: intestine  
Distribution: Mediterranean  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Otobothrium (Pseudotobothrium) dipsacum (Linton, 1897) Dollfus, 1942 syn.

Otobothrium (Pseudotobothrium) insignis (Linton, 1905) Dollfus, 1942  
REMARKS: Cruz-Reyes (1974) re-described Otobothrium  
(Pseudotobothrium) dipsacum and relegated Otobothrium  
(Pseudotobothrium) insignis as a synonym.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Balistes polylepis Steindachner, 1876  
Distribution: Mexico, Puerto Angel  
CRUZ-REYES, A., 1974a

Otobothrium (Pseudotobothrium) dipsacum Linton, 1897 (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Otoperca aurita (Valenciennes)

Location: encysted in gills

Distribution: Pointe Padron, Belgian Congo

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Polynemus quadrifiliis Cuvier

Location: encysted in gills, encysted in musculature  
of head

Distribution: Pointe Padron, Belgian Congo

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Otobothrium (Pseudotobothrium) dipsacum (Linton, 1897) (plerocercus) syn.

Pseudotobothrium dipsacum (Linton, 1897) in Ward (1954)

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Sphyraena barracuda (Walbaum)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Miami

WARD, H.L., 1954

Otobothrium (Pseudotobothrium) dipsacum Linton, 1897 syn. Otobothrium  
dipsacum Linton, 1897

REMARKS: Dollfus (1942), Wardle and McLeod (1952) and Yamaguti (1959) recognised that Otobothrium dipsacum belonged to the subgenus Pseudotobothrium.

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Chelidonichthys kumu Lesson and Garnot

Location: body cavity

Distribution: East China Sea

YAMAGUTI, S., 1952

Otobothrium (Pseudotobothrium) insigne (Linton, 1905) Dollfus, 1942 SEE:  
Otobothrium (Pseudotobothrium) dipsacum (Linton, 1897) Dollfus, 1942

Otobothrium (Pseudotobothrium) linstowi (Southwell, 1912) (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Coryphaesopias cornuta (Kaup)

Distribution: Indian Ocean

REIMER, L.W., 1980

Otobothrium robustum Chandler, 1935 (larva)

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Eriscion nebulosus

Location: musculature

Distribution: Galveston Bay, Texas

CHANDLER, A.C., 1935b

Otobothrium septemspinigerens Khambata and Bal, 1953

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Elasmobranch sp.

Distribution: Bombay

KHAMBATTA, F.S. AND BAL, D.V., 1953

Otobothrium sp. (larva)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Trachynotus sp.

Location: encysted in body cavity

Distribution: Madras, India

ANANTARAMAN, S., 1963

Otobothrium vermicularis Khambata and Bal, 1953

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Elasmobranch sp.

Distribution: Bombay

KHAMBATA, F.S. AND BAL, D.V., 1953

Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1929 (adult)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Carcharhinus leucas (Müller and Henle, 1841)

BUTEAU, JR., G.H., SIMMONS, J.E., FAIRBAIRN, D., 1969

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico

GOLDSTEIN, R.J., 1963

Negaprion brevirostris (Poey, 1868)

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico

GOLDSTEIN, R.J., 1963

Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1929 (larva)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Sciaena antarctica Castelnau

Location: encysted in flesh

Distribution: McKenzie Bay, New South Wales, Richmond River, New South Wales

ROBINSON, E.S., 1965

Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1929 (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Bairdiella chrysura (Lacépède)

Location: dorsal muscle masses, adjacent to the vertebral column and in the vicinity of the vent

Distribution: Texas, coast

SCHLICHT, F.G. AND MCFARLAND, W.N., 1967

Location: musculature

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico

OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977

Cynoscion arenarius Ginsberg

Location: dorsal muscle masses, adjacent to the vertebral column and in the vicinity of the vent

Distribution: Texas, coast

SCHLICHT, F.G. AND MCFARLAND, W.N., 1967

Location: musculature

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico

OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977

Cynoscion nebulosus (Cuvier)

Location: dorsal muscle masses, adjacent to the vertebral column and in the vicinity of the vent

Distribution: Texas, coast

SCHLICHT, F.G. AND MCFARLAND, W.N., 1967

Location: musculature

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico

OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977

Distribution: Steinhatchee, Gulf of Mexico

COLLINS, M.R., MARSHALL, M.J. AND LANCIANI, C.A., 1984

Distribution: United States, north eastern coast,

Gulf of Mexico, northern  
OVERSTREET, R.M., 1978b

Cynoscion nothus

Location: dorsal muscle masses, adjacent to the  
vertebral column and in the vicinity of the vent

Distribution: Texas, coast

SCHLICHT, F.G. AND MCFARLAND, W.N., 1967

Leiostomus xanthurus Lacépède

Location: dorsal muscle masses, adjacent to the  
vertebral column and in the vicinity of the vent

Distribution: Texas, coast

SCHLICHT, F.G. AND MCFARLAND, W.N., 1967

Location: musculature

Distribution: Seahorse Key, Gulf of Mexico

COLLINS, M.R., MARSHALL, M.J. AND LANCIANI, C.A.,  
1984

Menticirrhus americanus (Linnaeus)

Location: musculature

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico

OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977

Micropogon undulatus (Linnaeus)

Location: dorsal muscle masses, adjacent to the  
vertebral column and in the vicinity of the vent

Distribution: Texas, coast

SCHLICHT, F.G. AND MCFARLAND, W.N., 1967

Micropogon undulatus (Linnaeus)

Location: musculature

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico

OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977

Pagonias cromis (Linnaeus)

Location: musculature

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico

OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977

Sciaenops ocellatus (Linnaeus)

Location: dorsal muscle masses, adjacent to the  
vertebral column and in the vicinity of the vent

Distribution: Texas, coast

SCHLICHT, F.G. AND MCFARLAND, W.N., 1967

Location: musculature

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico

OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977

Umbrina coroides (Cuvier)

Location: musculature

Distribution: Palm Beach, Florida

COLLINS, M.R., MARSHALL, M.J. AND LANCIANI, C.A.,  
1984

Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1929 (*plerocercus*)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Cynoscion nebulosus (Cuvier)

GOLDSTEIN, R.J., 1963

Cynoscion regalis

GOLDSTEIN, R.J., 1963

Micropogon undulatus (Linnaeus)

GOLDSTEIN, R.J., 1963

Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1929 syn.

Poecilancistrum gangeticum (Shipley and Hornell, 1906) syn. Otobothrium robustum (Chandler, 1935)

REMARKS: Goldstein (1963) suggested that the genus

Poecilancistrum is monotypic and that Poecilancistrum gangeticum (Shipley and Hornell, 1906) and Poecilancistrum robustum (Chandler, 1935) are synonyms of Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1942.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Leiostomus xanthurus Lacépède

GOLDSTEIN, R.J., 1963

Poecilancistrum gangeticum (Shipley and Hornell, 1906) syn. Otobothrium robustum (Chandler, 1935) SEE: Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1929

Poecilancistrum ilisha (Southwell and Prashad, 1918) Dollfus, 1942

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Hilsa ilisha (Hamilton)

Location: coelom, mesentery

Distribution: Sind River

RIZVI, S.S.H., 1971

Poecilancistrum ilisha (Southwell and Prashad, 1918) Dollfus, 1942 SEE:  
Otobothrium ilisha (Southwell and Prashad, 1918) Goldstein, 1963  
(plerocercus)

Poecilancistrum robustum

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Cynoscion nebulosus (Cuvier)

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico

GUEST, W.C. AND GUNTER, G., 1958

Poecilancistrum robustum (Chandler, 1935) Dollfus, 1942

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Pogonias cromis (Linnaeus)

Distribution: Texas, coast

CHANDLER, A.C., 1954

Poecilancistrum robustum (Chandler, 1935) Dollfus, 1942 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Carcharhinus leucas (Müller and Henle, 1841)

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north west

GOLDSTEIN, R.J., 1962

Carcharhinus limbatus (Müller and Henle)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, northern, Grand Isle,  
Barataria Pass

THATCHER, V.E., 1961

Negaprion brevirostris (Poey, 1868)

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, north west

GOLDSTEIN, R.J., 1962

Poecilencistrum robustum (Chandler, 1935) Dollfus, 1942 (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Cynoscion nebulosus (Cuvier and Valenciennes)

Location: musculature

Distribution: Gulf Coast, Louisiana

BOERTJE, S.B., 1976

Pseudotobothrium dipsacum (Linton, 1897) in Ward (1954) SEE:

Otobothrium (Pseudotobothrium) dipsacum (Linton, 1897) (plerocercus)

PARASITE FAMILY

PSEUDOGILQUINIIDAE

Pseudogilquinia karachiense Bilqeas and Khatoon, 1980 (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Pomadasys olivaceus Day

Location: stomach mesenteries

Distribution: Karachi, Pakistan

BILQEES, F.M. AND KHATOON, A., 1980

## PARASITE FAMILY

## PSEUDOGRILOTTIIDAE

Pseudogrillotia basipunctata Carvajal, Campbell and Cornford, 1976 (adult)

Host: Vertebrates Selachii

Carcharhinus amblyrhynchos Bleeker

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Hawaii

CARVAJAL, J., CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CORNFORD, E.M., 1976

Pseudogrillotia basipunctata Carvajal, Campbell and Cornford, 1976

(plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Diodon hystrix L.

Location: pharyngeal connective tissue

Distribution: Hawaii

CARVAJAL, J., CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CORNFORD, E.M., 1976

Pseudogrillotia pleistacantha Dollfus, 1969 (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Pogonias cromis (Linnaeus)

Location: musculature

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico

OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977

Pseudogrillotia pleistacantha Dollfus, 1969 (post-larva)

REMARKS: The family Pseudogrillottiidae, described by Dollfus (1969) contains the species Pseudogrillotia pleistacantha. This differs from any species of Grillotia because it possesses a post-larval stage and a long, craspedote scolex.

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Pogonias cromis (L., 1766)

Location: musculature

Distribution: Texas, Galveston

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969b

Pseudogrillotia sp. (larva)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Coelorhynchus parallelus (Gunther)

Distribution: Coast of Mozambique

REIMER, L.W., 1984

## PARASITE FAMILY

## PTEROBOTRIIDAE

Gymnorhynchus gigas (Cuvier, 1817) of Chandler (1935a) SEE:  
Pterobothrium filicolle (Linton, 1889) (larva)

Halysiorhynchus macrocephalus (Shipley and Hornell, 1906) (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Pteroplatea micrura Day  
 Location: intestine  
 Distribution: Karachi, Arabian Sea  
 ZAIDI, D.A. AND KHAN, D., 1976

Pterobothrium chaeturichthidis Yamaguti, 1952 (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Chaeturichthys hexanemus (Bleeker)  
 Location: body cavity  
 Distribution: Maisaka, Sikuoka Prefecture, Japan  
 YAMAGUTI, S., 1952

Pterobothrium filicolle (Linton, 1889) (larva) syn. Gymnorhynchus gigas (Cuvier, 1817) of Chandler (1935a)

REMARKS: Chandler (1942) reidentified his specimens of Gymnorhynchus gigas (in Chandler, 1935a) as Pterobothrium filicolle.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Galeichthys felis  
 Location: mesenteries, encysted on  
 Distribution: Galveston Bay, Texas  
 CHANDLER, A.C., 1935a

Pterobothrium filicolle (Linton, 1889) (larva) syn. Gymnorhynchus gigas (Cuvier, 1817) of Chandler (1935a)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Micropogon undulatus (Linnaeus)  
 Location: body cavity  
 Distribution: Galveston Bay, Texas  
 CHANDLER, A.C., 1935a

Pterobothrium hawaiiensis Carvajal, Campbell and Cornford, 1976 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Dasyatis lata (Garman)  
 Location: spiral valve  
 Distribution: Hawaii  
 CARVAJAL, J., CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CORNFORD, E.M., 1976

Pterobothrium heteracanthum Diesing, 1850

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Hilsea ilisha (Hamilton)  
 Location: parietal layer, liver  
 Distribution: Sind River  
 RIZVI, S.S.H., 1971

Pterobothrium heteracanthum Diesing, 1850 (plerocercoid) syn.  
Syndesmobothrium filicolle Linton, 1890

REMARKS: Dollfus, 1942 considered Syndesmobothrium filicolle Linton, 1890 to be a synonym of Pterobothrium heteracanthum Diesing, 1850.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Hilsea ilisha (Hamilton)  
 Location: lateral muscle  
 Distribution: Hooghly Estuary  
 PAL, R.N., 1963

Pterobothrium heteracanthum Diesing, 1850 syn. Syndesmobothrium filicolle

Linton, 1890

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Hilsa ilisha (Hamilton)

Distribution: Hooghly River

GOPALAKRISHNAN, V. AND PAL, R.N., 1964

Pterobothrium hira Yamaguti, 1952 (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Ilisha elongata (Bennett)

Location: body cavity, especially on liver and pyloric caeca

Distribution: Sea of Ariake, Kyusu, Japan

YAMAGUTI, S., 1952

Pterobothrium hira Yamaguti, 1952 (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Gazza minuta

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Palawan, Philippines

JENSEN, L.A., SCHMIDT, G.D. AND KUNTZ, K.E., 1983

Pterobothrium lintoni (MacCallum, 1916)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Dasyatis centrura

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Buzzard's Bay, Massachusetts

SIMMONS, J.E., 1961

Osteichthyes

Arius gagora

Distribution: Burma

KYAW-MYINT, 1968

Sillago sp.

Distribution: Burma

KYAW-MYINT, 1968

Pterobothrium lintoni (MacCallum, 1916) (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Arius platystomus

Distribution: Burma

KYAW-MYINT, 1968

Sciaena cooter

Location: abdominal cavity

Distribution: Burma, Rangoon, estuarine

KYAW-MYINT, 1968

Pterobothrium lintoni (MacCallum, 1916) (larva) syn. Pterobothrium malleum

(Linton, 1924) syn. Gymnorhynchus malleus (Linton, 1924) of Chandler,

1942 REMARKS: Chandler (1942) reidentified his specimens of

Gymnorhynchus malleus (in Chandler 1935a) as Pterobothrium malleum. Dollfus (1942) considered Pterobothrium malleum to be a synonym of Pterobothrium lintoni.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Galeichthys felis

Location: mesenteries

Distribution: Galveston Bay, Texas

CHANDLER, A.C., 1935a

Pterobothrium lintoni (MacCallum, 1916) (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Menticirrhus americanus (Linnaeus)

Location: musculature

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico

OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977

Micropogonias undulatus (Linnaeus)

Location: musculature

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico

OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977

Pterobothrium malleum (Linton, 1924) (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Dasyatis akajei

Location: spiral intestine

Distribution: Japan

IWATA, S., 1939

Pterobothrium malleum (Linton, 1924) syn. Gymnorhynchus malleus (Linton, 1924) of Chandler, 1942 SEE: Pterobothrium lintoni (MacCallum, 1916) (larva)

Pterobothrium rubromaculatum (Diesing, 1863) (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Rastrelliger kanagurta (Russell)

Distribution: Indian Ocean

REIMER, L.W., 1980

Pterobothrium sp. (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Pteroplatea micrura

Location: encysted in body cavity

Distribution: Madras, India

ANANTARAMAN, S., 1963

Pterobothrium sp. (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Caranx affinis

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Palawan, Philippines

JENSEN, L.A., SCHMIDT, G.D. AND KUNTZ, K.E., 1983

Menticirrhus americanus (Linnaeus)

Location: viscera, entwined about the, mesenteries,  
in the

Distribution: Texas, coast

SCHLICHT, F.G. AND MCFARLAND, W.N., 1967

Pterobothrium sp. (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Dasyatis uarnak

Location: ovary

TANDON, R.S., 1972

Ray sp.

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Guanabara, Rio de Janeiro

REGO, A.A., SANTOS, J.C. AND SILVA, P.P., 1974

Osteichthyes

Caranx sp.

Location: intestine

Distribution: Persian Gulf

MIRZAYANS, A., 1970

Cynoscion leiarchus (Cuvier and Valenciennes)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Rio de Janeiro

REGO, A.A., SANTOS, J.C. AND SILVA, P.P., 1974

Reptilia

Hydrodynastes bicinctus bicinctus

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Rio Approyage, French Guyana

REGO, A.A., 1980

Syndesmobothrium filicolle

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Hilsa ilisha (Hamilton)

Distribution: Hugli estuary, India

PAL, R.N., 1980

Syndesmobothrium filicolle Linton, 1890 SEE: Pterobothrium

heteracanthum Diesing, 1850

Syndesmobothrium filicolle Linton, 1890 SEE: Pterobothrium

heteracanthum Diesing, 1850 (plerocercoid)

## PARASITE FAMILY

## RENIBULBIDAE

*Renibulbus penaeus* Feigenbaum, 1975 (plerocercus)

REMARKS: Feigenbaum described the heterocanthous family

Renibulbidae as being most similar to the family Otobothriidae,  
but lacking sensory fossettes.

Host: Invertebrate Crustacea

*Penaeus brasiliensis* Latreille

Location: body, hepatopancreas

Distribution: Sinaloa, Mexico

FEIGENBAUM, D.L., 1975

*Renibulbus penaeus* Feigenbaum, 1975 (plerocercus)

Host: Invertebrate Crustacea

*Penaeus brasiliensis* Latreille

Location: digestive gland

Distribution: Biscayne Bay, Florida

FEIGENBAUM, D.L. AND CARNUCCIO, J., 1976

*Penaeus duorarum* Burkenroad

Location: digestive gland

Distribution: Biscayne Bay, Florida

FEIGENBAUM, D.L. AND CARNUCCIO, J., 1976

Rhinoptericola megacantha Carvajal and Campbell, 1975 (adult)

REMARKS: Carvajal and Campbell erected a new family Rhinoptericolidae to accomodate this new species. It belongs to the heteroacanthous trepanorhynchs with atypical armature and is most closely allied to the families Otobothriidae and Mustelicolidae.

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Rhinoptera bonasus (Mitchell, 1815)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Chesapeake Bay, Virginia

CARVAJAL, J. AND CAMPBELL, R.A., 1975

## PARASITE FAMILY

## SPHYRIOCEPHALIDAE

Sphyrioccephalus Alberti Guiart, 1935 SEE: Sphyrioccephalus viridis  
(Wagener, 1854) Pintner, 1913 (post-larva)

Sphyrioccephalus alberti Guiart, 1935 SEE: Sphyrioccephalus viridis  
(Wagener, 1854) (post-larva)

Sphyrioccephalus dollfusi Bussières and Aldrin, 1968 (post-larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Thunnus obesus (Lowe, 1839)

Location: stomach

Distribution: Africa, West Coast

BUSSIÈRAS, J. AND ALDRIN, J.F., 1968

Distribution: Atlantic

BUSSIÈRAS, J. AND BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1973

Sphyrioccephalus pelorosoma Heinz and Dailey, 1974 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Alopias superciliatus (Lowe)

Location: stomach

Distribution: California, southern

HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Sphyrioccephalus Richardi Guiart, 1935 SEE: Sphyrioccephalus viridis  
(Wagener, 1854) Pintner, 1913 (post-larva)

Sphyrioccephalus tergestinus Pintner, 1913 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Euprotomicrotus bispinatus (Quoy and Gaimard, 1842)

Location: stomach, cardiac

Distribution: Indian Ocean, east South Pacific

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1967a

Sphyrioccephalus viridis (Wagener, 1854) Pintner, 1913

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Alopias superciliatus (Lowe)

Distribution: California, southern

HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Scymnorhinus licha (Bonnaterre)

Location: stomach

Distribution: British Isles

WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960

Sphyrioccephalus viridis (Wagener, 1854) Pintner, 1913 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Iauropsis glauca

Location: spiral intestine

Distribution: Japan

IWATA, S., 1939

Scymnorhinus licha (Bonnaterre)

Location: stomach

Distribution: Concarneau

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b

Sphyriocephalus viridis (Wagener, 1854) Pintner, 1913 (post-larva) syn.

Sphyriocephalus Alberti Guiart, 1935

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Centroscymnus coelolepis Bocage and Capello, 1864

Location: digestive tract

Distribution: Azores, south west, Atlantic

GUIART, J., 1935a

Pseudotriakis microdon Capello, 1867

Location: stomach mucosa

Distribution: Cape Verde Isles, Atlantic

GUIART, J., 1935a

Sphyriocephalus viridis (Wagener, 1854) Pintner, 1913 (post-larva) syn.

Sphyriocephalus Richardi Guiart, 1935

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Synaphobranchus sp.

Location: abdominal cavity

Distribution: Azores, south west, Atlantic

GUIART, J., 1935a

Sphyriocephalus viridis (Wagener, 1854) (post-larva) syn. Sphyriocephalus alberti Guiart, 1935

REMARKS: Bussieras considered Sphyriocephalus alberti Guiart, 1935 to be synonymous with S. viridis after making a detailed comparison of scolex morphology and proboscis armature.

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Centroscymnus coelolepis Bocage and Capello, 1864

Distribution: La Corse

BUSSIERAS, J., 1970

## PARASITE FAMILY

## TENTACULARIIDAE

Nybelinia (? Syngenes) sp. Dollfus, 1942 SEE: Nybelinia thrysites  
(Leiper and Atkinson, 1915) Korotaeva, 1971

Nybelinia (? Syngenes sp.) (post-larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Thyrsites atun (Euphrasen, 1791)

Distribution: Cook Strait, New Zealand

ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a

Trachurus novae-zealandiae Richardson

Distribution: Cook Strait, New Zealand

ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a

Zeus faber L.

Location: body cavity, cardiac stomach

Distribution: Cook Strait, New Zealand

ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a

Nybelinia africana Dollfus, 1960 (plerocercus, post-larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Mullus barbatus L.

Location: pharynx, wall of

Distribution: Mediterranean

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia africana Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Galeoides polydactylus

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Atlantic, Dakar

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Osteichthyes

Serranus cabrilla L. 1758

Location: branchial cavity

Distribution: Algiers

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Trigla sp.

Location: gills

Distribution: Atlantic, Gorée

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia alloiotica Dollfus, 1960 (forma typica) (post-larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Sphyraena guachancho Cuvier, 1829

Location: branchial cavity

Distribution: Atlantic, Gorée

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia alloiotica Dollfus, 1960 (var.) (post-larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Coryphaena equisetis Linnaeus, 1758

Location: branchial cavity

Distribution: Atlantic, Gorée

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia anantaramanorum Reimer, 1980 (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Sparidae gen. spec.  
Distribution: Indian Ocean  
REIMER, L.W., 1980

Nybelinia anguillicola Yamaguti, 1952 (lara)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Anguilla japonica  
Location: encysted in submucosa of the intestine  
Distribution: Kuki, Mie Prefecture, Japan  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952

Nybelinia anthicosum Heinz and Dailey, 1974 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Heterodontus francisci (Girard)  
Distribution: Mexico  
HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974  
Triakis semifasciata Girard, 1854  
Location: stomach, spiral valve  
Distribution: California, southern  
HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Nybelinia basimegacantha Carvajal, Campbell and Cornford, 1976 (post-larva)

REMARKS: The presence of the very mobile plerocerci in the mouth may have been a result of post mortem migration.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Parapeneus multifasciatus Quoy and Gaimard  
Location: mouth  
Distribution: Hawaii  
CARVAJAL, J., CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CORNFORD, E.M., 1976

Nybelinia bengalensis Reimer, 1980 (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Cynoglossus macrolepidotus (Bleeker)  
Distribution: Indian Ocean  
REIMER, L.W., 1980  
Cynoglossus sp.  
Distribution: Indian Ocean  
REIMER, L.W., 1980

Nybelinia bisulcata (Linton, 1889) Poche, 1926

Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Carcharhinus leucas (Müller and Henle, 1841)  
Location: spiral valve  
Distribution: Nicaragua  
WATSON, D.E. AND THORSON, T.B., 1976

Nybelinia bisulcata (Linton, 1889) Poche, 1926 (plerocercus)

Host: Invertebrata Cephalopoda  
Loligo paeleii (LeSueur, 1821)  
Location: encysted in the wall of the stomach and caecum  
Distribution: Cape Cod area  
STUNKARD, H.W., 1977  
Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Coryphaena hippurus Linnaeus  
Location: viscera  
Distribution: Miami  
WARD, H.L., 1954

Nybelinia bisulcata (Linton, 1899) Poche, 1926 (larva)

REMARKS: O'Rourke (1949) did not state whether N. bisulcata was found in one or more of the named hosts.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes Food fishes including  
Cynoscion regalis, Micropogon undulatus and Leiostomus xanthurus  
Distribution: Maryland, Solomons  
O'ROURKE, A.E., 1949

Nybelinia cadenati Dollfus, 1960

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Fistularia tabaccaria L. 1758  
Location: branchial cavity  
Distribution: Atlantic, Gorée  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b  
Hynnis goreensis (Valenciennes, 1846)  
Distribution: Atlantic, Gorée  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia cadenati Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Epinephelus alexandrinus (Cuvier and Valenciennes, 1828)  
Location: branchial cavity  
Distribution: Atlantic, Gorée  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia congre Guiart, 1935 (larva)

REMARKS: Dollfus (1942) questions the validity of this species.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Synaphobranchus pinnatus (Gronnovius) (tentative identification)  
Location: stomach wall, encysted in  
Distribution: Maio, Cape Verde Isles, north east of, Atlantic  
GUIART, J., 1935a

Nybelinia dakari Dollfus, 1960 (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Secutor ruconius Buchanan-Hamilton  
Distribution: Indian Ocean  
REIMER, L.W., 1980

Nybelinia dakari Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Vorner (Argyreiosus) setipinnus (Mitchell, 1815)  
Location: gills  
Distribution: Atlantic, Dakar  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia edwinlintoni Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Sphyraena diplana Springer  
Location: intestine  
Distribution: Atlantic, Gorée  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia elongata Shah and Bilquees, 1979 (plerocercoid)  
Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Erethestis elongata  
Distribution: Karachi Coast, Pakistan  
BILQUEES, F.M., 1981  
Pellona elongata  
Distribution: Karachi Coast  
SHAH, M. AND BILQUEES, F.M., 1979

Nybelinia erythraea Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)  
Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Cynoglossus sunus-arabici Chabaud  
Location: muscles of caudal fin  
Distribution: Gulf of Suez  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia estigmata Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva) (forma typica)  
Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Vorner (Argyreiosus) setipinnus (Mitchell, 1815)  
Location: branchial cavity  
Distribution: Atlantic, Dakar  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia estigmata Dollfus, 1960 (var. 1) (post-larva)  
Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Hynnis goreensis (Valenciennes, 1846)  
Location: branchial cavity  
Distribution: Atlantic, Gorée  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia estigmata Dollfus, 1960 (var. 2) (post-larva)  
Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Box boops (L. 1758)  
Location: branchial cavity  
Distribution: Atlantic, Gorée  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia eureia Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)  
Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Mustelus canis (Mitchell, 1815)  
Location: gills  
Distribution: Atlantic, Gorée  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b  
Osteichthyes  
Congrid sp.  
Location: stomach contents  
Distribution: Atlantic, Dakar  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia jayapaulazeriah Reimer, 1980 (plerocercoid)  
Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Cynoglossus sp.  
Distribution: Indian Ocean  
REIMER, L.W., 1980

Nybelinia lamontae Nigrelli, 1938

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Xiphias gladius Linnaeus, 1758

Location: mesenteries

Distribution: Nova Scotia

NIGRELLI, R.F., 1938

Nybelinia lamontae Nigrelli, 1938 (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Xiphias gladius Linnaeus, 1758

Location: stomach

Distribution: Atlantic, north west

HOGANS, W.E., BRATTEY, J., UHAZY, L.S. AND HURLEY,  
P.C.F., 1983

Nybelinia lingualis (Cuvier, 1817)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Carcharhinus leucas (Müller and Henle, 1841)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Texas

HENSON, R.N., 1975

Osteichthyes

Maena smaris

Distribution: Saronicos Gulf, Athens, Greece

PAPOUTSOGLOU, S.E., 1976

Mullus surmuletus L.

Distribution: Saronicos Gulf, Athens, Greece

PAPOUTSOGLOU, S.E., 1976

Phycis blennioides

Distribution: Saronicos Gulf, Athens, Greece

PAPOUTSOGLOU, S.E., 1976

Trachurus trachurus (L.)

Distribution: Saronicos Gulf, Athens, Greece

PAPOUTSOGLOU, S.E., 1976

Trachurus trachurus trachurus L.

Distribution: Atlantic

GAEVSKAYA, A.V. AND KOVALEVA, A.A., 1980a

Nybelinia lingualis (Cuvier, 1817) f. typica (larva)

Host: Invertebrata Cephalopoda

Sthenoteuthis pteropus (Steenstrup, 1855)

Distribution: Atlantic Ocean

GAEVSKAYA, A.V., 1977

Nybelinia lingualis (Cuvier, 1817) (larva)

Host: Invertebrata Cephalopoda

Ommastrephes bartrami LeSueur

Distribution: tropical zone, Atlantic Ocean

GAEVSKAYA, A.V., 1976

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Merluccius bilinearis

Distribution: Atlantic, north west

GAEVSKAYA, A.V. AND UMNOVA, B.A., 1977

Trachurus trachurus capensis Castelnau

Distribution: Namibia, Coast of, Atlantic, South

GAEVSKAYA, A.V. AND KOVALEVA, A.A., 1980b

Trachurus trachurus trachurus L.

Distribution: North Sea, Atlantic, north

GAEVSKAYA, A.V. AND KOVALEVA, A.A., 1980b

Nybelinia lingualis (Cuvier, 1817) (larva or post larva)  
Host: Invertebrata Cephalopoda  
Eledone Aldrovandi Rafin.  
    Location: capsules in the branchial region  
    Distribution: Morocco  
    DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Mustelus asterias (Rondolet)  
    Location: intestine  
    Distribution: Mauritanis  
    DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Osteichthyes  
Balistes capriscus L.  
    Location: encapsulated on the viscera  
    Distribution: Concarneau, Finistère, France  
    DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Mullus barbatus Rondelet  
    Location: encapsulated on the body wall  
    Distribution: Concarneau, Finistère, France  
    DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Trigla gurnardus (L.)  
    Location: branchial cavity  
    Distribution: Concarneau, Finistère, France  
    DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Trigla lyra L.  
    Location: encapsulated on the mesentery  
    Distribution: Cape Centin, Morocco  
    DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Nybelinia lingualis (Cuvier, 1817) (post-larva)  
REMARKS: Dollfus reviewed previous records of trypanorhynchs  
from cephalopods.  
Host: Invertebrata Cephalopoda  
Eledone moschata (Lamarck, 1799)  
    Location: branchial region  
    Distribution: Monaco  
    DOLLFUS, R.P., 1958

Nybelinia lingualis (Cuvier, 1817) var. 1 (larva)  
Host: Invertebrata Cephalopoda  
Sthenoteuthis pteropus (Steenstrup, 1855)  
    Distribution: Atlantic Ocean  
    GAEVSKAYA, A.V., 1977

Nybelinia manazo Yamaguti, 1952 (adult)  
Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Mustelus manazo Bleeker  
    Location: stomach  
    Distribution: Hamazina, Japan  
    YAMAGUTI, S., 1952

Nybelinia nipponica Yamaguti, 1952 (larva)  
Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Argentina kagoshimae Jordan and Snyder  
    Location: gastro-intestinal wall and body cavity  
    Distribution: Maisaka, Sikuoka Prefecture, Tosa Bay,  
    Japan, Obama, Hukui Prefecture, Japan  
    YAMAGUTI, S., 1952  
Neobythites macrops Günther  
    Location: gastro-intestinal wall and body cavity  
    Distribution: Maisaka, Sikuoka Prefecture, Tosa Bay,

Japan, Obama, Hukui Prefecture, Japan

YAMAGUTI, S., 1952

Pseudorhombus pentophthalmus Günther

Location: gastro-intestinal wall and body cavity

Distribution: Maisaka, Sikuoka Prefecture, Tosa Bay,  
Japan, Obama, Hukui Prefecture, Japan

YAMAGUTI, S., 1952

Xystrius grigorjewi (Herzenstein)

Location: gastro-intestinal wall and body cavity

Distribution: Maisaka, Sikuoka Prefecture, Tosa Bay,  
Japan, Obama, Hukui Prefecture, Japan

YAMAGUTI, S., 1952

Nybelinia oodes Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Pristipoma bennetti Lowe, 1837

Location: gills

Distribution: Atlantic, Goree

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia palliata (Linton, 1924) (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Sphyrna zygaena (L.)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Florida, Gulf Coast

CHANDLER, A.C., 1942

Nybelinia perideraeus (Shipley and Hornell, 1906) (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Carcharhinus melanopterus (Quoy and Gaimard)

Location: stomach

Distribution: Ghardaqua, Egypt, south, The Gulf of  
Suez

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Nybelinia pintneri Yamaguti, 1934

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Isurus oxyrinchus Rafinesque, 1810

Distribution: California, southern

HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Nybelinia pintneri Yamaguti, 1934 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Carcharias acutus Muller and Henle

Location: intestine

Distribution: Bombay, India, West Coast

DESHMUKH, R.A., 1980

Prionace glauca (Linnaeus, 1758)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Japan

IWATA, S., 1939

Nybelinia pintneri Yamaguti, 1934 (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Paralichthys olivaceus

Location: mesentery

Distribution: Japan

IWATA, S., 1939

Nybelinia punctatissima Dollfus, 1960

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Hynnis goreensis (Valenciennes, 1846)

Location: branchial cavity

Distribution: Atlantic, Gorée

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Seriola dumerili Risso, 1810

Location: branchial cavity

Distribution: Atlantic, Gorée

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia punctatissima Dollfus, 1960 (forma typica) (post-larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Sphyraena guachancho Cuvier, 1829

Location: branchial cavity

Distribution: Atlantic, Gorée

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia punctatissima Dollfus, 1960 (var.) (post-larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Echeneis naucrates L. 1758

Location: gills

Distribution: Atlantic, Gorée

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia riseri Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Raja binoculata

Location: stomach wall, spiral valve

Distribution: California, Monterey

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia robusta (Linton, 1890) (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Scoliodon sorrakowah

Distribution: Burma, estuary

KYAW-MYINT, 1968

Nybelinia robusta (Linton, 1890) (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Sciaena coiter

Location: mesentery, in the region of the oesophagus

Distribution: Burma, Rangoon, estuarine

KYAW-MYINT, 1968

Nybelinia rougetcampanae Dollfus, 1960 (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Hoplostethus mediterraneus (Val., 1928)

Distribution: Africa, north west

REIMER, L.W., 1975b

Nybelinia rougetcampanae Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Liosaccus cutaneus (Günther, 1870)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Atlantic, Dakar

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia senegalensis Dollfus, 1960

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Caranx rhonchus Saint-Hilaire, 1809

Location: branchial cavity

Distribution: Atlantic, Gorée

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia senegalensis Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Hynnis goreensis (Valenciennes, 1846)

Distribution: Atlantic, Gorée

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia sp.

Host: Invertebrates Cephalopoda

Lepidoteuthis grimaldi Joubin, 1895

Location: pen sac

Distribution: Madeira

CLARKE, M.R. AND MAUL, G.E., 1962

Crustacea

Thysanoessa sp.

Distribution: Bering Sea, Japan, Chukchi Sea, Japan

TSIMBALYUK, E.M., 1980

Host: Vertebrates Agnatha

Lampetra japonica (Martens)

Distribution: Amur

STRELKOV, YU A. AND SHULMAN, S.S.

Selachii

Dasyatis violacea Bonaparte

Distribution: Mediterranean

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Hexanchus griseus (Bonnaterre, 1788)

Distribution: Mediterranean

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Isurus oxyrinchus Rafinesque, 1810

Distribution: Mediterranean

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Notorhynchus maculatus Ayres, 1855

Distribution: Humboldt Bay

PAPPAS, P.W., 1970

Scyliorhinus canicula (L.)

Distribution: Mediterranean

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Osteichthyes

Gadus morhua macrocephalus (Tilesius)

Distribution: Pacific, north eastern

TKACHEV, V.A., 1976

Glyptocephalus zachirus

Distribution: Pacific, north eastern

TKACHEV, V.A., 1976

Hippoglossoides elassodon

Distribution: Pacific, north eastern

TKACHEV, V.A., 1976

Hippoglossus hippoglossus stenolepsis Schmidt

Distribution: Pacific, north eastern

TKACHEV, V.A., 1976

Hoplostethus

Distribution: Blanc, Cape and the Channel

REIMER, L.W., 1974

Scomber australasicus (Cuvier et Valenciennes, 1832)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Australia  
KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1974b

Sebastodes alutus  
Distribution: Pacific, north eastern  
TKACHEV, V.A., 1976  
TKACHEV, V.A., 1976

Sebastodes brevispinis  
Distribution: Pacific, north eastern  
TKACHEV, V.A., 1976

Sebastodes crameri  
Distribution: Pacific, north eastern  
TKACHEV, V.A., 1976

Sebastodes diplopros  
Distribution: Pacific, north eastern  
TKACHEV, V.A., 1976

Sebastodes flavidus  
Distribution: Pacific, north eastern  
TKACHEV, V.A., 1976

Sebastodes goodei  
Distribution: Pacific, north eastern  
TKACHEV, V.A., 1976

Sebastodes jordani  
Distribution: Pacific, north eastern  
TKACHEV, V.A., 1976

Sebastodes melanops  
Distribution: Pacific, north eastern  
TKACHEV, V.A., 1976  
TKACHEV, V.A., 1976

Sebastodes mystenus  
Distribution: Pacific, north eastern  
TKACHEV, V.A., 1976

Sebastodes proriger  
Distribution: Pacific, north eastern  
TKACHEV, V.A., 1976

Trachurus trachurus (L.)  
Distribution: Strait of Gibraltar  
KOVALEVA, A.A., 1966

Nybelinia sp. (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Carcharias walbeemhi Bleeker  
Location: spiral valve  
Distribution: Madras Coast, India  
SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955

Nybelinia sp. (encysted plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Cynoscion regalis  
Location: pericardium  
Distribution: Raritan Bay, southern, New Jersey  
MEYERS, T.R., 1978

Paralichthys dentatus  
Location: stomach wall  
Distribution: Raritan Bay, southern, New Jersey  
MEYERS, T.R., 1978

Pomatomus saltatrix (L.)  
Location: pericardial cavity, mesenteries, gill filaments  
Distribution: Raritan Bay, southern, New Jersey  
MEYERS, T.R., 1978

Nybelinia sp. (larva)

Host: Invertebrata Cephalopoda

Sthenoteuthis pteropus (Steenstrup, 1855)

Distribution: Atlantic Ocean

GAEVSKAYA, A.V., 1977

Pelecypoda

Atrina seminuda (Lamarck)

Location: digestive gland

Distribution: Texas, Galveston Beach

WARDLE, W.J., 1974

Nybelinia sp. (larva)

REMARKS: The trypanorhynchs probably came from partially digested teleost flesh in the stomach of the kahawai.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Arripis trutta (Bloch and Schneider)

Location: stomach

Distribution: Wellington Harbour, New Zealand

BAKER, A.N., 1971

Nybelinia sp. (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Chascanopsetta lugubris Alcock

Distribution: Coast of Mozambique

REIMER, L.W., 1984

Caelorrhynchus parallelus (Gunther)

Distribution: Coast of Mozambique

REIMER, L.W., 1984

Coryphaenoides (Coryphaenoides) rupestris Gunnerus,

1765

Distribution: New York Bight

CAMPBELL, R.A., HAEDRICH, R.L. AND MUNROE, T.A., 1980

Glyptocephalus stelleri (Schmidt)

Distribution: Zaliv Petra Velikogo, Japan, Sea of

TSIMBALYUK, E.M., 1978a

Gonorhynchus gonorhynchus (L.)

Location: flesh

Distribution: Coast of Mozambique

REIMER, L.W., 1984

Limanda aspera (Pallas)

TSIMBALYUK, E.M., 1978b

Distribution: Zaliv Petra Velikogo, Japan, Sea of

TSIMBALYUK, E.M., 1978a

Limanda yokohamae (Gunther)

Distribution: Peter the Great Bay

TSIMBALYUK, E.M., 1978b

Distribution: Zaliv Petra Velikogo, Japan, Sea of

TSIMBALYUK, E.M., 1978a

Malacocephalus laevis (Lowe)

Distribution: Coast of Mozambique

REIMER, L.W., 1984

Melanogrammus aeglefinus (L.)

Location: body cavity, intestine

Distribution: Atlantic, north, Atlantic, south

RADULESCU, I.I., 1969

Merluccius gayi peruanus Gingsburg, 1954

Location: intestine

Distribution: Callao, Peru

DURAN, L.E. AND OLIVA, M., 1980

Merluccius merluccius capensis Castelnau

Distribution: Coast of Mozambique

- REIMER, L.W., 1984  
*Merluccius merluccius parasoxus* (Franca, 1960)  
 Distribution: Coast of Mozambique  
 REIMER, L.W., 1984  
*Naucrates ductor* Linnaeus  
 Location: intestine  
 Distribution: Georges Bank, Atlantic coast, United States  
 RADULESCU, I.I., NALBANT, T.T. AND ANGELESCU, N., 1972  
*Peristedion adeni* (Lloyd)  
 Distribution: Coast of Mozambique  
 REIMER, L.W., 1984  
*Peristedion cataphractum*  
 Location: body cavity, intestine  
 Distribution: Atlantic, north, Atlantic, south  
 RADULESCU, I.I., 1969  
*Physiculus bacchus*  
 Distribution: Antarctic  
 POIS, N.V., 1975  
*Polymixia nobilis* (Lowe)  
 Distribution: Coast of Mozambique  
 REIMER, L.W., 1984  
*Promethichthys prometheus*  
 Location: body cavity, muscle of stomach and intestine  
 Distribution: Sagami Bay, Japan  
 ICHIHARA, A., 1968  
*Psenes rotundatus* Smith  
 Distribution: Coast of Mozambique  
 REIMER, L.W., 1984  
*Salmo salar* L.  
 Location: swim bladder  
 Distribution: River Sella, Spain  
 ALVAREZ, PELLITERO, M.P., 1973  
*Scomber colias* Gmelin  
 Location: body cavity  
 Distribution: Africa, south west coast  
 SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1968  
*Scomberesox saurus* (W.)  
 Location: oesophagus  
 Distribution: Atlantic, south west  
 REIMER, L.W., 1982  
*Thyrsitoides marlayi* Fowler  
 Distribution: Coast of Mozambique  
 REIMER, L.W., 1984  
*Trachurus mediterraneus ponticus* Aleev  
 Distribution: Black Sea  
 NIKOLAEVA, V.M. AND KOVALEVA, A.A., 1966  
*Trachurus mediterraneus* (Steindachner)  
 KOVALEVA, A.A., 1970  
 Location: muscles, pharynx, intestine  
 Distribution: Mediterranean Sea  
 NIKOLAEVA, V.M. AND KOVALEVA, A.A., 1966  
*Trachurus tracae*  
 KOVALEVA, A.A., 1970  
*Trachurus trachurus capensis* Castelnau  
 KOVALEVA, A.A., 1970  
 Distribution: Namibia, Coast of, Atlantic, South  
 GAEVSKAYA, A.V. AND KOVALEVA, A.A., 1980b  
*Trachurus trachurus* (L.)  
 KOVALEVA, A.A., 1970

Trichiuris haumela  
    Location: encysted in body cavity  
    Distribution: Madras, India  
    ANANTARAMAN, S., 1963  
Mammalia  
Phoca vitulina larqua Pallas  
    Location: stomach  
    Distribution: Tatarskii Straits, Pacific Ocean, USSR  
POPOV, V.N. AND GOL'TSEV, V.N., 1975

Nybelinia sp. (larva) syn. "Scolex" sp. VIII

Host: Invertebrata Pelecypoda  
    Donax variabilis (Say)  
        Location: digestive gland  
        Distribution: Texas, Galveston Beach  
WARDLE, W.J., 1974

Nybelinia sp. (larvae)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
    Trachurus trachurus capensis Castelnau  
        Distribution: Africa, south west  
KOVALEVA, A.A., 1968

Nybelinia sp. of Wardle (1932) syn. Tetrarhynchus sp. of Hart (1936) SEE:  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)

Nybelinia sp. (plerocercoid)  
Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
    Diodon hystrix L.  
        Location: oesophagus  
        Distribution: Trivandrum, India  
RADHAKRISHNAN, S. AND NAIR, N.B., 1981  
Fishballs  
    Distribution: Japan  
KOYAMA, T. AND KOMIYA, Y., 1964  
    Saurida undosquamis (Richardson)  
        Location: flesh  
        Distribution: Coast of Mozambique  
REIMER, L.W., 1984

Nybelinia sp. (plerocercus)

Host: Invertebrata Cephalopoda  
    Octopus sp.  
        Location: interior ventral wall of the mantle  
        Distribution: Andaman Isles, Indian Ocean  
ADAM, W., 1938  
Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
    Trachurus murphyi Nichols, 1920  
        Distribution: Antofagaster, Chile  
SOTO, J. AND CARVAJAL, J., 1979

Nybelinia sp. (post-larva)

Host: Invertebrata Cephalopoda  
    Illex illecebrosus illecebrosus (LeSueur, 1821)  
        Distribution: Newfoundland  
BROWN, E.L. AND THRELFALL, W., 1968  
Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
    Cheilodactylus macropterus (Bloch and Schneider)  
        Distribution: New Zealand  
VOOREN, C.M. AND TRACEY, D., 1976

Nybelinia sp. syn. Pleronybelinia sp. (plerocercoid)

REMARKS: Sezen and Price (1969) established the genus Pleronybelinia for cases in which the plerocercoid is known and the adult form is uncertain or unknown. Heinz and Dailey (1974) later suppressed the genus.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Mullus barbatus L.

Distribution: Turkey

SEZEN, Y. AND PRICE, C.E., 1969

Nybelinia strongyla Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Liosaccus cutaneus (Günther, 1870)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Atlantic, Dakar

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929

Host: Invertebrata Cephalopoda

Todarodes pacificus Steenstrup

Distribution: Bering Sea

SHIMAZU, T., 1975b

Distribution: Ussuriiskii Gulf, USSR

KUROCHKIN, Y.V., 1972

Crustacea

Euphausiid sp.

Distribution: Bering Sea

SHIMAZU, T., 1975b

Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north northern

SHIMAZU, T., 1975c

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Acanthopsettia nadeschnyi

Distribution: Far Eastern seas

MAMAEV, Y.L., PARUKHIN, A.M. AND BAEVA, O.M., 1963

Atheresthes evermanni Jordan et Starks

Distribution: Far Eastern seas

MAMAEV, Y.L., PARUKHIN, A.M. AND BAEVA, O.M., 1963

Enophrys diceraus

Location: body cavity, stomach wall

Distribution: Pacific

KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1968a

Hippoglossoides elassodon

Distribution: Far Eastern seas

MAMAEV, Y.L., PARUKHIN, A.M. AND BAEVA, O.M., 1963

Icelus spiniger

Location: body cavity, stomach wall

Distribution: Pacific

KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1968a

Lepidopsetia bilineata (Ayres)

Distribution: Far Eastern seas

MAMAEV, Y.L., PARUKHIN, A.M. AND BAEVA, O.M., 1963

Limanda aspera (Pallas)

Distribution: Far Eastern seas

MAMAEV, Y.L., PARUKHIN, A.M. AND BAEVA, O.M., 1963

Limanda punctatissima

Distribution: Far Eastern seas

MAMAEV, Y.L., PARUKHIN, A.M. AND BAEVA, O.M., 1963

Oncorhynchus gorbuscha (Walbaum)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Amgun River, Amur River

BOGDANOVA, E.A., 1963

Location: stomach, liver  
Distribution: littoral zone, western Kamchatka,  
Okhotsk Sea  
TSIMBALYUK, E.M. AND SEMESHKO, N.N., 1971

Oncorhynchus keta (Walbaum)  
Distribution: Amur  
STRELKOV, YU A. AND SHULMAN, S.S.

Oncorhynchus masu (Brewoort)  
STRELKOV, YU A. AND SHULMAN, S.S.

Oncorhynchus nerka (Walbaum)  
Distribution: Bering Sea  
SHIMAZU, T., 1975b

Reinhardius hippoglossoides  
Distribution: Far Eastern seas  
MAMAEV, Y.L., PARUKHIN, A.M. AND BAEVA, O.M., 1963

Salmon, pink  
Location: stomach wall  
Distribution: King Cove, Puget Sound, Central British Columbia, Alaska Peninsula  
MARGOLIS, L., 1956

Salvelinus alpinus (L.)  
Distribution: Chaun River, Lake Rossypnoe, USSR,  
north eastern  
RUDMINAITENE, A.F. AND RUDMINAITIS, E.A., 1979

Location: musculature, body cavity  
Distribution: Lake Kurilskoe  
KONOVALOV, S.M., 1975

Sockeye salmon  
Location: stomach wall  
Distribution: Kodiak, Skeena River  
MARGOLIS, L., 1956

Theragra chalcogramma (Pallas, 1811)  
GUSEV, A.V., ZHUKOV, E.V. AND STRELKOV, YU.A., 1959

Distribution: Bering Sea  
SHIMAZU, T., 1975b

Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Lamna ditropis Hubbs and Follett, 1947  
Location: stomach  
Distribution: Bering Sea  
SHIMAZU, T., 1975b

Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Aprodon cortezianus Gilbert  
Location: intestine  
Distribution: Burke Channel, British Columbia  
ARAI, H.P., 1969

Atheresthes evermanni Jordan et Starks  
Distribution: Kamchatka, east  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Careproctus sp.  
Distribution: Kamchatka, east  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Eleginus gracilis (Tilesius)  
Distribution: Kamchatka, east  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Gadus morhua macrocephalus (Tilesius)  
Distribution: Kamchatka, east  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Gymnacanthus detrisus Gilbert

Distribution: Kamchatka, east  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Hemilepidotus jordani Bean  
Distribution: Kamchatka, east  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Hexagrammos stelleri  
Location: body cavity  
Distribution: Kamchatka  
SKRIABINA, E.S., 1963

Hippoglossoides elassodon  
Location: body cavity  
Distribution: Kamchatka  
SKRIABINA, E.S., 1963

Hippoglossoides elassodon elassodon Jorden et Gilbert  
Distribution: Kamchatka, east  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Hippoglossus hippoglossus stenolepsis Schmidt  
Distribution: Kamchatka, east  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Lepidotetria bilineata (Ayres)  
Distribution: Kamchatka, east  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Limanda aspera (Pallas)  
Distribution: Kamchatka, east  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Melletes papilio Bean  
Location: stomach wall  
Distribution: Barents Sea  
ZHUKOV, E.V., 1963

Myoxocephalus jaoek Cuvier et Valenciennes  
Distribution: Kamchatka, east  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Myoxocephalus verrucosus  
Location: stomach wall  
Distribution: Barents Sea  
ZHUKOV, E.V., 1963

Oncorhynchus gorbuscha (Walbaum)  
Distribution: Kamchatka, east  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Oncorhynchus keta (Walbaum)  
Distribution: Kamchatka, east  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960  
Location: body cavity  
Distribution: Amgun River, Amur River  
BOGDANOVA, E.A., 1963

Oncorhynchus kisutch (Walbaum)  
Distribution: Kamchatka, east  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Oncorhynchus nerka (Walbaum)  
Distribution: Kamchatka, east  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Oncorhynchus tshawytscha (Walbaum)  
Distribution: Kamchatka, east  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Ophiodon elongatus Girard  
Location: intestine, stomach  
Distribution: Burke Channel, British Columbia  
ARAI, H.P., 1969

Platesa quadrituberculata (Pallas)  
Distribution: Kamchatka, east  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Pleurogrammus monopterygius (Pallas)

Distribution: Kamchatka, east  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Pleuronectes stellatus Pallas  
Distribution: Kamchatka, east  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960  
Location: stomach wall and mesentery

Distribution: Barents Sea  
ZHUKOV, E.V., 1963

Podothecus acipenserinus (Pallas)  
Distribution: Kamchatka, east  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Salvelinus leucomaenoides (Pallas)  
Distribution: Kamchatka, east  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Salvelinus malma (Walbaum)  
Distribution: Kamchatka, east  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Sebastodes aleutianus  
Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north eastern  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977

Sebastodes alutus Gilbert, 1890  
Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north eastern  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977  
Location: stomach wall, mesenteries

Distribution: Pacific, north eastern  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1973

Sebastodes borealis  
Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north eastern  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977

Sebastodes brevispiris  
Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north eastern  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977

Sebastodes caurinus  
Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north eastern  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977

Sebastodes ciliatus  
Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north eastern  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977

Sebastodes crameri  
Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north eastern  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977

Sebastodes diploprora  
Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north eastern  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977

Sebastodes elongatus  
Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north eastern  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977

Sebastodes entomelas  
Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north eastern  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977

Sebastodes flavidus  
Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north eastern  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977

Sebastodes maliger  
Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north eastern  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977

Sebastodes nigrocinereus  
Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north eastern  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977

Sebastodes pinniger  
Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north eastern  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977

Sebastes polyspinis

Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north eastern  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977

Sebastes proriger

Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north eastern  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977

Sebastes reedi

Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north eastern  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977

Sebastes ruberrimus

Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north eastern  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977

Sebastes variegatus

Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north eastern  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977

Sebastes zacentrus

Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north eastern  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977

Theragra chalcogramma (Pallas, 1811)

Distribution: Kamchatka, Kuril Islands, Hokkaido  
SASAKI, M., 1973

Distribution: Kamchatka, east

STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Location: abdominal cavity, muscles

Distribution: USSR

GRABDA, J., 1977

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Kamchatka

SKRIABINA, E.S., 1963

Location: body cavity, muscles

Distribution: Far East

OSHMARIN, P.G., PARUKHIN, A.M., MAMAEV, Y.L. AND  
BAEVA, O.M., 1961

Location: intestine, stomach

Distribution: Burke Channel, British Columbia  
ARAI, H.P., 1969

Location: muscles of the abdominal wall

Distribution: Kamchatka

MAMAEV, Y.L. AND BAEVA, O.M., 1963

Trichodon trichodon (Tilesius)

Distribution: Kamchatka, east

STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Triglops pingeli Reinhardt

Distribution: Burke Channel, British Columbia

ARAI, H.P., 1969

Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)

REMARKS: The man had been eating raw squid (Ommastrephes solani pacificus).

Host: Vertebrata      Mammalia

Homo sapiens

Location: left palatine tonsil

Distribution: Japan

KIKUCHI, Y., TAKENOUCHI, T., KAMIYA, M. AND OZAKI,  
H., 1981

Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva) syn. Nybelinia sp. of Wardle (1932) syn. Tetrahyynchus sp. of Hart (1936)  
REMARKS: Dollfus (1942) considered Tetrahyynchus sp. of Hart (1936) to be Nybelinia surmenicola.

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Hexanchus griseus (Bonnaterre, 1788)

Location: intestine, wall of

Distribution: Puget Sound, Alaskan waters

HART, J.F., 1936

Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (plerocercoid)

Host: Invertebrata Crustacea

Euphausia pacifica Hansen

Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north northern

SHIMAZU, T., 1975c

Thysanessa inermis Krøyer

Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north northern

SHIMAZU, T., 1975c

Thysanessa longipes Brandt

Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north northern

SHIMAZU, T., 1975c

Thysanessa raschii (Sars)

Distribution: Pacific Ocean, north northern

SHIMAZU, T., 1975c

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Clupea harengus pallasi Valenciennes, 1847

Location: encysted in the liver

Distribution: Alaska

ARTHUR, J.R. AND ARAI, H.P., 1980

Oncorhynchus gorbuscha (Walbaum)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Amur River Region

AKHMEROV, A.K., 1963

Oncorhynchus keta (Walbaum)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Amur River Region

AKHMEROV, A.K., 1963

Oncorhynchus tshawytscha (Walbaum)

KUPERMAN, B.I., 1980

Theragra chalcogramma (Pallas, 1811)

Location: body cavity, stomach wall, mesenteries,  
musculature

Distribution: Strait of Georgia, British Columbia,  
Pacific Ocean, north eastern, West Coast and Queen  
Charlotte Sound, British Columbia, Pacific Ocean,  
north eastern .

ARTHUR, J.R., 1984

Location: body cavity and musculature

Distribution: British Columbia

ARTHUR, J.R., MARGOLIS, L., WHITAKER, D.J. AND  
MCDONALD, T.E., 1982

Nybelinia (Syngenes) goreensis Dollfus, 1960 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Sphyraena diplana Springer

Location: intestine

Distribution: Atlantic, Gorré

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia (Syngenes) palliata (Linton, 1924)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Lamna ditropis Hubbs and Follett, 1947

Distribution: California, southern  
YOUNG, R.T., 1954a

Nybelinia (Syngenes) sphyraeae Yamaguti, 1952 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Sphyraea zygaea (L.)

Location: pars pylorica

Distribution: Nagasaki, Japan  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952

Nybelinia thyrsites (Leiper and Atkinson, 1915) Korotaeva, 1971

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Thysites atun (Euphrasen, 1791)

Distribution: New Zealand, Australia  
KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1971

Nybelinia thyrsites (Leiper and Atkinson, 1915) Korotaeva, 1971 syn.

Nybelinia (? Syngenes) sp. Dollfus, 1942

REMARKS: Korotaeva (1971) considered Nybelinia (? Syngenes) sp. Dollfus 1942 and N. (? Syngenes) sp. Robinson, 1959 to be  
synonyms of Nybelinia thyrsites (Leiper and Atkinson, 1915).

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Lepidopus caudatus (Euphrasen)

Distribution: New Zealand, Australia  
KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1971

Nybelinia yamagutii Dollfus, 1960 (larva)

Host: Invertebrata Cephalopoda

Sthenoteuthis pteropus (Steenstrup, 1855)

Location: coelomic membrane, gills  
Distribution: Atlantic Ocean  
GAEVSKAYA, A.V., 1977

Nybelinia yamagutii Dollfus, 1960 (plerocercus)

Host: Invertebrata Cephalopoda

Loligo paeleii (LeSueur, 1821)

Location: stomach washings  
Distribution: Cape Cod area  
STUNKARD, H.W., 1977

Nybelinia yamagutii Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Liosaccus cutaneus (Günther, 1870)

Location: body cavity  
Distribution: Atlantic, Dakar  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Pleronybelinia sp. (plerocercoid) SEE: Nybelinia sp.

Rhynchobothrium simile Linton, 1909 SEE: Tentacularia similis (Linton,  
1909) Shuler, 1938

"Scolex" sp. VIII SEE: Nybelinia sp. (larva)

Tentacularia arayae Woodland, 1934

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Trygon sp.

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1975b

Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802

Host: Invertebrata Cephalopoda

Sthenoteuthis pteropus (Steenstrup, 1855)

Location: hyperparasitic within the parenchyma of a

Phyllobothrium larva

Distribution: Atlantic

GAEVSKAYA, A.V., 1978

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Carcharhinus limbatus (Valenciennes)

Distribution: California, southern

HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Carcharhinus longimanus (Poey, 1861)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Pacific Ocean, east

HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Osteichthyes

Coryphaena sp.

Location: peritoneum, adhering to

Distribution: Indian Ocean

JOYEUX, C. AND BAER, J.G., 1954

Gadus morhua L.

Location: mesentery

Distribution: New Brunswick, Atlantic, north west

APPY, R.G. AND BURT, M.D.B., 1982

Ruvettus tydemani Weber

Distribution: New Zealand, Australia

KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1971

Salmo salar L.

Distribution: Newfoundland

SANDEMAN, I.M. AND PIPPY, J.H.C., 1967

Location: free in body cavity, attached to or  
partially embedded in viscera

Distribution: West Greenland, Miramichi River, New  
Brunswick, River Philip, Nova Scotia, Saint John  
River, New Brunswick, Bay of Fundy, Canada,  
Chaleur Bay, Canada, Nova Scotia coast

PIPPY, J.H.C., 1969

Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Carcharhinus galapagensis (Snodgrass and Heller)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Hawaii

CARVAJAL, J., CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CORNFORD, E.M., 1976

Carcharhinus longimanus (Poey, 1861)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Recife Coast, Brazil

REGO, A.A., 1977

Carcharias sp.

Location: stomach

Distribution: Madras Coast, India

SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955

Prionace glauca (Linnaeus, 1758)

Location: spiral intestine

Distribution: Japan  
IWATA, S., 1939  
Location: spiral valve  
Distribution: Juan Fernandez Archipelago  
CATTAN, P.E., CARVAJAL, J., TORRES, D. AND YANEZ,  
J.L., 1979  
Scoliodon walbeemii  
Location: spiral intestine  
Distribution: Japan  
IWATA, S., 1939

Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (adult) syn. Tentacularia rugosa  
(Leuckhart, 1850)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Galeus glaucus Rondelet, 1554  
Location: stomach mucosa  
Distribution: Cape Verde Isles, Atlantic  
GUIART, J., 1935a

Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (larva)

Host: Invertebrata Cephalopoda  
Cucioteuthis unguiculatus Molina (1782)  
Distribution: Newfoundland  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1967b  
Ommastrephes bartrami LeSueur  
Distribution: tropical zone, Atlantic Ocean  
GAEVSKAYA, A.V., 1976  
Sthenoteuthis pteropus (Steenstrup, 1855)  
Distribution: Atlantic Ocean  
GAEVSKAYA, A.V. AND NIGMATULLIN, C.M., 1981  
Location: ovary, coelomic, membrane, mantle, rectum  
Distribution: Atlantic Ocean  
GAEVSKAYA, A.V., 1977  
Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Euthynnus yaito Kishinouye  
Location: abdominal cavity  
Distribution: Japan  
IWATA, S., 1939  
Gymnosarda pelamys  
Location: musculature, under peritoneum  
Distribution: Gibraltar  
GUIART, J., 1935a  
Merluccius gayi peruanus Gingsburg, 1954  
Location: mesenteries  
Distribution: Callao, Peru  
DURAN, L.E. AND OLIVA, M., 1980  
Salmo salar L.  
Distribution: Greenland, west  
PIPPY, J.H.C., 1980  
Scomber japonicus Houttuyn  
Location: muscle  
Distribution: Japan  
IWATA, S., 1939

Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (larva or post larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Pelamys Bonapartei (Verany)

Location: capsule in muscles

Distribution: Azores, west of

GUIART, J., 1935a

Tetrapurus Lessonae Canestrini

Location: wall of body cavity

Distribution: Concarneau, Finistère, France

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Xiphias gladius Linnaeus, 1758

Distribution: Nova Scotia

NIGRELLI, R.F., 1938

Location: stomach

Distribution: Atlantic, north west

HOGANS, W.E., BRATTEY, J., UHAZY, L.S. AND HURLEY,  
P.C.F., 1983

Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (pleropercus)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Coryphaena hippurus Linnaeus

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Miami

WARD, H.L., 1954

Scomberomorus cavalla (Cuvier and Valenciennes)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Miami

WARD, H.L., 1954

Trachurus murphyi Nichols, 1920

Distribution: Antofagaster, Chile

SOTO, J. AND CARVAJAL, J., 1979

Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (post-larva)

Host: Invertebrata Cephalopoda

Illex illecebrosus (LeSueur, 1821)

Location: right oviduct

Distribution: Daytona Beach, Florida

THRELFALL, W., LU, C. AND ALDRICH, F.A., 1971

Ommastrephes caroli Furtado, 1887

Location: liver

Distribution: Grand Banks, Atlantic, north western

THRELFALL, W., LU, C. AND ALDRICH, F.A., 1971

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Acanthocybium solanderi (Cuvier and Valenciennes, 1831)

Location: alimentary canal

Distribution: Cape Verde Isles

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Coryphaena hippurus Linnaeus

Location: visceral cavity, wall of

Distribution: Concarneau

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b

Euthynnus alleteratus (Rafinesque, 1810)

Location: encysted on intestine

Distribution: Bermuda

REES, G., 1969

Katsuwonus pelamys (L.)

Location: musculature, peri-visceral

Distribution: Concarneau

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b  
Location: peritoneum, muscular wall of abdomen  
Distribution: Atlantic  
BUSSIÈRAS, J. AND BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1973  
Polyprion oxygeneios  
Location: peritoneal cavity  
Distribution: Juan Fernandez Archipelago  
CATTAN, P.E., CARVAJAL, J., TORRES, D. AND YANEZ,  
J.L., 1979  
Salmo salar L.  
Location: body cavity  
Distribution: Baie de Chaleur region, Canada  
HELLER, A.F., 1949  
Thunnus albacores  
Location: viscera and muscle walls of the abdominal  
cavity  
Distribution: Gulf of Guinea  
BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1971  
Thunnus albacores (Bonnaterre, 1788)  
Location: peritoneum, muscular wall of abdomen  
Distribution: Atlantic  
BUSSIÈRAS, J. AND BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1973

Tentacularia macropora (Shipley and Hornell, 1906) (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Stegostoma tigrinum

Location: spiral valve  
SUBRAMANIAM, M.K., 1940

Tentacularia rugosa (Leuckhart, 1850) SEE: Tentacularia coryphaenae  
Bosc, 1802 (adult)

Tentacularia similis (Linton, 1909) Shuler, 1938 syn. Rhynchobothrium  
simile Linton, 1909

REMARKS: Yamaguti (1959) listed Rhynchobothrium simile under  
incertae sedis.

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Ginglymostoma cirratum

Distribution: Tortugas, Florida  
SHULER, R.H., 1938  
SHULER, R.H., 1938

Tentacularia sp. (adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Myrmillo manazo (Bik.)

Location: intestine  
Distribution: Karachi Coast  
BILQEES, F.M. AND MUSLEHUDDIN, R., 1976

Tentacularia sp. (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Barracuda

Location: muscle  
Distribution: Jamaica  
YEH, L.S., 1956

Beryx splendens

Location: body cavity  
Distribution: Sagami Bay, Japan  
ICHIHARA, A., 1968

Chirocentrus dorab

Location: encysted in body cavity  
Distribution: Madras, India

ANANTARAMAN, S., 1963  
Euthynnus pelamis  
Location: cysts in abdominal muscles  
MARKOWSKI, S., 1971  
Trachurus trachurus capensis Castelnau  
Distribution: Namibia, Coast of, Atlantic, South  
GAEVSKAYA, A.V. AND KOVALEVA, A.A., 1980b

Tentaculariidae sp.

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes  
Trachurus trachurus (L.)  
Distribution: Strait of Gibraltar  
KOVALEVA, A.A., 1966

Tentaculariidae sp. (larva)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes  
Horse mackerel  
Location: gall bladder, intestine  
Distribution: Black Sea  
NIKOLAEVA, V.M., 1963a  
Trachurus mediterraneus ponticus Aleev  
KOVALEVA, A.A., 1970  
Distribution: Black Sea  
NIKOLAEVA, V.M. AND KOVALEVA, A.A., 1966  
Trachurus mediterraneus (Steindachner)  
KOVALEVA, A.A., 1970  
Location: body cavity  
Distribution: Mediterranean Sea  
NIKOLAEVA, V.M. AND KOVALEVA, A.A., 1966  
Trachurus trachurus capensis Castelnau  
Distribution: Africa, south west  
KOVALEVA, A.A., 1968  
Trachurus trachurus (L.)  
KOVALEVA, A.A., 1970  
KOVALEVA, A.A., 1970  
KOVALEVA, A.A., 1970

Tetrarhynchobothrium setiense Dollfus, 1969 (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Mustelus canis (Mitchell, 1815)  
Distribution: Mediterranean  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a  
Mustelus mustelus (Linnaeus, 1758)  
Distribution: Mediterranean  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Tetrarhynchobothrium setiense Dollfus, 1969 (larva, adult)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii  
Myliobatis aquila (Linnaeus, 1758)  
Location: spiral valve  
Distribution: Mediterranean, Sète  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

Tetrarhynchobothrium sp.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Gobius batrachocephalus Pallas  
NAIDENOVA, N.N., 1966  
Location: intestines  
NAIDENOVA, N.N., 1965  
Gobius niger L.  
NAIDENOVA, N.N., 1966  
Location: intestines  
NAIDENOVA, N.N., 1965  
Gobius ophiocephalus Pallas  
NAIDENOVA, N.N., 1966

Tetrarhynchobothrium sp. (larva)

Host: Invertebrata Gastropoda  
Thais rudolphi (Lamarck)  
Distribution: Madras, India  
REIMER, L.W., 1975a  
Crustacea  
Euphausia similis Sars  
Distribution: Saruga Bay, Japan  
SHIMAZU, T., 1975a  
Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes  
Scomber scombrus L.  
Location: body cavity  
Distribution: Nantucket  
RADULESCU, I.I., NALBANT, T.T. AND ANGELESCU, N.,  
1972  
Trachurus trcae Cadenat  
Distribution: Cape Blanc, Mauritania  
RADULESCU, I.I., NALBANT, T.T. AND ANGELESCU, N.,  
1972  
Zeus faber L.  
Location: intestine  
Distribution: Villa Cisneros, Mauritania  
RADULESCU, I.I., NALBANT, T.T. AND ANGELESCU, N.,  
1972

Tetrarhynchobothrium tenuicolle Diesing, 1850 (adult)

REMARKS: Dollfus (1969a) examined Euzet's specimens and  
questioned whether they were T. tenuicolle.

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Myliobatis aquila (Linnaeus, 1758)

Location: first tier of the spiral valve

Distribution: Sedte

EUZET, L., 1956

## PARASITE FAMILY

## TRYPANORHYNCH GENERA AND SPECIES OF UNCERTAIN STATUS

Clujia Racovitzai Guiart, 1935 (larva)

REMARKS: Dollfus (1942) was unable to decide on the position of  
Clujia Racovitzai based on Guiart's (1935) description.

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Galeus glaucus Rondelet, 1554

Location: stomach mucous

Distribution: Cape Verde Isles

GUIART, J., 1935a

Coenomorphys grossus

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Oncorhynchus keta (Walbaum)

Distribution: Amour Basin

ZMEJEV, G.J., 1936

Dibothriorhynchus dinoi Mendes, 1944 (larva)

Host: Invertebrata Scyphozoa

Lichnorhiza sp.

Distribution: Brazil

MENDES, M.V., 1944

Dibothriorhynchus dinoi Mendes, 1944 (larva)

REMARKS: Dibothriorhynchus dinoi Mendes, 1944 probably belongs to the genus Bombycirhynchus.

Host: Invertebrata Scyphozoa

Stomolophus meleagris Agassiz

Distribution: Brazil

MENDES, M.V., 1944

Dibothriorhynchus monticellii Moniez, 1940

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Lophius piscatorius Linnaeus, 1758

MONIEZ, R., 1940

Dibothriorhynchus typ. grossus

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Gadus sp.

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Atlantic, north, Atlantic, south

RADULESCU, I.I., 1969

Dieisingella Monticelli (Moniez, 1892) (larva)

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Lophius piscatorius Linnaeus, 1758

Location: intestine

Distribution: English Channel

GUIART, J., 1935a

Mecistobothrium brevispine (Linton, 1897) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975

(adult), Rhynchobothrium brevispine Linton, 1897, Rhynchobothrium agile Linton, 1897

Host: Vertebrate Selachii

Rhinoptera bonasus (Mitchell, 1815)

Distribution: Chesapeake Bay, Virginia

CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CARVAJAL, J., 1975

Microbothriorhynchus coelorrhynchi Yamaguti, 1952 (larva)

REMARKS: Yamaguti (1952) did not place the genus Microbothriorhynchus in a family. He later (1959) included it in the genera incertae sedis.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Coelorrhynchus sp.

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Maisaka, Sikuoka Prefecture, Japan

YAMAGUTI, S., 1952

Oncomegas wageneri (Linton, 1890) (larva)

REMARKS: Dollfus (1942), Wardle and McLeod (1952) and Yamaguti (1959) included Oncomegas in the genera incertae sedis.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Cepola schlegeli (Bleeker)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Sea of Japan

YAMAGUTI, S., 1952

Conger myriaster

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Sea of Japan

YAMAGUTI, S., 1952

Oncomegas wageneri (Linton, 1890) (plerocercoid)

REMARKS: Dollfus (1942), Wardle and McLeod (1952) and Yamaguti (1959) all listed Oncomegas under genera incertae sedis.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Lutjanus aya Bloch

Location: intestinal tract

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, near Grand Isle

THATCHER, V.E., 1961

Rhopalothylax gymnorhynchoides Guiart, 1935 (larva)

REMARKS: Dollfus (1942) was unable to decide on the position of Rhopalothylax gymnorhynchoides based on Guiart's (1935) description.

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Centroscymnus coelolepis Bocage and Capello, 1864

Location: liver

Distribution: Azores, Atlantic

GUIART, J., 1935a

Rhynchobothrium sp. Linton, 1899 (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Mola mola (L.)

Location: intestine wall

Distribution: Newfoundland

THRELFALL, W., 1967

Rhynchobothrius spinuliferus (Southwell, 1911) SEE: Trigonolobom sp.  
Dollfus, 1929 (adult)

Symbothriorhynchus uranoscopi Yamaguti, 1952 (larva)

REMARKS: Yamaguti (1959) included Symbothriorhynchus in genera incertae sedis.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Uranoscopus oligolepis Bleeker

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Tosa Bay, Japan

YAMAGUTI, S., 1952

Syndesmobothrium filicolle

REMARKS: Saxena (1980) commented that Silondia silondia was a true freshwater fish.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Silondia silondia

Location: mesentery

Distribution: Varanasi, fish market, India

SAXENA, S.K., 1980

Tetrarhynch sp. (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Rhinobatos productus (Ayres)

Location: stomach

Distribution: California, southern

KUNNENKERI, J.K. AND MARTIN, W.E., 1962

Urobatis halleri (Cooper)

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: California, southern

KUNNENKERI, J.K. AND MARTIN, W.E., 1962

Osteichthyes

Atherinops californiensis

Location: mesentery, rectal

Distribution: California, southern

KUNNENKERI, J.K. AND MARTIN, W.E., 1962

Bagre marina

Distribution: Galveston Bay, Texas

CHANDLER, A.C., 1935a

Epiniphillus sp.

Location: muscle anterior to the caudal fin

Distribution: Mediterranean Sea

EL-AHWAL, A.A., 1970

Melanostigma pammelas Gilbert

Location: intestine, inside, stomach, outer surface

Distribution: California, southern, bathypelagic waters off

NOBLE, E.R. AND ORIAS, J.D., 1975

Synodus foetens

Location: intestine, body cavity

Distribution: Biscayne Bay, Florida

OVERSTREET, R.M., 1968

Tetrarhynchid sp. (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Spicara smaris (L.)

Location: intestine

Distribution: Crimean coast and Caucasus coasts, Black Sea

NIKOLAEVA, V.M., 1963b

Trachurus trachurus trachurus L.

Distribution: Atlantic

GAEVSKAYA, A.V. AND KOVALEVA, A.A., 1980a

Tetrarhynchus brevibothria MacCallum 1921 (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Lutianus sp.

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Burma, Delta area

KYAW-MYINT, 1968

Tetrarhynchus fragilis Diesing

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Micropogon undulatus (Linnaeus)

Location: mesenteries

Distribution: Uruguay

BARATTINI, L.P., 1948

Tetrarhynchus fragilis (Diesing, 1850) (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Cynoscion sp.

Location: musculature

Distribution: Venezuela, Coast of

VOGELSANG, E.G. AND MAYAUDON, T.H., 1959

Epinephelus sp.

Location: musculature

Distribution: Venezuela, Coast of

VOGELSANG, E.G. AND MAYAUDON, T.H., 1959

Tetrarhynchus fragilis (larva)

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Macrodon ancylodae

Location: fillets

Distribution: Brazil, coastal waters of

SANTOS, L. DOS AND ZOGBI, E.P.V., 1971

Tetrarhynchus palaecetus

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Oncorhynchus keta (Walbaum)

Distribution: Amour Basin

ZMEJEV, G.J., 1936

Tetrarhynchus palaecetus Rud.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

Oncorhynchus gorbuscha (Walbaum)

Distribution: Amour Basin

ZMEJEV, G.J., 1936

Tetrarhynchus sp.

Host: Vertebrata Osteichthyes

G. giuris (full name missing)

Location: muscle and ovary

Distribution: Chandpur, East Pakistan

ALI, M.Y., 1968

Thyrsites atun (Euphrasen, 1791)

Location: Trunk muscles, intestinal walls, mesentery  
and peritoneum

Distribution: Australia

BLACKBURN, M., 1960

Trigonolobom sp. Dollfus, 1929 (adult) syn. Rhynchobothrius spinuliferus

(Southwell, 1911)

REMARKS: Dollfus (1942) listed Rhynchobothrius spinuliferus as  
a member of the genus Trigonolobom, belonging to the incertae  
sedis.

Host: Vertebrata Selachii

Synias manazo

Location: spiral intestine

Distribution: Japan

IWATA, S., 1939

## PARASITE FAMILY

## UNIDENTIFIED

## Trypanorhynch larvae

REMARKS: Sey (1977) suggested that the larvae belong to genera Lacistorhynchus or Eutetrarhynchus on the basis of the larval anatomy.

Host: Vertebrata Reptilia

Caretta caretta (L.)

Location: encysted in stomach serosa and outer surface of lungs

Distribution: Egypt, coast of SEY, O., 1977

## Trypanorhynch sp.

Host: Invertebrates Mollusca

Euclio pyramidata gen. sp.

Distribution: Pacific, equatorial, western SLANKIS, A.Y. AND SHEVCHENKO, G.G., 1974

Cephalopoda

Lepidoteuthis grimaldi Joubin, 1895

Location: mantle cavity

Distribution: Madeira

CLARKE, M.R. AND MAUL, G.E., 1962

Crustacea

Crustacea sp.

Distribution: Pacific, equatorial, western SLANKIS, A.Y. AND SHEVCHENKO, G.G., 1974

Euphausia brevis

Distribution: Pacific, equatorial, western SLANKIS, A.Y. AND SHEVCHENKO, G.G., 1974

Euphausia diomedea

Distribution: Pacific, equatorial, western SLANKIS, A.Y. AND SHEVCHENKO, G.G., 1974

Euphausia similis Sars

Distribution: Pacific, equatorial, western SLANKIS, A.Y. AND SHEVCHENKO, G.G., 1974

Euphausia sp.

Distribution: Pacific, equatorial, western SLANKIS, A.Y. AND SHEVCHENKO, G.G., 1974

Sergeates lucens

Distribution: Pacific, equatorial, western SLANKIS, A.Y. AND SHEVCHENKO, G.G., 1974

Sergeates sp.

Distribution: Pacific, equatorial, western SLANKIS, A.Y. AND SHEVCHENKO, G.G., 1974

Thysanopoda tricuspidata

Distribution: Pacific, equatorial, western SLANKIS, A.Y. AND SHEVCHENKO, G.G., 1974

Host: Vertebrates

Thaliacea

Salpae gen. sp.

Distribution: Pacific, equatorial, western SLANKIS, A.Y. AND SHEVCHENKO, G.G., 1974

Selachii

Hexanchus griseus (Gmelin)

Location: intestine

Distribution: Porcupine Bank REES, G. AND LLEWELLYN, J., 1941

Sphyrna tiburo Linnaeus

Location: spiral valve

Distribution: Texas HENSON, R.N., 1975

Osteichthyes

Clupea harengus pallasi Valenciennes, 1847  
Distribution: British Columbia  
ARTHUR, J.R. AND ARAI, H.P., 1980  
Lepidopus lex Phillips, 1932  
Distribution: New Zealand, Australia  
KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1971  
Ostorhinchus conwayi  
Location: body cavity  
Distribution: Great Australian Bight  
KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1974a  
Pleurogrammus azonus Jordan and Metz  
Location: stomach, intestine  
Distribution: Peter the Great Bay, Sea of Japan  
BAEVA, O.M., 1968  
Pomatomus saltatrix (L.)  
Location: body cavity  
Distribution: Rio de Janeiro  
REGO, A.A., VICENTE, J.J., SANTOS, C.P. AND WEKID,  
R.M., 1983  
Psettodes erumei (Bloch and Schneider)  
Distribution: South China Sea  
PARUKHIN, A.M., 1967a  
Rastrelliger kanagurta (Cuvier, 1829)  
Location: body cavity, pyloric caeca  
Distribution: Australia  
KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1974b  
Rexea solandri (Cuvier and Valenciennes, 1832)  
Distribution: New Zealand, Australia  
KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1971  
Ruvettus tydemani Weber  
Distribution: New Zealand, Australia  
KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1971  
Scomber australasicus (Cuvier et Valenciennes, 1832)  
Location: body cavity  
Distribution: Australia  
KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1974b  
Sebastodes alutus  
Distribution: Pacific, north eastern  
TKACHEV, V.A., 1976  
Thyrsites atun (Euphrasen, 1791)  
Distribution: New Zealand, Australia  
KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1971

Trypanorhynch sp. (larva)

Host: Invertebrates Crustacea

Branchiostoma lanceolatum  
Location: midgut  
Distribution: Madras coast  
AZARIAH, J., 1968

Host: Vertebrates Agnatha

Petromyzon sp.  
REICHENBACH-KLINKE, H. AND ELKAN, E., 1965

Osteichthyes

Antimora rostrata

Distribution: New York Bight  
CAMPBELL, R.A., HAEDRICH, R.L. AND MUNROE, T.A., 1980

Clupea harengus L., 1758

Distribution: Gulf of Mexico, southern  
SINDERMANN, C.J., 1961a

Coryphaena equisetis Linnaeus, 1758

Location: stomach  
Distribution: Atlantic Ocean

GREER, J.K., 1976  
Cymatogaster aggregata Gibbons  
Distribution: California  
ARAI, H.P., 1967  
Dicrolene intronigra  
Distribution: New York Bight  
CAMPBELL, R.A., HAEDRICH, R.L. AND MUNROE, T.A., 1980  
Echeneis naucrates L. 1758  
Location: body cavity  
Distribution: South China Sea  
PARUKHIN, A.M., 1967b  
Halosauropsis macrochir  
Distribution: New York Bight  
CAMPBELL, R.A., HAEDRICH, R.L. AND MUNROE, T.A., 1980  
Nezumia bairdii (Goode and Bean, 1877)  
Distribution: New York Bight  
CAMPBELL, R.A., HAEDRICH, R.L. AND MUNROE, T.A., 1980  
Pleuronectes platessa L.  
Location: visceral cavity, gut wall  
Distribution: Loch Ewe, Scotland  
MACKENZIE, K. AND GIBSON, D.I., 1970  
Pomatomus saltatrix (L.)  
Location: intestine  
Distribution: Guanabara State  
GOMES GOMES, D., FABIO, S.P. DE AND TAYT-SON ROLAS,  
F., 1972  
Sardinella sp.  
Location: intestine  
Distribution: Rio de Janeiro, Brazil  
FEIJO, L.M.F., OLIVEIRA RODRIGUEZ, H. DE AND SORDRE  
RODRIGUEZ, S., 1979  
Sciena aquilla (Loot)  
Location: abdominal cavity wall, muscle  
Distribution: Mediterranean  
EL-AHWAL, A.A. AND EL-SHERIF, A.F., 1970  
Scomber colias Gmelin  
Location: intestine  
Distribution: Africa, south west coast  
SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1968  
Sebastes marinus (L.)  
Location: stomach wall, mesenteries, adjacent  
Distribution: Gulf of Maine, northern  
SINDERMANN, C.J., 1961b  
Snapper  
Distribution: Persian Gulf  
MOKHAYER, B., 1974  
Stenobrachius leucopsarus Eigenman and Eigenman  
Distribution: California, Basins off, Santa Cruz,  
Santa Barbara  
COLLARD, S.B., 1970  
Trachurus mediterraneus ponticus Aleev  
KOVALEVA, A.A., 1979  
Location: intestine, body cavity  
Distribution: Black Sea  
KOVALEVA, A.A., 1965  
Trachurus trachurus trachurus L.  
Distribution: North Sea, Atlantic, north  
GAEVSKAYA, A.V. AND KOVALEVA, A.A., 1980b  
Mammalia  
Alepisaurus aesculapius  
Distribution: Kurile Island region  
SKRYABIN, A.S., 1965

Balaenoptera acutorostrata  
Distribution: Kurile Island region  
SKRYABIN, A.S., 1965

Balaenoptera acutorostrata davisoni  
Distribution: Pacific, north  
SKRYABIN, A.S., 1975

Balaenoptera borealis Lesson  
Distribution: Kurile Island region  
SKRYABIN, A.S., 1965

Eumetopias jubatus Schr.  
Distribution: Kurile Island region  
SKRYABIN, A.S., 1965

Homo sapiens  
Location: coughed up or vomited  
Distribution: Hong Kong  
GRIMMO, A.E.P. AND BUCKLEY, J.J.C., 1961

Physeter catodon L.  
Distribution: Kurile Island region  
SKRYABIN, A.S., 1965

Trypanorhynch sp. (plerocercoid)

Host: Invertebrate Crustacea

Penaeus indicus (Milne Edwards)  
Location: musculature  
Distribution: Mangalore, India  
NATARAJAN, P., 1979

Penaeus sp.  
Location: cephalothorax and digestive gland  
Distribution: Mexico, north west coast  
CRUZ-REYES, A., 1974b

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Clupes harengus pallasi Valenciennes, 1847  
Location: encysted in liver and mesenteries  
Distribution: California, Oregon  
ARTHUR, J.R. AND ARAI, H.P., 1980

Cynoscion nebulosus (Cuvier)

Location: musculature  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico  
OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977

Micropogonias undulatus (Linnaeus)

Location: musculature  
Distribution: Gulf of Mexico  
OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977

Pleuronectes platessa L.

Location: kidney, liver  
Distribution: Loch Ewe, Scotland  
MACKENZIE, K., 1968

Trypanorhynch sp. (plerocercoids)

Host: Vertebrate Osteichthyes

Xiphias gladius Linnaeus, 1758  
Location: muscles  
Distribution: west coast of Africa  
MUZYKOVSKII, A.M., 1972

Trypanorhynch sp. (plerocercus)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Platichthys flesus (L.)

Location: visceral cavity, gut wall

Distribution: Ythan estuary, Loch Ewe, Aberdeen,  
Scotland

MACKENZIE, K. AND GIBSON, D.I., 1970

Scomber japonicus Houttuyn

Location: stomach, body cavity

Distribution: Rio de Janeiro

REGO, A.A. AND SANTOS, C.P., 1983

Location: stomachs, intestines, caeca, abdominal,  
cavities, mesenteries

DAILEY, M.D., 1969

Trypanorhynch spp. (plerocercus, two species)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Cynoscion striatus (Cuvier)

Location: body cavity

Distribution: Rio de Janeiro

REGO, A.A., SANTOS, J.C. AND SILVA, P.P., 1974

Trypanorhyncha type 1 (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Theragra chalcogramma (Pallas, 1811)

Location: mesenteries

Distribution: West Coast, British Columbia, Pacific  
Ocean, north eastern

ARTHUR, J.R., 1984

Trypanorhyncha type 2 (plerocercoid)

Host: Vertebrates Osteichthyes

Theragra chalcogramma (Pallas, 1811)

Location: headwash

Distribution: Strait of Georgia, British Columbia,  
Pacific Ocean, north eastern

ARTHUR, J.R., 1984

HOST-PARASITE LIST

INVERTEBRATA

SCYPHOZOA

Lichnorhiza sp.

Dibothriorhynchus dinoi Mendes, 1944 (larva)  
MENDES, M.V., 1944

Stomolophus meleagris Agassiz

Dibothriorhynchus dinoi Mendes, 1944 (larva)  
MENDES, M.V., 1944

MOLLUSCA

Euclio pyramidata gen. sp.

Trypanorhynch sp.

SLANKIS, A.Y. AND SHEVCHENKO, G.G., 1974

GASTROPODA

Bullia melanoides (Deshayes)

Christianella sp. (larva)  
REIMER, L.W., 1975a

Busycon spiratum pyruloides (Say)

Eutetrarhynchus sp. (plerocercoid)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Cantharus cancellarius (Conrad)

Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Crepidula fornicata (Linné)

Eutetrarhynchus sp. (plerocercoid)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

Crepidula sp.

Eutetrarhynchus sp. (plerocercoid)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Fasciolaria lilium hunteria (Perry)

Eutetrarhynchus sp. (plerocercoid)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Fasciolaria tulipa (Linné)

Eutetrarhynchus sp. (plerocercoid)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976

CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

gastropod

Eutetrarhynchus sp. (post-larva)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1975

Parachristianella sp. (post-larva)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1975

Melongena corona (Gmelin)

Eutetrarhynchus sp. (plerocercoid)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

- Pleuroplace gigantea (Kiener)  
Eutetrarhynchus sp. (plerocercoid)  
 CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977  
Pleuroplace gigantea (Kiener)  
Eutetrarhynchus sp. (plerocercoid)  
 CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976  
Polinices duplicatus (Say)  
Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
 CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976  
 CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977  
Thais haemastoma canaliculata (Gray)  
Eutetrarhynchus sp. (plerocercoid)  
 CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976  
 CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977  
Thais rudolphi (Lamarck)  
Christianella sp. (larva)  
 REIMER, L.W., 1975a  
Tetrahynchobothrium sp. (larva)  
 REIMER, L.W., 1975a
- CEPHALOPODA**
- Architeuthis dux Steenstrup, 1857  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)  
 PIPPY, J.H.C. AND ALDRICH, F.A., 1969  
Cucioteuthis unguiculatus Molina (1782)  
Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (larva)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1967b
- Eledone Aldrovandi Rafin.  
Nybelinia lingualis (Cuvier, 1817) (larva or post larva)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Eledone moschata (Lamarck, 1799)  
Nybelinia lingualis (Cuvier, 1817) (post-larva)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1958
- Illex illecebrosus illecebrosus (LeSueur, 1821)  
Nybelinia sp. (post-larva)  
 BROWN, E.L. AND THRELFALL, W., 1968
- Illex illecebrosus (LeSueur, 1821)  
Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (post-larva)  
 THRELFALL, W., LU, C. AND ALDRICH, F.A., 1971
- Lepidoteuthis grimaldi Joubin, 1895  
Nybelinia sp.  
 CLARKE, M.R. AND MAUL, G.E., 1962
- Trypanorhynch sp.  
 CLARKE, M.R. AND MAUL, G.E., 1962
- Loligo paeleii (LeSueur, 1821)  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercus) syn.  
Lacistorhynchus tenue (Van Beneden, 1858) Pintner, 1913  
 STUNKARD, H.W., 1977
- Nybelinia bisulcata (Linton, 1889) Poche, 1926 (plerocercus)  
 STUNKARD, H.W., 1977
- Nybelinia yamaquiti Dollfus, 1960 (plerocercus)  
 STUNKARD, H.W., 1977
- Otobothrium crenacolle Linton, 1890 (plerocercus)  
 STUNKARD, H.W., 1977
- Octopus sp.  
Nybelinia sp. (plerocercus)  
 ADAM, W., 1938
- Ommastrephes bartrami LeSueur  
Nybelinia lingualis (Cuvier, 1817) (larva)  
 GAEVSKAYA, A.V., 1976
- Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (larva)  
 GAEVSKAYA, A.V., 1976

- Ommastrephes caroli Furtado, 1887  
Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (post-larva)  
 THRELFALL, W., LU, C. AND ALDRICH, F.A., 1971  
Sthenoteuthis pteropus (Steenstrup, 1855)  
Nybelinia lingualis (Cuvier, 1817) f. typica (larva)  
 GAEVSKAYA, A.V., 1977  
Nybelinia lingualis (Cuvier, 1817) var. 1 (larva)  
 GAEVSKAYA, A.V., 1977  
Nybelinia sp. (larva)  
 GAEVSKAYA, A.V., 1977  
Nybelinia yamagutii Dollfus, 1960 (larva)  
 GAEVSKAYA, A.V., 1977  
Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802  
 GAEVSKAYA, A.V., 1978  
Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (larva)  
 GAEVSKAYA, A.V., 1977  
 GAEVSKAYA, A.V. AND NIGMATULLIN, C.M., 1981  
Todarodes pacificus Steenstrup  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929  
 KUROCHKIN, Y.V., 1972  
 SHIMAZU, T., 1975b

#### PELECYPODA

- Anadara transversa (Say)  
Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
 CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976  
Argopecten irradians concentricus (Say)  
Eutetrahynchus sp. (plerocercoid)  
 CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976  
 CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977  
Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
 CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976  
 CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977  
Atrina rigida (Lightfoot)  
Eutetrahynchus sp. (plerocercoid)  
 CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976  
 CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977  
Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
 CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976  
 CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977  
Atrina seminuda (Lamarck)  
Eutetrahynchus sp. (plerocercoid)  
 CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976  
 CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977  
Nybelinia sp. (larva)  
 WARDLE, W.J., 1974  
Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
 CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976  
 CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977  
Chione cancellata (Linne)  
Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
 CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976  
Chione cancellata (Linne) (sp.1)  
Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
 CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977  
Donax variabilis (Say)  
Nybelinia sp. (larva) syn. "Scolex" sp. VIII  
 WARDLE, W.J., 1974  
Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
 CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976  
 CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977

- Dosinia discus (Reeve)  
Eutetrarhynchus sp. (plerocercoid)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976  
Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977
- Ensis spp.  
Eutetrarhynchus sp. (plerocercoid)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977
- Macrocallista maculata (Linne)  
Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977
- Macrocallista nebulosa (Lightfoot)  
Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977
- Macrocallista nimbosa (Lightfoot)  
Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976
- Noetia ponderosa (Say)  
Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977
- pelecypod  
Eutetrarhynchus sp. (post-larva)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1975  
Parachristianella sp. (post-larva)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1975
- Raeta plicatella (Lamarck)  
Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976
- Spisula solidissima similis (Say)  
Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1976  
CAKE, E.W. JR., 1977
- CRUSTACEA**
- Acartia tonsa  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) syn. Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858)  
STUNKARD, H.W., 1981
- Branchiostoma lanceolatum  
Trypanorhynch sp. (larva)  
AZARIAH, J., 1968
- Calianassa sp.  
Christianella trygonis-bucconis (Wagener, 1854) (larva)  
YOUNG, R.T., 1954a
- Copepods (unspecified)  
Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975 (oncosphere, procercoid, plerocercus)  
OVERSTREET, R.M., 1983
- Crustacea sp.  
Trypanorhynch sp.  
SLANKIS, A.Y. AND SHEVCHENKO, G.G., 1974
- Dilocarcinus (Dilocarcinus) pagei Stimson, 1861  
Eutetrarhynchus araya (Woodland, 1934) Yamaguti, 1959 (post-larva)  
REGO, A.A., 1982
- Euphausia brevis  
Trypanorhynch sp.  
SLANKIS, A.Y. AND SHEVCHENKO, G.G., 1974
- Euphausia diomedea  
Trypanorhynch sp.  
SLANKIS, A.Y. AND SHEVCHENKO, G.G., 1974

Euphausia pacifica Hansen

Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (plerocercoid)  
SHIMAZU, T., 1975c

Euphausia similis Sars

Eutetrarhynchidae sp. (larva)  
SHIMAZU, T., 1975a

Tetrarhynchobothrium sp. (larva)  
SHIMAZU, T., 1975a

Trypanorhynch sp.

SLANKIS, A.Y. AND SHEVCHENKO, G.G., 1974

Euphausia sp.

Trypanorhynch sp.

SLANKIS, A.Y. AND SHEVCHENKO, G.G., 1974

Euphausiid sp.

Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929  
SHIMAZU, T., 1975b  
SHIMAZU, T., 1975c

Hemigrapsus

Christianella trygonis-bucconis (Wagener, 1854) (larva)  
YOUNG, R.T., 1954a

Macropipus depurator (L.)

Eutetrarhynchus ruficollis (Eysenhardt, 1829) (larva)  
VIVARES, C.P., 1971

Metapenaeus affini (Milne Edwards)

Eutetrarhynchus leucomelanus (Shipley and Hornell, 1906) (larva)  
CHANDRA, K.J., RAO, K.H. AND SHYAMASUNDARI. K., 1981

Metapenaeus brevisornis (Milne Edwards)

Eutetrarhynchus leucomelanus (Shipley and Hornell, 1906) (larva)  
CHANDRA, K.J., RAO, K.H. AND SHYAMASUNDARI. K., 1981

Metapenaeus monoceros (Fabricius, 1788)

Eutetrarhynchus leucomelanus (Shipley and Hornell, 1906) (larva)  
CHANDRA, K.J., RAO, K.H. AND SHYAMASUNDARI. K., 1981

Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)

REIMER, L.W., 1984

Prochristianella sp. (plerocercoid)

REIMER, L.W., 1984

Pachygrapsus sp.

Christianella trygonis-bucconis (Wagener, 1854) (larva)  
YOUNG, R.T., 1954a

Parapenaeus stylifera Alcock

Eutetrarhynchus leucomelanus (Shipley and Hornell, 1906) (larva)  
CHANDRA, K.J., RAO, K.H. AND SHYAMASUNDARI. K., 1981

Penaeus aztecus Ives

Parachristianella dimegacantha (larva)  
CORKERN, C.C., 1978

Parachristianella monomegacantha (larva)  
CORKERN, C.C., 1978

Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal,  
1975 (plerocercus) syn. Prochristianella penaei Kruse, 1959  
ALDRICH, D.V., 1965  
KRUSE, D.N., 1959  
RAGAN, J.C. AND ALDRICH, D.V., 1972

Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal,  
1975 (plerocercus) syn. Prochristianella sp. in Hutton et al.  
(1959)

HUTTON, R.F., SOGANDARES-BERNAL, F., ELDRED, B., INGLE, R.M.  
AND WOODBURN, K.D., 1959

Prochristianella penaei (larva)  
CORKERN, C.C., 1978

- Penaeus brasiliensis Latreille  
Parachristianella heteromegacanthus Feigenbaum, 1975  
 (plerocercoid)  
 COUCH, J.A., 1978  
Parachristianella heteromegacanthus Feigenbaum, 1975 (plerocercus)  
 FEIGENBAUM, D.L., 1975  
 FEIGENBAUM, D.L. AND CARNUCCIO, J., 1976  
Parachristianella monomegacantha Kruse, 1959 (plerocercus)  
 FEIGENBAUM, D.L., 1975  
 FEIGENBAUM, D.L. AND CARNUCCIO, J., 1976  
Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975 (plerocercus)  
 FEIGENBAUM, D.L. AND CARNUCCIO, J., 1976  
Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975 (plerocercus) syn. Rhynchobothrium hispidum Linton, 1890  
 syn. Prochristianella penaei Kruse, 1959  
 FEIGENBAUM, D.L., 1975  
Renibulbus penaeus Feigenbaum, 1975 (plerocercus)  
 FEIGENBAUM, D.L., 1975  
 FEIGENBAUM, D.L. AND CARNUCCIO, J., 1976  
Penaeus duorarum Burkenroad  
Parachristianella dimegacantha Kruse, 1959  
 KRUSE, D.N., 1959  
Parachristianella heteromegacanthus Feigenbaum, 1975 (plerocercus)  
 FEIGENBAUM, D.L. AND CARNUCCIO, J., 1976  
Parachristianella monomegacantha Kruse, 1959  
 KRUSE, D.N., 1959  
Parachristianella monomegacantha Kruse, 1959 (plerocercus)  
 FEIGENBAUM, D.L. AND CARNUCCIO, J., 1976  
Parachristianella monomegacantha Kruse, 1959 (plerocercus) syn.  
Prochristianella sp. of Villella, Iversen and Sindermann (1970)  
 VILLELLA, J.B., IVERSEN, E.S. AND SINDERMANN, C.J., 1970  
Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975 (plerocercoid) syn. Prochristianella penaei Kruse, 1959  
 COUCH, J.A., 1978  
Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975 (plerocercus)  
 FEIGENBAUM, D.L. AND CARNUCCIO, J., 1976  
Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975 (plerocercus) syn. Prochristianella penaei Kruse, 1959  
 KRUSE, D.N., 1959  
 VILLELLA, J.B., IVERSEN, E.S. AND SINDERMANN, C.J., 1970  
Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975 (plerocercus) syn. Prochristianella sp. in Hutton et al. (1959)  
 HUTTON, R.F., SOGANDARES-BERNAL, F., ELDRED, B., INGLE, R.M. AND WOODBURN, K.D., 1959  
Renibulbus penaeus Feigenbaum, 1975 (plerocercus)  
 FEIGENBAUM, D.L. AND CARNUCCIO, J., 1976  
Penaeus indicus Edwards, 1837  
Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
 REIMER, L.W., 1984  
Prochristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
 REIMER, L.W., 1984  
Penaeus indicus (Milne Edwards)  
Eutetraphynchus leucomelanus (Shipley and Hornell, 1906) (larva)  
 CHANDRA, K.J., RAO, K.H. AND SHYAMASUNDARI. K., 1981  
Gymnorhynchus malleus (larva)  
 CHANDRA, K.J. AND RAO, K.H., 1982  
Trypanorhynch sp. (plerocercoid)  
 NATARAJAN, P., 1979

- Penaeus japonicus Bate, 1888  
Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
REIMER, L.W., 1984  
Prochristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
REIMER, L.W., 1984  
Penaeus merguiensis de Man  
Parachristianella monomegacantha Kruse, 1959 (plerocercus)  
OWENS, L., 1980  
OWENS, L., 1981  
Penaeus monodon Fabricius, 1798  
Parachristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
REIMER, L.W., 1984  
Prochristianella sp. (plerocercoid)  
REIMER, L.W., 1984  
Penaeus semisulcatus (de Haan)  
Eutetrahyynchus leucomelanus (Shipley and Hornell, 1906) (larva)  
CHANDRA, K.J., RAO, K.H. AND SHYAMASUNDARI. K., 1981  
Penaeus setiferus L.  
Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal,  
1975 (plerocercus)  
OVERSTREET, R.M., 1983  
RAGAN, J.C. AND ALDRICH, D.V., 1972  
Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal,  
1975 (plerocercus) syn. Prochristianella pensaei Kruse, 1959  
ALDRICH, D.V., 1965  
Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal,  
1975 (plerocercus) syn. Prochristianella sp. in Hutton *et al.*  
(1959)  
HUTTON, R.F., SOGANDARES-BERNAL, F., ELDRED, B., INGLE, R.M.  
AND WOODBURN, K.D., 1959  
Penaeus setiferus (L.)  
Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal,  
1975 (larva) syn. Eutetrahyynchus sp. of Sparks and Mackin (1957)  
SPARKS, A.K. AND MACKIN, J.G., 1957  
Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal,  
1975 (plerocercoid) syn. Prochristianella pensaei Kruse, 1959  
SPARKS, A.K. AND FONTAINE, C.T., 1973  
Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal,  
1975 (plerocercus) syn. Prochristianella pensaei Kruse, 1959  
KRUSE, D.N., 1959  
Penaeus sp.  
Trypanorhynch sp. (plerocercoid)  
CRUZ-REYES, A., 1974b  
Penaeus trisulcatus Leach  
Eutetrahyynchus ruficollis (Eysenhardt, 1829) (plerocercoid)  
HELDI, J.H., 1949  
Sergestes lucens  
Trypanorhynch sp.  
SLANKIS, A.Y. AND SHEVCHENKO, G.G., 1974  
Sergestes sp.  
Trypanorhynch sp.  
SLANKIS, A.Y. AND SHEVCHENKO, G.G., 1974  
Thysanoessa inermis Krøyer  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (plerocercoid)  
SHIMAZU, T., 1975c  
Thysanoessa longipes Brandt  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (plerocercoid)  
SHIMAZU, T., 1975c  
Thysanoessa raschii (Sars)  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (plerocercoid)  
SHIMAZU, T., 1975c

- Thysanessa sp.  
Nybelinia sp.  
 TSIMBALYUK, E.M., 1980
- Thysanopoda tricuspidata  
Trypanorhynch sp.  
 SLANKIS, A.Y. AND SHEVCHENKO, G.G., 1974
- Tigriopus californicus  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (procercoid)  
 MUDRY, D.R., DAILEY, M.D., 1971  
 SAKANARI, J. AND MOSER, M., 1985b  
Parachristianella monomegacantha Kruse, 1959 (procercoid)  
 MUDRY, D.R., DAILEY, M.D., 1971
- Tigriopus fulvus (Fisher)  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (procercoid)  
 RISER, N.W., 1951  
 RISER, N.W., 1956
- Trachypenaeus constrictus (Stimpson)  
Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975 (plerocercus) syn. Prochristianella sp. in Hutton et al. (1959)  
 HUTTON, R.F., SOGANDARES-BERNAL, F., ELDRED, B., INGLE, R.M. AND WOODBURN, K.D., 1959
- Upogebia gracilipes De Man 1927  
Eutetrahynchus carayoni Dollfus, 1942 (plerocercus-tentative identification)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b
- Upogebia stellata (Montagu, 1808)  
Parachristianella trygonis Dollfus, 1946 (plerocercus)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b  
Prochristianella trygonicola Dollfus, 1946 (plerocercus)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b
- Valdivia serrata Bott, 1969  
Eutetrahynchus araya (Woodland, 1934) Yamaguti, 1959 (post-larva)  
 REGO, A.A., 1982

## VERTEBRATA

### THALIACEA

- Salpae gen. sp.  
Trypanorhynch sp.  
 SLANKIS, A.Y. AND SHEVCHENKO, G.G., 1974

### AGNATHA

- Geotria australis Gray  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (plerocercoid)  
 LETHBRIDGE, R.C., POTTER, I.C., BRAY, R.A. AND HILLIARD, R.W., 1983  
Lampetra japonica (Martens)  
Nybelinia sp.  
 STRELKOV, YU A. AND SHULMAN, S.S.

### Petromyzon sp.

- Trypanorhynch sp. (larva)  
 REICHENBACH-KLINKE, H. AND ELKAN, E., 1965

### SELACHII

- Acanthias vulgaris Risso, 1826 SEE: Squalus acanthias (Rondelet, 1554) L.1754  
Aetobatis tenuicaudatus (Hector)  
Prochristianella aetobatis Robinson, 1959  
 ROBINSON, E.S., 1959b  
Alopias superciliosus (Lowe)  
Sphyrioccephalus pelorosoma Heinz and Dailey, 1974 (adult)  
 HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974  
Sphyrioccephalus viridis (Wagener, 1854) Pintner, 1913

HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Alopias vulpinus (Bonnaterre)

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) syn. Hepatoxylon squali  
(Martin, 1797) in Heinz and Dailey, 1974

HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Molicola uncinatus (Linton, 1924)

HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974

Bathyraja richardsoni (Garrick, 1961)

Grillotia (Paragrillotia) rowei Campbell, 1977 (immature adult)  
CAMPBELL, R.A., 1977

Carcharodon lamia

Gymnorhynchus gigas (Cuvier, 1817) (adult)  
LOPEZ-NEYRA, C.R., 1947

Carcharhinus amblyrhynchos Bleeker

Dasyrhynchus giganteus (Diesing, 1850) Pintner, 1928 (immature  
adult)

CARVAJAL, J., CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CORNFORD, E.M., 1976

Pseudogrillotia basipunctata Carvajal, Campbell and Cornford, 1976  
(adult)

CARVAJAL, J., CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CORNFORD, E.M., 1976

Carcharhinus galapagensis (Snodgrass and Heller)

Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (adult)

CARVAJAL, J., CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CORNFORD, E.M., 1976

Carcharhinus japonicus

Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817 (adult) syn. Dasyrhynchus ingens  
(Linton, 1921) (adult)

IWATA, S., 1939

Carcharhinus leucas (Müller and Henle, 1841)

Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
WATSON, D.E. AND THORSON, T.B., 1976

Dasyrhynchus giganteus (Diesing, 1850) Pintner, 1928 (adult)  
BUTEAU, JR., G.H., SIMMONS, J.E., FAIRBAIRN, D., 1969

Dasyrhynchus variouncinatus (Pintner, 1913) Pintner, 1928  
WATSON, D.E. AND THORSON, T.B., 1976

Eutetrarhynchid sp.

HENSON, R.N., 1975

Nybelinia bisulcata (Linton, 1889) Poche, 1926  
WATSON, D.E. AND THORSON, T.B., 1976

Nybelinia lingualis (Cuvier, 1817)

HENSON, R.N., 1975

Otobothrium penetrans Linton, 1907

WATSON, D.E. AND THORSON, T.B., 1976

Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1929  
(adult)

BUTEAU, JR., G.H., SIMMONS, J.E., FAIRBAIRN, D., 1969  
GOLDSTEIN, R.J., 1963

Poecilancistrum robustum (Chandler, 1935) Dollfus, 1942 (adult)  
GOLDSTEIN, R.J., 1962

Carcharhinus leucas (Müller and Henle, 1841) syn. Prionodon platydon  
(Poey, 1861) syn. Carcharhinus commersoni Blainville, 1816

Dasyrhynchus giganteus (Diesing, 1850) Pintner, 1928 (adult)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969b

Carcharhinus limbatus (Müller and Henle)

Otobothrium minutum Subhapradha, 1955 (adult)  
SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955

Otobothrium penetrans Linton, 1907  
SHULER, R.H., 1938

Poecilancistrum robustum (Chandler, 1935) Dollfus, 1942 (adult)  
THATCHER, V.E., 1961

- Carcharhinus limbatus (Valenciennes)  
Dasyrhynchus giganteus (Diesing, 1850) Pintner, 1928 (immature adult)  
CARVAJAL, J., CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CORNFORD, E.M., 1976  
Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817  
HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974  
Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802  
HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974  
Carcharhinus longimanus (Poey, 1861)  
Dasyrhynchus talismani Dollfus, 1935  
HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974  
Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802  
HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974  
Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (adult)  
REGO, A.A., 1977  
Carcharhinus platyodon (Poey)  
Grillotia perelica (Shuler, 1938) Dollfus, 1942 (adult)  
REES, G., 1969  
Carcharias acutus Muller and Henle  
Nybelinia pintneri Yamaguti, 1934 (adult)  
DESHMUKH, R.A., 1980  
Carcharias (Galeus) glaucus (Rond., 1554) Rafinesque, 1810  
Hepatoxyton trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva) syn.  
Dibothriorhynchus carcharise (Welch, 1876)  
GUIART, J., 1935a  
Carcharias platyodon (Poey)  
Dasyrhynchus insigne (Linton, 1924)  
CHANDLER, A.C., 1942  
Carcharias (Prionodon) glaucus (L.) Müller and Henle SEE: Galeus glaucus Rondelet, 1554  
Carcharias sp.  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931 (adult)  
syn. Tentacularia macfieii Southwell, 1929  
SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955  
Dasyrhynchus variouncinatus (Pintner, 1913) Pintner, 1928  
SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955  
Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817  
SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955  
Grillotia perelica (Shuler, 1938) Dollfus, 1942  
SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955  
Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (adult)  
SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955  
Carcharias walbeehmi Bleeker  
Otobothrium minutum Subhapradha, 1955 (adult)  
SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955  
Carcharias walbeehmi Bleeker  
Nybelinia sp. (adult)  
SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955  
Carcharhinus melanopterus (Quoy and Gaimard)  
Nybelinia perideraeus (Shipley and Hornell, 1906) (adult)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Otobothrium cysticum (Mayer, 1842) (plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Carcharodon carcharias (Linnaeus)  
Hepatoxyton megacephalum (Rudolphi, 1819) (adult)  
ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a  
Centrophorus squamosus (Gmelin)  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva)  
REES, G. AND LLEWELLYN, J., 1941

- Centroscyllium granulosus Günther, 1880  
Gilquinia squali (Fabricius, 1794) (immature adult)  
CARVAJAL, J., 1974
- Centroscymnus coelolepis Bocage and Capello, 1864  
Grillotia dolichocephala (Guibert, 1935) (larva)  
GUIART, J., 1935a  
Grillotia scolecina (Rudolphi, 1819) (larva)  
GUIART, J., 1935a  
Rhopalothylax gymnorhynchoides Guibert, 1935 (larva)  
GUIART, J., 1935a  
Sphyrioccephalus viridis (Wagener, 1854) Pintner, 1913 (post-larva)  
syn. Sphyrioccephalus Alberti Guibert, 1935  
GUIART, J., 1935a  
Sphyrioccephalus viridis (Wagener, 1854) (post-larva) syn.  
Sphyrioccephalus alberti Guibert, 1935  
BUSSIERAS, J., 1970
- Cetrina vulpecula Cuv  
Gymnorhynchus gigas (Cuvier, 1817) (adult)  
LOPEZ-NEYRA, C.R., 1947
- Chiloscyllium griseum Müller and Henle  
Eulacistorhynchus chiloscyllius Subhapradha, 1955 (adult)  
SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955
- Daenia kiakourae Whitley  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1882) (post-larva)  
ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a
- Dalatius licha (Bonnaterre)  
Hepatoxylon megacephalum (Rudolphi, 1819) (post-larva)  
ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a
- Dasyatis akajei  
Pterobothrium malleum (Linton, 1924) (adult)  
IWATA, S., 1939
- Dasyatis americana Hildebrand and Shroeder  
Parachristianella monomegacantha Kruse, 1959 (adult)  
CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CARVAJAL, J., 1975  
Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal,  
1975 (adult) syn. Rhynchobothrium hispidum Linton, 1890 syn.  
Prochristianella penaei Kruse, 1959  
CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CARVAJAL, J., 1975
- Dasyatis centrura  
Pterobothrium lintoni (MacCallum, 1916)  
SIMMONS, J.E., 1961
- Dasyatis late (Garmen)  
Parachristianella monomegacantha Kruse, 1959 (adult)  
CARVAJAL, J., CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CORNFORD, E.M., 1976  
Prochristianella micracantha Carvajal, Campbell and Cornford, 1976  
(immature adult)  
CARVAJAL, J., CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CORNFORD, E.M., 1976  
Pterobothrium hawaiiensis Carvajal, Campbell and Cornford, 1976  
(adult)  
CARVAJAL, J., CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CORNFORD, E.M., 1976
- Dasyatis pastinaca L.  
Christianella minuta (Van Beneden, 1849) (adult)  
KORNYUSHIN, V.V. AND SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1978
- Eutetrahyphus sp. (adult)  
CHODUDHURY, A. AND ROY, A., 1982
- Dasyatis sabina Le Sueur  
Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal,  
1975 (pre adult and adult) syn. Prochristianella penaei Kruse,  
1959  
ALDRICH, D.V., 1965  
Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal,  
1975 syn. Prochristianella penaei Kruse, 1959

- HENSON, R.N., 1975  
Prochristianella tenuispine (Linton, 1890)  
HENSON, R.N., 1975
- Dasyatis uarnak  
Eutetrahyphus sp. (adult)  
CHOWDHURY, A. AND ROY, A., 1982  
Pterobothrium sp. (plerocercus)  
TANDON, R.S., 1972
- Dasyatis violacea Bonaparte  
Nybelinia sp.  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a  
Progrillotia louiseuzeti Dollfus, 1969 (immature adult)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a
- Dasybatis sp.  
Otobothrium cysticum (Mayer, 1842)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Elasmobranch sp.  
Otobothrium conglobatus Khambata and Bal, 1953  
KHAMBATA, F.S. AND BAL, D.V., 1953  
Otobothrium septemspinigerens Khambata and Bal, 1953  
KHAMBATA, F.S. AND BAL, D.V., 1953  
Otobothrium vermicularis Khambata and Bal, 1953  
KHAMBATA, F.S. AND BAL, D.V., 1953
- Eugaleus galeus (L., 1758) Gill, 1864  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (adult) syn.  
Lacistorhynchus bulbifer (Linton, 1889)  
GUIART, J., 1935a
- Euprotomicrus bispinatus (Quoy and Gaimard, 1842)  
Sphyricephalus tergestinus Pintner, 1913 (adult)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1967a
- Galeorhinus australis Macleay  
Hepatoxyylon megacephalum (Rudolphi, 1819) (post-larva)  
ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (adult)  
ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a
- Galeoides polydactylus  
Nybelinia africana Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b
- Galeus canis (Rondelet, 1554) syn. Squalus galeus L., 1758 syn.  
Eugaleus galeus (L., 1758) Gill, 1864 syn. Galeorhinus galeus (L., 1758) Blainville, 1816  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (adult)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Galeus glaucus Rondelet, 1554  
Clujia Racovitzai Guiart, 1935 (larva)  
GUIART, J., 1935a
- Tentacularia coryphaenae Boas, 1802 (adult) syn. Tentacularia rugosa (Leuckhart, 1850)  
GUIART, J., 1935a
- Galeus glaucus Rondelet, 1554 syn. Carcharias (Prionodon) glaucus (L.) Müller and Henle  
Dasyrhynchus talismani Dollfus, 1935 (adult)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Galeus glaucus Rondelet, 1554 syn. Squalus glaucus L. 1758  
Hepatoxyylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Ginglymostoma cirratum  
Eutetrahyphus lineatus (Linton, 1909) syn. Tentacularia lineata (Linton, 1909) Shuler, 1938  
SHULER, R.H., 1938
- Grillotia (Paragrillotia) simmonsi Dollfus, 1969 (adult)  
BUTEAU, JR., G.H., SIMMONS, J.E., FAIRBAIRN, D., 1969

- Tentacularia similis (Linton, 1909) Shuler, 1938 syn.  
Rhynchobothrium simile Linton, 1909  
SHULER, R.H., 1938
- Ginglymostoma cirratum (Bonnaterre)  
Eutetrahyynchus lineatus (Linton, 1909) syn. Tentacularia lineata (Linton, 1909) (adult)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Ginglymostoma cirratum (Gmelin, 1788)  
Grillotia (Paragrillotia) simmonsi Dollfus, 1969 (adult)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969b
- Heterodontus francisci (Girard)  
Nybelinia anthicosum Heinz and Dailey, 1974 (adult)  
HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974
- Hexanchus griseus (Bonnaterre, 1788)  
Grillotia heptanchi (Vauvageard, 1899) (adult)  
CARVAJAL, J., 1971  
CARVAJAL, J., 1974
- Grillotia megabothridia (Hart, 1936) (adult) syn. Tentacularia megabothridia Hart, 1936 syn. Grillotia heptanchi (Vauvageard, 1899)  
HART, J.F., 1936
- Grillotia spinosissima Dollfus, 1969 (larva, immature adult, adult)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a
- Nybelinia sp.  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a
- Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva) syn.  
Nybelinia sp. of Wardle (1932) syn. Tetrahyynchus sp. of Hart (1936)  
HART, J.F., 1936
- Hexanchus griseus (Gmelin)  
Grillotia acanthoscolex Rees, 1944 (adult)  
REES, G., 1944
- Trypanorhynch sp.  
REES, G. AND LLEWELLYN, J., 1941
- Hopoprion brevirostris Poey  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931 syn.  
Tentacularia pseudodera Shuler, 1938  
SHULER, R.H., 1938
- Dasyrhynchus variouncinatus (Pintner, 1913) Pintner, 1928 syn.  
Tentacularia insignis (Linton, 1819) Shuler, 1938  
SHULER, R.H., 1938
- Grillotia perelica (Shuler, 1938) Dollfus, 1942 (adult) syn.  
Tentacularia perelica Shuler, 1938  
SHULER, R.H., 1938
- Hopoprion brevirostris Poey SEE: Negaprion brevirostris (Poey, 1868)
- Isuropopsis glauca  
Gymnorhynchus (Molicola) horridus Goodsir, 1841 (adult)  
IWATA, S., 1939
- Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (adult) syn.  
Dibothriorhynchus squali La Martinère, 1797  
IWATA, S., 1939
- Sphyrioccephalus viridis (Wagener, 1854) Pintner, 1913 (adult)  
IWATA, S., 1939
- Iaurus glaucus (Müller and Henle)  
Gymnorhynchus isuri Robinson, 1959 (adult)  
ROBINSON, E.S., 1959b
- Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)  
ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a

- Isurus nasus (Bonnaterre, 1788) Lamna cornubica (Gmelin, 1789)  
Cuvier, 1817  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Isurus oxyrinchus Rafinesque, 1810  
Gymnorhynchus gigas (Cuvier, 1817)  
HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974  
Molicola horridus (Goodsir, 1841)  
HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974  
Nybelinia pintneri Yamaguti, 1934  
HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974  
Nybelinia sp.  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a
- Isurus oxyrinchus Rafinesque, 1810 syn. Oxyrhina Spallanzanii  
(Rafinesque, 1810) Bonaparte, 1841  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Lamna cornubica (Gmelin)  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802)  
WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960
- Lamna ditropis Hubbs and Follett, 1947  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (adult)  
SHIMAZU, T., 1975b  
Nybelinia (Syngenes) palliata (Linton, 1924)  
YOUNG, R.T., 1954a
- "Megamouth"  
Mixodigma leptaleum Dailey and Vogelbein, 1982 (adult)  
DAILEY, M.D. AND VOGELBEIN, W., 1982
- Mustelus antarcticus Günther  
Eutetrahyynchus australis Prudhoe, 1969 (adult)  
PRUDHOE, S., 1969
- Mustelus asterias (Rondolet)  
Nybelinia lingualis (Cuvier, 1817) (larva or post larva)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Mustelus californicus  
Eutetrahyynchus litocephalus Heinz and Dailey, 1974 (adult)  
HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974  
Eutetrahyynchus macrotrachelus Heinz and Dailey, 1974 (adult)  
HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858)  
HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974
- Mustelus canis (Mitchell, 1815)  
Eutetrahyynchus ruficollis (Eysenhardt, 1829) (adult)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a  
Lacistorhynchus sp. syn. Lacystorhynchus sp. of Kilejian and MacInnis, 1976  
KILEJIAN, A. AND MACINNIS, A.J., 1976  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858)  
BUTEAU, JR., G.H., SIMMONS, J.E., BEACH, D.H., HOLTZ, JR., G.G., AND SHERMAN, I.W., 1971  
LAURIE, J.S., 1961  
LUMSDEN, R.D. AND BYRAM, J., III., 1967  
LUMSDEN, R.D., OAKS, J.A. AND ALWORTH, W.L., 1970  
PAPPAS, P.W., 1978  
READ, C.P., 1957  
SIMMONS, J.E., 1961  
SIMMONS, J.E., 1969  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (adult)  
CAMPBELL, J.W., 1960  
CAMPBELL, J.W. AND LEE, T.W., 1963  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a  
LACEY, R.J. AND SPATZ, E.M., 1969

- LUMSDEN, R.D., 1965  
 LUMSDEN, R.D., 1966a  
 LUMSDEN, R.D., 1966b  
 LUMSDEN, R.D., 1967  
 OAKS, J.A. AND LUMSDEN, R.D., 1971  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (adult) syn.  
Lacistorhynchus tenue (Van Beneden, 1858)  
 STUNKARD, H.W., 1981  
Mustelicola woodsholei Dollfus, 1969 (adult)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969b  
Nybelinia eureia Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b  
Tetrarhynchobothrium setiense Dollfus, 1969 (larva)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a  
Mustelus henlei (Gill)  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858)  
 HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974  
Mustelus manazo Bleeker  
Nybelinia manazo Yamaguti, 1952 (adult)  
 YAMAGUTI, S., 1952  
Mustelus mento Cope, 1877  
Prochristianella musteli Carvajal, 1974 (adult)  
 CARVAJAL, J., 1974  
Mustelus mustelus (Linnaeus, 1758)  
Eutetrahyynchus ruficollis (Eysenhardt, 1829) (adult)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (adult)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a  
Tetrarhynchobothrium setiense Dollfus, 1969 (larva)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a  
Myliobatis aquila (Linnaeus, 1758)  
Eutetrahyynchus glaber Dollfus, 1969 (adult)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a  
Eutetrahyynchus spinifer Dollfus, 1969 (larva, adult)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a  
Parachristianella trygonis Dollfus, 1946 (adult) syn.  
Christianella trygon-brucco of Euzet, 1956  
 EUZET, L., 1956  
Parachristianella trygonis Dollfus, 1946 (immature adult)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a  
Tetrarhynchobothrium setiense Dollfus, 1969 (larva, adult)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a  
Tetrarhynchobothrium tenuicolle Diesing, 1850 (adult)  
 EUZET, L., 1956  
Myliobatis californica  
Mecistobothrium myliobati Heinz and Dailey, 1974 (adult)  
 HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974  
Myrmillo manazo (Bik.)  
Myrmillorhynchus pearsoni (Southwell, 1929) Bilqees, 1980 (adult)  
 syn. Tetrahyynchus pearsoni Southwell, 1929  
 BILQEES, F.M., 1980  
Otobothrium karachiensis Bilqees and Muslehuddin, 1976 (adult)  
 BILQEES, F.M. AND MUSLEHUDDIN, R., 1976  
Tentacularia sp. (adult)  
 BILQEES, F.M. AND MUSLEHUDDIN, R., 1976  
Negaprion brevirostris (Poey, 1868)  
Floriceps caballeroi Cruz-Reyes, 1977 (adult)  
 CRUZ-REYES, A., 1977  
Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817 (adult)  
 CRUZ-REYES, A., 1974b  
Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1929  
 (adult)

- GOLDSTEIN, R.J., 1963  
Poecilancistrum robustum (Chandler, 1935) Dollfus, 1942 (adult)  
 GOLDSTEIN, R.J., 1962  
Negaprion brevirostris (Poey, 1868) syn. Hypoprion brevirostris Poey  
Dasyrhynchus giganteus (Diesing, 1850) Pintner, 1928 (adult)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969b  
Notorhynchus maculatus Ayres, 1855  
Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817  
 HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974  
Nybelinia sp.  
 PAPPAS, P.W., 1970  
Notorhynchus pectorosus (Garman)  
Grillotia heptanchi (Vauvageard, 1899) (adult)  
 ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a  
Hepatoxylon megacephalum (Rudolphi, 1819) (post-larva)  
 ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a  
Oxyrhina Spallanzanii (Rafinesque, 1810) Bonaparte, 1841 SEE:  
Iurus oxyrinchus Rafinesque, 1810  
Oxyrina pallananii Bonaterre  
Gymnorhynchus gigas (Cuvier, 1817) (adult)  
 LOPEZ-NEYRA, C.R., 1947  
Paratrygon hystrix (Müller and Henle)  
Eutetrahyynchus araya (Woodland, 1934) Yamaguti, 1959  
 REGO, A.A., 1979  
Paratrygon motoro (Müller and Henle)  
Eutetrahyynchus araya (Woodland, 1934) Rego and Dias, 1976  
 REGO, A.A., 1979  
Eutetrahyynchus araya (Woodland, 1934) Yamaguti, 1959 (adult) syn.  
Eutetrahyynchus baeri López-Neyra and Diaz-Ungria, 1958  
 REGO, A.A. AND DIAS, A.P.L., 1976  
Platyrrhinoides triseriata (Gordon and Gilbert)  
Prochristianella minima Heinz and Dailey, 1974 (adult)  
 HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974  
Platysqualus tudes (Cuvier)  
Diploctenobothrium springeri Chandler, 1942 (adult)  
 CHANDLER, A.C., 1942  
Potamotrygon falkneri  
Eutetrahyynchus araya (Woodland, 1934) Rego and Dias, 1976 (adult)  
 syn. Eutetrahyynchus baeri López-Neyra and Diaz-Ungria, 1958  
 BROOKS, D.R., MAYES, M.A. AND THORSON, T.B., 1981  
Potamotrygon hystrix (Müller and Troschel)  
Eutetrahyynchus araya (Woodland, 1934) Yamaguti, 1959 (adult)  
 LOPEZ-NEYRA, C.R. AND DIAZ-UNGRIA, C., 1958  
Eutetrahyynchus araya (Woodland, 1934) Yamaguti, 1959 (adult) syn.  
Eutetrahyynchus baeri López-Neyra and Diaz-Ungria, 1958  
 BROOKS, D.R., MAYES, M.A. AND THORSON, T.B., 1981  
Potamotrygon motoro (Müller and Henle)  
Eutetrahyynchus araya (Woodland, 1934) Yamaguti, 1959 (adult) syn.  
Eutetrahyynchus baeri López-Neyra and Diaz-Ungria, 1958  
 BROOKS, D.R., MAYES, M.A. AND THORSON, T.B., 1981  
Potamotrygon reticulatus (Gunther)  
Eutetrahyynchus araya (Woodland, 1934) Yamaguti, 1959 (adult) syn.  
Eutetrahyynchus baeri López-Neyra and Diaz-Ungria, 1958  
 BROOKS, D.R., MAYES, M.A. AND THORSON, T.B., 1981  
Prionace glauca (Linnaeus, 1758)  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
 HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974  
Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817 (adult) syn. Dasyrhynchus ingens  
 (Linton, 1921) (adult)  
 IWATA, S., 1939  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (larva) syn.  
Dibothriorhynchus squali (La Martinère, 1797)

- IWATA, S., 1939  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (plerocercoid) syn.  
Dibothriorhynchus grossum (Rudolphi, 1819)  
YANEZ, A.P., 1950  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (plerocercus)  
CARVAJAL, J., 1974  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)  
CATTAN, P.E., CARVAJAL, J., TORRES, D. AND YANEZ, J.L., 1979  
ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva) syn. Hepatoxylon squali (? Martiniere, 1797)  
THRELFALL, W., 1969  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva) syn. Hepatoxylon squali Bosc, 1811  
PAPPAS, P.W., 1970  
Nybelinia pintneri Yamaguti, 1934 (adult)  
IWATA, S., 1939  
Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (adult)  
CATTAN, P.E., CARVAJAL, J., TORRES, D. AND YANEZ, J.L., 1979  
IWATA, S., 1939  
Prionodon platydon (Poey, 1861) syn. Carcharhinus commersoni  
Blainville, 1816 SEE: Carcharhinus leucas (Müller and Henle, 1841)  
Pseudotriakis microdon Capello, 1867  
Grillotia dolichocephala (Guibert, 1935) (larva)  
GUIART, J., 1935a  
Sphyrioccephalus viridis (Wagener, 1854) Pintner, 1913 (post-larva)  
syn. Sphyrioccephalus Alberti Guibert, 1935  
GUIART, J., 1935a  
Pteroplatea micrura Day  
Halysiorhynchus macrocephalus (Shipley and Hornell, 1906) (adult)  
ZAIDI, D.A. AND KHAN, D., 1976  
Raja batis L.  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858)  
WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960  
Raja binoculata  
Gilquinia squali (Fabricius, 1794) (adult)  
RIGBY, D.W. AND MARX, R.A., 1962  
Nybelinia riseri Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b  
Raja brachyura Lafont  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858)  
WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960  
Raja chilensis Guichenot, 1848  
Grillotia dollfusi Carvajal, 1971  
WHITTAKER, F.H., CARVAJAL, J.G. AND APKARIAN, R., 1982  
Grillotia dollfusi Carvajal, 1971 (adult)  
CARVAJAL, J., 1971  
Raja clavata L.  
Christianella minuta (Van Beneden, 1849) (adult)  
KORNYUSHIN, V.V. AND SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1978  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858)  
REES, G. AND LLEWELLYN, J., 1941  
WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (adult)  
BAYLIS, H.A., 1939  
KORNYUSHIN, V.V. AND SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1978  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Grillotia recurvispinis Dollfus, 1969 (immature adult)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a  
Grillotia sp.

- LAVERACK, M.S. AND BLACKLER, M., 1974
- Raja diaphanes Garman, 1913 SEE: Raja ocellata Mitchell, 1815
- Raja fullonica L.  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858)  
WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960
- Raja kincaidii  
Dasyrhynchus sp. (adult)  
DOUGLAS, L.T., 1959
- Raja laevis Mitchell, 1817 syn. Raja stabuliformis Garman, 1913  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858)  
MYERS, B.J., 1959
- Raja maculata Montagu 1815 Raja montagui Fowler 1910  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Raja micro-ocellata Montagu  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858)  
WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960
- Raja miraleetus L. 1758  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b
- Raja naevus Müller and Henle  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva)  
REES, G. AND LLEWELLYN, J., 1941
- Raja naevus Müller and Henle, 1841  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858)  
MCVICAR, A.H., 1977  
MCVICAR, A.H., 1979  
WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Grillotia sp.  
WILLIAMS, H.H., 1968
- Raja ocellata Mitchell, 1815  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858)  
SIMMONS, J.E., 1961
- Raja ocellata Mitchell, 1815 syn. Raja diaphanes Garman, 1913  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858)  
MYERS, B.J., 1959
- Raja oxyrhynchus L.  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858)  
REES, G. AND LLEWELLYN, J., 1941  
WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960  
Grillotia pseuderinaceus Dollfus, 1969 (immature adult)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a
- Raja radiata Donovan  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858)  
BAER, J.G., 1962
- Grillotia sp. (adult)  
WILLIAMS, H.H., MCVICAR, A.H. AND RALPH, R., 1970
- Raja rhina (Jordan and Gilbert)  
Grillotia musculara (Hart, 1936) Dollfus, 1942 (adult) syn.  
Tentacularie musculara Hart, 1936  
HART, J.F., 1936
- Raja scabrata  
Grillotia sp.  
HELLER, A.F., 1949
- Raja sp.  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

- Raja stabuliformis German, 1913 SEE: Raja laevis Mitchell, 1817  
Ray
- Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858)  
 HALTON, D.W. AND MCKERR, G., 1979
- Ray sp.  
Pterobothrium sp. (plerocercus)  
 REGO, A.A., SANTOS, J.C. AND SILVA, P.P., 1974
- Rhina squatina (L.) SEE: Squatina squatina (L.)
- Rhinobatos planiceps Garman, 1880  
Parachristianella monomegacantha Kruse, 1959  
 DAILEY, M.D. AND CARVAJAL, J., 1976
- Prochristianella heteracantha Dailey and Carvajal, 1976 (adult)  
 DAILEY, M.D. AND CARVAJAL, J., 1976
- Rhinobatos productus (Ayres)  
Eutetrahyynchus schmidti Heinz and Dailey, 1974 (adult)  
 HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974
- Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858)  
 HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974
- Parachristianella monomegacantha Kruse, 1959  
 HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974
- Parachristianella monomegacantha Kruse, 1959 (adult)  
 MUDRY, D.R., DAILEY, M.D., 1971
- Prochristianella fragilis Heinz and Dailey, 1974 (adult)  
 HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974
- sp. (larva)  
 KUNNENKERI, J.K. AND MARTIN, W.E., 1962
- Rhinobatus granulatus  
Eutetrahyynchus sp. (adult)  
 CHOUDHURY, A. AND ROY, A., 1982
- Rhinobatus halavi (Forsk)  
Christianella minuta (Van Beneden, 1849) (adult)  
 SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955
- Rhinoptera bonasus (Mitchell, 1815)  
Mecistobothrium brevispine (Linton, 1897) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975 (adult), Rhynchobothrium brevispine Linton, 1897,  
Rhynchobothrium agile Linton, 1897  
 CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CARVAJAL, J., 1975
- Rhinoptericola megalacantha Carvajal and Campbell, 1975 (adult)  
 CARVAJAL, J. AND CAMPBELL, R.A., 1975
- Rhinotriakis henlei  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858)  
 BUTEAU, JR., G.H., SIMMONS, J.E., BEACH, D.H., HOLTZ, JR., G.G., AND SHERMAN, I.W., 1971
- Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (adult)  
 VOGE, M., EDMONDS, H., 1969
- Rhynchobatus djeddensis (Forsk) Bleeker  
Otobothrium linstowi Southwell, 1912 (adult)  
 SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955
- Scoliodon palaeorah (Cuvier)  
Hornelliella palaeorahi Zaidi and Khan, 1976 (adult)  
 ZAIDI, D.A. AND KHAN, D., 1976
- Scoliodon sorrakowah  
Nybelinia robusta (Linton, 1890) (adult)  
 KYAW-MYINT, 1968
- Scoliodon terrae-novae (Richardson)  
Otobothrium penetrans Linton, 1907  
 SHULER, R.H., 1938
- Scoliodon walbeemii  
Callitetrarhynchus nipponica Nakajima and Egusa, 1973 (adult)  
 NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1972a
- Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (adult)  
 IWATA, S., 1939

- Scyliorhinus canicula (L.)  
Nybelinia sp.  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a
- Scymnorhinus licha (Bonnaterre)  
Sphyrioccephalus viridis (Wagener, 1854) Pintner, 1913  
WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960  
Sphyrioccephalus viridis (Wagener, 1854) Pintner, 1913 (adult)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b
- Somniosus pacificus  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)  
REYES PIRIANO, X, 1982
- Sphyraea diplostoma Springer  
Nybelinia edwinlintoni Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b  
Nybelinia (Syngenes) goreensis Dollfus, 1960 (adult)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b
- Sphyraea lewini  
Otobothrium kurisi Shields, 1985 (adult)  
SHIELDS, J.D., 1985
- Sphyraea tiburo Linnaeus  
Trypanorhynchus sp.  
HENSON, R.N., 1975
- Sphyraea zygaena (L.)  
Callitetrarhynchus nipponica Nakajima and Egusa, 1973 (adult)  
NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1972a  
Nybelinia palliata (Linton, 1924) (adult)  
CHANDLER, A.C., 1942  
Nybelinia (Syngenes) sphaerae Yamaguti, 1952 (adult)  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952  
Otobothrium pephrikos Dollfus, 1969 (adult)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a  
Otobothrium projectysticum Dollfus, 1969 (adult)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a
- Spinax spinax (L.)  
Aporhynchus norvegicum (Olssen, 1868) Nybelin, 1918  
REES, G. AND LLEWELLYN, J., 1941  
Aporhynchus norvegicum (Olssen, 1868) Nybelin, 1918 (adult)  
REES, G., 1941b
- Squalus acanthias (L.)  
Christianella minuta (Van Beneden, 1849) (adult)  
KORNYUSHIN, V.V. AND SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1978  
Gilquinia squali (Fabricius, 1794)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a  
HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974  
MANGER, B.R., 1972  
PAPPAS, P.W., 1970  
WILLEMSE, J.J., 1968  
WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960  
Gilquinia squali (Fabricius, 1794) (adult)  
MCCULLOUGH, J.S. AND FAIRWEATHER, I., 1983  
ORLOWSKA, K., 1979  
THRELFALL, W., 1969
- Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)  
GOTTO, R.V., 1955
- Squalus acanthias (Rondelet, 1554) L.1754 syn. Acanthias vulgaris  
Risso, 1826  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Squalus ferdinandinus Molina  
Gilquinia squali (Fabricius, 1794)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a

- Squalus galeus L., 1758 syn. Eugaleus galeus (L., 1758) Gill, 1864  
 syn. Galeorhinus galeus (L., 1758) Blainville, 1816 SEE:  
Galeus canis (Rondelet, 1554)
- Squalus glaucus L. 1758 SEE: Galeus glaucus Rondelet, 1554
- Squalus lebruni (Vaillant)  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)  
 ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a
- Squalus suckleyi  
Gilquinia squali (Fabricius, 1794) (adult)  
 RIGBY, D.W. AND MARX, R.A., 1962
- Squalus suckleyi (Girard)  
Gilquinia anteropus (Hart, 1936) (adult) syn. Tetrahyphalus  
anteropus Hart, 1936 syn. Gilquinia squali (Fabricius, 1794) syn.  
Gilquinia tetrabothrium (Van Beneden, 1894) in Wardle (1933) syn.  
Gilquinia squali (Fabricius, 1793) in Wardle (1933)  
 HART, J.F., 1936
- Squatina californica Ayres  
Grillotia smaris-gora (Wagener, 1854)  
 HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974
- Squatina squatina (L.)  
Christianella minuta (Van Beneden, 1849) (adult)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Grillotia angeli Dollfus, 1969 (immature adult)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a
- Grillotia smaris-gora (Wagener, 1854) Dollfus, 1946 (adult)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b
- Squatina squatina (L.) syn. Rhina squatina (L.)  
Christianella minuta (Van Beneden, 1849) (adult) syn.  
Tetrahyphalus minutus Van Beneden, 1849 (in Nybelin, 1940) syn.  
Wageneria porrecta Lühe, 1902  
 NYBELIN, O., 1940
- Stegostoma tigrinum  
Hornelliella annandalei (Hornell, 1912) Yamaguti, 1954 (adult)  
 syn. Tetrahyphalus annandalei, Hornell, 1912  
 YAMAGUTI, S., 1954
- Tentacularia macropora (Shipley and Hornell, 1906) (adult)  
 SUBRAMANIAM, M.K., 1940
- Synias manazo  
Trigonolobom sp. Dollfus, 1929 (adult) syn. Rhynchobothrius  
spinuliferus (Southwell, 1911)  
 IWATA, S., 1939
- Torpedo fairchildi Hutton  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)  
 ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a
- Torpedo nobiliana Bonaparte  
Grillotia microthrix Dollfus, 1969 (plerocercus)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a
- Triakis henlei (Gill, 1862)  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858)  
 PAPPAS, P.W., 1970
- Triakis maculata Kner and Steindachner, 1867  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (adult)  
 CARVAJAL, J., 1974
- Triakis scyllia Müller and Henle  
Callitetrarhynchus nipponica Nakajima and Egusa, 1973 (adult)  
 NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1972d  
 NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1973
- Callitetrarhynchus nipponica Nakajima and Egusa, 1973  
 (plerocercus)  
 NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1972b
- Callitetrarhynchus nipponica Nakajima and Egusa, 1973  
 (plerocercus, adult)

- NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1972c
- Triakis semifasciata Girard, 1854
- Eutetrahyynchus litocephalus Heinz and Dailey, 1974 (adult)
- HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974
- Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858)
- BUTEAU, JR., G.H., SIMMONS, J.E., BEACH, D.H., HOLTZ, JR., G.G., AND SHERMAN, I.W., 1971
- HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974
- PAPPAS, P.W., 1970
- Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (adult)
- MUDRY, D.R., DAILEY, M.D., 1971
- RISER, N.W., 1956
- SAKANARI, J. AND MOSER, M., 1985b
- VOGE, M., EDMONDS, H., 1969
- YOUNG, R.T., 1954a
- Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (immature adult)
- SAKANARI, J. AND MOSER, M., 1985b
- Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (immature adult)
- (experimental infection)
- YOUNG, R.T., 1954b
- Nybelinia anthicosum Heinz and Dailey, 1974 (adult)
- HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974
- Trygon imbricate (Bloch and Schneider)
- Christianella minuta (Van Beneden, 1849) (adult)
- SUBHAPRADHA, C.K., 1955
- Trygon pastinace (L.)
- Grillotia (Progrillotia) pastinacea Dollfus, 1946 (adult)
- DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b
- Parachristianella trygonis Dollfus, 1946 (adult)
- DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b
- Prochristianella trygonicola Dollfus, 1946 (adult)
- DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b
- Trygon sp.
- Tentacularia grayae Woodland, 1934
- DOLLFUS, R.P., 1975b
- Urobatis halleri (Cooper)
- Christianella sp. (adult)
- YOUNG, R.T., 1954a
- Parachristianella trygonis Dollfus, 1946 (adult)
- YOUNG, R.T., 1954a
- sp. (larva)
- KUNNENKERI, J.K. AND MARTIN, W.E., 1962
- Urobatis halleri (Cooper) (?)
- Christianella trygonis-bucconis (Wagener, 1854) adult
- YOUNG, R.T., 1954a
- Urolophus halleri
- Eutetrahyynchus schmidti Heinz and Dailey, 1974 (adult)
- HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974
- Mecistobothrium myliobati Heinz and Dailey, 1974 (adult)
- HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974
- Prochristianella minima Heinz and Dailey, 1974 (adult)
- HEINZ, M.L. AND DAILEY, M.D., 1974
- Urolophus jamaicensis (Cuvier, 1817)
- Eutetrahyynchus caribensis Kovacs and Schmidt, 1980 (adult)
- KOVACS, K.J. AND SCHMIDT, G.D., 1980
- Eutetrahyynchus thalassius Kovacs and Schmidt, 1980 (adult)
- KOVACS, K.J. AND SCHMIDT, G.D., 1980
- Urolophus testaceus (Müller and Henle)
- Eutetrahyynchus geraschmidtii Dollfus, 1974 (pre-adult)
- DOLLFUS, R.P., 1974a

Vulpecula marina Valmont

Molicola uncinatus (Linton, 1924) (adult) syn. Rhynchobothrium uncinatum Linton, 1924 syn. Floriceps uncinatus (Linton, 1924)  
Yamaguti, 1952  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952

OSTEICHTHYES

Acanthocybium solanderi (Cuvier and Valenciennes, 1831)

Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (post-larva)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Acanthopsettia nadeshnyi

Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929  
MAMAEV, Y.L., PARUKHIN, A.M. AND BAEVA, O.M., 1963

Acanthurus caeruleus Bloch and Schneider

Otobothrium crenacolle Linton, 1890 (plerocercus)  
REES, G., 1969

Agnostomus forsteri (Cuvier and Valenciennes)

Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercus)  
ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a

Aloheastes afer

Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
(plerocercus)  
REES, G., 1969

Anguilla japonica

Nybelinia anguilllicola Yamaguti, 1952 (larva)  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952

Antimora rostrata

Trypanorhynch sp. (larva)  
CAMPBELL, R.A., HAEDRICH, R.L. AND MUNROE, T.A., 1980

Aprodon cortezianus Gilbert

Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
ARAI, H.P., 1969

Argentina elongata

Hepatoxyton trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (larva)  
POIS, N.V., 1975

Argentina kagoshimae Jordan and Snyder

Nybelinia nipponica Yamaguti, 1952 (larva)  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952

Arius gagora

Pterobothrium lintoni (MacCallum, 1916)  
KYAW-MYINT, 1968

Arius platystomus

Pterobothrium lintoni (MacCallum, 1916) (larva)  
KYAW-MYINT, 1968

Arius serratus (Day)

Otobothrium arii Bilqees and Shaukat, 1976 (plerocercoid)  
BILQEES, F.M. AND SHAUKAT, N., 1976

Arripis trutta (Bloch and Schneider)

Nybelinia sp. (larva)  
BAKER, A.N., 1971

Atheresthes evermanni Jordan et Starks

Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929  
MAMAEV, Y.L., PARUKHIN, A.M. AND BAEVA, O.M., 1963

Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Atherinops californiensis

sp. (larva)  
KUNNENKERI, J.K. AND MARTIN, W.E., 1962

Bagre bahiensis

Otobothrium crenacolle Linton, 1890 (larva)  
PALACIOS, N.M., 1963  
PALACIOS, N.M. AND BARROETA, L.F., 1967

Bagre marina

Callitetrarhynchus lepidus (Chandler, 1935) Chandler, 1942 (larva)  
syn. Tentacularia lepida Chandler, 1935  
CHANDLER, A.C., 1935a  
sp. (larva)  
CHANDLER, A.C., 1935a

Bairdiella chrysura (Lacépède)

Poecilancistrium caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1929  
(plerocercoid)  
OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977  
SCHLICHT, F.G. AND MCFARLAND, W.N., 1967

Balistes capriscus L.

Nybelinia lingualis (Cuvier, 1817) (larva or post larva)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Balistes polylepis Steindachner, 1876

Otobothrium (Pseudotobothrium) dipsacum (Linton, 1897) Dollfus, 1942 syn. Otobothrium (Pseudotobothrium) insigne (Linton, 1905) Dollfus, 1942  
CRUZ-REYES, A., 1974a

Barracuda

Tentacularia sp. (larva)  
YEH, L.S., 1956

Belone belone (L.)

Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858)  
WILLEMSE, J.J., 1968  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a  
GRABDA, J., 1981

Belone belone (L.) syn. Belone vulgaris Flem.

Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Belone vulgaris Flem. SEE: Belone belone (L.)

Beryx splendens

Tentacularia sp. (larva)  
ICHIHARA, A., 1968

Box boope (L. 1758)

Nybelinia estigmata Dollfus, 1960 (var. 2) (post-larva)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Brama raii (Bloch, 1791)

Gymnorhynchus gigas (Cuvier, 1817)  
LOPEZ-NEYRA, C.R., 1947  
WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960  
Gymnorhynchus gigas (Cuvier, 1817) (plerocercus)  
SEYDA, M., 1976

Brama rayi Schneid.

Gymnorhynchus gigas (Cuvier, 1817) (plerocercus)  
BRIAN, A., 1952

Caran sp.

Dasyrhynchus variouncinatus (Pintner, 1913) Pintner, 1928  
(plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Caranx affinis

Pterobothrium sp. (plerocercoid)  
JENSEN, L.A., SCHMIDT, G.D. AND KUNTZ, K.E., 1983

Caranx armatus (Forskal)

Dasyrhynchus variouncinatus (Pintner, 1913) Pintner, 1928  
(plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Caranx cryos (Mitchill)

Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
(plerocercus)  
REES, G., 1969

- Caranx rhonchus Saint-Hilaire, 1809  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
 (plerocercus)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Nybelinia senegalensis Dollfus, 1960  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b
- Caranx ruber  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
 (plerocercus)  
 REES, G., 1969
- Caranx sp.  
Pterobothrium sp. (plerocercus)  
 MIRZAYANS, A., 1970
- Caranx trachurus (L.)  
Grillotia bothridiopunctata Dollfus, 1969 (larva)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a
- Careproctus sp.  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 STRELKOV, J.A., 1960
- Centropomus undecimalis Lacépède  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
 (plerocercus)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Cephalopholis fulvus  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
 (plerocercus)  
 REES, G., 1969
- Cepola schlegeli (Bleeker)  
Oncomegas wageneri (Linton, 1890) (larva)  
 YAMAGUTI, S., 1952
- Ceratoscopelus maderensis (Lowe, 1839)  
Gilquinia sp. (plerocercoid)  
 REIMER, L.W., 1975b
- Cerberus rhynchos  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
 (plerocercoid)  
 JENSEN, L.A., SCHMIDT, G.D. AND KUNTZ, K.E., 1983
- Chaeturichthys hexanemus (Bleeker)  
Pterobothrium chaeturichthydis Yamaguti, 1952 (larva)  
 YAMAGUTI, S., 1952
- Chascanopsetta lugubris Alcock  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
 REIMER, L.W., 1984
- Nybelinia sp. (larva)  
 REIMER, L.W., 1984
- Parachristianella sp. (larva)  
 REIMER, L.W., 1984
- Cheilodactylus macropterus (Bloch and Schneider)  
Hepatoxyylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)  
 VOOREN, C.M. AND TRACEY, D., 1976
- Nybelinia sp. (post-larva)  
 VOOREN, C.M. AND TRACEY, D., 1976
- Chelidonichthys kumu Lesson and Garnot  
Otobothrium (Pseudotobothrium) dipsacum Linton, 1897 syn.  
Otobothrium dipsacum Linton, 1897  
 YAMAGUTI, S., 1952
- Chirotentaculus dorab  
Tentacularia sp. (larva)  
 ANANTARAMAN, S., 1963

- Chlorophthalmus agassizi* Bonaparte  
*Callitetrarhynchus gracilis* (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
REIMER, L.W., 1984
- Clevelandia ios* (Jordan and Gilbert)  
*Callitetrarhynchus* sp. (larva)  
BROOKS, D.R. AND BROTHERS, E.B., 1974
- Clibanarius misanthropus* Risso  
*Eutetrarhynchus carayoni* Dollfus, 1942 (plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Clupea harengus* L., 1758  
*Grillotia erinaceus* (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva)  
SINDERMANN, C.J., 1957
- Grillotia erinaceus* (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1956
- Lacistorhynchus* sp.  
MACKENZIE, K., 1985
- Lacistorhynchus tenuis* (Van Beneden, 1858)  
MACKENZIE, K., 1978
- Lacistorhynchus tenuis* (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva)  
SINDERMANN, C.J., 1957
- Lacistorhynchus tenuis* (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1956
- Trypanorhynch* sp. (larva)  
SINDERMANN, C.J., 1961a
- Clupea harengus pallasi* Valenciennes, 1847  
*Lacistorhynchus tenuis* (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercoid)  
SAKANARI, J. AND MOSER, M., 1985a
- Nybelinia surmenicola* Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (plerocercoid)  
ARTHUR, J.R. AND ARAI, H.P., 1980
- Trypanorhynch* sp.  
ARTHUR, J.R. AND ARAI, H.P., 1980
- Trypanorhynch* sp. (plerocercoid)  
ARTHUR, J.R. AND ARAI, H.P., 1980
- Coelorhynchus parallelus* (Gunther)  
*Nybelinia* sp. (larva)  
REIMER, L.W., 1984
- Pseudogrillotia* sp. (larva)  
REIMER, L.W., 1984
- Coelorhynchus* sp.  
*Microbothriorhynchus coelorhynchi* Yamaguti, 1952 (larva)  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952
- Conger conger*  
*Grillotia erinaceus* (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva)  
BAYLIS, H.A., 1939
- Conger myriaster*  
*Oncomegas wageneri* (Linton, 1890) (larva)  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952
- Congrid* sp.  
*Nybelinia eureia* Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b
- Coridodax pullus* (Bloch and Schneider, 1801)  
*Gymnorhynchus* sp.  
RITCHIE, L.D., 1969
- Lacistorhynchus tenuis* (Van Beneden, 1858)  
RITCHIE, L.D., 1969
- Coris julis*  
*Floriceps oxneri* Guiart, 1938 (larva)  
GUIART, J., 1938
- Corvina nigrata* Cuvier  
*Otobothrium cysticum* (Mayer, 1842) (plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

- Coryphaena equisetis Linnaeus, 1758  
Nybelinia alloiotica Dollfus, 1960 (var.) (post-larva)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b  
Trypanorhynch sp. (larva)  
GREER, J.K., 1976
- Coryphaena hippurus Linnaeus  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva) syn.  
Dibothriorhynchus attenuatus (Rudolphi, 1819)  
GUIART, J., 1935a  
Nybelinia bisulcata (Linton, 1889) Poche, 1926 (plerocercus)  
WARD, H.L., 1954  
Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (plerocercus)  
WARD, H.L., 1954  
Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (post-larva)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b
- Coryphaena sp.  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva) syn.  
Dibothriorhynchus attenuatus (Rudolphi, 1819)  
GUIART, J., 1935a  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva) syn.  
Dibothriorhynchus claviger (Leuckart, 1819)  
GUIART, J., 1935a  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva) syn.  
Dibothriorhynchus stenocephala Guiart, 1935  
GUIART, J., 1935a  
Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802  
JOYEUX, C. AND BAER, J.G., 1954
- Coryphaenoides (Chalinura) carapinus (Goode and Bean, 1883)  
Grillotia (Paragrillotia) rowei Campbell, 1977 (larva)  
CAMPBELL, R.A., HAEDRICH, R.L. AND MUNROE, T.A., 1980
- Coryphaenoides (Chalinura) leptolepsis Gunther, 1877  
Grillotia (Paragrillotia) rowei Campbell, 1977 (plerocercus)  
CAMPBELL, R.A., 1977
- Coryphaenoides (Coryphaenoides) rupestris Gunnerus, 1765  
Nybelinia sp. (larva)  
CAMPBELL, R.A., HAEDRICH, R.L. AND MUNROE, T.A., 1980
- Coryphaenoides hippurus  
Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817 (plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b
- Coryphaenoides (Lionurus) carapinus Goode and Bean, 1883  
Grillotia (Paragrillotia) rowei Campbell, 1977 (plerocercus)  
CAMPBELL, R.A., 1977
- Coryphaenoides (Nematonurus) armatus (Hector, 1875)  
Grillotia (Paragrillotia) rowei Campbell, 1977 (larva)  
CAMPBELL, R.A., HAEDRICH, R.L. AND MUNROE, T.A., 1980  
Grillotia (Paragrillotia) rowei Campbell, 1977 (plerocercus)  
CAMPBELL, R.A., 1977
- Coryphaeopsis cornuta (Kaup)  
Otobothrium (Pseudotobothrium) linetowi (Southwell, 1912)  
(plerocercoid)  
REIMER, L.W., 1980
- Cottus bubalis Euphrasen  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva)  
REES, G., 1945
- Cubiceps natalensis Gilchrist and Von Bonde  
Christianella sp. (larva)  
REIMER, L.W., 1984
- Cybum guttatum  
Gymnorhynchus cybiumi Chincholikar and Shinde, 1977 (larva)  
CHINCHOLIKAR, L.N. AND SHINDE, G.B., 1977

- Cymatogaster aggregate Gibbons  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercoid)  
 YOUNG, R.T., 1954a  
 YOUNG, R.T., 1954b  
Trypanorhynch sp. (larva)  
 ARAI, H.P., 1967
- Cynoglossus macrolepidotus (Bleeker)  
Nybelinia bengalensis Reimer, 1980 (plerocercoid)  
 REIMER, L.W., 1980
- Cynoglossus sp.  
Nybelinia bengalensis Reimer, 1980 (plerocercoid)  
 REIMER, L.W., 1980  
Nybelinia jayapaulazariahi Reimer, 1980 (plerocercoid)  
 REIMER, L.W., 1980
- Cynoglossus sunus-arabici Chabanaud  
Nybelinia erythraea Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)  
 DOOLFUS, R.P., 1960b
- Cynoscion arenarius Ginsberg  
Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1929  
 (plerocercoid)  
 OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977  
 SCHLICHT, F.G. AND MCFARLAND, W.N., 1967
- Cynoscion leiarchus (Cuvier and Valenciennes)  
Pterobothrium sp. (plerocercus)  
 REGO, A.A., SANTOS, J.C. AND SILVA, P.P., 1974
- Cynoscion nebulosus (Cuvier)  
Grillotia sp. (identified as G. heptanchi group by Dollfus, 1942)  
 CHANDLER, A.C., 1954  
Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1929  
 (plerocercoid)  
 COLLINS, M.R., MARSHALL, M.J. AND LANCIANI, C.A., 1984  
 OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977  
 OVERSTREET, R.M., 1978b  
 SCHLICHT, F.G. AND MCFARLAND, W.N., 1967
- Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1929  
 (plerocercus)  
 GOLDSTEIN, R.J., 1963
- Poecilancistrum robustum  
 GUEST, W.C. AND GUNTER, G., 1958
- Trypanorhynch sp. (plerocercoid)  
 OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977
- Cynoscion nebulosus (Cuvier and Valenciennes)  
Poecilancistrum robustum (Chandler, 1935) Dollfus, 1942  
 (plerocercoid)  
 BOERTJE, S.B., 1976
- Cynoscion nothus  
Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1929  
 (plerocercoid)  
 SCHLICHT, F.G. AND MCFARLAND, W.N., 1967
- Cynoscion regalis  
Nybelinia sp. (encysted plerocercoid)  
 MEYERS, T.R., 1978  
Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1929  
 (plerocercus)  
 GOLDSTEIN, R.J., 1963
- Cynoscion sp.  
Tetrarhynchus fragilis (Diesing, 1850) (larva)  
 VOGELSANG, E.G. AND MAYAUDON, T.H., 1959
- Cynoscion striatus (Cuvier)  
Progrillotia dollfusi Carvajal and Rego, 1983  
 CARVAJAL, J. AND REGO, A.A., 1983
- Trypanorhynch spp. (plerocercus, two species)

- REGO, A.A., SANTOS, J.C. AND SILVA, P.P., 1974  
Cytthus novae-zealandiae (Arthur)  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)  
 ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a  
Damalichthys vacca (Girard, 1855)  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercoid)  
 SAKANARI, J. AND MOSER, M., 1985a  
Dentex macrophthalmus Cuvier and Valenciennes  
Otobothrium cysticum (Mayer, 1842) (plerocercus)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Dicrolene intronigra  
Trypanorhynch sp. (larva)  
 CAMPBELL, R.A., HAEDRICH, R.L. AND MUNROE, T.A., 1980  
Diodon holacanthus Linnaeus, 1758  
Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817 (plerocercus)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1975  
Diodon hystrix L.  
Gymnorhynchus gigas (Cuvier, 1817) (plerocercoid)  
 RADHAKRISHNAN, S. AND NAIR, N.B., 1980  
Nybelinia sp. (plerocercoid)  
 RADHAKRISHNAN, S. AND NAIR, N.B., 1981  
Pseudogrillotia basipunctata Carvajal, Campbell and Cornford, 1976  
 (plerocercus)  
 CARVAJAL, J., CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CORNFORD, E.M., 1976  
Echeneis naucrates L. 1758  
Nybelinia punctatissima Dollfus, 1960 (var.) (post-larva)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b  
Trypanorhynch sp. (larva)  
 PARUKHIN, A.M., 1967b  
Eleginus gracilis (Tilesius)  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 STRELKOV, J.A., 1960  
Engraulis japonica (Houttuyn)  
Callitetrarhynchus nipponica Nakajima and Egusa, 1973 (procercoid)  
 NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1969a  
 NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1969b  
 NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1971a  
 NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1971b  
 NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1972b  
Enophrys diceraus  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929  
 KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1968a  
Epinephelus adscensionis  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
 (plerocercus)  
 REES, G., 1969  
Epinephelus aenius (Et. Geoff. St-Hil)  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
 (plerocercus)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Epinephelus akaara  
Grillotia musculicola (Yamaguti, 1934) (larva) syn. Pintneriella  
musculicola Yamaguti, 1934  
 YAMAGUTI, S., 1952  
Epinephelus alexandrinus (Cuvier and Valenciennes, 1828)  
Nybelinia cadenati Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b  
Epinephelus guttatus  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
 (plerocercus)  
 REES, G., 1969

- Epinephelus morio Valenciennes, 1824  
Callitetrarhynchus sp. (plerocercoid)  
FEJER, E., VALDES, R. AND BARRERA, M., 1979
- Epinephelus sp.  
Tetrahyynchus fragilis (Diesing, 1850) (larva)  
VOGELSANG, E.G. AND MAYAUDON, T.H., 1959
- Epinephelus striatus (Bloch)  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
(plerocercus)  
REES, G., 1969
- Epiniphillus sp.  
sp. (larva)  
EL-AHWAL, A.A., 1970
- Erethistes elongata  
Nybelinia elongata Shah and Bilquees, 1979 (plerocercoid)  
BILQUEES, F.M., 1981
- Eriscion nebulosus  
Otobothrium robustum Chandler, 1935 (larva)  
CHANDLER, A.C., 1935b
- Euthynnus alleteratus (Rafinesque, 1810)  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
(plerocercus)  
BUSSIÈRAS, J. AND BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1973
- Otobothrium crenacolle Linton, 1890 (plerocercus)  
REES, G., 1969
- Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (post-larva)  
REES, G., 1969
- Euthynnus pelamis  
Tentacularia sp. (larva)  
MARKOWSKI, S., 1971
- Euthynnus pelamys (Linne)  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931 (larva)  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952
- Euthynnus sp. (Cuvier and Valenciennes)  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
(plerocercus)  
WARD, H.L., 1954
- Euthynnus yaito Kishinouye  
Dasyrhynchus variouncinatus (Pintner, 1913) Pintner, 1928  
(plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (larva)  
IWATA, S., 1939
- Fishballs  
Nybelinia sp. (plerocercoid)  
KOYAMA, T. AND KOMIYA, Y., 1964
- Fistularia tabaccaria L. 1758  
Nybelinia cadenati Dollfus, 1960  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b
- G. giuris (full name missing)  
Tetrahyynchus sp.  
ALI, M.Y., 1968
- Gadus aeglefinus L.  
Hepatoxyylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (larva)  
BAER, J.G., 1962
- Gadus callarias L.  
Hepatoxyylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (larva)  
BAER, J.G., 1962
- Hepatoxyylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (plerocercoid)  
REES, G., 1953

- Gadus luscus L.  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Gadus merlangus L.  
Gilquinia squali (Fabricius, 1794) (plerocercoid)  
MACKENZIE, K., 1965  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva)  
BAYLIS, H.A., 1939  
REES, G. AND LLEWELLYN, J., 1941
- Gadus morhua L.  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercoid)  
LUBIENIECKI, B., 1976  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercus)  
APPY, R.G. AND BURT, M.D.B., 1982  
Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802  
APPY, R.G. AND BURT, M.D.B., 1982
- Gadus morhua macrocephalus (Tilesius)  
Nybelinia sp.  
TKACHEV, V.A., 1976  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960
- Gadus pollachius L.  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Gadus (Pollachius) virens L.  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Gadus sp.  
Dibothriorhynchus typ. grossus  
RADULESCU, I.I., 1969
- Gadus virens L.  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802)  
WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (larva)  
BAER, J.G., 1962  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (larva) syn.  
Dibothriorhynchus grossum (Rudolphi, 1819)  
REES, G. AND LLEWELLYN, J., 1941  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (plerocercoid) syn.  
Dibothriorhynchus grossum (Rudolphi, 1819)  
REES, G., 1941a
- Gadus virens SEE: Pollachius virens (L.)
- Galeichthys felis  
Callitetrarhynchus lepidus (Chandler, 1935) Chandler 1942 (larva)  
CHANDLER, A.C., 1935a
- Pterobothrium filicolle (Linton, 1889) (larva) syn. Gymnorhynchus gigas (Cuvier, 1817) of Chandler (1935a)  
CHANDLER, A.C., 1935a
- Pterobothrium lintoni (MacCallum, 1916) (larva) syn. Pterobothrium malleum (Linton, 1924) syn. Gymnorhynchus malleus (Linton, 1924)  
of Chandler, 1942  
CHANDLER, A.C., 1935a
- Gambusia affinis  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (metacestode)  
SAKANARI, J. AND MOSER, M., 1985b
- Gazza minuta  
Pterobothrium hira Yamaguti, 1952 (plerocercoid)  
JENSEN, L.A., SCHMIDT, G.D. AND KUNTZ, K.E., 1983
- Genyonemus lineatus Ayres, 1855  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (metacestode)  
SAKANARI, J. AND MOSER, M., 1985b  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercoid)

- SAKANARI, J. AND MOSER, M., 1985a
- Genypterus blacodes
- Grillotia sp. (larva)
  - GRABDA, J. AND SLOSARCYK, W., 1981
  - Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (larva)
  - POIS, N.V., 1975
  - Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (plerocercoid)
  - GRABDA, J. AND SLOSARCYK, W., 1981
- Genypterus blacodes (Bloch and Schneider)
- Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)
  - ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a
- Genypterus chilensis Schneider
- Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)
  - CATTAN, P.E., 1977
- Genypterus chilensis (Guichenot, 1848)
- Grillotia heptanchi (Vauvageard, 1899) (plerocercus)
  - CARVAJAL, J. AND CAMPBELL, R.A., 1979
  - Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802)
  - VERGARA, L.A. AND GEORGE-NASCIMENTO, M., 1982
- Germo alalonga (Gmelin)
- Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)
  - DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Glyptocephalus cynoglossus (L.)
- Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva)
  - REES, G. AND LLEWELLYN, J., 1941
- Glyptocephalus stelleri (Schmidt)
- Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817 (larva)
  - TSIMBALYUK, E.M., 1978a
  - TSIMBALYUK, E.M., 1978b
  - Nybelinia sp. (larva)
  - TSIMBALYUK, E.M., 1978a
- Glyptocephalus zachirus
- Nybelinia sp.
  - TKACHEV, V.A., 1976
- Gobius batrachocephalus Pallas
- Tetrahyphichobothrium sp.
  - NAIDENOVA, N.N., 1965
  - NAIDENOVA, N.N., 1966
- Gobius niger L.
- Tetrahyphichobothrium sp.
  - NAIDENOVA, N.N., 1965
  - NAIDENOVA, N.N., 1966
- Gobius ophiocephalus Pallas
- Tetrahyphichobothrium sp.
  - NAIDENOVA, N.N., 1966
- Gonorynchus gonorynchus (L.)
- Nybelinia sp. (larva)
  - REIMER, L.W., 1984
- Gymnacanthus detrisus Gilbert
- Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)
  - STRELKOV, J.A., 1960
- Gymnosarda pelamys
- Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (larva)
  - GUIART, J., 1935a
- H. ilisha (full name missing)
- Gymnorhynchus sp.
  - ALI, M.Y., 1968
- Halosaupeis macrochir
- Trypanorhynch sp. (larva)
  - CAMPBELL, R.A., HAEDRICH, R.L. AND MUNROE, T.A., 1980

*Harpodon nehereus* (Ham-Buch)

*Otobothrium harpodoni* Kotwal and Masurekar, 1978 (encysted larva)  
KOTWAL, V.P. AND MASUREKAR, V.B., 1978

*Hemilepidotus jordani* Bean

*Nybelinia surmenicola* Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

*herring*

*Lacistorhynchus* sp. (larva)  
MACKENZIE, K., 1982

*Hexagrammos stelleri*

*Nybelinia surmenicola* Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
SKRIABINA, E.S., 1963

*Hilsa hilsa*

*Otobothrium ilisha* (Southwell and Prashad, 1918) Goldstein, 1963  
(plerocercus) syn. *Poecilancistrum ilisha* (Southwell and  
Prashad, 1918) Dollfus, 1942  
GOLDSTEIN, R.J., 1963

*Hilsa ilisha* (Hamilton)

*Otobothrium mugilis* Hiscock, 1954  
RIZVI, S.S.H., 1971

*Poecilancistrum ilisha* (Southwell and Prashad, 1918) Dollfus,  
1942  
RIZVI, S.S.H., 1971

*Pterobothrium heteracanthum* Diesing, 1850  
RIZVI, S.S.H., 1971

*Pterobothrium heteracanthum* Diesing, 1850 (plerocercoid) syn.  
*Syndesmobothrium filicolle* Linton, 1890  
PAL, R.N., 1963

*Pterobothrium heteracanthum* Diesing, 1850 syn. *Syndesmobothrium*  
*filicolle* Linton, 1890  
GOPALAKRISHNAN, V. AND PAL, R.N., 1964

*Syndesmobothrium filicolle*  
PAL, R.N., 1980

*Hippoglossoides elassodon*

*Nybelinia* sp.  
TKACHEV, V.A., 1976

*Nybelinia surmenicola* Okada in Dollfus, 1929  
MAMAEV, Y.L., PARUKHIN, A.M. AND BAEVA, O.M., 1963  
*Nybelinia surmenicola* Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
SKRIABINA, E.S., 1963

*Hippoglossoides elassodon elassodon* Jordan et Gilbert

*Nybelinia surmenicola* Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

*Hippoglossus hippoglossus* (L.)

*Grillotia erinaceus* (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercoid)  
RAE, B.B., 1958

*Hepatoxylon trichiuri* (Holten, 1882)  
WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960

*Hepatoxylon trichiuri* (Holten, 1882) (plerocercoid)  
RAE, B.B., 1958

*Hippoglossus hippoglossus stenolepsis* Schmidt

*Nybelinia* sp.  
TKACHEV, V.A., 1976

*Nybelinia surmenicola* Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

*Hippoglossus maximus* Nilss.

*Hepatoxylon trichiuri* (Holten, 1882) (larva)  
BAER, J.G., 1962

*Hoplostethus*

*Nybelinia* sp.  
REIMER, L.W., 1974

- Hoplostethus mediterraneus (Val., 1928)  
Nybelinia rougetcampanae Dollfus, 1960 (plerocercoid)  
REIMER, L.W., 1975b
- Horse mackerel  
Tentaculariidae sp. (larva)  
NIKOLAEVA, V.M., 1963a
- Hynnis goreensis (Valenciennes, 1846)  
Nybelinia cadenati Dollfus, 1960  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b  
Nybelinia estigmata Dollfus, 1960 (var. 1) (post-larva)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b  
Nybelinia punctatissima Dollfus, 1960  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b  
Nybelinia senegalensis Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b
- Icelus spiniger  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929  
KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1968a
- Ilisha elongata (Bennett)  
Pterobothrium hira Yamaguti, 1952 (larva)  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952
- Illyonus gilberti (Eigenmann and Eigenmann)  
Callitetrarhynchus sp. (larva)  
BROOKS, D.R. AND BROTHERS, E.B., 1974
- Johnius ruber (Bloch-Schn)  
Otobothrium harpodoni Kotwal and Masurekar, 1978 (encysted larva)  
KOTWAL, V.P. AND MASUREKAR, V.B., 1978
- Katsuwonus pelamys (L.)  
Hepatoxyton trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)  
BUSSIERAS, J. AND BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1973  
Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (post-larva)  
BUSSIERAS, J. AND BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1973  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946b
- Labrax lupus Cuvier SEE: Morone labrax (L.)
- Leiostomus xanthurus Lacépède  
Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1929  
(plerocercoid)  
COLLINS, M.R., MARSHALL, M.J. AND LANCIANI, C.A., 1984  
SCHLICHT, F.G. AND MCFARLAND, W.N., 1967  
Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1929 syn.  
Poecilancistrum gangeticum (Shipley and Hornell, 1906) syn.  
Otobothrium robustum (Chandler, 1935)  
GOLDSTEIN, R.J., 1963
- Lepidopsetia bilineata (Ayres)  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929  
MAMAEV, Y.L., PARUKHIN, A.M. AND BAEVA, O.M., 1963  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960
- Lepidopus caudatus (Euphrasen)  
Hepatoxyton trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)  
ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a  
Nybelinia thyraites (Leiper and Atkinson, 1915) Korotaeva, 1971  
syn. Nybelinia (? Syngenes) sp. Dollfus, 1942  
KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1971
- Lepidopus lex Phillips, 1932  
Hepatoxyton trichiuri (Holten, 1802)  
KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1971
- Trypanorhynch sp.  
KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1971

- Lepidorhinus squamosus (Bonnaterre, 1788)  
Grillotia minor Guiart, 1935 (larva)  
 GUIART, J., 1935a
- Lepidorhynchus denticulatus  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (larva)  
 POIS, N.V., 1975
- Lepidotrigla natalensis Gilchrist and Thompson  
Otobothrium crenacolle Linton, 1890 (larva)  
 REIMER, L.W., 1984
- Limanda aspera (Pallas)  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858)  
 MAMAEV, Y.L., PARUKHIN, A.M. AND BAEVA, O.M., 1963
- Nybelinia sp. (larva)  
 TSIMBALYUK, E.M., 1978a  
 TSIMBALYUK, E.M., 1978b
- Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929  
 MAMAEV, Y.L., PARUKHIN, A.M. AND BAEVA, O.M., 1963
- Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 STRELKOV, J.A., 1960
- Limanda punctatissima  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929  
 MAMAEV, Y.L., PARUKHIN, A.M. AND BAEVA, O.M., 1963
- Limanda yokohamae (Gunther)  
Nybelinia sp. (larva)  
 TSIMBALYUK, E.M., 1978a  
 TSIMBALYUK, E.M., 1978b
- Liosaccus cutaneus (Günther, 1870)  
Nybelinia rougetcampanae Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b  
Nybelinia strongyle Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b  
Nybelinia yamagutii Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b
- "Loche saumonée"  
Dasyrhynchus variouncinatus (Pintner, 1913) Pintner, 1928  
 (plerocercus)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Lophius piscatorius Linnaeus, 1758  
Dibothriorhynchus monticellii Moniez, 1940  
 MONIEZ, R., 1940
- Diesingella Monticelli (Moniez, 1892) (larva)  
 GUIART, J., 1935a
- Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva) syn. Tetrarhynchus erinaceus  
 TESTI, F., 1960  
Grillotia sp. (plerocercus)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Lutjanus griseus (L.)  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
 (plerocercus)  
 REES, G., 1969
- Lutjanus sp.  
Tetrarhynchus brevibothria MacCallum 1921 (plerocercus)  
 KYAW-MYINT, 1968
- Lutjanus aya Bloch  
Oncomegas wageneri (Linton, 1890) (plerocercoid)  
 THATCHER, V.E., 1961
- Lutjanus guineensis Bleeker  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
 (plerocercus)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

- Macrodon ancylodae  
Tetrarhynchus fragilis (larva)  
 SANTOS, L. DOS AND ZOGBI, E.P.V., 1971
- Macruronus magellanicus  
Grillotia heptanchi (Vauvlegeard, 1899) (plerocercus)  
 CARVAJAL, J. AND CAMPBELL, R.A., 1979
- Macruronus novae-zealandiae (Hector)  
Grillotia sp. (larva)  
 GRABDA, J. AND SLOSARCZYK, W., 1981  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (plerocercoid)  
 GRABDA, J. AND SLOSARCZYK, W., 1981  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)  
 ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a
- Macrurus australis  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (larva)  
 POIS, N.V., 1975
- Maena smaris  
Nybelinia lingualis (Cuvier, 1817)  
 PAPOUTSOGLOU, S.E., 1976
- Malacocephalus laevis (Lowe)  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
 REIMER, L.W., 1984  
Nybelinia sp. (larva)  
 REIMER, L.W., 1984
- Masturus oxyuropterus (Bleeker)  
Molicola horridus (Goodsir, 1841)  
 DEVARAJ, M., NAMMALWAR, P. AND THIAGARAJAN, T., 1976 [1981]
- Megalaspis cordyle (L.)  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
 (plerocercoid)  
 REIMER, L.W., 1980
- Melanoglaea ventralis Barnard, 1941  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercus) tentative identification  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1968a
- Melanogrammus aeglefinus (L.)  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858)  
 SCOTT, J.S., 1981  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercoid)  
 LUBIENIECKI, B., 1976  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercus)  
 LUBIENIECKI, B., 1977  
Nybelinia sp. (larva)  
 RADULESCU, I.I., 1969
- Melanostigma pammelas Gilbert  
 sp. (larva)  
 NOBLE, E.R. AND ORIAS, J.O., 1975
- Melletes pepilio Bean  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 ZHUKOV, E.V., 1963
- Menticirrhus americanus (Linnaeus)  
Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1929 (plerocercoid)  
 OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977
- Pterobothrium lintoni (MacCallum, 1916) (plerocercoid)  
 OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977
- Pterobothrium sp. (plerocercoid)  
 SCHLICHT, F.G. AND MCFARLAND, W.N., 1967
- Merlangius merlangus (L.)  
Gilquinia squali (Fabricius, 1794) (plerocercoid)  
 MACKENZIE, K., 1975  
Gilquinia squali (Fabricius 1794) (plerocercus)

HISLOP, J.R.G. AND MACKENZIE, K., 1976

Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercoid)

SHOTTER, R.A., 1976

Merluccius australis

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (plerocercoid)

GRABDA, J. AND SLOSARCYK, W., 1981

Merluccius bilinearis

Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva)

GAEVSKAYA, A.V. AND UMNOVA, B.A., 1977

Grillotia sp. (encysted plerocercoid)

MEYERS, T.R., 1978

Nybelinia lingualis (Cuvier, 1817) (larva)

GAEVSKAYA, A.V. AND UMNOVA, B.A., 1977

Merluccius capensis Castelnau

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (larva)

KRZEPTOWSKI, M., 1980 [1982]

Merluccius gayi (Guichenot, 1848)

Grillotia dollfusi Carvajal, 1971 (plerocercus)

CARVAJAL, J. AND CATTAN, P.E., 1978

CARVAJAL, J., CATTAN, P.E., CASTILLO, C. AND SCHATTE, P., 1979

Merluccius gayi peruanus Gingsburg, 1954

Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931 (larva)

DURAN, L.E. AND OLIVA, M., 1980

Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva)

DURAN, L.E. AND OLIVA, M., 1980

Nybelinia sp. (larva)

DURAN, L.E. AND OLIVA, M., 1980

Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (larva)

DURAN, L.E. AND OLIVA, M., 1980

Merluccius merluccius capensis Castelnau

Nybelinia sp. (larva)

REIMER, L.W., 1984

Merluccius merluccius (L.)

Grillotia heptanchi (Vaullegaard, 1899) (plerocercoid)

REES, G., 1950

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802)

WILLIAMS, H.H., 1960

Merluccius merluccius parasoxus (Franca, 1960)

Nybelinia sp. (larva)

REIMER, L.W., 1984

Merluccius polylepsis

Grillotia heptanchi (Vaullegaard, 1899) (plerocercus)

CARVAJAL, J. AND CAMPBELL, R.A., 1979

"merluza"

Grillotia heptanchi (Vaullegaard, 1899) (larva)

TAGLE, I., 1951

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (larva)

TAGLE, I., 1951

Micromesistius australis

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (plerocercoid)

GRABDA, J. AND SLOSARCYK, W., 1981

Micromesistius poutassou (Risso)

Grillotia sp. (plerocercoid)

MACKENZIE, K., 1979

Micropogon opercularis (Desmarest)

Gilquinia sp. (larva)

SURIANO, D.M., 1966

Micropogon undulatus (Linnaeus)

Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1929

(plerocercoid)

SCHLICHT, F.G. AND MCFARLAND, W.N., 1967

Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1929

- (plerocercus)  
GOLDSTEIN, R.J., 1963
- Pterobothrium filicolle (Linton, 1889) (larva) syn. Gymnorhynchus gigas (Cuvier, 1817) of Chandler (1935a)  
CHANDLER, A.C., 1935a
- Tetrarhynchus fragilis Diesing  
BARATTINI, L.P., 1948
- Micropogonias undulatus (Linnaeus)  
Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1929  
(plerocercoid)  
OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977
- Pterobothrium lintoni (MacCallum, 1916) (plerocercoid)  
OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977
- Trypanorhynch sp. (plerocercoid)  
OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977
- Mola mola (L.)  
Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817 (larva)  
GUIART, J., 1935c
- Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817 (plerocercoid)  
HILLIS, J.P. AND O'RIORDAN, C.E., 1961
- Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817 (plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a
- Gymnorhynchus (Molicola) horridus Goodsir, 1841 (larva)  
GUIART, J., 1935a  
IWATA, S., 1939
- Gymnorhynchus (Molicola) horridus Goodsir, 1841 (larva) syn.  
Tetrarhynchus elongatus Wagener, 1901  
THRELFALL, W., 1967
- Gymnorhynchus (Molicola) horridus Goodsir, 1841 (plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a  
ROBINSON, E.S., 1959a
- Gymnorhynchus (Molicola) horridus Goodsir, 1841 (plerocercus) syn.  
Tetrarhynchus elongatus Wagener, 1901  
THRELFALL, W., 1967
- Rhynchobothrium sp. Linton, 1899 (larva)  
THRELFALL, W., 1967
- Mola mola (L.) syn. Orthagoriscus mola (L.)  
Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817 (plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946a
- Gymnorhynchus (Molicola) horridus Goodsir, 1841 (plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1946a
- Molva dipterygia (Pennant, 1784)  
Grillotia heptanchi (Vauvageard, 1899) (larva)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1975b
- Morone labrax  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
(plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Morone labrax (L.) syn. Labrax lupus Cuvier  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Morone saxatilis (Walbaum, 1792)  
Lacistorhynchus sp.  
HENSLEY, G.H. AND NAHHAS, F.M., 1975
- Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (metacestode)  
MOSER, M., SAKANARI, J., WELLINGS, S. AND LINDSTROM, K., 1984  
SAKANARI, J.A., MOSER, M. AND SIMMONS, J.E., 1983
- Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercoid)  
SAKANARI, J. AND MOSER, M., 1985a

- Mugil cephalus L.  
Otobothrium mugilis Hiscock, 1954 (plerocercus)  
HISCOCK, I.D., 1954
- Mullus barbatus L.  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
(plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Nybelinia africana Dollfus, 1960 (plerocercus, post-larva)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b  
Nybelinia sp. syn. Pleronybelinia sp. (plerocercoid)  
SEZEN, Y. AND PRICE, C.E., 1969
- Mullus barbatus ponticus Essipov  
Christianella minuta (Van Beneden, 1849) (larva)  
KORNYUSHIN, V.V. AND SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1978
- Mullus barbatus Rondelet  
Nybelinia lingualis (Cuvier, 1817) (larva or post larva)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Mullus surmuletus L.  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Nybelinia lingualis (Cuvier, 1817)  
PAPOUTSOGLOU, S.E., 1976
- Muranesox cinereus (Forskal)  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931 (larva)  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952
- Mycteroptera bonaci (Poey)  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
(plerocercus)  
REES, G., 1969
- Mycteroptera falcata  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
(plerocercus)  
REES, G., 1969
- Mycteroptera tigris  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
(plerocercus)  
REES, G., 1969
- Mycteroptera venenosa (L.)  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
(plerocercus)  
REES, G., 1969
- Myoxocephalus jact Cuvier et Valenciennes  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
STRELKOV, J.A., 1960
- Myoxocephalus verrucosus  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
ZHUKOV, E.V., 1963
- Naucrates ductor Linnaeus  
Nybelinia sp. (larva)  
RADULESCU, I.I., NALBANT, T.T. AND ANGELESCU, N., 1972
- Neobythites macrops Günther  
Nybelinia nipponica Yamaguti, 1952 (larva)  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952
- Neoscombrops annectens Gilchrist  
Otobothrium crenacolle Linton, 1890  
REIMER, L.W., 1984
- Netuma australis (Gunther)  
Otobothrium mugilis Hiscock, 1954 (plerocercus)  
HISCOCK, I.D., 1954

- Nezumia bairdii (Goode and Bean, 1877)  
Trypanorhynch sp. (larva)  
 CAMPBELL, R.A., HAEDRICH, R.L. AND MUNROE, T.A., 1980
- Ocyurus chrysurus Bloch  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
 (plerocercus)  
 REES, G., 1969
- Odontogadus merlangus euxinus (Nordman)  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva)  
 KORNYUSHIN, V.V. AND SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1978
- Odontogadus merlangus L.  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercoid)  
 SHOTTER, R.A., 1972  
 SHOTTER, R.A., 1973
- Oncorhynchus gorbuscha (Walbaum)  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929  
 BOGDANOVA, E.A., 1963  
 TSIMBALYUK, E.M. AND SEMESHKO, N.N., 1971  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 STRELKOV, J.A., 1960  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (plerocercoid)  
 AKHMEROV, A.K., 1963  
Tetrahyphalus palaeceus Rud.  
 ZMEJEV, G.J., 1936
- Oncorhynchus keta (Walbaum)  
Coenomorphys grossus  
 ZMEJEV, G.J., 1936  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929  
 STRELKOV, YU A. AND SHULMAN, S.S.  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 BOGDANOVA, E.A., 1963  
 STRELKOV, J.A., 1960  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (plerocercoid)  
 AKHMEROV, A.K., 1963  
Tetrahyphalus palaeceus  
 ZMEJEV, G.J., 1936
- Oncorhynchus kisutch (Walbaum)  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 STRELKOV, J.A., 1960
- Oncorhynchus masu (Brewoort)  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929  
 STRELKOV, YU A. AND SHULMAN, S.S.
- Oncorhynchus nerka (Walbaum)  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929  
 SHIMAZU, T., 1975b  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 STRELKOV, J.A., 1960
- Oncorhynchus tshawytscha (Walbaum)  
Hepatoxyylon trichiuri (Holten, 1882) (post-larva)  
 REYES PIRIANO, X, 1982  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 STRELKOV, J.A., 1960  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (plerocercoid)  
 KUPERMAN, B.I., 1980
- Ophidium rochei Müller  
Christianella minuta (Van Beneden, 1849) (larva)  
 KORNYUSHIN, V.V. AND SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1978
- Ophiodon elongatus Girard  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva) syn. Tentacularia  
 sp. of Hart 1936  
 HART, J.F., 1936  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)

ARAI, H.P., 1969

Orthagoriscus mola (L.) SEE: Mola mola (L.)

Osteolaemus tetraspis Cope

Otobothrium cysticum (Mayer, 1842) (plerocercus)

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Ostorrhinchus conwaii

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802)

KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1974a

Trypanorhynch sp.

KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1974a

Otolithus argenteus (C.V.)

Gymnorhynchus gigas (Cuvier, 1817) (larva)

BILQEES, F.M. AND KAZMI, F.S., 1974

Myrmillorhynchus pearsoni (Southwell, 1929) Bilqees, 1980 (larva)

syn. Tetrahyynchus pearsoni Southwell, 1929

BILQEES, F.M. AND KAZMI, F.S., 1974

Otolithus senegalensis Valenciennes

Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931

(plerocercus)

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Otoperca aurita (Valenciennes)

Otobothrium (Pseudotobothrium) dipsacum Linton, 1897 (plerocercus)

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

P. pangasius (full name missing)

Gymnorhynchus sp.

ALI, M.Y., 1968

Palameton

Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931

(plerocercus)

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Pame pama

Gymnorhynchus sp. (larva)

RAHMAN, A.K.A., 1971

Paralepis elongata (Brauer, 1906)

Gilquinia sp. (plerocercoid)

REIMER, L.W., 1975b

Paralichthys dentatus

Dasyrhynchus sp. (encysted plerocercoid)

MEYERS, T.R., 1978

Nybelinia sp. (encysted plerocercoid)

MEYERS, T.R., 1978

Paralichthys olivaceus

Nybelinia pintneri Yamaguti, 1934 (larva)

IWATA, S., 1939

Parapeneus multifasciatus Quoy and Gaimard

Nybelinia basimegacantha Carvajal, Campbell and Cornford, 1976

(post-larva)

CARVAJAL, J., CAMPBELL, R.A. AND CORNFORD, E.M., 1976

Pelamys Bonapartei (Verany)

Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (larva or post larva)

GUIART, J., 1935a

Pellona elongata

Nybelinia elongata Shah and Bilqees, 1979 (plerocercoid)

SHAH, M. AND BILQEES, F.M., 1979

Peristedion adeni (Lloyd)

Nybelinia sp. (larva)

REIMER, L.W., 1984

Peristedion cataphractum

Nybelinia sp. (larva)

RADULESCU, I.I., 1969

- Phycis blennioidees  
Nybelinia lingualis (Cuvier, 1817)  
 PAPOUTSOGLOU, S.E., 1976
- Physiculus bacchus  
Nybelinia sp. (larva)  
 POIS, N.V., 1975
- Platessa quadrituberculata (Pallas)  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 STRELKOV, J.A., 1960
- Platichthys flesus (L.)  
Grillotia sp. (larva)  
 GIBSON, D.I., 1972
- Trypanorhynch sp. (plerocercus)  
 MACKENZIE, K. AND GIBSON, D.I., 1970
- Platichthys flesus luscus (Pallas)  
Christianella minuta (Van Beneden, 1849) (larva)  
 KORNYUSHIN, V.V. AND SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1978
- Platichthys stellatus (Pallas)  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercoid)  
 ORCUTT, H.G., 1950
- Platycephalus bassensis  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
 (plerocercus)  
 PRUDHOE, S., 1969
- Platycephalus indicus (Linnaeus)  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931 (larva)  
 YAMAGUTI, S., 1952
- Platycephalus punctatus Cuvier and Valenciennes  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931 (larva)  
 YAMAGUTI, S., 1952
- Platycephalus scaber (L.)  
Neogymnorhynchus platycephali Bilqees and Shah, 1982 (plerocercus)  
 BILQEES, F.M. AND SHAH, M., 1982
- Pleurogrammus azonus Jordan and Metz  
Trypanorhynch sp.  
 BAEVA, O.M., 1968
- Pleurogrammus monopterigius (Pallas)  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 STRELKOV, J.A., 1960
- Pleuronectes platessa L.  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva)  
 REES, G. AND LLEWELLYN, J., 1941
- Trypanorhynch sp. (larva)  
 MACKENZIE, K. AND GIBSON, D.I., 1970
- Trypanorhynch sp. (plerocercoid)  
 MACKENZIE, K., 1968
- Pleuronectes stellatus Pallas  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 STRELKOV, J.A., 1960  
 ZHUKOV, E.V., 1963
- Podothecus scipenserinus (Pallas)  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 STRELKOV, J.A., 1960
- Pogonias cromis (L., 1766)  
Pseudogrillotia pleistacantha Dollfus, 1969 (post-larva)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969b
- Pogonias cromis (Linnaeus)  
Diplotoptobothrium springeri Chandler, 1942 (plerocercoid)  
 SCHLICHT, F.G. AND MCFARLAND, W.N., 1967
- Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1929  
 (plerocercoid)  
 OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977

- Poecilancistrum robustum (Chandler, 1935) Dollfus, 1942  
 CHANDLER, A.C., 1954  
Pseudogrillotia pleistacantha Dollfus, 1969 (plerocercoid)  
 OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977  
Pollachius virens (L.)  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercoid)  
 LÜBIENIECKI, B., 1976  
Pollachius virens (L.) syn. Gadus virens  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1882) (plerocercoid)  
 HEINRICH, L., 1975  
Polymixia nobilis (Lowe)  
Nybelinia sp. (larva)  
 REIMER, L.W., 1984  
Polynemus quadrifiliis Cuvier  
Dasyrhynchus variouncinatus (Pintner, 1913) Pintner, 1928  
 (plerocercus)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Otobothrium (Pseudotobothrium) dipsacum Linton, 1897 (plerocercus)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942  
Polyprion oxygeneios  
Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (post-larva)  
 CATTAN, P.E., CARVAJAL, J., TORRES, D. AND YANEZ, J.L., 1979  
Pomadasys olivaceus Day  
Pseudogilquinia karachiense Bilqeess and Khatoon, 1980  
 (plerocercus)  
 BILQEES, F.M. AND KHATOON, A., 1980  
Pomatostomus saltatrix (L.)  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
 (encysted plerocercoid)  
 MEYERS, T.R., 1978  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931 (larva)  
 CARVAJAL, J. AND REGO, A.A., 1985  
Callitetrarhynchus speciosus (Linton, 1897) Carvajal and Rego,  
 1985 (larva)  
 CARVAJAL, J. AND REGO, A.A., 1985  
Dasyrhynchus sp. (encysted plerocercoid)  
 MEYERS, T.R., 1978  
Nybelinia sp. (encysted plerocercoid)  
 MEYERS, T.R., 1978  
Trypanorhynch sp.  
 REGO, A.A., VICENTE, J.J., SANTOS, C.P. AND WEKID, R.M., 1983  
Trypanorhynch sp. (larva)  
 GOMES GOMES, D., FABIO, S.P. DE AND TAYT-SON ROLAS, F., 1972  
Pristipoma bennetti Lowe, 1837  
Nybelinia oodes Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b  
Promethichthys prometheus  
Nybelinia sp. (larva)  
 ICHIHARA, A., 1968  
Psenes rotundatus Smith  
Nybelinia sp. (larva)  
 REIMER, L.W., 1984  
Psettodes erumei (Bloch and Schneider)  
Dasyrhynchus pillersi (Southwell, 1929) (larva)  
 REIMER, L.W., 1984  
Trypanorhynch sp.  
 PARUKHIN, A.M., 1967a  
Pseudorhambus pentophthalmus Günther  
Nybelinia nipponica Yamaguti, 1952 (larva)  
 YAMAGUTI, S., 1952

- Pteroplatea micrura  
Pterobothrium sp. (larva)  
ANANTARAMAN, S., 1963
- Quietula y-cauda (Jenkins and Evermann)  
Callitetrarhynchus sp. (larva)  
BROOKS, D.R. AND BROTHERS, E.B., 1974
- Rachycentron canadum (L.)  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
(plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Rastrelliger kanagurta (Cuvier, 1829)  
Trypanorhynch sp.  
KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1974b
- Rastrelliger kanagurta (Russell)  
Pterobothrium rubromaculatum (Diesing, 1863) (plerocercoid)  
REIMER, L.W., 1980
- Reinhardius hippoglossoides  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929  
MAMAEV, Y.L., PARUKHIN, A.M. AND BAEVA, O.M., 1963
- Rexea solandri (Cuvier and Valenciennes, 1832)  
Trypanorhynch sp.  
KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1971
- Ruvettus tydemani Weber  
Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802  
KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1971
- Trypanorhynch sp.  
KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1971
- S. pama (full name missing)  
Gymnorhynchus sp.  
ALI, M.Y., 1968
- S. silondia (full name missing)  
Gymnorhynchus sp.  
ALI, M.Y., 1968
- Salmo salar L.  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri  
PIPPY, J.H.C., 1969
- Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802)  
HICKS, F.J. AND THRELFALL, W., 1973  
KANE, M.B., 1966
- Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (metacestode)  
CHUBB, J.C., 1965
- Nybelinia sp. (larva)  
ALVAREZ, PELLITERO, M.P., 1973
- Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802  
PIPPY, J.H.C., 1969  
SANDEMAN, I.M. AND PIPPY, J.H.C., 1967
- Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (larva)  
PIPPY, J.H.C., 1980
- Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (post-larva)  
HELLER, A.F., 1949
- Salmo sp.  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (plerocercus)  
HEALY, A., 1956
- Salmon  
Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (plerocercus)  
HALE, P.A., 1959
- Salmon, pink  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929  
MARGOLIS, L., 1956

- Salvelinus alpinus (L.)  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929  
 KONOVALOV, S.M., 1975  
 RUDMINAITENE, A.F. AND RUDMINAITIS, E.A., 1979
- Salvelinus leucomaenis (Pallas)  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 STRELKOV, J.A., 1960
- Salvelinus malma (Walbaum)  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 STRELKOV, J.A., 1960
- Sarda sarda (Bloch)  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
 (plerocercus)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Sardinella sp.  
Trypanorhynch sp. (larva)  
 FEIJO, L.M.F., OLIVEIRA RODRIGUEZ, H. DE AND SORDRE RODRIGUEZ,  
 S., 1979
- Saurida undosquamis (Richardson)  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
 REIMER, L.W., 1984
- Dasyrhynchus pillersi (Southwell, 1929)  
 REIMER, L.W., 1984
- Nybelinia sp. (plerocercoid)  
 REIMER, L.W., 1984
- Sciaena albiflora (Richardson)  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931 (larva)  
 YAMAGUTI, S., 1952
- Sciaena antarctica Castelnau  
Dasyrhynchus pacificus Robinson, 1965 (larva)  
 ROBINSON, E.S., 1965
- Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1929  
 (larva)  
 ROBINSON, E.S., 1965
- Sciaena aquila (Lacépède)  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
 (plerocercus)  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Sciaena coiter  
Grillotia heptanchi (Vauvageard, 1899) (larva)  
 KYAW-MYINT, 1968
- Nybelinia robusta (Linton, 1890) (larva)  
 KYAW-MYINT, 1968
- Pterobothrium lintoni (MacCallum, 1916) (larva)  
 KYAW-MYINT, 1968
- Sciaenops ocellatus (Linnaeus)  
Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) Dollfus, 1929  
 (plerocercoid)  
 OVERSTREET, R.M., 1977  
 SCHLICHT, F.G. AND MCFARLAND, W.N., 1967
- Sciena squilla (Loot)  
Trypanorhynch sp. (larva)  
 EL-AHWAL, A.A. AND EL-SHERIF, A.F., 1970
- Scomber australasicus (Cuvier et Valenciennes, 1832)  
Nybelinia sp.  
 KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1974b
- Trypanorhynch sp.  
 KOROTAEVA, V.D., 1974b
- Scomber colias Gmelin  
Nybelinia sp. (larva)  
 SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1968
- Trypanorhynch sp. (larva)

- SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1968
- Scomber japonicus Houttuyn  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931 (larva)  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952
- Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (larva)  
IWATA, S., 1939
- Trypanorhynch sp. (plerocercus)  
DAILEY, M.D., 1969  
REGO, A.A. AND SANTOS, C.P., 1983
- Scomber scomber (L.)  
Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercus)  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942
- Scomber scombrus L.  
Grillotia angeli Dollfus, 1969 (larva)  
MACKENZIE, K., 1982
- Grillotia angeli Dollfus, 1969 (plerocercus)  
MACKENZIE, K., 1980
- Lacistorhynchus sp.  
DOLLFUS, R.P., 1969a
- Tetrahyphobothrium sp. (larva)  
RADULESCU, I.I., NALBANT, T.T. AND ANGELESCU, N., 1972
- Scomberesox saurus (W.)  
Nybelinia sp. (larva)  
REIMER, L.W., 1982
- Scomberoides guttatum Bloch and Schneider  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931 (larva)  
YAMAGUTI, S., 1952
- Scomberomorus cavalla (Cuvier and Valenciennes)  
Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (plerocercus)  
WARD, H.L., 1954
- Scomberomorus commersoni (Lacepède)  
Grillotia branchii Shaharom and Lester, 1982 (metacestode)  
SHAHAROM, F.M. AND LESTER, R.J.G., 1982
- Scophthalmus aquosus  
Dasyrhynchus sp. (encysted plerocercoid)  
MEYERS, T.R., 1978
- Scophthalmus rhombus  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva)  
BAYLIS, H.A., 1939
- Scorpaena porcus L.  
Christianella minuta (Van Beneden, 1849) (larva)  
KORNYUSHIN, V.V. AND SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1978
- Sebastes aleutianus  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977
- Sebastes alutus Gilbert, 1890  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1973  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977
- Sebastes borealis  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977
- Sebastes brevispiris  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977
- Sebastes caurinus  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977
- Sebastes ciliatus  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977

- Sebastes crameri  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977
- Sebastes diploprora  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977
- Sebastes elongatus  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977
- Sebastes entomelas  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977
- Sebastes flavidus  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977
- Sebastes maliger  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977
- Sebastes marinus (L.)  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (?) (tentative  
 identification) syn. Tetrarhynchus erinaceus Van Beneden  
 KAHL, W., 1937  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva) syn. Tetrarhynchus  
erinaceus  
 LÜLING, K.H., 1951  
 LÜLING, K.H., 1952  
Trypanorhynch sp. (larva)  
 SINDERMANN, C.J., 1961b
- Sebastes mentella Travin  
Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva ; tentative  
 identification)  
 JONES, D.H., 1970
- Sebastes nigrocinctus  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977
- Sebastes pinniger  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977
- Sebastes polyspinis  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977
- Sebastes proriger  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977
- Sebastes reedi  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977
- Sebastes ruberrimus  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977
- Sebastes variegatus  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977
- Sebastodes zacentrus  
Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)  
 SEKERAK, A.D. AND ARAI, H.P., 1977
- Sebastodes alutus  
Nybelinia sp.  
 TKACHEV, V.A., 1976
- Trypanorhynch sp.  
 TKACHEV, V.A., 1976

- Sebastodes brevispinis  
Nybelinia sp.  
 TKACHEV, V.A., 1976
- Sebastodes crameri  
Nybelinia sp.  
 TKACHEV, V.A., 1976
- Sebastodes diplopros  
Lacistorhynchus sp.  
 TKACHEV, V.A., 1976
- Nybelinia sp.  
 TKACHEV, V.A., 1976
- Sebastodes flavidus  
Nybelinia sp.  
 TKACHEV, V.A., 1976
- Sebastodes goodei  
Nybelinia sp.  
 TKACHEV, V.A., 1976
- Sebastodes jordani  
Nybelinia sp.  
 TKACHEV, V.A., 1976
- Sebastodes melanops  
Nybelinia sp.  
 TKACHEV, V.A., 1976
- Sebastodes mystenus  
Nybelinia sp.  
 TKACHEV, V.A., 1976
- Sebastodes proriger  
Nybelinia sp.  
 TKACHEV, V.A., 1976
- Secutor ruconius Buchanan-Hamilton  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
 (plerocercoid)  
 REIMER, L.W., 1980
- Diploctobothrium taminadensis Reimer, 1980 (plerocercoid)  
 REIMER, L.W., 1980
- Nybelinia dakari Dollfus, 1960 (plerocercoid)  
 REIMER, L.W., 1980
- Selar kalla (Cuvier and Valenciennes)  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931  
 (plerocercoid)  
 REIMER, L.W., 1980
- Sercola mazatlana Steindachner, 1876  
Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817 (plerocercus)  
 SOTO, J. AND CARVAJAL, J., 1979
- Seriola dumerili Risso, 1810  
Dasyrhynchus variouncinatus (Pintner, 1913) Pintner, 1928  
 (plerocercus)  
 WARD, H.L., 1954
- Nybelinia punctatissima Dollfus, 1960  
 DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b
- Seriola purpurascens Temmick and Schlegel  
Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931 (larva)  
 YAMAGUTI, S., 1952
- Seriola quinqueradiata Temmick and Schlegel  
Callitetrarhynchus nipponica Nakajima and Egusa, 1973  
 (plerocercus)  
 NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1969c  
 NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1972b  
 NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1972c  
 NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1973
- Callitetrarhynchus nipponica Nakajima and Egusa, 1973  
 (plerocercus) syn. Callitetrarhynchus sp. Nakajima and Egusa,

1968

NAKAJIMA, K. AND EGUSA, S., 1968

Serranus cabrilla L. 1758

Nybelinia africana Dollfus, 1960 (post-larva)

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Sillago sp.

Pterobothrium lintoni (MacCallum, 1916)

KYAW-MYINT, 1968

Silondia silondia

Syndesmobothrium filicolle

SAXENA, S.K., 1980

Smaris sp.

Christianella minuta (Van Beneden, 1849) (plerocercus) syn.

Lacistorhynchus sp. in Pintner, 1893 syn. Grillotia sp. in  
Dollfus, 1942

NYBELIN, O., 1940

Snapper

Trypanorhynch sp. (larva)

MOKHAYER, B., 1974

Sockeye salmon

Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929

MARGOLIS, L., 1956

Soles laskaris nasutan (Pallas)

Christianella minuta (Van Beneden, 1849) (larva)

KORNYUSHIN, V.V. AND SOLONCHENKO, A.I., 1978

Soles soles

Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858)

PAPOUTSOGLOU, S.E. AND PAPAPARASKEVA-PAPOUTSOGLOU, E.G., 1977

Sparidae gen. spec.

Nybelinia anantaramanorum Reimer, 1980 (plerocercoid)

REIMER, L.W., 1980

Spherooides borealis

Floriceps saccatus Cuvier, 1817 (larva)

TSIMBALYUK, E.M., 1978b

Sphyraena barracuda (Walbaum)

Otobothrium (Pseudotobothrium) dipsacum (Linton, 1897)

(plerocercus) syn. Pseudotobothrium dipsacum (Linton, 1897) in  
Ward (1954)

WARD, H.L., 1954

Sphyraena guachancho Cuvier, 1829

Nybelinia alloiotica Dollfus, 1960 (forma typica) (post-larva)

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Nybelinia punctatissima Dollfus, 1960 (forma typica) (post-larva)

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1960b

Spicara smaris (L.)

sp. (larva)

NIKOLAEVA, V.M., 1963b

Stenobrachius leucopsarus Eigenman and Eigenman

Trypanorhynch sp. (larva)

COLLARD, S.B., 1970

Synaphobranchus pinnatus (Gronnovius) (tentative identification)

Nybelinia congri Guiart, 1935 (larva)

GUIART, J., 1935a

Synaphobranchus sp.

Sphyricephalus viridis (Wagener, 1854) Pintner, 1913 (post-larva)

syn. Sphyricephalus Richardi Guiart, 1935

GUIART, J., 1935a

Synodus foetens

sp. (larva)

OVERSTREET, R.M., 1968

Synodus lucioceps

Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931

(plerocercoid)

JENSEN, L.A., MOSER, M. AND HECKMANN, R.A., 1979

Grillotia smaris-gora (Wagener, 1854) (plerocercoid)

JENSEN, L.A., MOSER, M. AND HECKMANN, R.A., 1979

Lacistorhynchus tenuis (Van Beneden, 1858) (plerocercoid)

JENSEN, L.A., MOSER, M. AND HECKMANN, R.A., 1979

Temnodon saltator (L.)

Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931

(plerocercus)

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Tetrapturus Lessonae Canestrini

Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (larva or post larva)

DOLLFUS, R.P., 1942

Theragra chalcogramma (Pallas, 1811)

Grillotia erinaceus (Van Beneden, 1858) (larva)

MAMAEV, Y.L. AND BAEVA, O.M., 1963

Grillotia heptanchi (Vaulegeard, 1899) (plerocercoid)

ARTHUR, J.R., 1984

Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929

GUSEV, A.V., ZHUKOV, E.V. AND STRELKOV, YU.A., 1959

SHIMAZU, T., 1975b

Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (larva)

ARAI, H.P., 1969

GRABDA, J., 1977

MAMAEV, Y.L. AND BAEVA, O.M., 1963

OSHMARIN, P.G., PARUKHIN, A.M., MAMAEV, Y.L. AND BAEVA, O.M., 1961

SASAKI, M., 1973

SKRIABINA, E.S., 1963

STRELKOV, J.A., 1960

Nybelinia surmenicola Okada in Dollfus, 1929 (plerocercoid)

ARTHUR, J.R., 1984

ARTHUR, J.R., MARGOLIS, L., WHITAKER, D.J. AND McDONALD, T.E., 1982

Trypanorhyncha type 1 (plerocercoid)

ARTHUR, J.R., 1984

Trypanorhyncha type 2 (plerocercoid)

ARTHUR, J.R., 1984

Thunnus albaces

Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931 (?)

(cysts) (tentative identification)

BANE, G.W., 1969

Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931

(post-larva)

BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1971

Dasyrhynchus talismani Dollfus, 1935 (post-larva)

BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1971

Thunnus albacores

Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (post-larva)

BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1971

Thunnus albacores (Bonnaterre, 1788)

Callitetrarhynchus gracilis (Rudolphi, 1819) Pintner, 1931

(plerocercus)

BUSSIERAS, J. AND BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1973

Dasyrhynchus talismani Dollfus, 1935 (plerocercus)

BUSSIERAS, J. AND ALDRIN, J.F., 1965

BUSSIERAS, J. AND BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1973

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (post-larva)

BUSSIERAS, J. AND BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1973

Tentacularia coryphaenae Bosc, 1802 (post-larva)

- BUSSIERAS, J. AND BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1973
- Thunnus obesus (Lowe, 1839)
- Dasyrhynchus talismani Dollfus, 1935 (plerocercus)
- BUSSIERAS, J. AND ALDRIN, J.F., 1965
- BUSSIERAS, J. AND BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1973
- Sphyrioccephalus dollfusi Bussières and Aldrin, 1968 (post-larva)
- BUSSIERAS, J. AND ALDRIN, J.F., 1968
- BUSSIERAS, J. AND BAUDIN-LAURENCIN, F., 1973
- Thunnus thynnus
- Grillotia sp. (plerocercus)
- TIGARI, M., RADHAKRISHNAN, C.V. AND HOWARD, B.R., 1975
- Thysites atun (Euphrasen, 1791)
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Dibothriorhynchus attenuatus (Rudolphi, 1819)  
 NIGRELLI, R.F., 1938
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MAMMALIA

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Trypanorhynch sp. (larva)  
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Balaenoptera acutorostrata

Trypanorhynch sp. (larva)  
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Balaenoptera acutorostrata davidsoni

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Trypanorhynch sp. (larva)  
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Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (larva) syn.  
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HEINZ, H.J., 1954

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SECTION TWO

TAXONOMIC STUDIES ON LITTLE-KNOWN TRYPANORHYNCHS

According to Schmidt (1986) about 60,000 species of vertebrate exist, and each species that has been examined has been shown to host one or more cestode species. Fewer than 4,000 species of tapeworm have been recorded, so a large number of species remain to be found. The cestodes (with the exception of Archigetes, which matures in the coelom of annelids) all inhabit the gut of their vertebrate definitive hosts. There are twelve main orders of Eucestoda, including the Trypanorhyncha Diesing 1863, which mature in elasmobranchs. Clearly much work remains to be done on this order, as less than 200 species have been recorded from the 3-4,000 species of elasmobranch known to exist.

The terminology associated with the Trypanorhyncha is complex, involving a number of specialised terms (Yamaguti, 1959; Schmidt 1986). Here I shall briefly summarise the main characters used to distinguish species of trypanorhynch.

The trypanorhynchs are divided into two suborders. In the Acystidea Guiart 1927, the blastocyst of larval trypanorhynchs is either missing or greatly reduced, and the scolex has a pars bothridialis that extends to cover the pars vaginalis (i.e. the bothridia reach down past the sheaths to the bulbs). This suborder contains the homeoacanthous families (Hepatoxylidae Dollfus 1940; Tentaculariidae Poche 1926; Sphyrioccephalidae Pintner 1913) whose tentacle armature consists of hooks of similar shape and size distributed in continuous spiral rows or quincunxes over the metabasal portion of the tentacle e.g. Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802) (Plate 1, Figs. 1-2).

In the Cystidea the plerocerci possess well developed blastocysts, and

Plate 1: Tentacle armatures of homeoacanth, poeciloacanth and heteroacanth trypanorhynchs

Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Holten, 1802)

Fig. 1 external face

Fig. 2 internal face (scale bar Figs. 1-2: 0.4 mm)

Grillotia erinaceus (van Beneden, 1858)

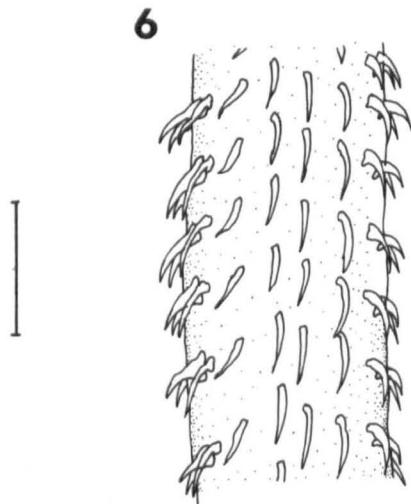
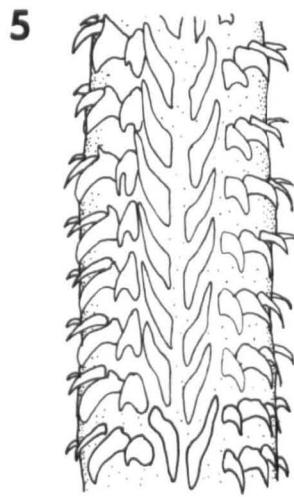
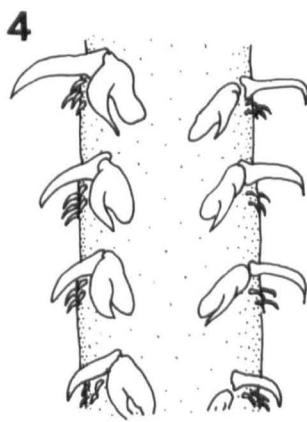
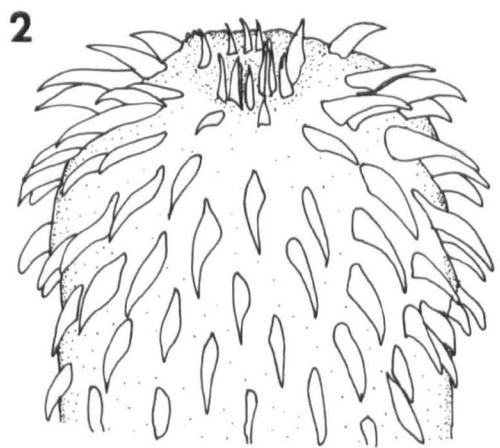
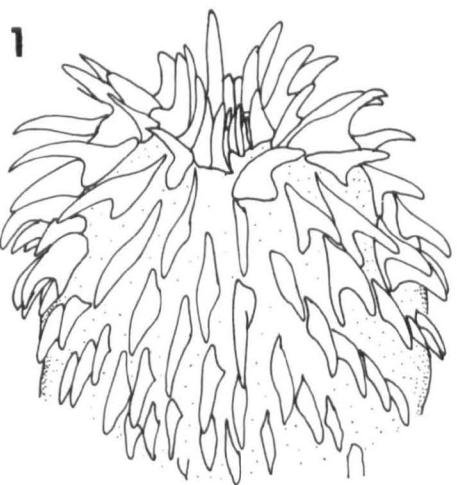
Fig. 3 external face

Fig. 4 internal face (scale bar Figs. 3-4: 50 µm)

Gilquinia squali Fabricius, 1794

Fig. 5 external face

Fig. 6 internal face (scale bar Figs. 5-6: 25 µm)



the pars vaginalis extends well below the pars bothridialis. The poeciloacanthous families (Dasyrhynchidae Dollfus, 1942; Gymnorhynchidae Dollfus, 1942; Lacistorhynchidae Guiart, 1927; Pterobothriidae Pintner, 1931) have several hook types. Oblique lines of hooks run from the middle of the internal face (nearest the scolex) of the tentacle across the bothridial and antibothridial surfaces to end on the external face (furthest away from the scolex), with subsidiary or satellite groups of hooks between them. The middle of the external face is occupied either by a "chainette"- a single or double row of large hooks, or a band of small hooks (e.g. Grillotia erinaceus (van Beneden, 1858) (Plate 1, Figs. 3-4). The heteroacanthous families (Eutetrarhynchidae Guiart, 1927; Gilquinidae Dollfus, 1942; Hornelliellidae Yamaguti, 1959; Otobothriidae Dollfus, 1942; Rhinoptericolidae Carvajal and Campbell, 1975) possess hooks of varying size and shape, forming oblique rows that run from the internal face alternately over the bothridial and antibothridial surfaces to meet on the external face where they form an inverted V, without a chainette, e.g. Gilquinia squali Fabricius, 1794 (Plate 1, Figs. 5-6). One family, the Mixodigmatidae Dailey and Vogelbein, 1982, from a deep sea planktivorous shark, appears to contain both poeciloacanthous and heteroacanthous elements in its tentacle armature.

Features of the reproductive system may be used to identify detached proglottids as trypanorhynchian: (1) the sleeve-like distribution of the vitellaria, breaking only at the genital atrium and ovary; (2) the extension of the testes into the post-ovarian space; (3) the position of the vagina ventral to the uterus and vas deferens and opening ventral to or slightly behind that of the cirrus; (4) the vas deferens penetrating the cirrus pouch without crossing the vagina; (5) the muscular genital atrium; (6) the delayed development of the eggs, which do not reach the oncosphere stage within the uterus.)

- (i) A Redescription of Grillotia smaris-gora and an Assessment of the Taxonomy of Trypanorhynchs Found in Monkfish, Squatina squatina (L.) and Mackerel, Scomber scombrus L.

### Introduction

Plerocerci of Grillotia angeli Dollfus, 1969 were first described by MacKenzie (1980) from mackerel Scomber scombrus L. landed at Mevagissey Bay, Cornwall and compared well with Dollfus' (1969) original description of adults of this species from a monkfish, Squatina squatina (L.) caught at Sète. Subsequently MacKenzie (1981) and MacKenzie and Mehl (1984) investigated the potential of G. angeli as a biological tag for mackerel and at the same time drew attention to the need for a reassessment of the taxonomy of the trypanorhynchs found in the spiral valves of monkfish, and also in the visceral cavities of mackerel. I, therefore, carried out this research, partly under the guidance of Dr. K. MacKenzie, who was recognised during the 6th International Congress of Parasitology, Queensland, Australia 1986, as one of the world's leading experts on the use of parasites, especially tapeworms, as biological indicators.

My aims were to provide the first good description of the species and to ensure that in future it would not be identified as or confused with Grillotia angeli, Christianella minuta or any other parasite recorded as C. minuta or one of its synonyms.

### Materials

The type specimens of Grillotia angeli Dollfus 1969, and adult trypanorhynchs identified by Dollfus as G. smaris-gora (Wagener, 1854) Dollfus, 1946 from monkfish, Squatina squatina were borrowed from the Museum National d'Histoire Naturelle, Paris, and examined. Further adult trypanorhynchs from S. squatina were obtained from west of the British Isles for comparison. Plerocerci of G. smaris-gora (Wagener, 1854) recovered from the California lizardfish, Synodus lucioceps, by Jensen, Moser and Heckmann, (1979) were borrowed from the U.S. National Helminthological Collection, Beltsville, USA and compared with plerocerci of G. angeli from Scomber scombrus described by MacKenzie (1980). Further plerocerci were examined from scad, Trachurus trachurus L. and red sea bream, Pagellus bogaraveo (Brünnich, 1768) from British waters. Specimen preparation and examination followed the procedures described in the methodology section (pp. 3-15).

### Results

#### General Features

Trypanorhynchs belonging to the family Lacistorhynchidae, sub-family Grillotiinae, up to 5 mm long with two bothridia. Pars vaginalis region longer than pars bothridialis. Tentacles armed with transverse half rows of 4-6 hooks. No hooks along the middle of the internal surface. Groups of small hooks interpolated between half row of major hooks, and a band of small hooks along the middle of external surface. Distinctive basal armature found. Body euapolytic, genital atria marginal and post equatorial.

Description of adult G. smaris-gora from S. squatina (measurements from ten specimens).

### 1. General Appearance

Total length 2.3-4.5 mm for specimens with immature proglottids (Plate 2; Fig. 1A). The acraspedote scolex, from the anterior end of the bothridia to the posterior end of the pars bulbosa, measures 0.94-1.5 mm. The two unnotched bothridia are 0.23-0.29 mm long and 0.19-0.24 mm wide. The pars vaginalis containing the sinuous tentacle sheaths is 0.53-0.59 mm long and 0.138-0.149 mm wide, the pars bulbosa is 0.43-0.52 mm long and 0.138-0.149 mm wide. The bulbs taper posteriorly, and are 0.045 mm wide at their widest point with the tentacle retractor muscle inserted into the base of the bulb cavity. There is no pars post-bulbosa, the tentacle bulbs appearing to extend into the proliferation zone of the proglottids (Plate 2; Fig. 2). The pars bothridialis : pars vaginalis : pars bulbosa ratio is 1:2:2.

### 2. Tentacle armature

Each tentacle measures 0.8-0.9 mm long when fully extended, with a diameter of about 0.025 mm. The metabasal tentacle armature (Plate 3; Figs. 2 and 3: Plate 4; Figs. 1A, 1B) is poeciloacanthous and consists of a repeating pattern of two transverse half-turns of four large hooks. Following the conventional numbering system (Dollfus, 1942) hooks 1(1') are set in the internal face of the tentacles, are rose-thorn shaped and 9-10  $\mu$ m long. Hooks 2(2') are more slender and

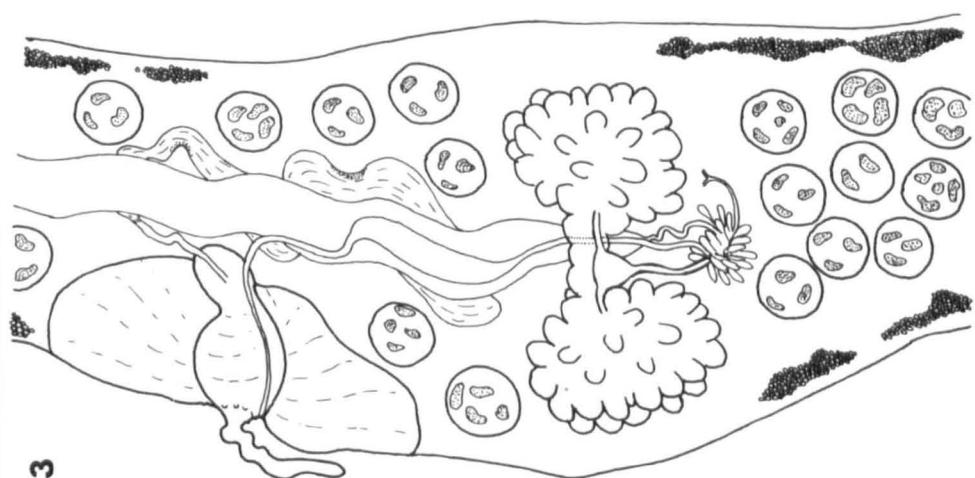
Plate 2: Grillotia smaris-gora (Wagener, 1854) from Squatina  
squatina

Fig. 1A Whole adult specimen (scale bar = 0.2 mm)

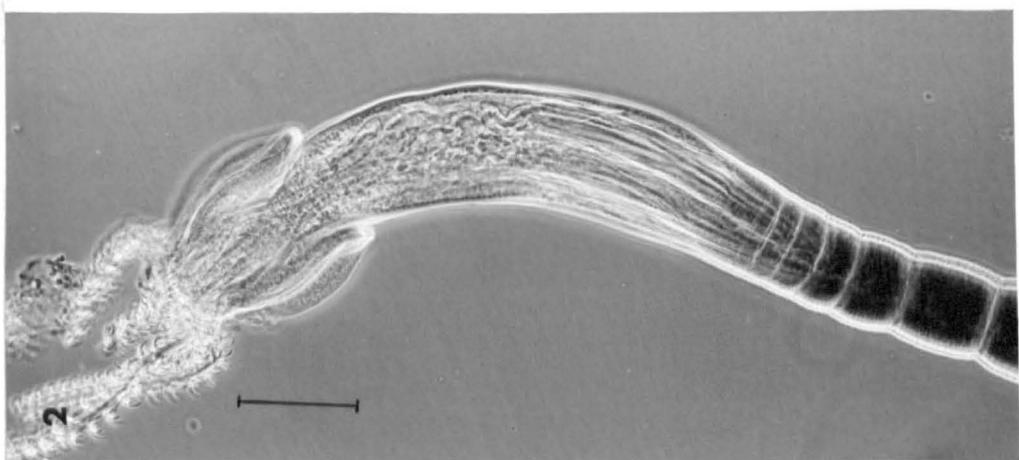
Fig. 1B Detached mature proglottid (scale bar =  
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Fig. 2 Zone of proliferation (scale bar = 0.2 mm)

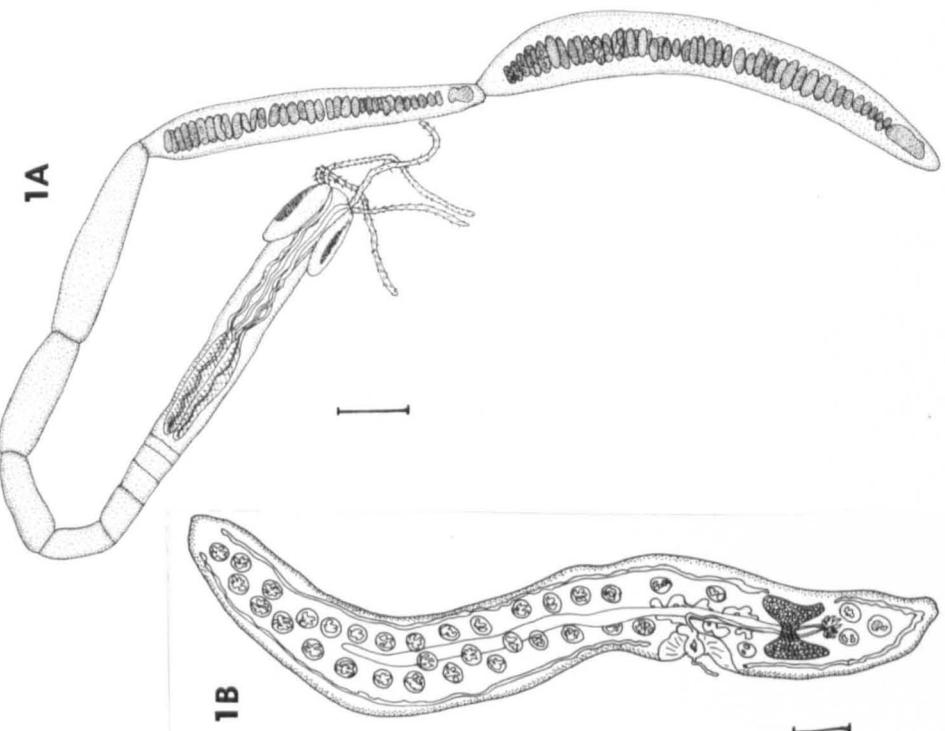
Fig. 3 Schematic diagram of the reproductive system of  
G. smaris-gora



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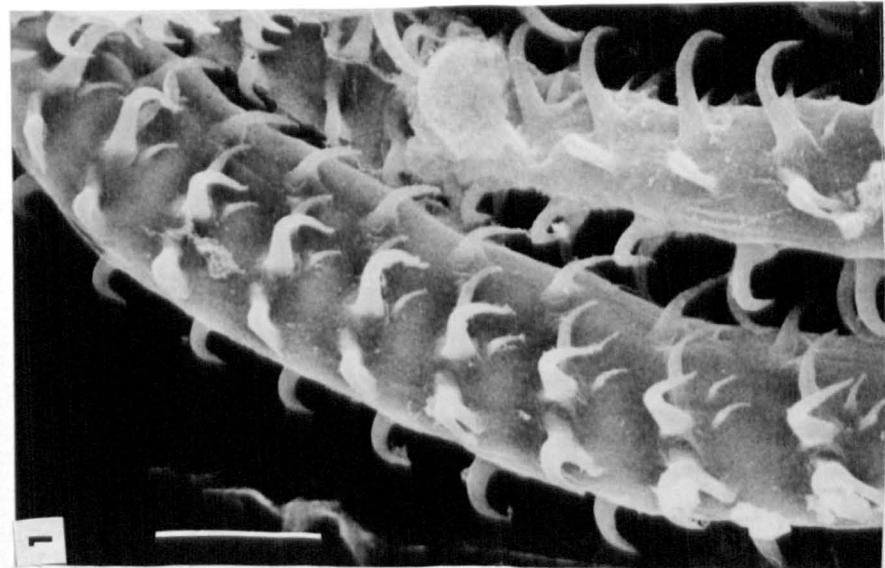
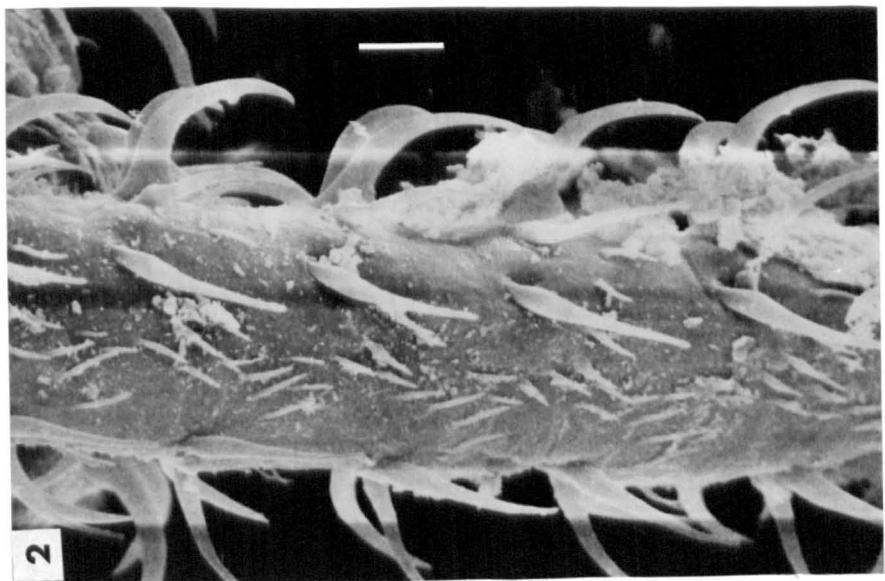
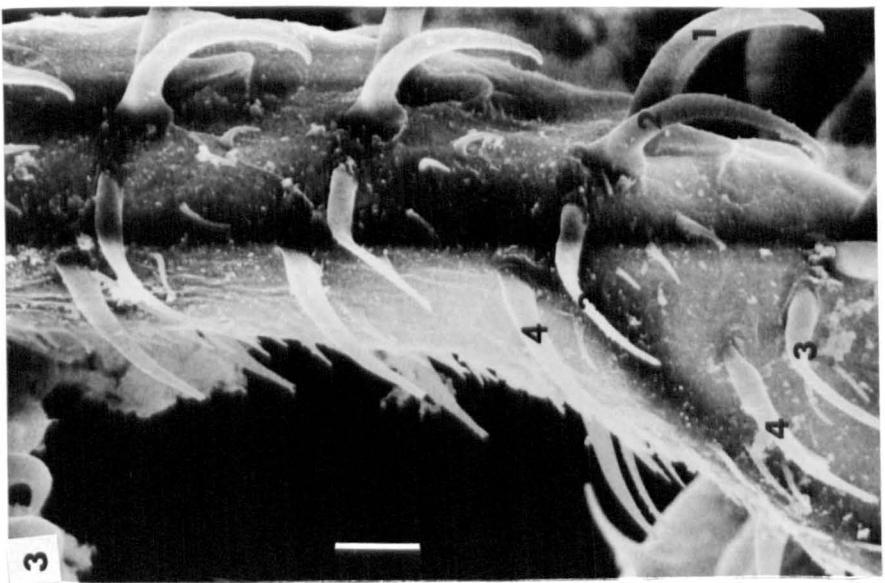
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Plate 3: Scanning electron micrographs of the tentacle armature of  
Grillotia smaris-gora from Squatina squatina

Fig. 1 Tip of tentacle (scale bar = 100  $\mu\text{m}$ )

Fig. 2 Metabasal armature, external face (scale bar =  
10  $\mu\text{m}$ )

Fig. 3 Metabasal armature, antibothridial face (scale  
bar = 10  $\mu\text{m}$ )



taller (10-11  $\mu\text{m}$  long). Hooks 3(3') and 4(4') cross over the anti-bothridial (bothridial) sides of the tentacle to reach the external face, which is occupied by a thin band or chainette of small hooks (4-5  $\mu\text{m}$  long). Interpolated between consecutive rows of the large, major hooks are groups of smaller hooks (3-7  $\mu\text{m}$  long), varying in number along the length of the tentacle, from five to seven at the metabasal region, gradually reducing in size and number towards the tentacle apex, where only one small subsidiary hook is found. The size and shape of the major hooks alters markedly towards the tentacle apex, where they are smaller and more similar in shape (Plate 3; Fig. 1).

The distinctive basal armature is composed (Plate 4, Figs 2a, 2b) of several rows of large hooks, measuring up to 30  $\mu\text{m}$  long, and a wide band of small hooks 5-10  $\mu\text{m}$  long, which quickly decreases in number from 7 to 3 hooks wide with increasing distance from the tentacle base.

### 3. Strobila

The acraspedote strobila is characterised by a small number of proglottids, up to a maximum of eight to ten. The strobila is hyperapolytic, with only the most rudimentary development of the reproductive system in any of the attached proglottids. In a typical specimen the smallest proglottid found posterior to the pars bulbosa measured 0.0450 mm long and 0.108 mm wide, the second 0.0585 by 0.108 mm, third 0.103 by 0.112 mm, fourth 0.166 by 0.117 mm, fifth 0.234 by 0.130 mm, sixth 0.370 by 0.148 mm and the seventh and last proglottid 0.606 by 0.171 mm.

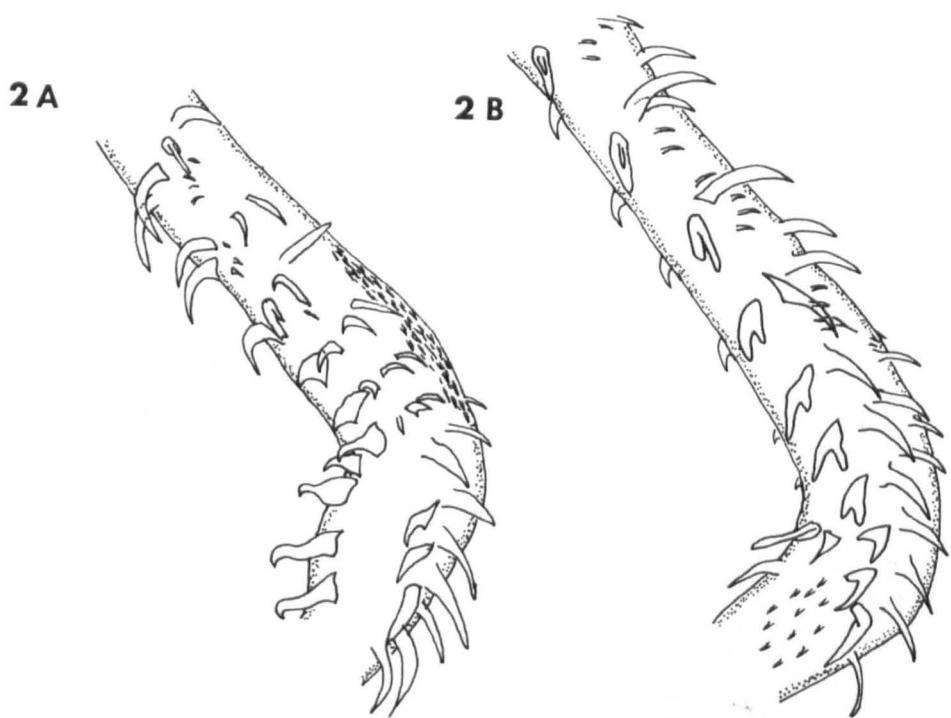
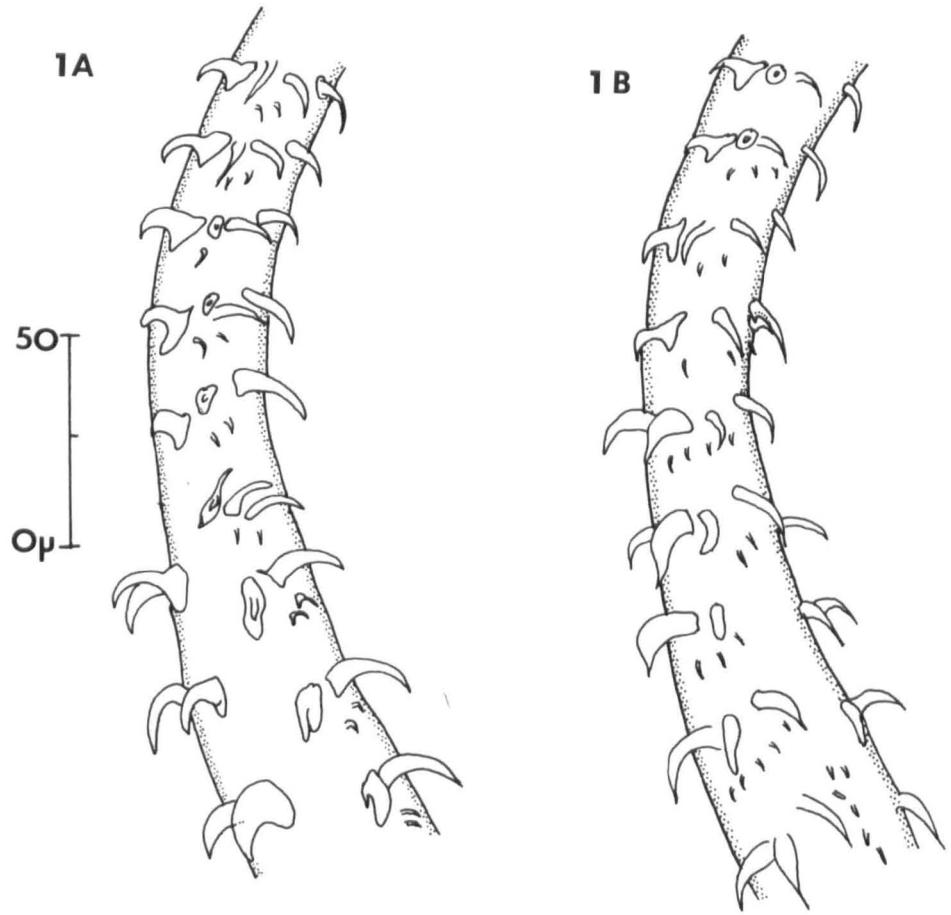
Plate 4: Tentacle armature of adult G. smaris-gora from S. squatina

Fig. 1A Metabasal armature, bothridial face

Fig. 1B Metabasal armature, antithoridial face

Fig. 2A Basal armature, bothridial face

Fig. 2B Basal armature, antithoridial face



Detached gravid proglottids measuring up to 5.5 mm long and 1.5 mm wide were found in the most anterior tier of the valve in two monkfish caught in Cardigan Bay in August (Plate 2; Fig. 1b). The proglottids show typical trypanorhynchian organisation, with a muscular genital atrium opening at the lateral margin in the posterior third of the segment (Plate 2; Fig. 3). The testes number between 80 and 120 and are found throughout the proglottid, extending posterior to the ovary. The vitellaria are circumcortical and almost continually distributed, with gaps occurring only around the biwinged ovary. The vagina opens ventrally to the cirrus pouch. The uterus occupies about three quarters of the proglottid, with no visible preformed uterine pore.

Description of Plerocercus (Measurements from Ten Specimens from Mackerel)

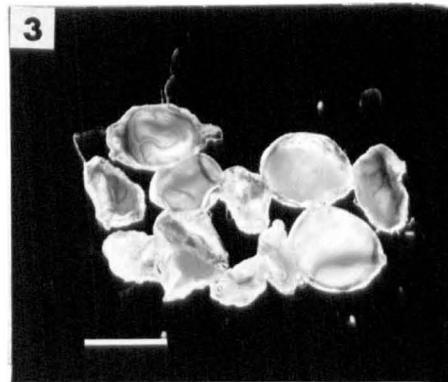
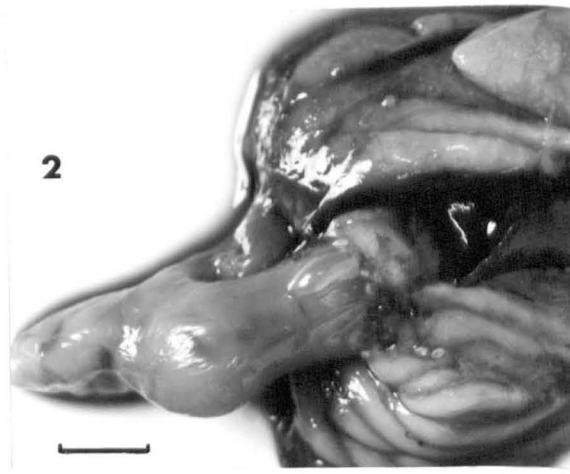
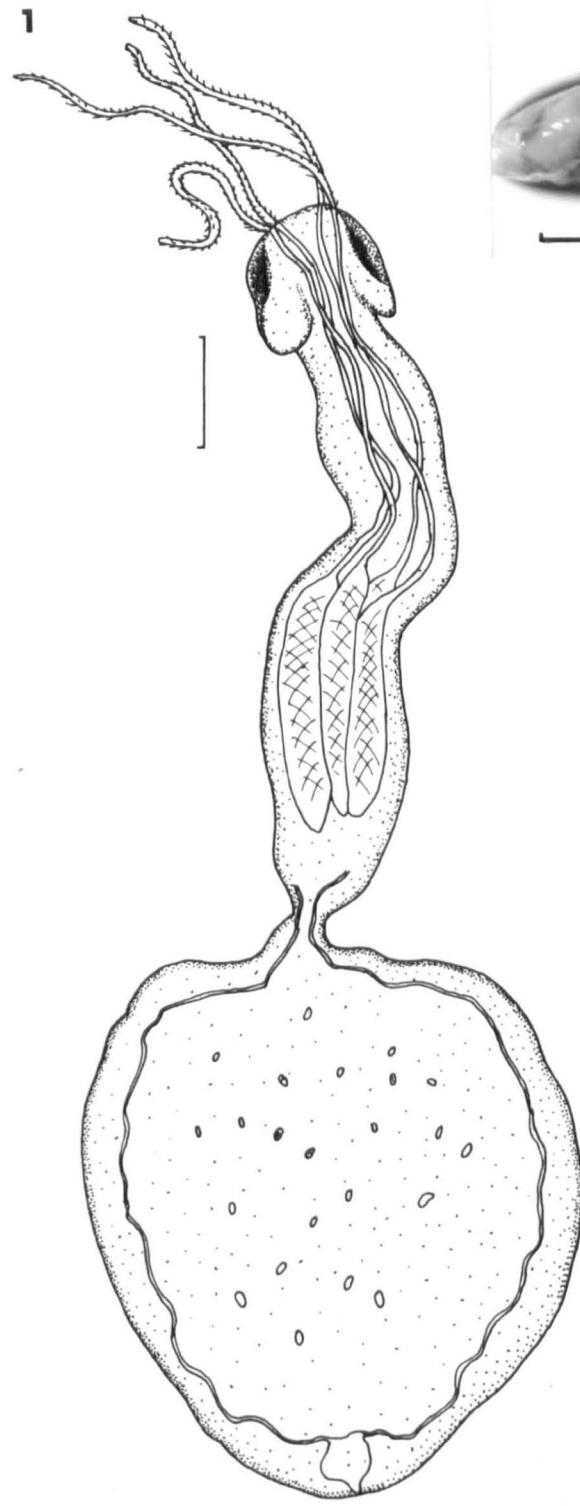
Plerocerci were found encysted within mackerel, horse mackerel and red sea bream, most frequently on the outer surfaces of the pyloric caeca (Plate 5; Fig. 2) and in the stomach wall. The encysted plerocerci (Plate 5; Fig. 3) were in white or faintly yellow oval capsules measuring 1-2.5 mm long by 0.7-1.3 mm wide. When dissected out plerocerci with fully developed scoleces could extend their tentacles under coverslip pressure (Plate 5; Fig. 1). The scolex measures 1.1-1.6 mm long. The bothridia are 225-310  $\mu\text{m}$  long, and the pars bothridialis measures 230-300  $\mu\text{m}$  across at its widest points. The pars vaginalis containing sinuous tentacle sheaths is 590-630  $\mu\text{m}$  long and up to 195  $\mu\text{m}$  wide, depending on the state of contraction. The pars bulbosa measures 450-475  $\mu\text{m}$  long and up to 250  $\mu\text{m}$  wide. There is a pars post-bulbosa measuring up to 150  $\mu\text{m}$  long. The blastocyst measures

Plate 5: The plerocercus of G. smaris-gora from Scomber scombrus (L.) and Trachurus trachurus (L.)

Fig. 1 Plerocercus dissected out from a cyst on the pyloric caeca of S. scombrus (scale bar = 0.2 mm)

Fig. 2 Encysted plerocerci on the pyloric caeca of T. trachurus (scale bar = 2 mm)

Fig. 3 Encysted plerocerci from T. trachurus (scale bar = 0.2 mm)



approximately 1.1-1.25 mm long by 0.85-0.95 mm wide and is easily detached during dissection. Encysted plerocerci from horse mackerel and red sea bream had measurements which were amongst the range displayed by specimens from mackerel.

The tentacle armature (Plate 6; Figs. 1-2b) was very similar to that described above for adult G. smaris-gora, consisting of oblique transverse half turns of 4 major hooks, interpolated with 1-5 small hooks depending upon the distance along the tentacle and a band of small hooks occupying the middle of the external face.

#### Discussion

##### The Status of *Grillotia* spp. from *Squatina squatina*

My literature survey relative to the foregoing description revealed many references to adult trypanorhynchs from the monkfish Squatina squatina, with larval forms occurring in a variety of teleosts in European waters. Unfortunately, I was unable to obtain many of the original specimens because they had been either lost or destroyed, and the descriptions available are often brief and generalised and accompanied by ambiguous drawings, which give little information about the parasites.

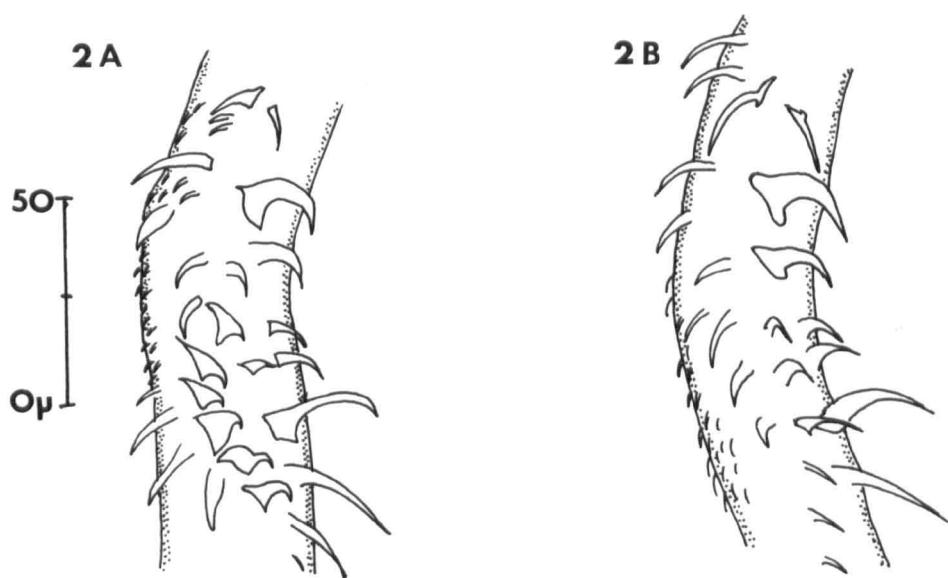
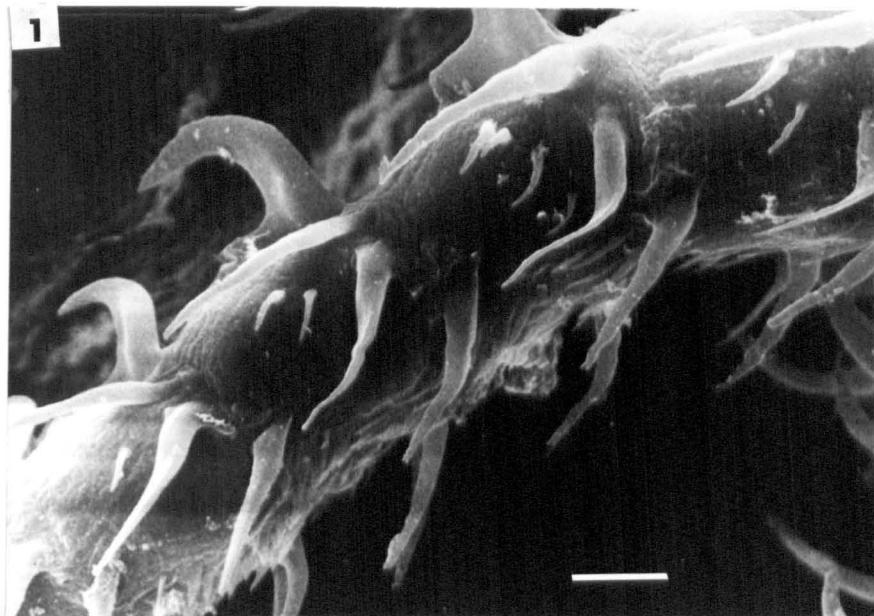
From the descriptions alone, however, the specimens could be

Plate 6: Tentacle armature of G. smaris-gora from S. scombrus

Fig. 1 Scanning electron micrograph of metabasal  
tentacle armature (scale bar = 10  $\mu\text{m}$ )

Fig. 2A Basal armature : bothridial face

Fig. 2B Basal armature : antibothridial face



allocated to either Grillotia smaris-gora (Wagener, 1854) Dollfus, 1946, belonging to the poeciloacanthous family, the Lacistorhynchidae, or to the heteroacanthous family, the Eutetrahynchidae, distinguished principally by the scolex length, tentacle armature and, in adult specimens, the anatomy of the proglottids.

Grillotia smaris-gora

Table 4: Records of Grillotia smaris-gora (Wagener, 1854) Dollfus, 1946

Specimen	Host and Locality	Reference
<u>Tetrahynchus smaris-gora</u> Wagener (plerocercus)	<u>Spicara smaris</u> (= <u>Smaris gora</u> Risso) <u>Spicara maena</u> (= <u>Maena vulgaris</u> C.V.)	Wagener (1854)
<u>Tetrahynchus smaridis</u> <u>Gorae</u> Wagener	Previous record	Diesing (1863)
<u>Tetrahynchus smaridis</u> <u>Maenae</u> Wagener	Previous record	Diesing (1863)
<u>Tetrahynchus smaridium</u> Pintner (plerocercus)	<u>Smaris</u> sp. <u>Maena</u> sp. Trieste I-V,	Pintner (1893)
<u>Wageneria porrecta</u> Lühe (free proglottid)	<u>Rhina squatina</u> L. Trieste	Lühe (1902)
<u>Tetrahynchus minutus</u> van Beneden (adult)	<u>Squatina angelus</u> Scotland	Scott (1909),
<u>Tetrahynchus smaridium</u> (Pintner, 1893) (plerocercus)	<u>Maena vulgaris</u> C.V. and <u>Smaris vulgaris</u> C.V. Nice	Joyeux and Baer (1936)

contd.

Specimen	Host and Locality	Reference
<u>Christianella minuta</u> (van Beneden) (adult)	<u>Squatina squatina</u> L. Roscoff, France, Skagerack	Nybelin (1940)
<u>Grillotia smaris-gora</u> (Wagener, 1854) (adult)	<u>Squatina squatina</u> L. Arcachon, France	Dollfus (1946)
<u>Grillotia angeli</u> Dollfus 1969 (adult)	<u>Squatina squatina</u> L. Sète, France	Dollfus (1969)
<u>Grillotia smaris-gora</u> Wagener, 1854 (adult)	<u>Squatina californica</u> Ayres, Catalina Island, California	Heinz and Dailey (1974)
<u>Grillotia smaris-gora</u> (Wagener, 1854) Dollfus, 1947 (plerocercus)	<u>Cynoscion nobilis</u> <u>Sebastes paucispinis</u> <u>Synodus lucioceps</u> Southern California	Jensen, 1977
<u>Grillotia angeli</u> Dollfus 1969 (plerocercus)	<u>Scomber scombrus</u> L. Mevagissey Bay, England	MacKenzie (1980)
<u>Grillotia smaris-gora</u>	<u>Synodus lucioceps</u> Los Angeles, California	Jensen, Moser and Heckman (1979)

The poeciloacanthous specimens (Table 4) all agreed with the detailed description of Tetrahyynchus smaridum by Pintner (1893) from plerocerci encysted in the body cavities of Smaris and Maena from Naples and Trieste. Wagener (1854), however, had already briefly described and illustrated these plerocerci from Smaris Gora Risso and Maena vulgaris C.V. from Nice as Tetrahyynchus Smaris Gora. Wagener's figures showed a plerocercus with many calcareous corpuscles.

Lühe (1902) described a proglottid from the spiral valve of

Squatina squatina at Trieste as Wageneria porrecta Lühe, without recognising it as the detached proglottid of a trypanorhynch. This was later identified by Nybelin (1940) as a trypanorhynch proglottid.

The adult of G. smaris-gora was first described by Scott (1909) from Squatina angelus in the Firth of Clyde, although he identified it as a heteroacanth, Tetrarhynchus minutus van Beneden, it is clearly a poeciloacanth. Scott quoted van Beneden's description of 1850, but showed, in his illustrations, a band of small hooks running one to two longitudinally along the tentacle, and small, subsidiary hooks beneath the half turns of four large hooks. Scott did not give any measurements of the parasite beyond mentioning that it was a small species, and easily overlooked. The tentacle sheaths are depicted as convoluted, and the tentacle bulbs appear to occupy over half the scolex length.

Gravid trypanorhynchs from Squatina squatina were described in great detail by Nybelin (1940) as Christianella minuta (van Beneden, 1849). Nybelin compared the specimens with the original specimens of Tetrarhynchus smaridum Pintner, and recognised them as belonging to the same species, but considered T. smaridum to be a synonym of the heteroacanth T. minutus (van Beneden, 1849). Nybelin's description and figures leave no doubt that his specimens were Grillotia smaris-gora. Nybelin based his descriptions on several specimens from Roscoff, France, and the Skagerack, mature specimens being found only at Roscoff.

The worm measured up to 5 mm long, with the scolex measuring 1.0-1.3 mm in length. The tentacle armature is well illustrated, beginning with a metabasal portion consisting chiefly of very large hooks on the internal face and a scattering of small hooks on the external face. These soon form a longitudinal band of hooks running along the external face rapidly decreasing in number with height of tentacle. The metabasal armature thus consists of two rows of four, similarly shaped hooks running diagonally upwards from the external face alternately crossing the bothridial and antibothridial faces. The internal surface is occupied by a sparse scattering of the small 5  $\mu\text{m}$  hooks. Groups of five small hooks are interpolated between the rows of principal hooks. Nybelin notes that towards the tip of the tentacle the hooks become smaller.

The bothridia show a small notch in their posterior part, measuring 0.22-0.27 mm long. The tentacle sheaths are sinuous, and measure from 0.55-0.74 mm depending on the state of contraction. The tentacle bulbs measure 0.41-.054 mm and appear to extend within the zone of proliferation, with the retractor muscle inserted near their base.

Nybelin noted that 5-6 proglottids could be easily distinguished externally, but on staining a further 1-2 segments could be found in the portion nearest to the scolex. The strobila was acraspedote, and the final segment only just beginning to develop signs of the genital organs. Consequently, the strobila was considered as hyperapolytic.

The testes were found both anterior and posterior to the ovary and numbered 69-115. The genital atrium was approximately three quarters down the length of the mature proglottid. The rest of the description of the proglottid anatomy closely agreed with that given by Johnstone (1911) and Dollfus (1942) for Grillotia erinaceus (van Beneden, 1858).

Dollfus (1946) described G. smaris-gora from S. squatina from France, referring to Nybelin for much of the descriptions of anatomy and tentacle armature.

Dollfus noted that in his specimens the fifth of the group of small hooks was often difficult to see, as it merged into the band of longitudinal hooks running along the external surface. His diagrams show only the metabasal armature and the first four rows of principal hooks, while his specimens from the Muséum National d'Histoire Naturelle, Paris, do not show fully extended tentacles.

A new species of trypanorhynch, G. angeli, was later described from S. squatina by Dollfus (1969) from three greatly flattened and distorted immature specimens from Sète. Dollfus gave the length of the least deformed specimens as 1.6 mm, but the other two measured far less, 1.1-1.25 mm. The tentacle armature consisted of half turns of four principal hooks, which varied greatly in size with the height of the tentacle. The longitudinal band of spines occupying the middle of the external face also varied in number according to the level examined, but the distinguishing feature of this species was the reduction to one or two small hooks of the group of small hooks

interpolated between two rows of principal hooks. However, on examining Dollfus' original specimens it became apparent that this group of small hooks varied greatly in number along the length of the tentacles, with 3-5 small hooks being clearly visible in portions lower than those depicted by Dollfus (Plate 7: Figs. 1A-3).

The bothridia were described as "Deux bothridies orbiculaires, à bord posterior non échancré", but the bothridia can vary so greatly in appearance, and the specimens were distorted, that this cannot be held as critical to the distinction of a species. The tentacle sheaths were sinous, together with the bothridia they measured 0.5-1 mm, with the bulbs measuring about 0.63 mm.

The only other record of G. angeli was made by MacKenzie (1980) from the pyloric caeca and intestine of mackerel Scomber scombrus from Mevagissey Bay, Cornwall, U.K. The cyst measured 1.2-2.5 mm long by 0.8-1.2 mm wide, with the enclosed blastocyst 1.0-1.6 mm long by 0.7-1.0 mm wide. The scolex, 1.1-1.5 mm long possessed two plain, unnotched bothridia, and the tentacle armature consisted of a repeating pattern of two similar transverse half turns of four hooks each with one or two small hooks lying between consecutive rows of large hooks.

A close examination of these plerocerci again revealed variation in the number of small hooks from one to five depending on the level examined. A close comparison of plerocerci of G. smaris-gora (from Trachurus trachurus caught north of Scotland) with these specimens revealed no significant differences.

## Plate 7

Tentacle armature of Grillotia angeli Dollfus, 1969 from  
Squatina squatina Type specimen

Fig. 1A Metabasal armature, internal face

Fig. 1B Metabasal armature, external face

Fig. 2A Basal armature, bothridial face

Fig. 2B Basal armature, antithoridial face

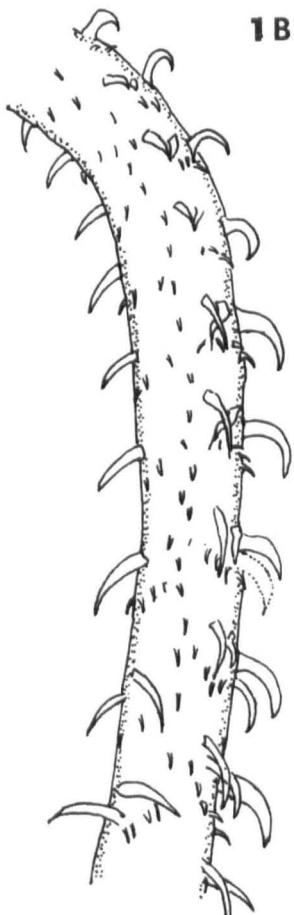
Fig. 3 Tip of tentacle

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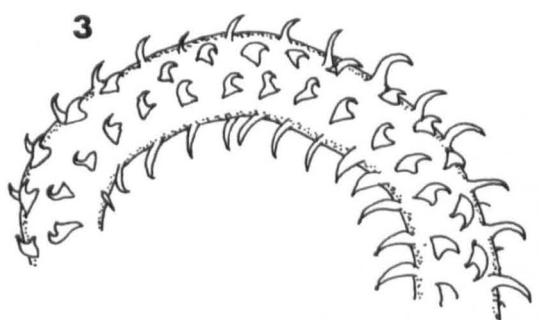
**2A**



**2B**



**3**



I, therefore, tentatively conclude that the parasites I have examined from S. squatina, mackerel, horse mackerel and red sea bream all belong to the species Grillotia smaris-gora of which G. angeli Dollfus, 1969 is a junior synonym.

The Status of Christianella spp.

Many of the remaining records of trypanorhynchs recorded from Squatina can be assigned to a different genus, Christianella, belonging to the family Eutetrarhynchidae.

1. Christianella minuta (van Beneden, 1849) Guiart, 1831

Table 5: Records of Christianella minuta

Specimen	Host and Locality	Reference
<u>Rhynchobothrius minutus</u> (adult)	<u>Squatina angelus</u> Belgium coast	van Beneden (1849)
<u>Tetrarhynchus minutus</u> van Beneden (adult)	<u>Squatina angelus</u>	van Beneden (1850)
<u>Rhynchobothrium minutum</u> Beneden (adult)	from van Beneden 1849	Diesing (1854)
<u>Tetrarhynchus minutus</u> (adult)	<u>Squatina angelus</u> Belgium coast	van Beneden (1861)
<u>Rhynchobothrium minutum</u> (adult)	from van Beneden 1849	Diesing (1863)

contd.

Specimen	Host and Locality	Reference
<u>Tetrarhynchus minutus</u> van Beneden (adult)	<u>Squatina angelus</u> Cuv. Belgium coast	van Beneden (1870)
<u>Tetrarhynchus minutus</u> van Beneden (adult)  (larvae)	<u>Squatina angelus</u> Risso Luc-sur-Mer, Calvados, France <u>Merlangus merlangus</u> (L.) <u>Cantharus cantharus</u> (L.) <u>Trachurus trachurus</u> (L.)	Vaullegaard (1899)
<u>Armandia minuta</u> (van Beneden 1849)	<u>Squatina angelus</u>	Guiart (1927)
<u>Armandia minuta</u> (van Beneden) (adult)	<u>Squatina angelus</u>	Dollfus (1929)
<u>Armandia minuta</u> (van Beneden, 1849) Guiart, 1927	<u>Squatina angelus</u>	Dollfus (1930)
<u>Christianella minuta</u> (van Beneden 1849) Guiart, 1931	from van Beneden 1849	Guiart (1931)
<u>Christianella minuta</u> (van Beneden, 1849) (adult) (larvae)	<u>Squatina angelus</u> Dum. France Various teleosts, France	Joyeux and Baer (1936)
<u>Christinaella minuta</u> (P.J. van Beneden, 1849) (adult)	<u>Squatina squatina</u> (L.) (= <u>Squatina angelus</u> Valenciennes) Coast of Mauritania	Dollfus (1942)
<u>Christianella minuta</u> (Beneden, 1849) (adult)	<u>Squatina</u> sp. Belgian waters	Wardle and McLeod (1952)
<u>Christianella minuta</u> (Beneden, 1849) (adult)	<u>Squatina angelus</u> Belgium	Yamaguti (1959)

Van Beneden (1849) briefly mentioned a new species of trypanorhynch tapeworm Rhynchobothrius minutus from Squatina angelus, which was distinguished by its tiny size, and the small number of proglottids in the strobila.

Van Beneden (1850) gave a more detailed description of the species as Tetrahyynchus minutus Van Bened. Its total length was given as 5-6 mm long, the scolex measured approximately 2.5 mm with two strongly notched bothridia giving the appearance of four distinct fossettes. The tentacles were described as being "couvertes de crochets recourbés" but from his figures it is uncertain whether there are tiny subsidiary hooks between the large, stout, regularly repeated hooks of similar size and shape. The spiral tentacle sheaths occupied 30- 50% the scolex length, and the tentacle bulbs about 30% with a large post bulbosa. The number of proglottids never exceeded 6, the 5-6 proglottids being gravid. Van Beneden regarded the length of the proglottids, being several times longer than wide, as being characteristic of this species, but this feature is found throughout the Trypanorhyncha.

Van Beneden (1870) described T. minutus from S. angelus Cuv. from the Belgium coast, but the scolex differed markedly from his earlier description. The 2 bothridia do not appear to be notched at their posterior edges although the shape and size of bothridia can vary greatly according to their position when fixed. The tentacle armature consisted of rosethorn-shaped hooks of varying sizes, some of which, in relation to the width of the tentacle, are twice as large as the short,

stocky hooks figured in 1850. The hooks also appear to be distributed in distinctly separated diagonal rows rather than regularly spaced over all the tentacle. The thick tentacle sheaths were sinuous rather than spiral, and occupy 75% of the scolex length, the bulbs occupying only 25% with no post-bulbosa. The seven attached proglottids shown are similar to those illustrated by van Beneden in 1850.

Vaullegaard (1899) recorded T. minutus van Beneden from one specimen of S. angelus Risso, caught at Luc-sur-Mer, France, with a total length of 3.1-3.5 mm, the scolex being 2.1-2.5 mm long, and noted that the two bothridia could appear as four fossettes. The tentacle armature was described from the larval forms. The proglottids were recorded as few in number, with the testes arranged in two rows in the first proglottids, and the genital orifice appearing lateral and towards the middle of the last segments.

Vaullegaard was the first author to describe larval trypanorhynchs as Tetrarhynchus minutus van Beneden. He recorded specimens encysted in the liver or mesentery of "Merlangus vulgaris L.", "Cantharus griseus" Cuv. et Val. and Trachurus trachurus L. From Vaullegaard's drawings it is clear that his specimens belonged to Christianella and not Grillotia, as no subsidiary hooks were indicated. He also regarded several records, including those of Drummond (1838) of Anthocephalus paradoxus from "Pleuronectes maximus", "Merlangus carbonarius", "Trigla pini" and "Trigla gurnadus", Bellingham (1844) of Anthocephalus paradoxus (Drummond) from Pleuronectes maximus and Cobbold (1864) of Tetrarhynchus sp. from the abdomen of a whiting Merlangus vulgaris, as

specimens of Tetrarhynchus minutus, although the parasites were described briefly, often without any figures of the tentacle armature.

The cysts were described by Vaullegeard as rounded, ovoid or piriform, measuring from 1.15-0.9 mm for specimens from M. vulgaris to 1.4 x 1.1 mm from C. griseus, containing a vesicle possessing numerous calcareous corpuscles. The scolex measured 1.5-2.0 mm in length, with two bothridia. The tentacles, just under 1 mm long, and 29  $\mu\text{m}$  (without hooks) or 55  $\mu\text{m}$  (with hooks) in diameter were described as possessing an armature of "crochets disposés avec régularité" and figured a mixture of rosethorn or plain, simple hooks 25-45  $\mu\text{m}$  long. It is difficult to determine their arrangement from one diagram of a portion of one side of a single tentacle, possibly they are arranged in spiral half turns.

In 1927 Guiart created a new genus, Armandia, placing it in the heteroacanthous family of the Eutetrarhynchidae with Armandia minuta (van Beneden, 1849) as the genotype.

Guiart (1931) later discovered that Armandia was pre-occupied by a polychaete described by De Filippi in 1801, and so renamed the genus Christianella.

Joyeux and Baer (1936) described Christianalla minuta (van Beneden, 1849) as 10 mm long, with a scolex 2.5 mm long, and two strongly notched bothridia. The tentacles were a little under

1 mm long and (p. 20) "elles sont armées de nombreuses rangées de crochets de forme semblable". The illustration showed hooks of similar shape and size, even though the hooks are stated to vary from 25-45  $\mu\text{m}$ . Joyeux and Baer did not state whether the hooks of different sizes occupied distinct regions of the tentacle. The retractor muscles were described as inserted into the base of the tentacle bulbs, but this is not illustrated by the accompanying figures.

Dollfus (1942) critically reviewed the literature on Christianella minuta (van Beneden, 1849) but although he commented on the summary state of knowledge of the parasites external morphology and anatomy he did not redescribe the species, because his own specimens had been destroyed. In Dollfus' definition of the genus Christianella he stated that the hooks were inserted in half-turns, leaving the middle of the internal and crossing over alternate faces of the tentacle and suggested that the hooks were not all of similar size, those of the internal side being smaller. Dollfus agreed with Guiarts' (1931) positioning of this species in the Eutetrarhynchidae which he redescribed. Dollfus' diagnosis of the Eutetrarhynchidae includes the restriction of the testes to the pre-ovarian region of the proglottid, although he did not comment on the distribution of the testes in C. minuta.

Wardle and McLeod (1952) and Yamaguti (1959) gave brief descriptions of C. minuta based on Dollfus (1942). Yamaguti, however, regarded Wageneria porrecta Lühe as a synonym, and included dubious host records based on Southwell (1929). Records of C. minuta which

suggest misidentification are summarised in Table 6.

2. Trypanorhynchs Incorrectly Recorded as C. minuta or One of its Synonyms

Scott (1909) figured Tetrahyynchus minutus van Beneden from a Squatina angelus caught in the Firth of Clyde, but as previously discussed (p. 34) this is a record of a poeciloacanth species, Grillotia smaris-gora.

In 1929 Southwell recorded Tentacularia minuta (van Beneden, 1858) syn. Tetrahyynchus minutus van Ben. 1858 from Carcharias sp. from Negapatam and Ceylon Pearl Banks, and Rhina halavi from Negapatam, and noted that it had previously been recorded from Squatina angelicus and Urolophos testacus in Europe. Dollfus (1942) commented however, that Urolophus (Trygonoptera) testacus was an Australian dasybatid. Southwell's specimens were about 4 mm long, with a scolex 1.2 mm long, about half the length of other recorded specimens. The tentacle armature is figured as typically heteroacanthous and consists of large hooks gradually decreasing in size, arranged in obliquely ascending half turns of 9-10 hooks and terminating in hooks approximately one third of the length of the largest hooks. Southwell suggested that Scott's (1909) figures appeared different because he had confused the anatomy of the hooks on the dorsal surface with those on the ventral surface, but this does not explain Scott's drawing of a typical poeciloacanth.

Table 6: Incorrect citations of trypanorhynchs as Christianella minuta or one of its synonyms.

Specimen	Host and Locality	Reference
<u>Tetrarhynchus minutus</u> (van Beneden, 1850) (adult)	<u>Squatina angelus</u> Firth of Clyde, Scotland	Scott (1909)
<u>Tentacularia minuta</u> (van Beneden, 1858) (adult)	<u>Carcharias</u> sp. Negapatam, India, and Ceylon Pearl Banks <u>Rhina halavi</u> Negapatam, India	Southwell (1929)
<u>Christianella minuta</u> (van Beneden, 1849)	<u>Rhina squatina</u> (L.) Roscoff, France, Skagerak	Nybelin (1940)
<u>Christianella minuta</u> van Beneden (adult)	<u>Rhinobatos halavi</u> (Forsk.) and <u>Trygon imbricata</u> (Bl. Schn.) Madras Coast	Subhapradha (1955)
<u>Christianella minuta</u> (Beneden, 1849) (adult)	<u>Raja clavata</u> L. <u>Dasyatis pastinaca</u> L. and	Kornyushin and Solonchenko (1978)
(larvae)	<u>Squalus acanthias</u> <u>Mullus barbatus</u> <u>ponticus</u> Essipov <u>Ophidium rochei</u> Muller, <u>Scorpaena porcus</u> L., <u>Platichthys flesus</u> <u>lucus</u> (Pallas) and <u>Solea lascaris nasuta</u>	
<u>Christianella minuta</u> (Beneden, 1849) syn. <u>Wageneria porrecta</u> Lühe, 1902	<u>Carcharias</u> sp. and <u>Rhina halavi</u> , India	Yamaguti (1959)

Southwell's diagrams show spiral tentacle sheaths leading into tentacle bulbs 0.63 mm long, over half the length of the scolex. The proglottids number three to six, with the testes being restricted to the pre-ovarian field, and the genital pore appearing in the last quarter of the proglottid. Southwell's description of T. minuta places his specimens in the Eutetrahynchidae, but probably in the genus Parachristianella.

Nybelin (1940) recorded cestodes from Squatina that he considered identical with Tetrahynchus minutus van Beneden. This excellent description clearly refers to a poeciloacanthous species, and was discussed under Grillotia smaris-gora.

Subhapradha (1955) recorded Christianella minuta van Beneden from Rhinobatus halari (Forsk.) and Trygon imbricata (Bl. Schn.), and gave a description which closely agreed with that of Southwell. The largest tapeworms measured 3.167 mm long, with a scolex 1.117 mm long. The tentacle armature consisted of spiral half turns of 11 hooks, beginning with the largest on the internal side and decreasing in size to the internal surface where the hooks meet to form inverted Vs. The tentacles were illustrated as sinuous rather than spiral, and the tentacle bulbs, 0.53 mm long, occupied just over half the scolex length. The strobila consisting of three to five segments possessed testes arranged in two lateral rows and restricted to the pre-ovarian field. The genital pore was lateral and appeared in the last quarter of the proglottid. These specimens may also be tentatively regarded as Parachristianella specimens rather than Christianella.

Kornyushin and Solonchenko (1978) recorded Christianella minuta (Beneden, 1849) as adults from Raja clavata L., Dasyatis pastinaca L. and Squalus acanthias, and as larvae from Mullus barbatus panticus Essipar, Ophidium cochei Muller, Scorpaena porcus L., Platichthys flesus luscus (Pallas) and Solea lascaris nasuta (Pallas) from the Black Sea, Sea of Azor, Mediterranean and Atlantic Ocean, but only described the adult worm. The total length was up to 6.0 mm, the scolex 0.76-1.1 mm with the tentacle bulbs occupying 0.43-0.65 mm. The tentacle armature consisted of half turns of hooks decreasing in size from the internal face (0.12-0.13 mm high) to a zone of sparsely distributed hooks on the external face 5  $\mu\text{m}$  high. All the hooks gradually decreased in size with increasing height of the tentacle, to 5  $\mu\text{m}$  at the tip of the tentacle. Unfortunately the tentacle armature is neither illustrated or designated as poeciloacanth or heteroacanth type. The testes are restricted to the pre-ovarian field, suggesting that this is again a member of the Eutetrarhynchidae, possibly belonging to the genus Parachristianella. Previous records of trypanorhynchs from these elasmobranch hosts include Parachristianella trygonis-brucconis Dollfus, 1946.

I, therefore, conclude from the research described above that Grillotia angeli is a synonym of G. smaris-gora, occurring as an adult in S. squatina and S. californica, and as a plerocercus in mackerel, horse mackerel and red sea bream. The great variation in tentacle armature, depending upon the point on the tentacle at which it is examined, emphasises the necessity of examining specimens with fully everted tentacles.

It is perhaps surprising that no trypanorhynchs resembling Christianella were obtained from Squatina or teleosts, when this genus has been frequently recorded in the northeast Atlantic (Dollfus, 1942). Prevalences of trypanorhynchs are, however, known to vary greatly (pp. 108-110) (MacKenzie and Mehl, 1984) within this area.

- (ii) A Comparison of Aporhynchus norvegicum (Olssen, 1866) Nybelin, 1918, a Trypanorhynch Without Tentacles, and Gilquinia squali Fabricius, 1797

### Introduction

Aporhynchus norvegicus, recorded solely from the smallest of all known sharks, the green-bellied shark, Etmopterus spinax, is unique amongst almost 200 species of trypanorhynch in that it does not have four armed eversible tentacles. Together with Haplobothrium, a pseudophyllidean which has four hookless tentacles, and is found in the freshwater fish Amia calva, Aporhynchus was referred to as an aberrant genus of trypanorhynch by Hyman (1951). Historically and more recently controversy has surrounded this tapeworm, usually regarded as belonging to the Gilquiniidae: e.g. Rees (1941b) gave a detailed description of the scolex and observed neither tentacles nor sheaths yet Wardle and McLeod (1952) and Schmidt (1986) refer respectively to "vestigial rhyncheal apparatus" and "tentacle sheaths and bulbs present". My aim, therefore, was to describe and compare this aberrant and little known trypanorhynch with Gilquinia squali, a typical member of the Gilquiniidae, and to try and establish where Aporhynchus should be placed within a classification of the Trypanorhyncha. The opportunity also arose to observe aspects of the ecology of Aporhynchus, and the results are used to comment on trypanorhynchan ecology generally.

### Materials and methods

Two samples of Etmopterus spinax were taken from the Norwegian Sea

northwest of Tromsø, Norway. The first sample of twelve fish was caught in May 1984, and the spiral valves immediately preserved (as described in Materials and Methods pp. 3-15). One spiral valve was completely sectioned. The second sample, consisting of 72 fish, was refrigerated for 24 hours before examination, when some Aporhynchus were found to have migrated out of the spiral valve, both in an anterior direction into the stomach, and in a posterior direction into the cloaca. The records from these fish were not used in investigating the sites occupied by Aporhynchus. Sixty-two Squalus acanthias (Linnaeus, 1758) caught in the North Sea during May and June 1983 were examined. Specimens of A. norvegicus and G. squali were sectioned transversely and longitudinally while others were prepared for scanning electron microscopy. Measurements are given from ten specimens of each species.

### Results

In the first sample (eleven dissected specimens of E. spinax) the prevalence of infection was 72.7%, with a mean intensity of infection of 3.8 worms per infected fish, and a range of 1-6 worms per host. A total of 31 worms was found, of which 9.7% were in the first tier, 12.9% in the second, 3.2% in the third, 29.0% in the fourth, 22.5% in the fifth and 22.5% in the sixth, with none in the more posterior tiers. The second sample had a prevalence of 46% with a mean intensity of infection of 2.17 worms per infected fish, and a range of 1-7 worms. In both samples the stomach contents consisted of remains of the shrimp, Pandalus, sp., and all size classes of sharks examined ranging from 11.0 cm to 60 cm in length were infected.

Gilquinia squali were found in 46.7% of the 62 S. acanthias, with a mean intensity of infection of 1.89 worms per infected fish, and a range of 1-4 worms per host. The 55 worms recovered were distributed 23.6% in the first tier, 26.8% in the second, 21.3% in the third and 18.1% in the fourth, with none in the more posterior tiers. Infected S. acanthias spiral valves recovered from the North Sea in 1981 (National Museum of Wales collection) contained up to 11 G. squali. The stomach contents of the sharks consisted mainly of teleost fish, with some crustacean material. All size classes of shark ranging from 60-90 cm in length were infected.

#### Taxonomic results

#### Aporhynchus norvegicus (Olssen, 1866) Nybelin 1918

##### 1. General Appearance

The dorso-ventrally flattened adult worm (Plate 8; Fig. 1) measures 30-40 mm long and consists of a scolex 1.4-1.9 mm long with up to 28 proglottids.

##### 2. Scolex

The scolex (Plate 8; Fig. 2; Plate 9; Fig. 1) has four distinct separated bothridia, two ventral and two dorsal, measuring 0.50-0.61 mm long and 0.34-0.38 mm wide. The ratio pars bothridialis:total scolex length is about 1-1.5:3. The scolex is completely covered with small,

Plate 8: Aporhynchus norvegicus (Olssen, 1866) Nybelin 1918 from  
Etmopterus spinax

Fig. 1 Whole adult specimen (scale bar = 1 mm)

Fig. 2 Scolex (Scale bar = 0.25 mm)

Fig. 3 Immature proglottids (scale bar = 0.1 mm)

Fig. 4 Gravid proglottids (scale bar = 1 mm)

Fig. 5A Mature proglottid (scale bar = 0.5 mm)

5B Diagram of female reproductive system

Key to Fig. 5B: o = oviduct; v = vagina; v.d. =  
vitelline duct

Fig. 6 Egg (scale bar = 50  $\mu$ m)

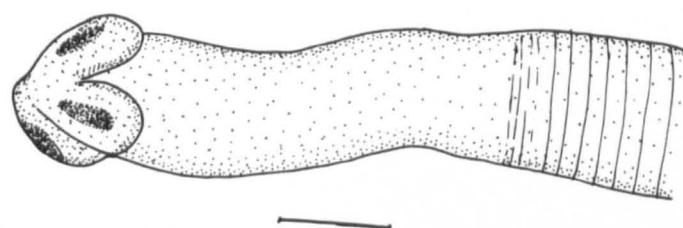
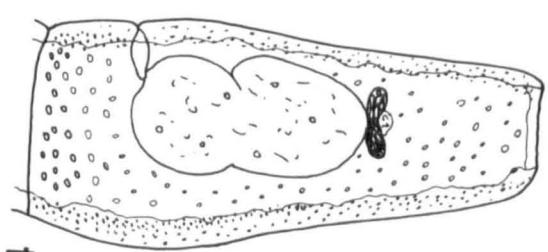
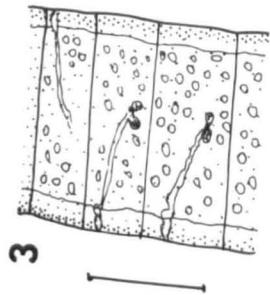
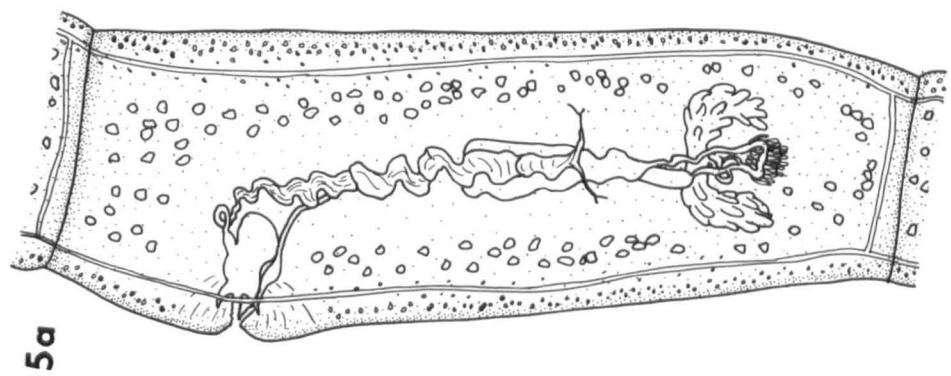
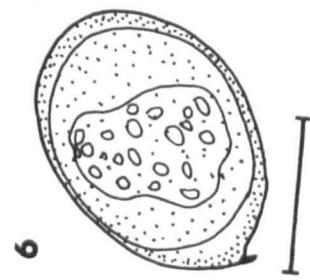
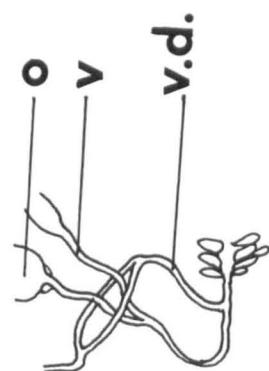
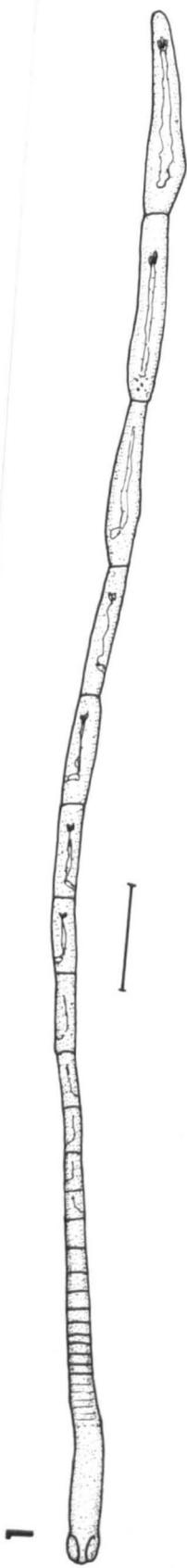


Plate 9: The scoleces of A. norvegicus and G. squali

Fig. 1 Scolex of A. norvegicus l.s. (scale bar = 0.3 mm)

Fig. 2 Scolex of G. squali l.s. (scale bar = 0.3 mm)

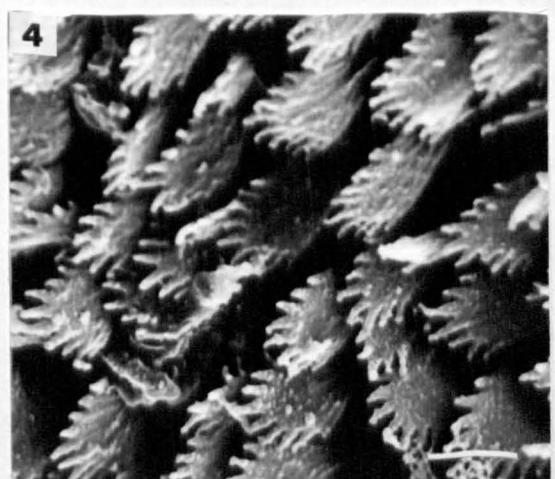
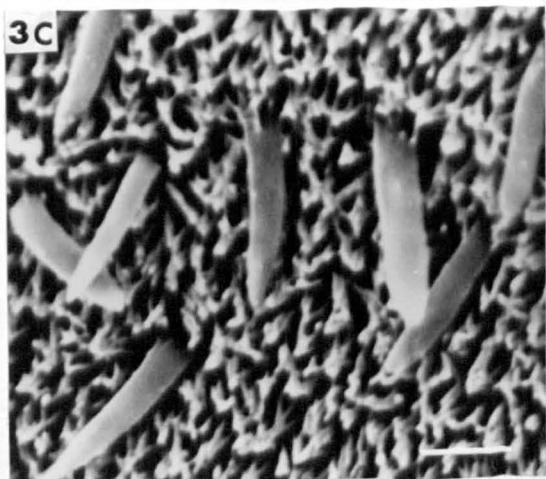
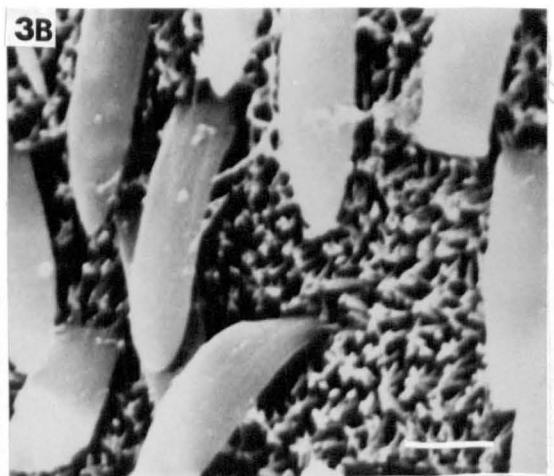
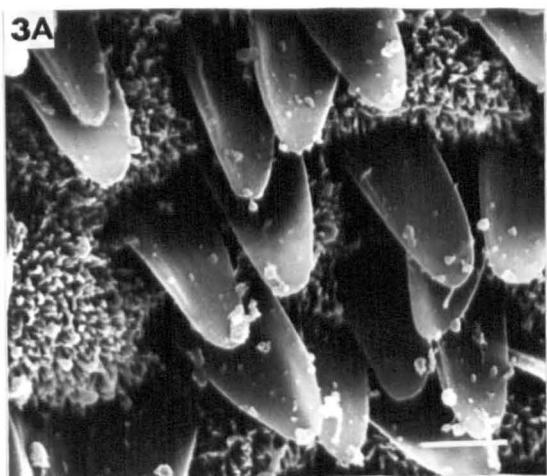
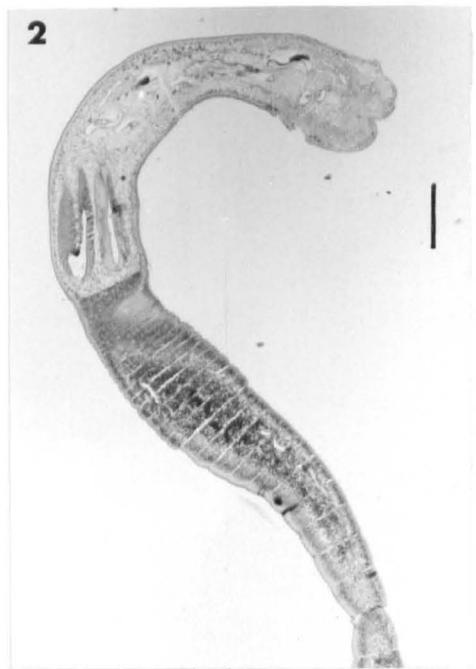
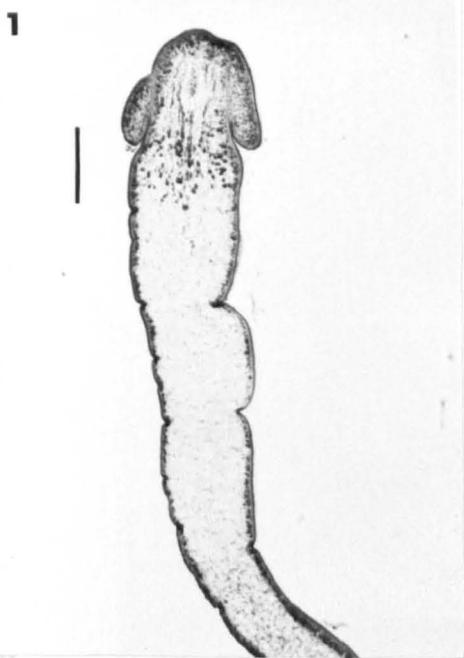
Fig. 3 SEM of the scolex of A. norvegicus

Fig. 3A Bothridia (scale bar = 1  $\mu\text{m}$ )

Fig. 3B Behind bothridia (scale bar = 2  $\mu\text{m}$ )

Fig. 3C Base of scolex (scale bar = 2  $\mu\text{m}$ )

Fig. 4 SEM of the bothridial region of G. squali  
(scale bar = 2  $\mu\text{m}$ )



backwardly directed spines which are more closely packed and smaller on the bothridia (Plate 9; Fig. 3a). Towards the base of the scolex the spines become sparser, larger and more pointed (Plate 9; Fig. 3b-3c). Interspersed between the spines are small, rod shaped microtriche-like structures (Plate 9; Fig. 3a) similar to those reported from the scolex of Parachristianella monomegacantha (Whittaker et al, 1985). The internal musculature, nervous and excretory systems have been previously described in detail by Rees (1941b). The musculature consists of circular and longitudinal muscle fibres including four bundles of longitudinal muscle fibres which are comparable to those associated with the tentacle apparatus in other trypanorhynchs. The nervous system is made up of four apical ganglia, two lateral nerve cords and anterior and bothridial nerves leading to the anterior portion of the scolex and to the bothridia. The excretory system corresponds to the usual arrangement in trypanorhynchs of a pair of dorsal and a pair of ventral excretory vessels which continue down the strobila. The anatomy of the scolex corresponds closely to that described for Grillotia erinaceus (Johnstone, 1911) and Hepatoxylon trichiuri (Rees, 1941a) except for a reduced longitudinal musculature and the absence of proboscis nerves. A longitudinal section of the scolex (Plate 9; Fig. 1) shows the presence of numerous gland cells at the level of and extending posterior to the bothridia. Ducts run from the gland cells to the apex of the scolex where they open to the exterior.

### 3. Strobila

Immediately posterior to the scolex is an unsegmented neck

0.78-0.81 mm long (the "Kopfstiel" of Pintner). Rudiments of the male genital system can be seen in proglottids 13-15 (Plate 8; Fig. 3) while mature proglottids appear from about numbers 19-20 onwards. The last one or two proglottids may be gravid (Plate 8; Fig. 4).

The testes number 200-250 and are round, measuring 0.04-0.07 mm in diameter. They occur in two or three dorso-ventral layers, and occupy most of the proglottid, extending to behind the ovary but not occurring outside the longitudinal excretory canals. The vas efferens unite to form the single, much convoluted vas deferens which runs dorsally and anteriorly to the level of the genital atrium. At this point it constricts to form a small, twisted duct which runs over the dorsal surface of the cirrus sac, and dilates to form an external seminal vesicle. This enters the cirrus sac, which, at this point, is expanded to form a large accessory vesicle, frequently found containing sperm. The cirrus is short. The genital atrium is muscular, lateral and irregularly alternating, with papillae surrounding the genital pore.

The vagina opens into the genital atrium ventral to the cirrus and runs laterally towards the mid-line of the proglottid where it descends posteriorly ventral to the uterus and vas deferens. When it reaches the ovary it expands considerably to form the seminal receptacle which then joins with the oviduct. The ovary consists of two wings up to 0.32 mm long connected in the centre by a broad bridge where the oviduct begins with a well developed ovicapt.

The vitellaria (Plate 8; Fig 5a) lie outside the testes, and form a hollow tube interrupted only by the genital atrium and dorsally and

ventrally by the ovary. The vitelline ducts leading from the follicles join to form a single duct which then splits into two. One of the paired ducts runs dorsally and one ventrally to the oviduct and vagina after which the two ducts again join to form one, which opens into the distal oviduct. Mehlis' glands are well developed.

The uterus runs anteriorly, lies between the vagina and vas deferens and extends to near the level of the genital atrium, nearly filling the proglottid when gravid.

When gravid proglottids were placed in fresh seawater streams of eggs (Plate 8; Fig. 6) were released. No uterine opening could be seen before placing the proglottids in seawater, but the tear in the uterine wall always seemed to occur at the ventral surface. Nybelin (1918) suggested that this was a pseudouterine type opening according to the classification proposed by Pintner (1913).

#### 4. Eggs

The oval eggs measured about 100  $\mu\text{m}$  long with a small filament at one end. Dollfus (1942) described the eggs as 150  $\mu\text{m}$  long with a distinct elongated shape, and containing up to six distinct dividing cells. The specimens available to me appeared to be less well developed, and no further development nor tanning occurred when they were kept in seawater for a month.

Taxonomic Description of Gilquinia squali Fabricius, 1794 for Comparison with A. norvegicus

1. General Appearance

Adult G. squali (Plate 10; Fig. 1) measure up to 65 mm in length, consisting of a scolex 2.1-2.25 mm long and 0.75-0.85 mm wide , and a strobila of up to 60 proglottids.

2. Scolex

The scolex (Plate 9; Fig. 2: Plate 10; Fig. 2) consists of a pars bothridialis 0.34-0.40 mm long, pars vaginalis 1-41-1.55 mm long and pars bulbosa 0.41-0.46 mm with a small pars post-bulbosa of 0.05-0.10 mm. The four bothridia are distinct and kidney shaped with the proboscides opening on their anterior margin. The proboscides are up to 1.6 mm long, and their armature is typically heteroacanthous (Plate 1; Figs 1-2) with a repeating pattern of two half-turns of six hooks of varying shapes and sizes. The tentacle sheaths are highly twisted, and the tentacle bulbs small and wide. SEM studies show that the bothridia possess numerous flat, palmate structures (Plate 10; Fig. 4) 2.0-2.5 m long by 1.5-2.0  $\mu\text{m}$  wide on their adhering surfaces. Similar structures have been reported on the bothridia of Grillotia dollfusi (Whittaker, Carvajal and Apkarian, 1982), Otobothrium kurisi (Shields, 1985) and Parachristianella monomegacantha (Whittaker et al, 1985) usually with smaller, microtriche-like structures similar to those illustrated for Aporhynchus norvegicus (Plate 10; Fig. 3A) obscured beneath the larger, palmate processes. The scolex musculature and nervous and excretory

Plate 10: Gilquinia squali Fabricius, 1794 from Squalus acanthias.

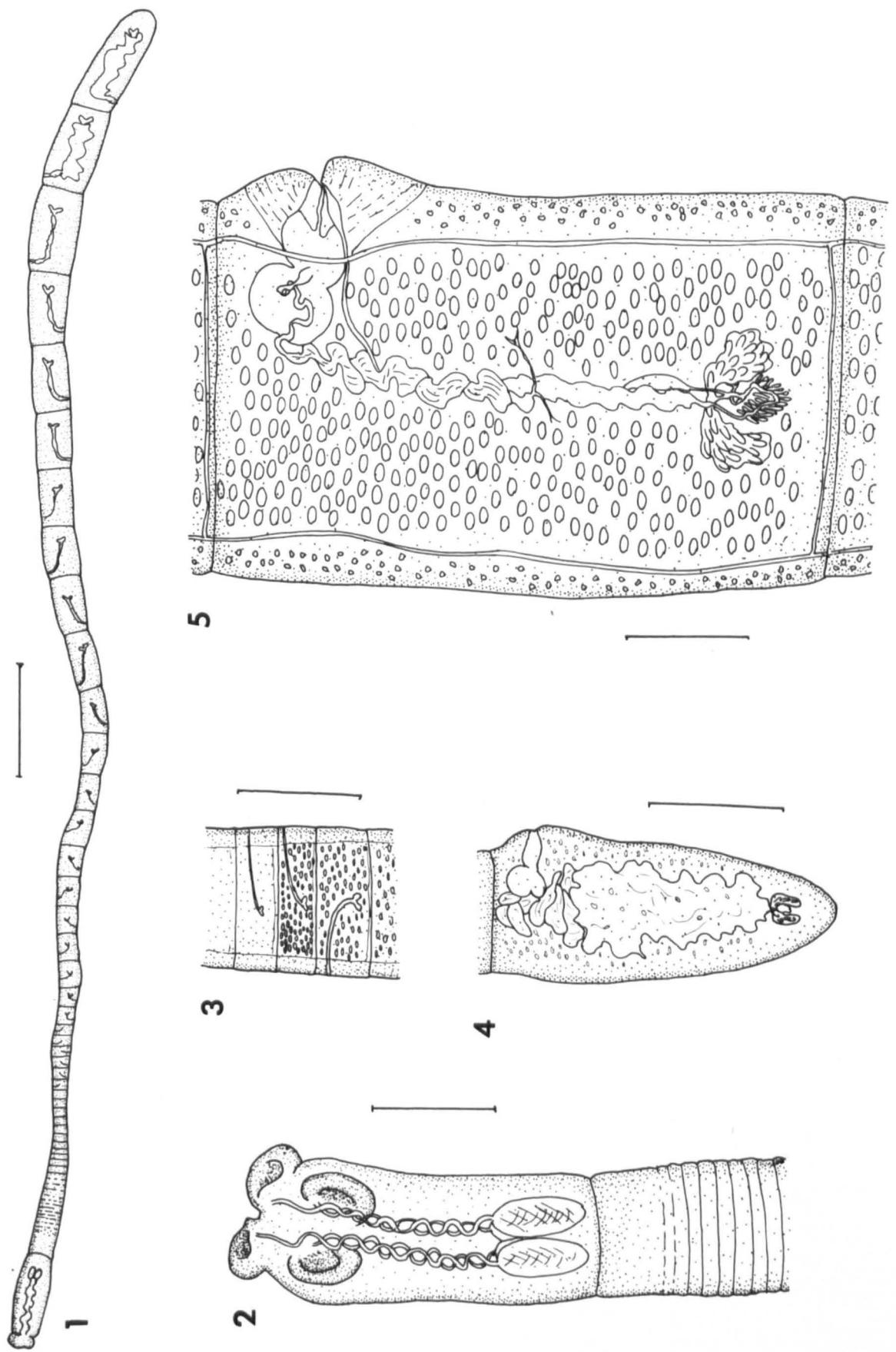
Fig. 1 Whole adult specimen (scale bar = 2.5 mm)

Fig. 2 Scolex (scale bar = 0.75 mm)

Fig. 3 Immature proglottids (scale bar = 0.75 mm)

Fig. 4 Gravid proglottids (scale bar = 2 mm)

Fig. 5 Mature proglottid (scale bar = 0.2 mm)



systems of G. squali were described by MacKenzie (1965) for the plerocercus stage from whiting. The description agreed well with those given by Lönnberg (1889) and Zerny (1912) for adult specimens and is characteristic of trypanorhynchs. The musculature consists of the retractor muscle of the proboscis and the muscle of the bulb wall in addition to the longitudinal and circular muscle fibres described for A. norvegicus.

### 3. Strobila

The unsegmented portion of the strobila in G. squali measures about 0.7-0.9 mm between the pars post-bulbosa and the beginning of the zone of proliferation. The most anterior proglottids are 5-6 times as wide as long, rapidly increasing in length along the strobila. The male reproductive system begins to appear at proglottids 18-20 (Plate 10; Fig. 3), mature male and female systems are present in proglottids 27-29 onwards (Plate 10; Fig. 5) and the last 1-3 proglottids are gravid and measure up to 2.5 cm long (Plate 10; Fig. 4).

The testes number 295-320 and are ovoid, measuring 0.18-0.21 mm by 0.04-0.06 mm, and are distributed throughout the proglottid, extending beyond the ovary but within the well defined lateral excretory canals. The vas deferens is highly convoluted and runs dorsally up the centre of the anterior half of the proglottid until it reaches the level of the genital atrium. It then becomes constricted to a small duct which dilates forming a small, muscular seminal vesicle which enters the cirrus sac, which possesses a large contractile accessory vesicle (Cirromotionsblase of Zerny) and a short, unarmed cirrus. The genital

atrium is muscular with a series of papillae surrounding the genital pore on its external face, and irregularly alternating. It always occurs in the first quarter of the proglottid.

The vagina opens ventral to the cirrus, and runs posteriorly down the mid-line of the proglottid. Anterior to the ovary it expands, forming a seminal receptacle which crosses the ovarian bridge dorsally and joins the oviduct. The oviduct emerges from the two-winged ovary via an ovicapt. The vitelline follicles are linked by vitelline ducts which join to produce one unpaired vitelline duct which joins the oviduct posterior to the vagina: the vitellaria are distributed as a hollow tube around the proglottid, with gaps appearing around the genital atrium and dorsally and ventrally to the ovary. The Mehlis' gland is well developed. The uterine duct is sinuous and crosses the ovarian bridge and seminal receptacle dorsally, after which it increases in diameter and continues as a thin-walled tube.

The eggs, which measure 67-70  $\mu\text{m}$  by 49-54  $\mu\text{m}$ , were released rapidly when the gravid proglottids were placed in fresh seawater. They tanned in about an hour, but no developmental studies were carried out. No trace of a proformed uterine opening could be found before placing the cestodes in seawater.

#### Discussion

An examination of the strobila of A. norvegicus clearly classifies it as a trypanorhynch, with the characteristic sleeve-like distribution of the vitellaria, the position of the vagina ventral to the uterus and

vas deferens, and the vaginal opening slightly behind the cirrus opening, surrounded by a genital atrium which is strongly muscular. A comparison between A. norvegicus and G. squali shows a number of further similarities which may be used to distinguish the family Gilquiniidae from other trypanorhynchs: the testes extend beyond the ovary and are distributed in two or three layers; there are both an external seminal vesicle and a well developed accessory vesicle; the ovary is biwinged and the uterus is comparatively short, reaching only to the level of the genital pore. The differences between these two species appear minor with slight differences in the number and size of the testes and proglottids, and the vitelline duct of A. norvegicus splitting into two and running either side of the oviduct and vagina. This feature has not been reported for any other species of trypanorhynch. It is in the scoleces of these species that the most important differences are apparent. Both A. norvegicus and G. squali possess four well developed mobile bothridia, but Aporhynchus appears unique in having lost tentacles, sheaths and bulbs, with only weakly developed longitudinal muscle fibres remaining of the rhyncheal apparatus. The well developed gland cells are also atypical.

Nybelin (1918) suggested that the reason for the tentacle reduction in A. norvegicus could be linked to the host's diet. Etmopterus spinax, the sole recorded host, feeds almost entirely on shrimps. Nybelin considered that this diet would result in far softer spiral valve contents, which would not be able to dislodge the parasites. In contrast the varied diet of other sharks would produce large quantities of hard skeletal material in the spiral valve, so more

Plate 11: The spiral valve of E. spinax

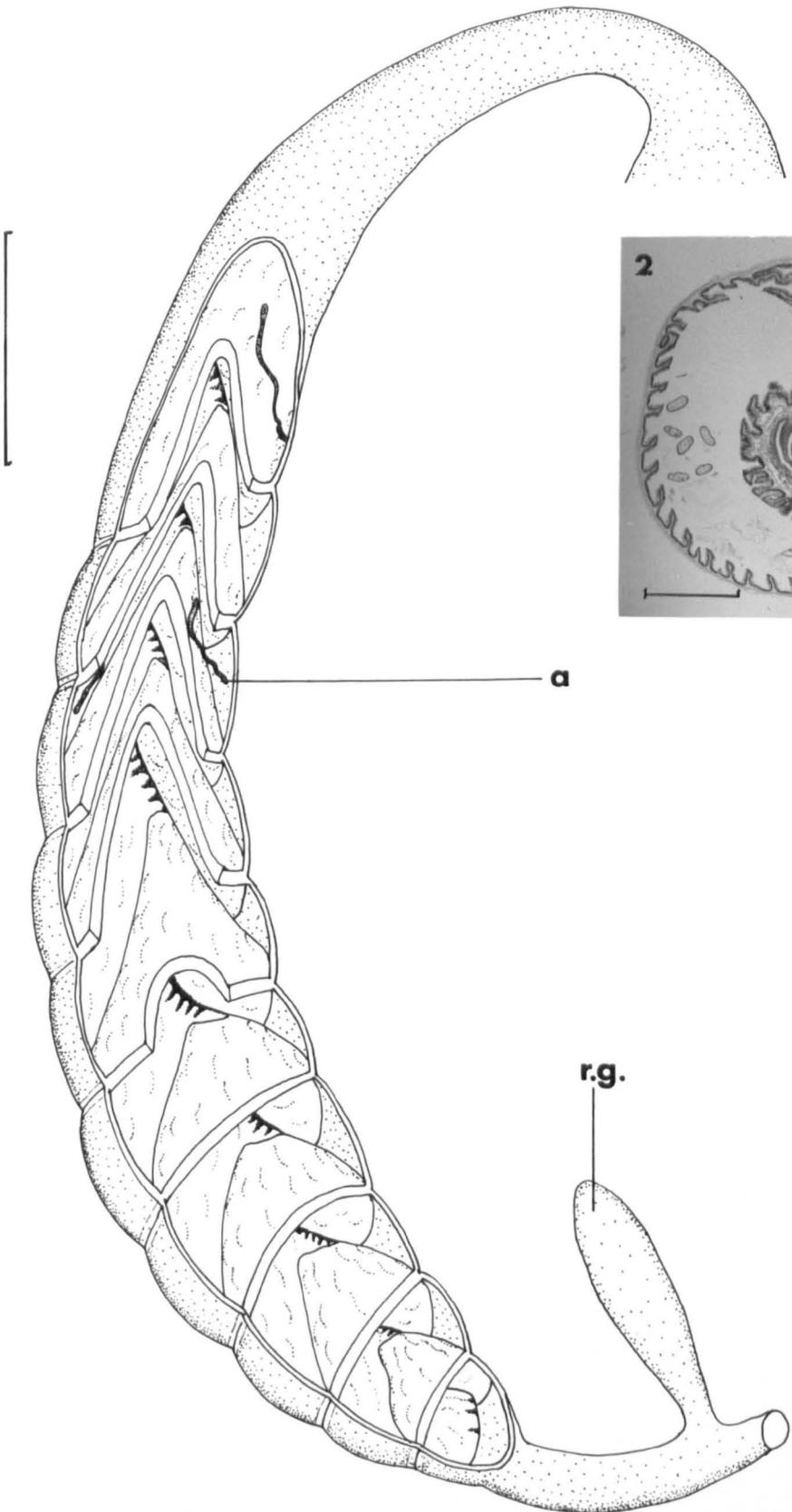
Fig. 1 Diagram of spiral valve (scale bar = 15 mm)

Key to Fig. 1. a = attached Aporhynchus;

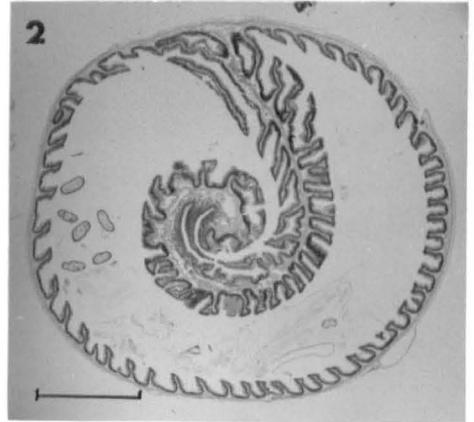
r.g. = rectal gland

Fig. 2 Spiral valve t.s. (scale bar = 2.5 mm)

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efficient attachment organs would be necessary. When, however, the wide range of elasmobranch hosts is considered, several other species feed almost exclusively on shrimp. Dasybatis sabina LeSueur recorded by Aldrich (1964) as the definitive host for Prochristianella hispida also feeds on large numbers of shrimp, yet the trypanorhynch has well developed tentacles.

Gilquinia squali has been recorded from a variety of hosts, including Squalus ferdinandus, S. sucklei, Raja binoculata, Centroscyllium granulosus and Mustelus vulgaris, but has been most frequently recorded from the cosmopolitan host Squalus acanthias. In this host G. squali occupies only the anterior portion of the spiral valve, as A. norvegicus does in E. spinax (Plate 11; Fig. 1). When the sites of the two cestodes are compared, however, several striking differences are apparent. In E. spinax the outer wall of the spiral valve is thin (Plate 11; Figs. 2-3) and the scolex of A. norvegicus fits tightly in between the ridges of the mucosa, up to the posterior border of the bothridia. In contrast the mucosal surface of the spiral valve in S. acanthias is comparatively flat and uneven (Williams, 1968) with "threadlike, short and collapsible villi" providing a far less secure surface for bothridial attachment. Williams (1968) suggested that in the Tetraphyllidea the comparatively larger and leaflike bothridia of Crossobothrium (? Phyllobothrium sp.) found in S. acanthias compared to the smaller scolex and bothridia of Crossobothrium (? Phyllobothrium sp.) found in E. spinax could be related to these differences in the surface morphology of the spiral valve.

It is possible that the gland cells which empty their contents out of the apex of the scolex in A. norvegicus could have some adhesive function, while the backwardly directed spines on the exterior of the scolex might also increase the strength of attachment of this unusual trypanorhynch.

Aporhynchus does not appear to be an aberrant genus to the same extent as Haplobothrium, which is the solitary genus in the family Haplobothriidae (Schmidt, 1986). The shared characteristics between A. norvegicus and G. squali (pp. 52-61) clearly indicate that they belong to the same family. As I have previously stated (Smith, 1985), there is known to be a high degree of specificity among elasmobranch tapeworms, with related species being found in related hosts. If this should be the case for the Trypanorhyncha then studies on the parasite fauna of other squaloid sharks might result in the discovery of other species of Aporhynchus. Compagno (1984) listed 17 species of Etmopterus, yet trypanorhynchs have been recorded only from E. spinax. Investigations into the spiral valve morphology and parasite fauna of the other species could indicate possible reasons why Aporhynchus is a trypanorhynch without tentacles.

A Redescription of Parachristianella monomegacantha Kruse, 1959 from a New Host and Locality

Introduction

Spiral valves and stomachs of Raja hollandi Jordan and Richardson were kindly collected for me by Dr. P.G. Oliver of the National Museum of Wales during a visit to the South China Sea. All the specimens were found to contain cestodes which resembled the species Parachristianella monomegacantha, never before reported from this area or host. My aim was to describe these specimens, identify them, and review the known geographic and host distribution of this species.

Materials and Methods (see pp. 3-15)

Seven spiral valves of Raja hollandi were opened and examined for parasites. One spiral valve was sectioned from the first to the third tier.

All eight spiral valves were infected, containing between 21 and 47 adult trypanorhynchs with an average intensity of infection of 23.2 (range and intensity based on the seven dissected spiral valves). No trypanorhynchs were found in the stomachs, which contained remnants of various invertebrates including shrimps.

Previous recordsPlerocercus

Kruse (1959) described plerocerci of P. monomegacantha from the digestive gland of Penaeus duorarum Burkenroad from the northern Gulf Coast of Florida, giving a detailed description of the tentacle armature, and Feigenbaum (1975) reported this species from the hepatopancreas of Penaeus brasiliensis Latreille from Sinaloa, Mexico. Feigenbaum and Carnuccio (1976) recorded high prevalences of infection of P. monomegacantha in P. duorarum (91-96%) and P. brasiliensis (100%) from Biscayne Bay, Florida, and identified trypanorhynchs reported as Prochristianella sp. from P. duorarum, Biscayne Bay by Villella, Iversen and Sindermann (1970) as specimens of Parachristianella monomegacantha. Penaeus aztecus in the northwestern Gulf coast of Mexico was reported by Corkern (1978) as being parasitized by this trypanorhynch. Owens (1980, 1981) found during field studies in the Norman River, Queensland, Australia that juvenile Penaeus merguiensis de Man with a carapace length of under 13 mm were uninfected with trypanorhynchs, but that P. monomegacantha infections were observed at 13 mm carapace length, and their prevalence increased with the size of the shrimp. Mudry and Dailey (1971) managed to experimentally infect the splash-pool copepod Tigriopus californicus with eggs of P. monomegacantha, but this is not regarded as a natural host for this parasite (pp. 75-87 this thesis).

Adult

The first recorded adult specimens of P. monomegacantha were those recovered by Mudry and Dailey (1971) from the spiral valve of Rhinobatos productus (Ayres) caught at Seal Beach, California. No description of the adult worms was given. Heinz and Dailey (1974) also reported adult specimens in the same host species in south California, and again gave no description. Campbell and Carvajal (1975) found adult P. monomegacantha in the spiral valve of Dasyatis americana Hildebrand and Schroeder, Chesapeake Bay, Virginia. The adult tentacle armature was described as being similar to that given by Kruse (1959) for the plerocercus. No information was given about the structure of the proglottids, except that the terminal proglottid of one specimen "measures 0.57-1.49 mm by 130 to 180 m and contains 75 to 80 testes forming two longitudinal rows." Dailey and Carvajal (1976) recorded adult P. monomegacantha from the spiral valve and stomach of Rhinobatos planiceps Garman, 1880 from Antofagaster, Chile, and Carvajal, Campbell and Cornford (1976) found adult specimens in the spiral valve of Dasyatis lata (Garman) in Hawaii. Whittaker, Apkarian, Curless and Carvajal (1985) studied the microtopography of P. monomegacantha scoleces found in Dasyatis americana at Palm Beach, Florida. No detailed description of the adult trypanorhynch has yet been published.

Description (Measurements based on ten specimens)

The adult worm (Plate 12; Fig. 1) varies in length from 1.35 mm for specimens with one or two developing proglottids to 4.5 mm for

those with five proglottids and is anapolytic and acraspedote. The scolex is 0.89-1.16  $\mu\text{m}$  long and has two bothridia. The pars bothridialis measures 150-190  $\mu\text{m}$  long and 0.22-0.37  $\mu\text{m}$  wide, the pars vaginalis 280-510  $\mu\text{m}$  depending upon state of contraction, and the pars bulbosa 445-575  $\mu\text{m}$ . There is a small pars post-bulbosa measuring 10-15  $\mu\text{m}$ .

The tentacle sheaths are convoluted. The retractor muscles are attached to the bottom of the tentacle bulbs, where they may be obscured by a mass of red granules.

The metabasal tentacle armature (Plate 13: Figs. 1-4) consists of a repeating pattern of oblique ascending half-turn spiral rows of 11-14 hooks. The rows begin on the internal surface of the tentacle (Plate 13; Fig. 1) with large (19-24.2  $\mu\text{m}$  long, base 13.2-17.1  $\mu\text{m}$ ) broad recurved hooks 1 and 1'. The hooks spiralling around the tentacle are long and slender and gradually diminish in size as they cross over to the external side of the tentacle (Plate 13; Fig. 2) where they are spinous and measure about 2.5  $\mu\text{m}$  long. Tentacle rows which have crossed alternately over the bothridial and antibothridial sides (Plate 13; Figs. 3-4) meet on the external face in an inverted V. A similar arrangement of hooks occurs throughout the tentacle length although hooks are less numerous, smaller and closer together at the tip of the tentacle (Plate 14; Fig. 2) and more numerous, larger and further apart towards the tentacle base (Plate 14; Fig. 1).

The proglottids contain up to 82 testes arranged in two

Plate 12: Parachristianella monomegacantha Kruse, 1959 from  
Raja hollandi Jordan and Richardson

Fig. 1 Adult specimen of P. monomegacantha  
(scale bar = 0.25 mm)

Fig. 2 Mature proglottid (scale bar = 0.2 mm)

Key to Plate 12: g.p. = genital pore; o = ovary  
r.g. = red granules; t = testis; u = uterus;  
v. = vitellaria

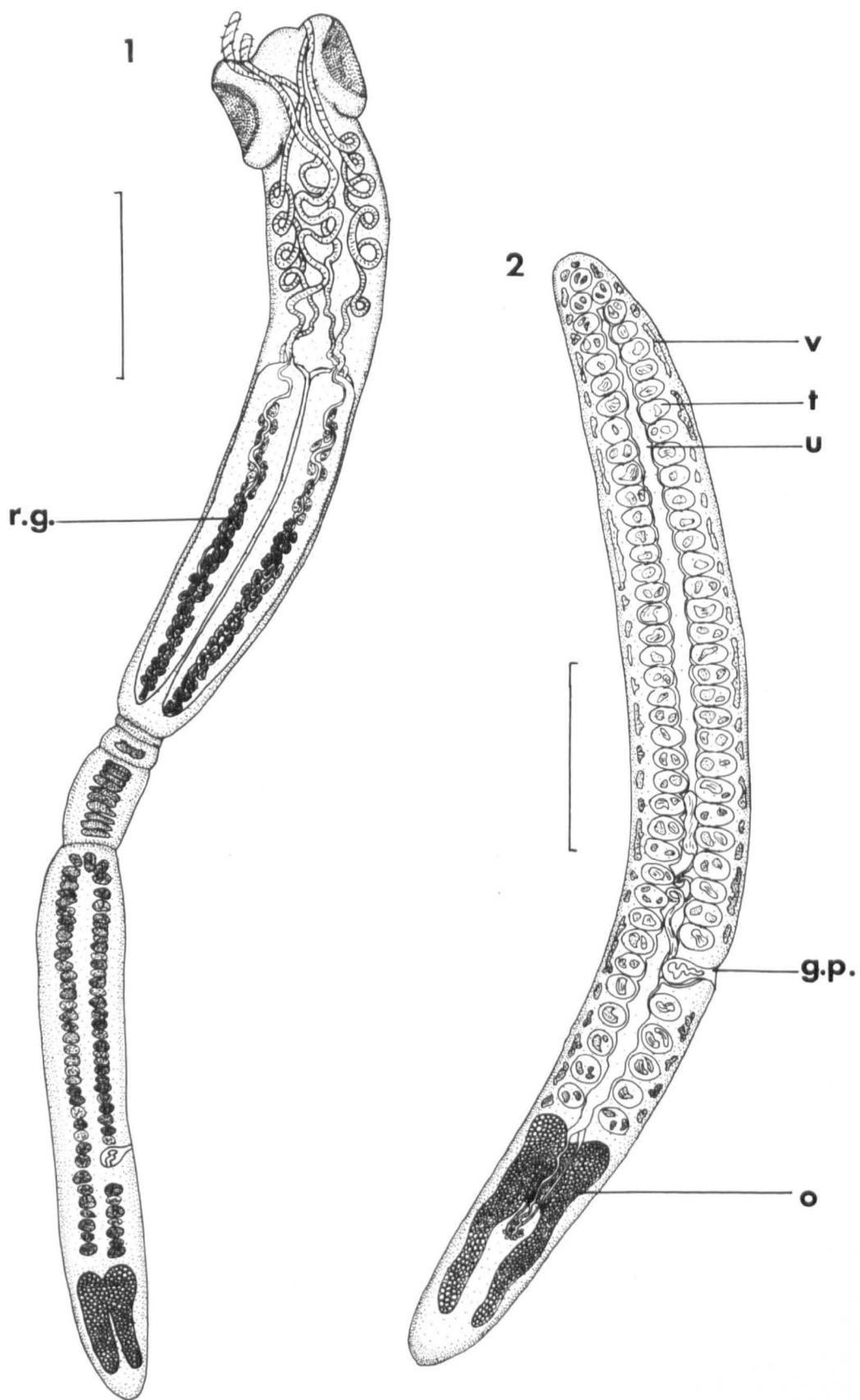


Plate 13: The metabasal tentacle armature of P. monomegacantha

Fig. 1 Internal face

Fig. 2 External face

Fig. 3 Bothridial face

Fig. 4 Antibothridial face (scale bar Figs. 1-4 =  
10  $\mu\text{m}$ )

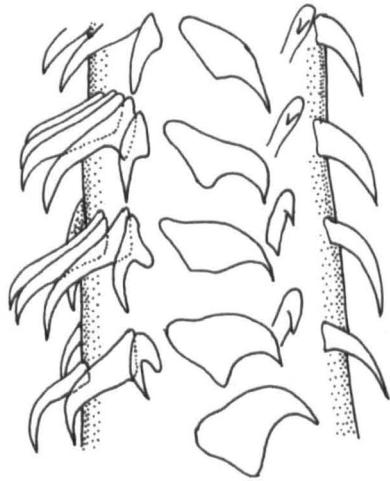
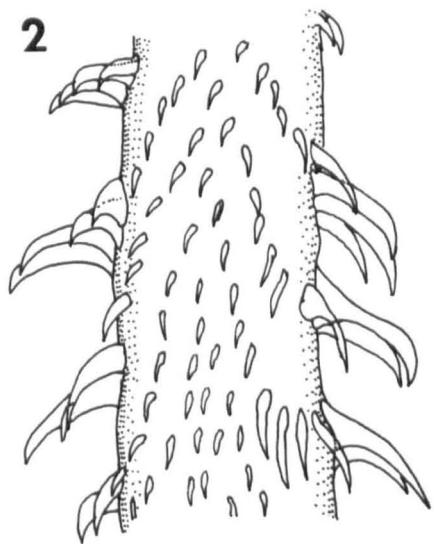
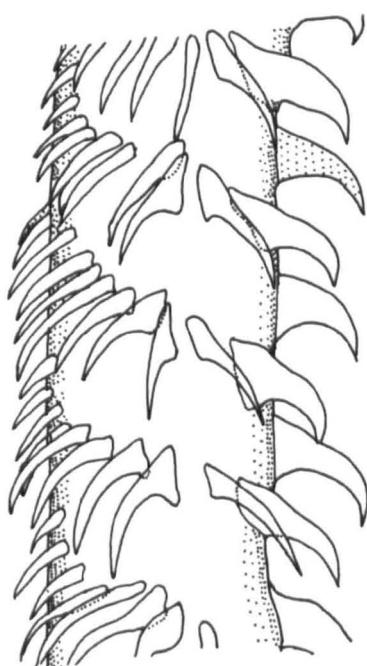
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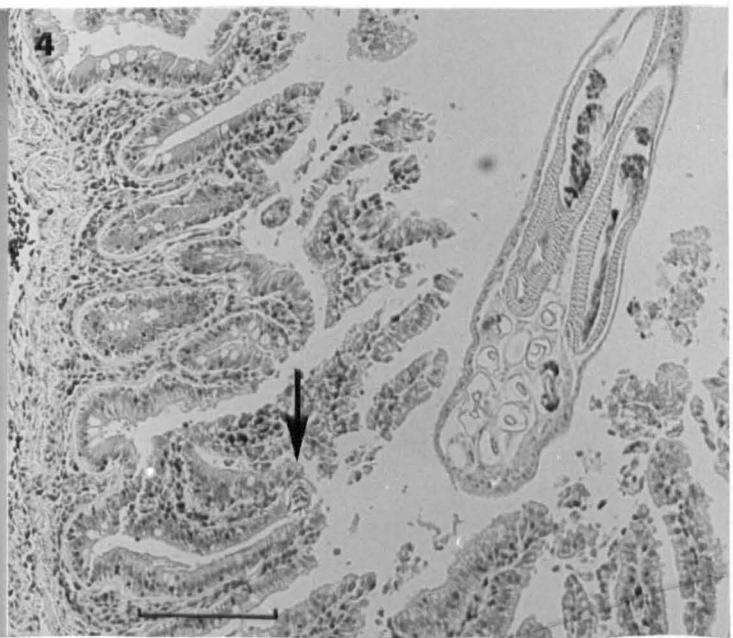
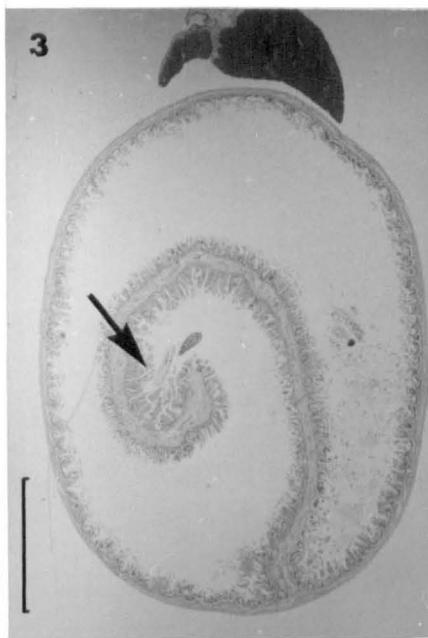
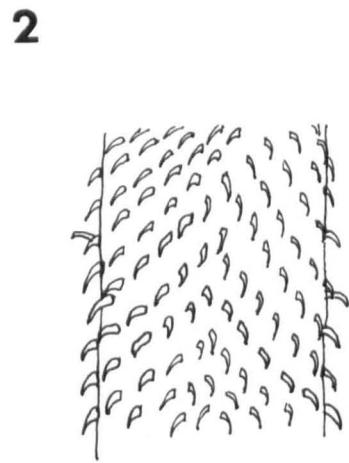
Plate 14: The tentacle armature of P. monomegacantha, and its attachment within the spiral valve of R. hollandi

Fig. 1 P. monomegacantha metabasal armature (scale bar = 10  $\mu\text{m}$ )

Fig. 2 P. monomegacantha tip of tentacle armature (scale bar = 10  $\mu\text{m}$ )

Fig. 3 Spiral valve of R. hollandi t.s. (scale bar = 0.25 mm)

Fig. 4 Enlargement of arrowed region in Fig. 3 (scale bar = 0.2 mm)



longitudinal rows extending from the ovary to the anterior end of the segment. Eight to ten of these testes occur between the genital atrium and the ovary. The genital atrium is not surrounded by a large, muscular area, and is marginal, post-equatorial and irregularly alternating. The ovary is four-winged with a central isthmus, the ovarian lobes surrounding the Mehlis' gland vitelline ducts and oviduct. The uterus extends almost the full length of the segment.

#### Distribution Within the Spiral Valve of *R. hollandi*

The spiral valve of *R. hollandi* consists of seven tiers. The majority of attached trypanorhynchs were found in the first four tiers: 37.7% in tier one; 33.3% in tier two; 17.4% in tier three and 11.6% in tier four. Forty-two per cent of the total number of trypanorhynchs found were unattached. Sections of the spiral valve (Plate 14; Fig. 3) showed densely packed, finger-like villi on the anterior and posterior faces of the tiers, with shallower villi on the outer wall. The trypanorhynchs were found on the anterior and posterior faces and the outer wall of the spiral valve, where they were attached by their extended tentacles (Plate 14, Fig. 4). Gravid proglottids were found towards the anterior end of the spiral valve.

#### Discussion

The description of the heteroacanthous trypanorhynchs from *R. hollandi* corresponds well with that given by Kruse (1959) for the plerocercus, and Campbell and Carvajal (1975) for the adults of the

species Parachristianella monomegacantha. This record extends the known distribution of this cestode to the South China Sea, and to a new family, the Rajidae. Little is known about the ecology, diets, or mucosal topography of the spiral valves of the elasmobranchs Rhinobatos productus, R. planiceps, Dasyatis americana and D. lata, previously reported as definitive hosts for this species, but penaeid shrimp infected with P. monomegacantha plerocerci have been caught within the distribution areas of these hosts. Shrimp remains were found within the stomach contents of Raja hollandi, indicating that they might also be the intermediate host for P. monomegacantha in the South China Sea. The distribution of the parasite may reflect similarities in the diets and ecology of these geographically widely separated elasmobranch species. Close comparisons of the hosts' morphology, with, perhaps, the biochemical examination of parasite specimens from different host species might provide explanations for the unusual geographic distribution of this parasite.

## SECTION THREE

LIFE CYCLE STUDIES ON GRILLOTIA ERINACEUS (VAN BENEDEN, 1858)

Life Cycle Studies on *Grillotia erinaceus* (van Beneden), 1858

Introduction

Many descriptions and records exist of almost 200 species of adult trypanorhynchs from elasmobranchs, and of larval stages from teleost fish (Dollfus, 1942; Yamaguti, 1959; Love and Moser, 1983; Bates, in press). Comparatively few records of the early developmental stages from egg to early plerocercoid exist, however, and life cycle studies have been reported from only six species, with no complete life cycle from egg to mature adult having been accomplished in the laboratory. The scarcity of these studies encouraged me to investigate the life cycles of the trypanorhynchs available to me during a five-week visit to the University of New Brunswick in June-July 1984.

Background

Ruszkowski (1932, 1934) carried out the first reported studies on the development of a trypanorhynch, *Grillotia erinaceus* (van Beneden, 1858). Adult worms obtained from *Raia oxyrhynchus* Linnaeus, 1758, in Norway released eggs when placed in seawater. Coracidia escaped from the operculate eggs after eight days, and were eaten by four species of copepod, *Acartia longiremis*, Lilljeborg, *Pseudocalanus elongatus* Boeck, *Paracalanus parvus*, Claus and *Temora longicornis* Müller. He observed development of the procercoid within the copepods over 11 days, but observed that "Le manque de temps et les autres circonstances ne m'ont pas permis d'étudier plus en détail la structure des oeufs et des

larves de G. erinaceus". The most advanced procercoid described and figured by Ruszkowski had greatly enlarged in size from the oncosphere released from the coracidium, but showed little internal differentiation. Riser (1951, 1956) described the operculate egg, coracidium, oncosphere and procercoid of Lacistorhynchus tenuis (van Beneden, 1858) and infection of a splash-pool copepod Tigriopus fulvus (Fisher). Riser commented that this species could not be a natural intermediate host because when infected copepods were fed to known second intermediate hosts Clevelandia ios (Jordan and Gilbert), no break or tear occurred in the exoskeleton, and the infected copepods were shed, intact, in the faeces. The most advanced procercoid (26 days p.i.) possessed excretory vessels and a zone of invagination had appeared at the anterior end of the worm, corresponding to the invaginated scolex of plerocercoids.

Voge and Edmonds (1969) observed the effects of varying dilutions of seawater on the hatching of L. tenuis coracidia in vitro. Hatching appeared to consist of two processes: first the coracidium stopped moving, and the cilia became immobilised; secondly the oncosphere became very active, causing the coracidial membrane to break in the region of the embryonic hooks and the emergence of the oncosphere. Mudry and Dailey (1971) also investigated the development of L. tenuis, and described the formation of an apical sucker in Tigriopus californicus. Stunkard (1981) successfully infected Acartia tonsa Dana, 1849, with this species. Sakanari and Moser (1985a) observed the effects of salinity and temperature on the eggs, coracidia and procercoids of L. tenuis, again in T. californicus. Eggs were not

viable at low salinities (8.5 and 17.0 parts per thousand salinity), while coracidial and procercoid development and survivorship times were reduced at higher temperatures. In further experiments (Sakanari and Moser 1985b) copepods harbouring procercoids were fed to mosquito fish Gambusia affinis, and plerocercoids with active bothridia and protrusible tentacles were recovered twelve weeks later. Sticklebacks, Gasterosteus aculeatus Linnaeus, 1758 and striped bass, Morone saxatilis (Walbaum, 1792) were also infected. Naive leopard sharks Triakis semifasciata Girard were force-fed experimentally infected mosquito fish and naturally infected white croaker, Genyonemus lineatus Ayres, 1855, and immature adults of L. tenuis were recovered after four months. Young (1954) had previously injected T. semifasciata with infected Cymatogaster aggregata Gibbons and recovered immature adults after four to six weeks.

Coracidia of Callotetrahyynchus nipponica Nakajima and Egusa, 1973, were released from operculate eggs recovered from infected Triakis scyllia (Müller and Henle) in Japan, and described by Nakajima and Egusa (1972d). Surveys of over 10,000 invertebrate specimens failed to identify any naturally infected species (Nakajima and Egusa, 1972e) while attempts to infect ten species of copepod were unsuccessful. Nakajima and Egusa (1969a, 1969b) described what appeared to be early pre-plerocercoids of C. nipponica from anchovy Engraulis japonica Houttuyn which, when force-fed to yellowtail Seriola quinqueradiata Temminck and Schlegel, developed into plerocercoids. Triakis scyllia fed infected yellowtail were found to contain mature adults (Nakajima and Egusa 1972; 1972b) after 15 days, with gravid

proglottids produced after 40 days. Nakajima and Egusa (1972c) observed that immature proglottids became detached from adult worms which had established themselves around the middle portion of the spiral valve. The proglottids then migrated towards the anterior end of the spiral valve where they matured, and then passed towards the posterior end where they were expelled from the anus, ejecting eggs on contact with seawater.

Overstreet (1978) reported that operculate eggs of Poecilancistrum caryophyllum (Diesing, 1850) from adults in carcharhinid sharks produced coracidia which could infect T. californicus, where they developed into procercoids.

Mudry and Dailey (1971) investigated the development of Parachristianella monomegacantha Kruse, 1959 found in Rhinobatos productus (Ayres). No free-swimming coracidial stage was found in this species, instead the egg, containing a well-developed oncosphere was infective to T. californicus. Development within the copepod resulted in a metacestode which contained rudimentary tentacles with spine-like hooks which had not yet formed the characteristic shapes found in plerocercoids and adults of this species.

Overstreet (1978) reported that Prochristianella hispida (Linton, 1890) Campbell and Carvajal, 1975 from Dasyatis sabina and Dasyatis sayi shed eggs with long filaments which became directly infective to copepods. Procercoids containing the beginnings of tentacles were found in both copepods and penaeid shrimps. The metacestodes were

larger in shrimps and there appeared to be less of a host response against the parasite. It is not known whether the shrimp became infected by eating eggs or infected copepods.

#### Materials and Methods

Ten Raja ocellata (Mitchill), 46 R. erinacea Mitchill, 1825 and 10 R. radiata Donovan, 1806 were trawled in Passamaquoddy Bay, New Brunswick, Canada, and examined for trypanorhynchs. Three R. ocellata and six R. erinacea were found to be infected with Grillotia erinaceus (van Beneden, 1858). Each trypanorhynch was carefully removed from the spiral valve and placed in fresh seawater where eggs were released from gravid proglottids.

The eggs were maintained in seawater at 4°C and between 10-16°C and their development observed. When coracidia were released from the operculate eggs they were presented to a variety of invertebrate fauna from Passamaquoddy Bay including annelids, shrimps and both shallow water and planktonic copepods.

Infected copepods were then exposed to small fish from Passamaquoddy Bay. Drawings were made from photographs.

ResultsEggs

The oval, white eggs were laid while segmenting with eight dividing cells being visible. Tanning of the eggs took about an hour in 100% seawater. G. erinaceus eggs from R. ocellata (measured from 20 specimens) were 45-52  $\mu\text{m}$  long by 26-38  $\mu\text{m}$  greatest width, while those from R. erinaceus were 50-67  $\mu\text{m}$  long by 31-37  $\mu\text{m}$  greatest width. No differences were observed in the appearance and subsequent development of the eggs from the two hosts. No operculum was visible in freshly released eggs, but a short filament 4-10  $\mu\text{m}$  long was found at one end of the egg (Plate 15; Fig. 1). Occasionally eggs would cluster together, adhering to each other by their filaments.

Two days after release of the eggs their internal structure consisted of a mass of dividing cells. No further development was observed until four to five days after release when larval hooks 9-12  $\mu\text{m}$  long were visible. After some four to six days some eggs remained in the dividing cell stage (Plate 15; Fig. 1), but most eggs contained actively moving coracidia occupying approximately two thirds of the egg volume (Plate 15; Fig. 2). Groups of exhausted vitelline cells could be seen outside the coracidium. No operculum was visible.

Plate 15: Development of Grillotia erinaceus (van Beneden, 1858)  
eggs, coracidia and procercoids

Fig. 1 Freshly released eggs (scale bar = 25  $\mu\text{m}$ )

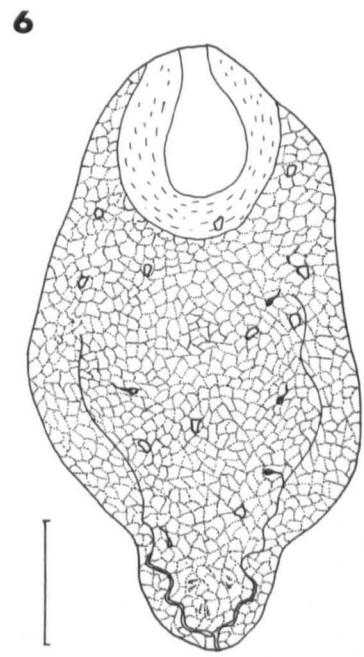
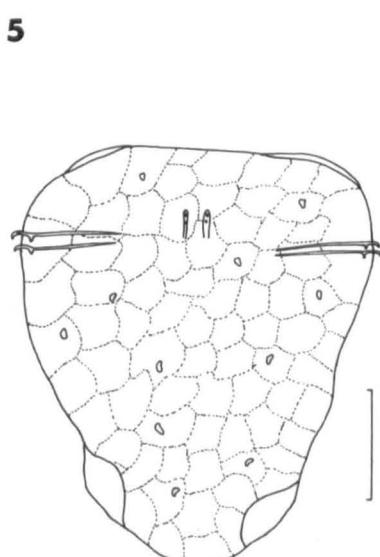
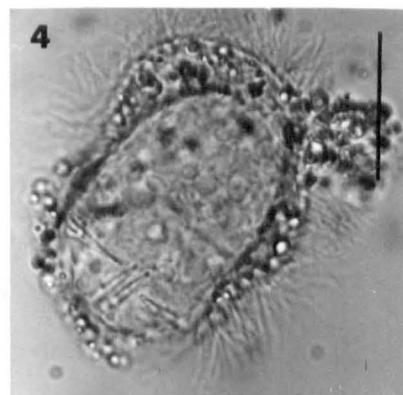
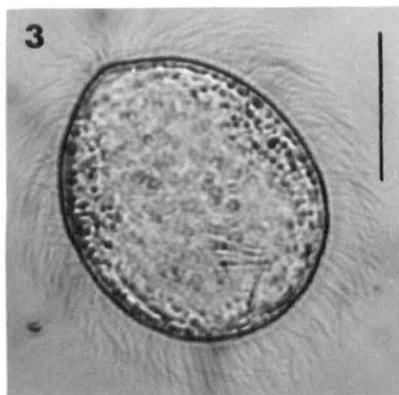
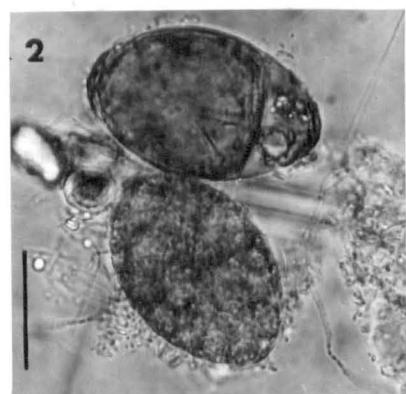
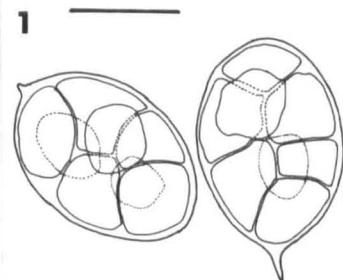
Fig. 2 Egg containing dividing cells (scale bar  
= 25  $\mu\text{m}$ )

Fig. 3 Ciliated coracidium (scale bar = 20  $\mu\text{m}$ )

Fig. 4 Oncosphere beginning to emerge through the  
coradicial membrane (scale bar = 20  $\mu\text{m}$ )

Fig. 5 Newly emerged oncosphere in Tortanus  
discaudatus (scale bar = 10  $\mu\text{m}$ )

Fig. 6 Procercoid in T. discaudatus 20 days p.i.  
(scale bar = 50  $\mu\text{m}$ )



Coracidia

After six to eight days at 10-16°C and ten days at 4°C coracidia were released from the operculate egg. At rest the coracidia (Plate 15; Fig. 3) appeared spherical, measuring 38-41  $\mu\text{m}$  in diameter excluding the cilia; when moving they appeared slightly ovoid, and always moved with the larval hooks in the posterior half of the coracidium. The actively beating cilia were shortest (7-9  $\mu\text{m}$ ) around the larval hooks and longest opposite this area (9-11  $\mu\text{m}$ ). Two membranes surrounding the oncosphere could be seen; between the ciliated outer membrane and the inner membrane various granular bodies could be seen. The coracidia were capable of surviving in filtered seawater for at least two weeks, after which they had all been exposed to and eaten by potential intermediate hosts.

Oncosphere

Coracidia were offered to harpacticoid and calanoid copepods, shrimps and annelids. All invertebrates ingested coracidia, but in shrimps and annelids the coracidia were observed to be gradually digested. In harpacticoid copepods oncospheres failed to emerge and were assumed to have been digested. Hatching of the oncosphere occurred only in two calanoid copepods, Acartia clausii Giesbrecht 1889 and Tortanus discaudatus (Thompson and Scott, 1897).

The hatching of oncospheres began after the coracidia had ceased both forward movement and cilia beating. The oncosphere inside the

coracidium then became very active, and the larval hooks tore the outer ciliated membrane (Plate 15; Fig. 4). Emergence of the oncosphere occurred approximately three to five minutes after the cilia had ceased moving. The larva (Plate 15; Fig. 5) measured 40-55  $\mu\text{m}$  long and 14-17  $\mu\text{m}$  wide and began to move rapidly, with many changes in shape.

Twenty-four hours after introducing the coracidia to the copepods all parasite larvae were found in the copepods' haemocoels, with up to four parasites per host. Seven days after injection the procercoid was oval and measured approximately 110  $\mu\text{m}$  long and 40  $\mu\text{m}$  wide with no observed morphological differentiation.

The rudiments of an excretory system began to appear 15 days after injection. At 20 days p.i. the most advanced procercoid possessed a well developed excretory system (Plate 15; Fig. 6) consisting of two small canals which extended from midway along the procercoid to the region of the larval hooks where they joined to form a bladder and posterior pore. Calcareous corpuscles were distributed around the larva. The procercoid measured about 300  $\mu\text{m}$  long by 90  $\mu\text{m}$  wide. Occasionally a cercomer-like structure would appear posteriorly as the larva moved and a constriction appeared anterior to the larval hooks. This was a transient feature, however, and it appears possible that some trypanorhynch procercoids, at least, do not develop true cercomers. At the anterior end of the procercoid a large apical sucker had formed.

No further development was noted in procercoids which had infected copepods for 35 days.

Infection of teleosts

Twenty Tortanus discaudatus and ten Acartia clausii, each containing one or more procercoids, were presented to four unidentified small fish netted in Passamaquoddy Bay. The copepods were eaten, but no trypanorhynchs were recovered when the fish were sacrificed five to ten days later.

Discussion

The development of G. erinaceus from Raja erinacea and R. ocellata caught in Passamaquoddy Bay is similar to that recorded by Ruzskowski (1934) for this trypanorhynch from R. oxyrhynchus caught off Norway, with additional observations on the manner in which the oncosphere emerged, and the development of the excretory system and anterior sucker of the more advanced procercoid. Pintner (1893, 1896) described in detail the excretory bladder and posterior end of plerocercoids in fish and Riser (1956) noted that there was no apparent difference between the bladder regions of L. tenuis in copepods and plerocercoids in fish. Similarly the bladder region of G. erinaceus advanced procercoids in this study showed close similarities with those described by Pintner (1893) from plerocercoids in fish, strongly suggesting that teleosts become infected with G. erinaceus by eating infected copepods. Grilotia erinaceus is, therefore, an oviparous cestode with a free-swimming coracidial stage which infects copepods, where it develops into a procercoid. This pattern is similar to that reported for certain other poeciloacanth trypanorhynchs: L. tenuis by Riser (1956) and by Mudry and Dailey (1971); Poecilancistrum

caryophyllum by Overstreet (1978) and also for pseudophyllideans by Burt and Jarecka (1982) e.g. Bothriocephalus scorpii (personal observation). In contrast to this group of tapeworms another poeciloacanth, Callotetrarhynchus nipponica, described by Nakajima and Egusa (1969a) involves a pre-plerocercus stage in the anchovy, which then develops into a normal plerocercus when another teleost, Seriola quinqueradiata feeds on the anchovy. It, therefore, appears that two life-cycle strategies have been described from the poeciloanthous trypanorhynchs, involving either a three-host life-cycle (crustacean, teleost and elasmobranch) or a possible four-host life-cycle in the case of C. nipponica (unknown host, teleost, teleost, elasmobranch).

The life-cycle strategies that have been described from the heteroacanths differ from those of the poeciloacanths. The heteroacanths Prochristianella hispida and Parachristianella monomegacantha were reported by Overstreet (1978) and by Mudry and Dailey (1971) to be viviparous cestodes, as the adults produced infective eggs rather than coracidia. Procercoids with distinct cercomers then developed, within the intermediate hosts. Burt and Jarecka (1982) concluded that this resembled the proteocephalan rather than the pseudophyllidean situation. The procercoids possessed rudimentary tentacles and were suggested by Overstreet (1978) to be capable of being directly infective to the definitive host, omitting the need for a teleost intermediate host. All reports of procercoids developing tentacles within an invertebrate host are of heteroanthous trypanorhynchs e.g. Parachristianella sp. and eutetrarhynchids (Cade 1976, 1977), Renibulbus penaeus in shrimp (Feigenbaum and Carmuccio, 1976), Prochristianella hispida in penaeid shrimp (Overstreet, 1978)

and Eutetrahynchus sp. in euphausiids (Shimazu, 1975). It is, therefore, possible that a two-host life-cycle may exist within the heteroacanths. Another intriguing finding is that all records of trypanorhynch larvae developing (rather than references to larvae passing through the gut) in molluscan intermediate hosts are restricted to the heteroacanths e.g. Parachristianella sp. and Eutetrahynchus sp. (Cade, 1976) and Tetrahynchobothrium sp. and Christianella sp. (Reimer, 1975). Too few records exist to draw any conclusions from this, but it would be of great interest to investigate the numbers and ranges of intermediate hosts used by the heteroanthous trypanorhynchs, as it appears that the same genus may develop in both molluscan and crustacean intermediate hosts.

No homeoacanth life-cycle has yet been examined. Frequent records of post-larvae exist e.g. Hepatoxylon trichiuri in Xiphias gladius by Rasmussen (1973), and Thunnus albacores by Bussieras and Baudin-Laurencin (1973), Nybelinia yamaguti in Liosaccus cutaneus by Dolfus (1960), but nothing is known of their earlier life histories.

The summary of life-cycle studies carried out on trypanorhynchs is based on only six species, yet suggests that several types of life-cycle involving crustaceans, mollusc and/or teleost intermediate hosts may exist within the Trypanorhyncha. Further life-cycle studies of trypanorhynchs are necessary, both to increase our knowledge of this group of cestodes and to understand the manner in which commercially important intermediate hosts become infected.

**SECTION FOUR**

**TRYPANORHYNCHS AS FISH POPULATION INDICATORS**

## Trypanorhynchs as Fish Population Indicators

### Introduction

A pre-requisite for this section of my work was to research all published papers on parasites as biological indicators, with the view of selecting one species of trypanorhynch for original work on its use as an indicator, and so gaining experience in this rapidly expanding area of fisheries biology. Section Four thus consists of two parts, the first a critical analysis of the literature and the second a study of Grillotia smaris-gora as a biological tag for mackerel.

#### (i) (a) A Review of the Recent Use of Parasites as Fish Population Indicators

The parasite fauna of any animal can provide information about the host because the acquisition of a parasite depends partly upon the host's susceptibility, the degree of which is affected by host age, diet, sex, movement, behaviour and other factors. The study of parasitic organisms can thus give indications about the host's biology including its feeding habits, immune response and, because related parasite genera and species are often restricted to related host genera and species, their phylogenetic relationships.

The susceptibility of hosts varies within the host population, and within a host population the parasite distribution tends to be overdispersed (Crofton, 1971; Evans, Whitfield and Dobson, 1981; Kennedy, 1978; Shotter, 1976), with a large proportion of the total

parasite population occurring in relatively few hosts.

It is sometimes possible to distinguish different host populations by the presence or absence of parasites or because of a significant difference in the parasite distribution, either in their prevalence (percentage of hosts examined that are infected) or intensity of infection (average number of parasites per infected host). The use of terms prevalence and intensity of infection follow the recommendations made by Margolis, Esch, Holmes, Kuris and Schad (1982).

Parasites have been used as natural markers, or biological tags, to separate populations of terrestrial hosts, especially birds, for over a hundred years, but the first efforts to use them as biological tags for marine fish were those of Dogiel and Bykhovsky 1939, who distinguished between two sturgeon stocks in the Caspian Sea using several tags including the capsalid monogenean Nitschia sturionis (Abildgaard) and the pseudophyllidean cestode, Eubothrium acipenserinum Kholodkovski. Herrington, Bearse and Firth (1939) also used a parasite, the copepod Sphyriion lumperi Krøyer to separate stocks of redfish (Sebastes spp.) in the Northwest Atlantic. Since 1939 the use of parasites as biological tags for marine fish has greatly expanded. MacKenzie (1983) recorded well over a hundred species of parasite including fungi, protozoa, helminths and crustaceans, which have been successfully used to provide information about stocks of commercially important fish.

The number of parasites that could potentially be used as biological tags for fish is vast, e.g. Manter (1969) calculated on the basis of eleven large surveys that of an estimated 10,000 species of

marine digeneans only 15% had been described. Most parasites that have been studied are, however, unsuitable for use as biological tags. If a parasite is to be used as a biological tag then it is important to understand as many aspects of its biology and life cycle as is feasible, especially the range of possible intermediate and final hosts, the method by which tagged species become infected, and to be aware of how the parasite affects its host. The more information available on a parasite species the greater the possibility of being able to refine its use and importance. Many parasite life cycles have not yet been elucidated, or are imperfectly known. Sindermann (1961a) was the first to attempt a listing of criteria by which potential tag parasites for marine fish could be selected. These were added to by Kabata (1963) and modified by Konovalov (1975) for use with anadromous fish. Køie (1983) concentrated on selection of digeneans as useful biological indicators. Sindermann (1983) reviewed the attributes necessary for successful marine biological tags and MacKenzie (1983, 1986) comprehensively assessed the selection of fish parasites for marine, freshwater and anadromous studies. The following criteria are now regarded as the most helpful in assessing the merits of any parasite as a tag.

1. The parasite species should be distributed at significantly different levels in different parts of the study area. This requirement was given by all the above authors when listing the characteristics of successful biological tags, although MacKenzie (1983) commented that it was not applicable when genetic differences between populations of a parasite species were being studied e.g. Beverley-Burton (1978) used protein polymorphisms of Anisakis simplex

larvae to distinguish salmon taken from different areas within Britain and along the Canadian Atlantic coast.

Sindermann (1961a, 1983), Kabata (1963) and Fréchet, Dodson and Powles (1983b) thought that the prevalences of the parasite should remain relatively stable from season to season. MacKenzie (1983), however, pointed out that most fish parasite populations were regarded as unstable and that large fluctuations in parasite prevalences could be expected. This problem can be overcome by ageing the fish examined, and examining and comparing data from separate year classes.

2. The parasite should persist in the host for at least the duration of the study period. Køie (1983) and MacKenzie (1983) both discussed the relatively short life span of adult digeneans which restricted their application to studies of less than one year. The timescale of the study period may be small when investigating seasonal migrations, or extend to cover several years when following recruitment migrations, thus affecting the selection of suitable tags which can range from transitory infections to parasites which remain alive or in a recognisable form throughout the host's life after infection. A disadvantage of any parasite with a brief life span is that the proportion of infected hosts steadily decreases once the population has left the area of infection. This is especially important when selecting suitable parasites for anadromous studies when parasites are frequently lost rapidly as the host migrates through changing salinities.

3. The host's survival should be minimally affected by the parasite. Although any parasite may be recognised as diminishing its host's chances of surviving, parasites which are regarded as highly pathogenic should not be used as biological tags since they cannot be regarded as infecting a reasonably constant proportion of the population. The copepod Lernaeocera branchialis (L.), which uses a number of gadoid definitive hosts, has been used in a number of tag studies on various fish including whiting (Shotter, 1973) and cod (Sherman and Wise, 1961). MacKenzie (1983) commented on its high pathogenicity to some of its definitive hosts and on the fact that it has been shown to affect the behaviour of whiting and pollack, Pollachius pollachius (L.). Infected individuals tended to remain in inshore waters instead of migrating offshore. The intermediate hosts, principally flatfish, have been found to vary between areas providing another reason why the use of this parasite as a biological tag should only be undertaken with great care.

4. The parasite should be easily detected, preferably with a minimum of dissection, allowing many fish to be examined quickly and so reducing costs. A high degree of site specificity would be advantageous, although the possibility of seasonal variation (MacKenzie and Gibson (1970) noted an anterior shift in distribution of the nematode Cucullanus heterochorous in the alimentary canal in winter) should be investigated.

5. MacKenzie (1983) recommended that ectoparasites which were easily detached should not be used, but many ectoparasites leave distinct marks of their past presence. The embedded cephalothorax of Sphyrion

lumpi remains in the host long after the parasite dies.

Hare and Burt (1976) noted that although Discocotyle sagittata (Leuckhart, 1842) was recorded on 18.5% of a sample of Salmo salar taken in 1971, none were recorded in 1970 from the same part of the Miramichi River. It was suggested that this difference might be a result of using electrofishing as a method of capture.

6. The parasite should be easy to identify. Sindermann (1961a, 1961b) used trypanorhynch larvae as one of the tags for redfish and herring, but merely commented on their resemblance to Grillotia erinaceus and Lacistorhynchus tenuis. If each plerocercus had been identified then possibly more details of the host migration might have emerged.

Kabata (1963) and Sindermann (1983) suggested that the life cycle of tag parasites should preferably involve only a single host, while Køie (1983) maintained that for the successful use of a digenetic biological tag the life cycle and distribution of all infected intermediate hosts must be known. Many parasites have been successfully used, including the cestode Syndesmobothrium filicolle in Hilsa ilisha by Gopalakrishnan and Pal (1964), whose life cycles are incompletely known.

In fish population studies involving seasonal recruitment or adult age-dependent migrations it is advantageous for a tag to have an indirect life cycle and not to be spread by direct contact with other members of the host population.

Kabata (1963) and Campbell (1983) considered that the entire study area should have environmental conditions within the physiological range of the parasite tag. In anadromous fish studies however, a decrease in prevalence or intensity of infection when freshwater parasites are unable to survive in the sea may be used to distinguish sea-run and non-migrating fish.

MacKenzie (1983, 1986) and Sindermann (1983) divided parasite tag studies into four categories. Sindermann distinguished four types of study of increasing complexity:

1. Studies based on the regional prevalences of a single parasite species.
2. Surveys involving the prevalences of two parasite species.
3. Surveys of parasite prevalences accompanied by a wide range of supplementary work such as artificial tagging, age and growth studies, and biochemical, serological, morphometric and meristic studies.
4. Studies involving two host populations that possess genetically rather than numerically different parasites, detected by biochemical or immunological methods.

These categories of parasite study simply reflect the amount of effort involved. In contrast, MacKenzie (1983) based his tag studies upon the particular type of migration being investigated, resulting in four categories: stock separation, seasonal migration, recruitment migrations and adult age-dependent migrations. After comparing these two sets of guidelines I consider that those suggested by MacKenzie

(1983, 1986) result in a more useful division of parasite tag studies.

Criteria will vary in importance and additional criteria may be involved depending upon which of the five main types of population study is being considered.

#### 1. Stock Separation

This is the simplest form of population study directed at defining the geographical boundaries of separate populations or stocks of fish. It is not essential, although recommended, to age the fish so programmes can be carried out comparatively quickly.

Parasites with direct or complicated life cycles can be used in stock separation studies. It is not possible to distinguish two populations of fish simply because the prevalence of a tag is different in two separate areas - enough must be known about the parasite's biology to ensure that the parasite is acting as a tag and not merely sampled at a time when it is spreading through a single population. This means that parasites with direct life cycles are initially easier to incorporate into this type of tag programme, while parasites which utilise intermediate or final hosts in addition to the fish species being studied will require a much larger amount of biological information if they are to be used to their fullest extent.

Table 7: Parasites used for fish stock separation

Host	Parasite	Area	Reference
<u>Atherina boyeri</u>	<u>Glugea atherinæ</u>	French Mediterranean	Berrebi and Britton-Davidian (1980)
<u>Gadus morhua</u>	<u>Trypanosoma murmanensis</u>	Newfoundland	Khan, Murphy and Taylor (1980)
<u>Reinhardtius hippoglossoides</u>	<u>T. murmanensis</u> <u>Haemohormidium terraenovae</u>	N.W. Atlantic	Khan et al (1982)
<u>Clupea harengus pallasi</u>	<u>Thynnascaris adunca</u> Bucephalidae spp. <u>Anisakis simplex</u>	British Columbia	Arthur and Arai (1980a, 1980b)
<u>Fundulus heteroclitus</u>	<u>Eustrongyloides salmonis</u>	Patuvent River Maryland	Hirschfield et al (1983)
<u>Atherina presbyter</u>	<u>Neodiplostomum sp.</u>	The Fleet, Dorset, Southampton Water	Turnpenny et al (1981); Bamber et al (1983); Bamber and Henderson (1985)
<u>Osmerus mordax</u>	<u>Echinorhynchus salmonis</u> <u>Diphyllobothrium sebago</u> <u>Glugea hertwigi</u>	Quebec	Fréchet, Dodson and Powles (1983a) (1983b)
<u>Podonema longipes</u>	<u>Nybelinia surmenicola</u> <u>Diphyllobothrium sp.</u>	Kurils, Japan	Avdeev (1981)

contd

Host	Parasite	Area	Reference
<u>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</u>	19 species including <u>Lepidapedon rachion</u> <u>Myxidium bergense</u>	Scotian Shelf	Scott (1981)
4 spp. flat fish	13 spp. digeneans	Scotian Shelf	Scott (1982)
<u>Pollachius virens</u>	<u>Derogenes varicus</u> <u>Hemiurus levenseni</u> <u>Echinorhynchus gadi</u> <u>Anisakis</u> sp.	Scotian Shelf	Scott (1985a)
<u>Limanda limanda</u>	Digeneans	Danish and adjacent waters	Køie (1983)
<u>Liopsetta putnami</u>	<u>Myxobilatus</u> sp. <u>Cryptocotyle lingua</u>	New Hampshire	Burn (1980)
Four spp. Channichthyid	<u>Eubrachiella antarctica</u> <u>Contracaecum</u> sp.	Antarctic Shelf	Siegel (1980)
<u>Theragra chalcogramma</u>	13 spp. parasite	N.E. Pacific	Arthur (1984)
<u>Oncorhynchus nerka</u>	<u>Anisakis</u> sp.	Kamchatka River Basin	Bourgeois and Ni (1984)

## 2. Seasonal Migrations

Many fish make seasonal migrations to feeding or spawning grounds or simply follow prey concentrations. To be a successful tag in seasonal migration studies the parasite must infect the fish in one area and be carried to the other migratory area, where the fish cannot pick up any further infections. Seasonal migrations allow the use of transient infections and so can use the greatest variety of potential

Table 8: Parasites used to study seasonal migrations of fish

Host	Parasite	Area	Reference
<u>Vimba vimba</u>	Entire parasite fauna	Baltic	Rautskis (1983)
<u>Hilsa ilisha</u>	Entire parasite fauna	Hooghly River, India	Pal (1980)
<u>Salvelinus alpinus</u>	<u>Cystidicola cristivomeri</u>		Eddy and Lankester (1978); Black and Lankester 1981
<u>Salvelinus alpinus</u>	<u>Diphyllobothrium</u> spp. <u>Eubothrium</u> <u>salvelini</u> <u>Proteocephalus</u> <u>longicollis</u> <u>Brachyphallus</u> <u>crenatus</u> <u>Bothrimonus</u> <u>sturionis</u> <u>Prosorhynchus</u> <u>squamosus</u>	Baffin Island	Dick and Belosevic (1981)
<u>Salvelinus alpinus</u>	<u>B. crenatus</u> <u>Salmincola</u> <u>edwardsii</u>	Mosie River system	Black (1981) Black, Montgomery and Whoriskey (1983)
<u>Oncorhynchus nerka</u>	<u>E. salvelini</u>		Boyce and Clarke (1983)
<u>Gadus morhua</u>	<u>Trypanosoma</u> <u>murmanensis</u>	Labrador coastal region	Khan et al (1980)
<u>Pseudopleuronectes americanus</u>	Digenean spp.	Passamaquoddy Bay, Canada	Scott (1985b)
<u>Clupea harengus</u>	<u>Eimeria sardinae</u> <u>Scolex pleuronectis</u> <u>Anisakis simplex</u> <u>Hysterothylacium aduncum</u> <u>Cryptocotyle lingua</u>	Northwest Atlantic	McGladdery and Burt (1985)

tags, as all other studies require parasites to live for at least a year. MacKenzie (1983) noted that short-lived infections of adult helminths within the alimentary tract of the fish are possibly the most useful tags.

Recent work (Table 8) includes studies on several species of anadromous fish. Marine and freshwater parasites have been successfully used to characterise fish from these ecologically distinct areas. Many ectoparasitic monogeneans and digeneans are, however, unsuitable because they are rapidly lost on leaving their zone of infection.

### 3. Recruitment Migrations

Recruitment migrations are the journeys made by young fish, often over great distances, from nursery grounds to the adult feeding and spawning grounds. In these studies a successful biological tag that infects fish on only some of the nursery grounds, can provide information about the origin of fish and the connection between different juvenile and adult fish populations (Table 9). This is of great value to fisheries management, but the tag must satisfy two criteria in addition to the ones discussed earlier.

Firstly the fish should be susceptible to infection only on the nursery grounds, and subsequently lose its susceptibility, preferably becoming resistant when it migrates away from these areas. If this is not the case then infections picked up when adult could easily incorrectly identify the fish as coming from a particular nursery ground.

Table 9: Parasites used for the study of fish recruitment migrations

Host	Parasite	Area	Reference
<u>Belone belone</u>	<u>Lacistorhynchus tenuis</u> <u>Anisakis simplex</u>	Baltic Sea	Grabda (1981)
<u>Scomber scombrus</u>	<u>Grillotia smaris-gora</u>	Eastern North Atlantic	MacKenzie (1978), MacKenzie and Mehl (1984), MacKenzie, Smith and Williams (1984)
<u>Clupea harengus</u>	<u>Lacistorhynchus sp.</u> <u>Cercaria pythionike</u>	Eastern North Atlantic	MacKenzie (1985)
<u>Salmo salar</u>	43 parasite species	Open Atlantic and Greenland coastal waters	Pippy (1980)

Secondly the parasite must remain, either alive or in an identifiable form within the fish for the rest of the host's life - a far longer life span than is necessary in stock separation or seasonal migration studies. These additional requirements severely limit the types and numbers of suitable parasites. Transient adult helminth infections can be excluded, and directly-transmissible infections are often unsuitable, because of the possibility of cross infection on adult feeding and spawning grounds. Usually parasites with indirect life cycles are most promising, with the intermediate infected hosts distributed on some nursery grounds and not others. Fish on nursery

grounds may have diets which include intermediate hosts, and may take different prey items, resulting in an altered susceptibility when they grow and migrate away from the nursery grounds.

#### 4. Adult Age-dependent Migrations

As fish grow older there is a general tendency towards moving to different areas for feeding, overwintering and possibly spawning. This type of study requires the same tag characteristics as the study recruitment migrations, except that infection should take place by the time the fish is a young adult, rather than a juvenile.

Hislop and MacKenzie (1976) used the plerocercus of the trypanorhynch Gilquinia squali (Fabricius) as a biological tag to distinguish coastal and offshore stocks of whiting Merlangius merlangus in the North Sea.

Avdeev (1981) reported on the use of Nybelinia sp. and diphyllobothriid larvae as indicators of two separate stocks of Podonema longipes in the northwest Pacific, and also commented on the age-related infection of Nybelinia sp.

#### 5. Changing patterns in stock migration

Although boundaries of stock areas, seasonal, recruitment and adult age-dependent migrations all have the potential of varying markedly from year to year, this final category includes parasites used

to chart distinct changes in migration patterns over long periods of time.

Table 10: Parasites used to study changing patterns in stock migration

Host	Parasite	Area	Reference
<u>Clupea harengus</u>	<u>Anisakis</u> larvae	North Sea	Van Banning and Becker (1978)
<u>Clupea harengus</u>	<u>Anisakis</u> larvae	Northwest Atlantic	McGladdery and Burt (1985)
<u>Clupea harengus</u>	<u>Cercaria</u> <u>pythionike</u> <u>C. doricha</u> <u>Lacistorhynchus</u> sp.	North Sea	MacKenzie (1985)
<u>Oncorhynchus nerka</u>	<u>Myxobulus</u> <u>neurobius</u> <u>Myxidium</u> sp. <u>Diphyllobothrium</u> sp. (1984) <u>Diplostomum</u> sp. <u>Tetracotyle</u> sp. <u>Philonema</u> sp. <u>Salmincola</u> <u>californiensis</u>	North Pacific	Groot, Margolis and Bailey (1984)

Long term studies of migration patterns require the greatest amount of effort, but the effort involved in any biological tag programme is considerable, with the collection and examination of many fish from different areas. In an exceptional study, MacKenzie (1985) examined more than 23,000 herring during the course of his

investigations. In contrast to conventional tagging programmes biological tags do not allow the estimation of natural mortality, population size and growth rates, in addition to the monitoring of fish movements. Biological tags programmes, however, have several intrinsic advantages although whenever possible the use of biological tags will be greatly enhanced by host serological, biochemical, morphometric and meristic studies, and the concurrent use of conventional tags. Biological tags can be used to track a large proportion of a population rather than the individuals in mechanical tagging. The fish need to be caught only once, thus avoiding handling mortalities. Redfish, Sebastes spp., were one of the first fish to be examined using biological tags (Herrington et al., 1939). Redfish are usually caught in deepwater by bottom trawling, and the rapid reduction in pressure as they are brought to the surface commonly results in injury or death. Similarly many delicate species of fish that would be damaged by handling are prime candidates for biological tag investigations. Abnormal behaviour of tagged fish may also be avoided, as major trauma associated with the process of catching and tagging is involved. This is dependent on the third criterion used in selecting parasites as tags - that the host's survival is minimally affected by the parasite. Results may be further enhanced by parasite biochemical speciation shown by Beverley-Burton (1978) to enable further discrimination between separate stocks of fish. Finally, because research ships are costly to run, biological tag programmes may eventually prove cheaper than an investigation dependent upon just mechanical tagging.

(i) (b) Trypanorhynchs as Biological Tags

Trypanorhynch larvae have been used in a variety of fish population studies, including: stock separation, e.g. Sindermann (1957, 1961a, 1961b) used unspecified trypanorhynch larvae to distinguish stocks of Sebastes marinus in the north-west Atlantic, Lubieniecki (1977) separated stocks of haddock in the North Sea using Grillotia erinaceus; seasonal migrations, e.g. Gopalakrishnan and Pal (1964) followed the seasonal migrations of Hilsa ilisha in the Hooghly estuary, India, and Rautskis (1983) used Lacistorhynchus tenuis to follow Vimba vimba in the Baltic; recruitment migrations, e.g. Grillotia smaris-gora in studies of Scomber scombrus in the northwest Atlantic (present study); and adult age-dependent migrations, e.g. Gilquinia squali in Merlangius merlangus in the North Sea (Hislop and MacKenzie, 1976).

The greatest potential for trypanorhynch tags appears to be in the study of recruitment migrations, which have more stringent criteria than other studies. Trypanorhynch larvae are suitable because their fully developed tentacles make identification possible, although great care is needed in making the initial identification, and they appear to live or survive in a recognisable form throughout the life of their host. Within individual hosts they appear to inflict little pathological damage when they encyst on the surface of organs rather than inside them. The occurrence of the early developmental stages in a variety of invertebrates may also mean fish are exposed to infection solely at an early age, after which diet changes greatly reduce the possibility of infection.

The potential of using trypanorhynchs as tags for the definitive, elasmobranch hosts and the invertebrate first intermediate hosts has been largely unexplored, although Owens (1980) used Parachristianella monomegacantha to distinguish stocks of prawns in northern Australia. These remain further areas of research in which trypanorhynchs could play an important role.

- (ii) Grillotia smaris-gora (Wagener, 1854) Dollfus, 1946 and its Value as a Biological Tag

#### Introduction

In recent years mackerel fishing in the northeast Atlantic has steadily increased. U.K. catches in 1971-75 averaged 23,055 tonnes per year, while over 220,000 tonnes were landed in 1985 (Anon, 1986). Reasons for this increase include the discovery of large, overwintering shoals close inshore, changes in catching and distribution techniques (Lockwood and Johnson, 1976) and a transfer of fishing effort to mackerel after the decline in herring stocks. Some mackerel stocks, however, are already showing signs of overfishing. North Sea returns for all countries showed catches of 20,000 tons in 1945 rising to 930,000 in 1967, then dropping to 318,000 in 1973 and 49,000 in 1985 (Lockwood and Johnson, 1976; Anon, 1986). The remaining stocks are therefore being closely monitored.

MacKenzie and Mehl (1984) reported on a biological tag programme aimed at tracing movements made by stocks of mackerel, Scomber

scombrus, in the eastern North Atlantic. They recorded the occurrence of a trypanorhynch plerocercus which appeared to infect mackerel up to the age of two years and then to survive throughout the life of the mackerel (MacKenzie, 1983; MacKenzie and Mehl, 1982). The trypanorhynch was identified (MacKenzie, 1980) as Grillotia angeli Dollfus, 1969, but my close examination of the holotype and a range of both adult specimens and plerocerci have shown me that Grillotia angeli is a junior synonym of Grillotia smaris-gora (Section Two, pp. 21-49).

The life cycle of Grillotia smaris-gora is still unknown, but all trypanorhynchs whose life-cycles have been investigated are known to use crustaceans as first intermediate hosts (Ruszkowski, 1932; Riser, 1956; Mudry and Dailey, 1971; Sakanari and Moser 1985a, 1985b).

Adults of G. smaris-gora in the eastern North Atlantic have been recovered solely from the monkfish Squatina squatina L. Monkfish are common in and to the south of I.C.E.S. sub-area VII (i.e. to the south and west of Britain (see Fig. 16), but are regarded as rare to the north of Ireland and throughout the North Sea.

The spawning season for mackerel in the northeastern Atlantic is spring and early summer, sometimes continuing until September (Hamre, 1980). Kennedy (1954) and Wheeler (1969) record that mackerel fry and adult fish prior to spawning feed on plankton, later turning to a mainly piscivorous diet including rockling fry, sand eels, herring, pilchards and young sprats, although a certain amount of crustacean food (including shrimps and mysids) may be taken in summer, while in winter mackerel fast on the bottom in deep water. Kennedy remarked

that in the English Channel shoaling mackerel fed chiefly on zooplankton, including Calanus finmarckius, Pseudocalanus elongatus and Temora longicornis. Mehl and Westgard (1983) noted that the most important prey items in wet weight were copepods, euphausiids and fish.

As only young mackerel become infected with G. smaris-gora, presence of the plerocercus indicates that the mackerel fed on infected crustaceans at an early age, and thus originated from I.C.E.S. areas VII and VIII.

The monkfish is usually found at depths of from five to fifty metres, concealed or partially buried in sand or gravel. (Wheeler, 1969). Wheeler lists its food as consisting of mainly benthic organisms, including flatfishes (plaice, dabs and soles) Raja sp., other fishes, molluscs, whelks and crustaceans, including the crab Cancer pagurus. In northern European waters the young are thought to be born during June and July. Wheeler suggested that, because monkfish become much more common in summer, there might be a summertime northerly migration, supplementing a shoreward movement from deeper waters.

Fitzmaurice (1982) investigated the migration of monkfish using Jumbo and Petersen tags to record their movements. Four hundred and thirty five monkfish were tagged over a period of 13 years on the West coast of Ireland. Thirty fish (6.9%) were recaptured, showing general movements north and south. Few returns were received from any tagging location other than Tralee Bay so no migration pattern could be predicted. It is difficult to imagine how the fast-moving pelagic

mackerel could regularly be taken by the bottom-dwelling monkfish, unless this occurred in winter when the mackerel move to deeper water and settle near the bottom.

MacKenzie and Mehl (1984) examined a total of 9,639 mackerel aged from 0-ring to 18 winter rings. In samples taken from the North Sea and I.C.E.S. areas IIa or IVa, where mixing of stocks is known to occur, the proportion of mackerel originating from the southwest was calculated. The prevalence of the sample was divided by the mean prevalence in area VII, where it was assumed that all the mackerel examined were of southwestern origin. Ninety-five per cent confidence limits were also calculated.

Results showed that the mackerel appeared to fall into two groups. In mackerel of year classes 1977 and earlier the overall mean prevalence was 6.9%, but in year classes 1978-82 the overall mean prevalence dropped to 0.9%. Year classes 1977 and earlier showed the highest prevalences in areas VII and IVc. There was no statistically significant difference between the areas, suggesting that all the mackerel in the southern North Sea might have originated from the southwest. The monkfish is also common in area VIII, but mackerel from the southern part of this area showed a significantly lower prevalence than those from area VII, suggesting that they were of different origin. Similarly, mackerel recovered from area IX probably had a different origin, as none were infected.

Results from Division VIa north of 58°N, IIa and IVa indicated that just over half the mackerel caught off the northwest coast of

Scotland and 30% of those in the Norwegian Sea and northern North Sea originated in nursery grounds in the southwest.

Seasonal variations in Division VIa north of 58°N showed a decrease in the proportion of southwestern mackerel from 50% in September to under 10% in January, increasing again to over 50% in March and April.

Later records from year classes 1978 onwards showed no variations between areas and age groups that were statistically significant. Infected mackerel were spread fairly evenly over all areas. In view of the low overall prevalence of G. smaris-gora, MacKenzie and Mehl suggested that younger fish may have been migrating into northern areas at younger ages and in greater numbers than before. If previous patterns of distribution had been maintained infected S. scombrus should have been very rare in areas north of VII.

Walsh and Martin (1986) recorded changes in the overwintering areas for adult mackerel, which shifted northwards at about the same time as the drop in the prevalence of G. smaris-gora. MacKenzie and Mehl (1984) questioned whether these changes in mackerel distribution could be associated with hydrographic changes recorded in the North Sea. MacKenzie (1987) also noted a sharp decrease in the prevalence of the trypanorhynch Lacistorhynchus sp. in herring, Clupea harengus, at about the same time as the decrease in prevalence of G. smaris-gora in mackerel. MacKenzie suggested that these abrupt changes could have resulted from a number of factors including a change in host diet and herring year class strength.

Studies were made on Grillotia smaris-gora in an effort to find out more of its biology, and its potential as a biological tag. Although its value as a tag has decreased somewhat since the drop in prevalence, it could well increase again.

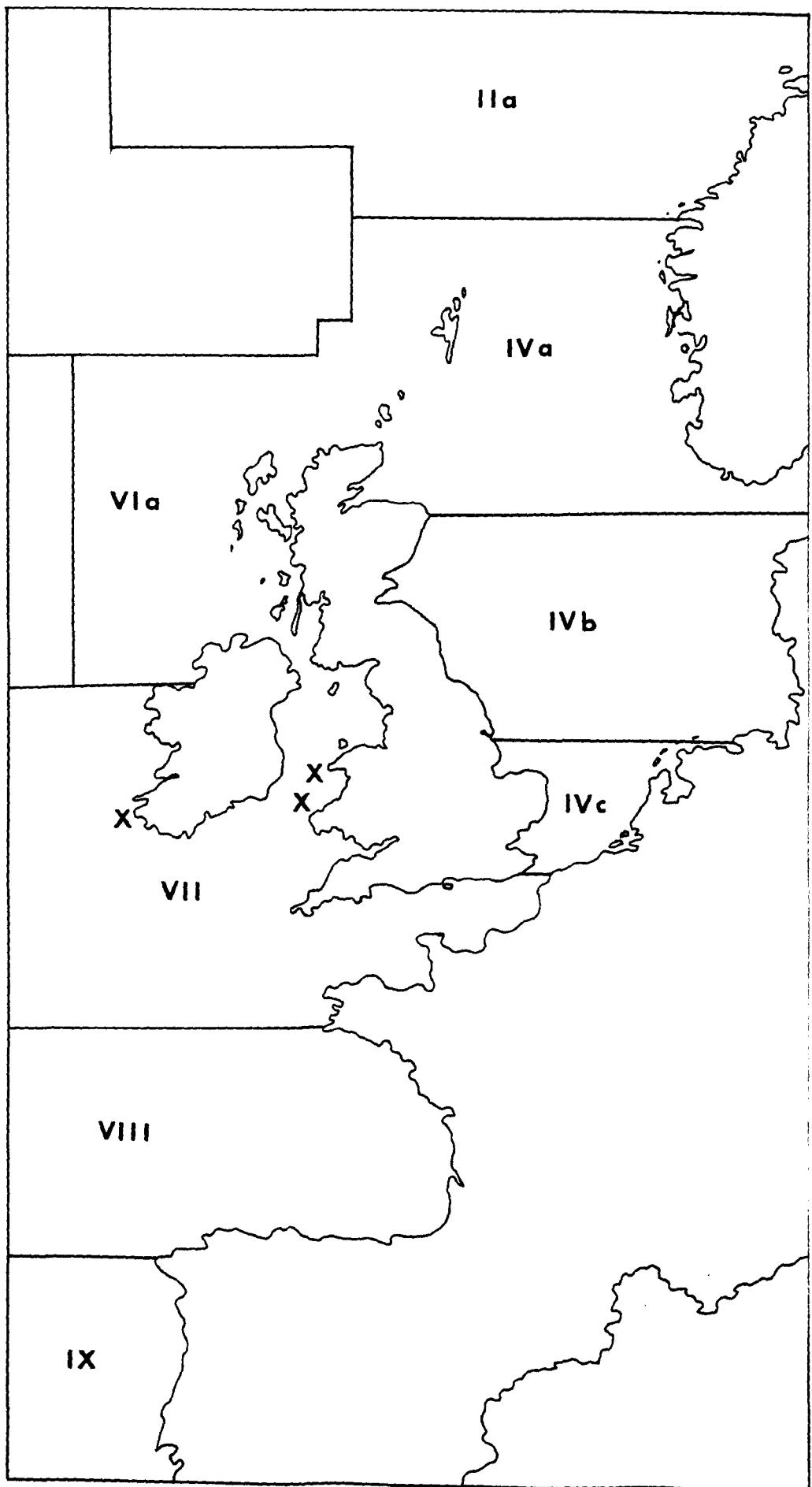
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A variety of elasmobranchs including monkfish, Squatina squatina, were trawled in Cardigan Bay, and examined for Grillotia smaris-gora. Only Squatina was found to be infected by this trypanorhynch, and unfortunately no living gravid specimens were found for life-cycle studies. More adult G. smaris-gora were recovered from monkfish that had been caught off southwest Ireland and in Cardigan Bay, and preserved in 4% formalin.

Selected teleosts were examined for plerocerci. Mackerel, Scomber scombrus (L.), had been previously recorded (MacKenzie, 1980) as a host for Grillotia smaris-gora. Encysted plerocerci from mackerel were dissected out, examined and measured. Further teleosts examined were scad, Trachurus trachurus (Linnaeus, 1758), red sea bream, Pagellus bogaraveo (Brünnich, 1768), greater weaver, Trachinus draco Linnaeus, 1758, common dab, Limanda limanda (Linnaeus, 1758) and grey gurnard, Eutrigla gurnardus (Linnaeus, 1758).

Plate 16: Map of the British Isles showing I.C.E.S. areas and regions where S. squatina were caught.

Key to map x = position of capture of monkfish examined



## Results

Twelve Squatina (prevalence 48%) were found to be infected with an intensity of 1-23 trypanorhyncs per infected fish (Table 11). Twelve trypanorhyncs (15.4%) were recovered from the first tier of the spiral valve, 19 (24.4%) from the second tier, and 4 (5.1%) from the third. The rest were recovered from the washings of the spiral valve. The four smallest fish (31-56 cm long) were uninfected with trypanorhyncs.

Examination of the stomach contents showed many food items including whole, small rays (Raja clavata), unidentified remains of teleost fish, and fragments of shells.

Scad, Trachurus trachurus, caught to the southwest of Ireland and aged between 6 and 20 years showed the highest prevalence of infection of G. smaris-gora in any teleosts examined. Prevalence increased with size (and presumably age) from 10% in the smallest scad to 57% in the largest length group at 33-38 cm fork length. The mean intensity varied between 1 and 2.7 parasites per infected fish. Both prevalence and intensity of infection of the plerocerci were higher than values recorded from mackerel (MacKenzie, Smith and Williams, 1984).

A sample of red sea bream, Pagellus bogaraveo, from the Bay of Biscay had a prevalence of 8.1%, with up to 32 plerocerci found in one fish. Unfortunately many of the scad and red sea bream were received frozen so that the tentacles of the dissected plerocercus could not be extended. Sufficient details could be distinguished for identification when compared with excysted trypanorhyncs found in fresh fish.

Table 11: Monkfish, Squatina squatina, examined for Grillotia smaris-gora

Date and area of capture	Length (cm)	Sex	Number of G. <u>smaris-gora</u>
26.08.1983 Aberystwyth, Cardigan Bay	91	♀	1
12.09.1983 Cardigan Bay	124	♂	7
12.09.1983 Cardigan Bay	125	♂	4
12.09.1983 Cardigan Bay	126	♂	23
12.09.1983 Cardigan Bay	123	♀	6
12.09.1983 Cardigan Bay	99	♂	18
09.1984 Cardigan Bay	61	♀	3
09.1984 Cardigan Bay	51	♀	0
09.1984 Cardigan Bay	132	♀	9
09.1984 Cardigan Bay	131	♂	0
09.1984 Cardigan Bay	51	♀	0
09.1984 Cardigan Bay	125	♂	2
09.1984 Cardigan Bay	127	♀	0
09.1984 Cardigan Bay	127	♂	0
09.1984 Cardigan Bay	123	♂	0
09.1984 Cardigan Bay	105	♀	1
09.1984 Cardigan Bay	95	♂	3
09.1984 Cardigan Bay	86	♂	0
09.1984 Cardigan Bay	56	♂	0
27.04.1986 Cardigan Bay	36		0
20.12.1983 Portoyageeef, Southwest Ireland	97	♀	0
04.1984 Brandon Head, Southwest Ireland	31	♂	0
04.1984 Dingle Bay, Southwest Ireland	121	♂	0
04.1984 Dingle Bay, Southwest Ireland	125	♂	2

No other teleosts, including a sample of 1-ring mackerel examined in Cornwall (September 1983), were found to be infected.

### Discussion

The prevalence of Grillotia smaris-gora in monkfish is high, nearly 50%. This suggests that either the intermediate host, through which the monkfish becomes infected, is a common item in the monkfish's diet, or that any plerocercus ingested by the monkfish has a high probability of survival and development. There is little data on the survival and longevity of trypanorhyncs within their definitive hosts, although the initial establishment of adults from plerocerci appears high (Nakajima and Egusa, 1972a,b; Sakanari and Moser, 1985b). Although small monkfish under 61 cm long were uninfected by G. smaris-gora, insufficient hosts were available to test whether infection levels were significantly lower in smaller, and presumably younger, monkfish, which would have taken smaller prey items.

Previous records of Grillotia smaris-gora from Squatina describe the presence of detached, gravid proglottids in fish caught in the Firth of Clyde in May (Scott, 1909), Norway in August (Nybelin, 1940) and from Arcachon, France in September (Dollfus, 1946). Life cycle studies carried out by Sakanari and Moser (1985a), Nakajima and Egusa (1972e) and by myself (Section Three, this thesis) show periods of up to two weeks for trypanorhynchan eggs to produce coracidia which then develop into infective proceroids within the first intermediate hosts. Infection of teleosts could thus take place in summer and autumn. It

is interesting to note that two of the zooplankton copepod species, Pseudocalanus elongatus and Temora longicornis, recorded by Kennedy (1954) as constituting a major part of the diet of shoaling mackerel in the English Channel, had been successfully infected with plerocerci of Grillotia erinaceus, a species closely related to G. smaris-gora, by Ruszkowski (1932).

Infection of the teleost hosts in the eastern Atlantic appears, at present, to involve two midwater pelagic species, Trachurus trachurus and Scomber scombrus, and one bottom-dwelling species, Pagellus bogaraveo. Other midwater and benthic fishes examined did not appear to maintain this parasite, although only small numbers of fish were examined.

Some species of trypanorhynch have been recorded (Dollfus, 1942) as surviving when taken from one teleost host and presented to another. This has only been recorded, however, in species such as Nybelinia or Tentacularia when a post-larva is involved. No attempted transfer of encysted Grillotia plerocerci from one teleost to another has been successful, so all teleost hosts found to be infected with G. smaris-gora plerocerci are assumed to have fed on infected crustaceans.

Pagellus bogaraveo spawns in September to October around the British Isles, young fish feeding close inshore on copepods, amphipods, shrimps and siphonophores, larger bream taking decapod crustaceans and young fish and being found at greater depths of 50 m or more (Wheeler, 1969).

It is possible that mackerel and scad, rather than providing a common route of infection for monkfish, represent a dead-end for the G. smaris-gora plerocerci, and that most infection of the final host is via the red sea bream, which is commonly found on sandy bottoms in the same type of area as Squatina. As both demersal and pelagic fish are infected with this parasite, it is possible that euphausiids, which undergo regular vertical migrations, could be the first intermediate host (MacKenzie, pers. comm.). Exposure to infection with the cestode eggs could occur on the sea bed, and predation by demersal and pelagic fish during the euphausiid's migrations. Mehl and Westgard (1983) record that euphausiids are an important part of the mackerel's diet.

Heinz and Dailey (1974) recorded Grillotia smaris-gora from Squatina californica in the eastern Pacific. Larval G. smaris-gora were found in the Californian lizard-fish, Synodus lucioceps, by Jensen, Moser and Heckmann (1979). Synodus lucioceps spends much of its time buried in sand, presumably in the same regions as S. californica. This would appear to be very similar to the situation involving S. squatina and P. bogoraveo in the eastern Atlantic. It would be advisable to investigate the life cycle of G. smaris-gora and discover which crustaceans act as intermediate hosts, how the recorded teleost intermediate hosts become infected, and whether any other fish species are involved. Although G. smaris-gora has been successfully used as a biological tag for mackerel, and could, potentially, be of use in the future, a better understanding of the parasite's biology, particularly its ecology and life-cycle would enhance its application and possibly that of other trypanorhyncs as population indicators.

**SECTION FIVE**  
**GENERAL DISCUSSION AND CONCLUSIONS**

General Discussion

The order Trypanorhyncha was, according to Wardle and McLeod (1952), "one of the most chaotic and confused of the tapeworm groups" until Dollfus (1942) conducted a major survey of all the trypanorhynch species known to him at that time, and introduced some order into the group. Dollfus also produced the first comprehensible key, which has remained the basis for all subsequent keys to the Trypanorhyncha, e.g. Wardle and McLeod (1952), Yamaguti (1959) and Schmidt (1970, 1986). The host-parasite checklist (Bates, in press) compiled after studying over 400 papers, draws together recent publications that include records of the Trypanorhyncha into a manageable form, and emphasizes the continuing neglect of this Order. An example of this neglect is the restriction of the vast majority of trypanorhynchian records to within the northern hemisphere, concentrating around the European centres with historical interests in marine parasitology. It is only comparatively recently that a series of studies have been carried out in South America, while very little work has arisen from Australia. Clearly much basic survey work needs to be done since no trypanorhynchs are recorded for the majority of elasmobranch species currently known to exist, presumably because comparatively little effort has been made to examine elasmobranchs in comparison to teleosts commonly used as food fish. When considering the Tetraphyllidea, Schmidt (1986) commented that "only about 17% of the known elasmobranch species have been examined for cestodes". There is clearly a vast amount of work which needs to be carried out in this fundamental area of research. This applies to a greater extent to the Trypanorhyncha than to the Tetraphyllidea.

Another area of neglect which is highlighted by the checklist is the small number of records originating from invertebrates. Species recently described, moreover, do not all fit into existing categories, e.g. the family Rhinoptericolidae, containing the single species Rhinoptericola megacantha Carvajal and Campbell, 1975, shows closest similarities to the families Otobothriidae and Mustelicolidae on the basis of the tentacle oncotaxy, but has several unusual internal features, including the presence of an ooreceptacle and an ovary consisting of four lobes but lacking a central isthmus, which differ markedly from the other families in this group. A similar situation exists in the family Mixodigmatidae, which also contains one species, Mixodigma leptaleum Dailey and Vogelbein, 1982. In this case the arrangement of the hooks on the tentacles and the internal structure of the proglottid appear to contain elements typical of both a poeciloacanthous family, the Dasyrhynchidae, and the heteroacanthous family, the Eutetrarhynchidae. Considering the relatively small number of new species (60-70) described during 1935-1985, based on the checklist, the problems encountered in assigning species positions within the existing taxonomic structure may well become more difficult to solve as new geographic areas are investigated. Many problems still remain, therefore, both in the allocation of species to a systematic position within the Trypanorhyncha, and also in the identification of parasites. Examples of recent confused identifications may be identified from the host-parasite checklist. Sparks and Mackin (1957) identified a larval parasite found within Penaeus setiferus as Eutetrarhynchus sp., later reidentified as Prochristianella penaei Kruse, 1959, by Sparks and Fontaine (1973). Campbell and Carvajal

(1975) recognised this as a synonym of Prochristianella (= Rhynchobothrium) hispidum originally described by Linton in 1890. It became clear during the compilation of the checklist that, except for systematics, hardly any area of the biology of the trypanorhynchs had been the subject of sustained research. This group of tapeworms should, therefore, be a fruitful area of research for many years.

Section Two of this thesis emphasises both the historical and recent existence of numerous synonyms and misidentifications of five species of trypanorhynch. For example, Grillotia smaris-gora (Wagener, 1854) Dollfus, 1946, has been recorded as belonging to five separate genera, while Gilquinia squali and Aporhynchus norvegicus have also been assigned several synonyms, suggesting that the taxonomy of this group is still in a state of turmoil.

In addition to the problems of species identification, Section Two of this work highlights the flimsy evidence on which many species have been erected. For example, the species Grillotia angeli Dollfus, 1969, was based on three specimens which Dollfus himself recognised as being distorted. In the same paper Dollfus described another "new" species, Grillotia microthrix, from one immature specimen whose tentacles were only partly evaginated. Further difficulties were encountered when attempting to find type specimens. It was found that the majority were unavailable, having been mislaid or destroyed over the years.

Although open to misinterpretation the tentacle oncotaxy remains the most efficient method of identifying species belonging to this

order, assuming that the original description was accurate, and included the arrangement and types of hooks both at varying levels of the tentacle and also on the different faces. Although the hook arrangements and terminology may appear to be initially confusing a careful study of fully extended tentacles should allow the identification of any species. Campbell and Carvajal (1975) suggested that the ratio of pars bothridialis : pars vaginalis : pars bulbosa could be of greater use in differentiating between closely related species, especially within the Eutetrarhynchidae, but I have found during the examination of specimens, that this method is only applicable when the parasites are in a similar state of tentacle extrusion, and also that adults and plerocerci sometimes show very different ratios. The description of proglottid morphology could also be improved. Too many descriptions neglect any mention of the internal morphology of the proglottids, or they are simply diagnosed as possessing typical trypanorhynchan organisation, when this varies greatly between genera and species.

The taxonomic confusion within the Trypanorhyncha does not facilitate the discussion of the degree of host specificity within groups of this Order. One of these problems is the status of the host, and whether it can be regarded as a natural host: a record of a parasite within an animal does not mean that it will successfully establish in the host. There are several examples of trypanorhynchs having been recorded in man (see Host-Parasite checklist, Section Two), but no examples of the parasites surviving within man or any other homeothermic animal. In general, hosts can be divided (Holmes, 1973)

into three groups: those in which the parasite can establish and reproduce, those in which it can survive, but not reproduce, and those in which it cannot establish. It is impossible to assign many published trypanorhynch records to one of these categories without further information, or to assess the value of various hosts in maintaining the population of the parasite. Rohde (1980) has produced indices of host specificity based on the prevalence and intensity of parasitic infections, but again this quantitative approach is not feasible using much of the published data. I, therefore, support Dollfus (1957) in giving tentative suggestions about the apparent host specificity in the Trypanorhyncha.

The homeoacanthous trypanorhynchs include the Hepatoxylidae and Sphyriopehalidae, which are found as post-larvae in a variety of teleosts, but appear to be restricted to the Pleurotremata as adults. The remaining homeoacanthous family, the Tentaculariidae, contains the genus Tentacularia, found as a post-larva in many teleosts, and as an adult in the Pleurotremata, and the genus Nybelinia, found in a wide variety of intermediate hosts, and as adults in both the Hypotremata and the Pleurotremata.

In the poeciloacanthous trypanorhynchs the genus Gymnorhynchus, family Gymnorhynchidae, contains two species that appear to be much more specific in the plerocercus stage. Gymnorhynchus horridus is restricted to the teleost Mola mola, and found as an adult in the Pleurotremata, while G. gigas has been recorded from both Brama raii and Xiphias gladius as a plerocercus. The adult is unknown. In the Lacistorhynchidae the monotypic genus Lacistorhynchus has been recorded

from many teleosts as plerocerci, and from many sharks and rays as adults. In contrast the genus Grillotia, containing over ten species is again found in a wide range of teleost intermediate hosts, but is mainly restricted to the Hypotremata as adults. Exceptions include G. heptanchi from Hexanchus griseus and G. perelica from Carcharhinus platydon, which are also cosmopolitan. In the family Callitetrarhynchidae the genus Dasyrhynchus is found in a wide variety of teleost intermediate hosts, and in definitive pleurotrematid hosts. The monotypic genus Floriceps is found in a wider range of definitive hosts, including Prionace glauca and Notorhynchus brevirostris, and in a range of teleost intermediate hosts, especially Mola mola. The genus Callitetrarhynchus has been recorded from many teleost families, while the adults are found in a variety of carcharhinid hosts.

In the heteroacanthous tapeworms the family Gilquinidae, as already discussed (see Section Two), seems to be generally restricted to squaloid definitive hosts, while the plerocerci of Gilquinia have been recorded from a range of intermediate teleost hosts. The family Otobothriidae includes the genus Poecilancistrum, found as plerocerci and adults in teleosts and the Pleurotremata respectively and Otobothrium, found in a great range of intermediate hosts including teleosts and aquatic reptiles, and in a range of sharks and adults. The family Eutetrarhynchidae is unusual in that many of the records of plerocerci with well-developed tentacles come from decapod crustaceans, in addition to a wide range of teleosts. The adults appear to be restricted to either the Hypotremata or the Pleurotremata, depending on the genus. The species Parachristianella, including the new record (Section Two) of P. monomegacantha, has only been recorded from the

**Hypotremata.**

The Trypanorhyncha, therefore, appear to show a low degree of host specificity, which may vary between species, genera and families. In contrast the Diphylidae and the Tetraphyllidae, two other orders of tapeworms which, like the Trypanorhyncha are found as adults in elasmobranch definitive hosts, show a high degree of host specificity, with each tapeworm species usually restricted to one elasmobranch species. The question of whether the Trypanorhyncha may show a higher degree of host specificity than recorded at present cannot be answered until many of the records of infection have been either reassessed or established anew.

The contrast between the biology of the Trypanorhyncha and the Tetraphyllidae is reinforced when life cycle studies are considered. The Tetraphyllidae which have been studied (Burt and Jarecka, 1982) show well developed oncospheres within the delicate, thin-walled eggs in the uterus. In contrast the six species of Trypanorhyncha that have been investigated appear to adopt a variety of strategies, all beginning with a robust egg possessing a hard outer shell which tans rapidly in sea water. The possibility of two types of life cycle suggested by Euzet (1957), one involving a free-living coracidium infecting copepods, which then become infective to teleosts, and the other involving the egg as the infective stage with a larva developing to the plerocercus stage in the crustacean intermediate host, suggests a major division within the Trypanorhyncha. As suggested in Section Three of this thesis, further work on the early developmental stages, especially of those species belonging to the heteroacanthous and homeoacanthous

groups, is needed to clarify the evolutionary significance of the trypanorhynchian life cycle strategies. The lack of any "model" trypanorhynch which is easy to maintain within the laboratory is obvious as no life cycle has been successfully completed within the laboratory.

The biological tag studies reviewed during the course of this research showed a great increase over the last 10-20 years. Ostensibly trypanorhynchs may be considered as possessing great potential as biological tags, but again deficiencies in the knowledge of their basic biology detract from their use. Little is known of their ecology, or pathology, so although they may appear to be site specific in certain economically important fish their current application for commercial studies must be questioned.

The published material on the trypanorhynchs is both confusing and potentially misleading, since much of it is based on questionable identifications. The infrequent investigations into the biology of these cestodes do, however, highlight fundamental differences between the Trypanorhyncha and other orders of cestode. At present the trypanorhynchian development, distribution and life-cycles appear to be unique and suggest that possibly the Trypanorhyncha should be considered phylogenetically as a group apart, like the Caryophyllidea (Mackiewicz, 1982) and the Gyrocotylidea (Williams, Colin and Halvorsen, 1987).

Conclusions

1. A great deal of basic survey work remains to be done, both in different hosts, particularly the elasmobranchs and invertebrates, and also in many neglected geographical areas. This should be extremely productive.
2. The validity of many early taxonomic studies must be questioned. Whenever possible specimens of new or existing species, from new or previously recorded hosts, should be deposited in national collections, to supplement the few existing type specimens.
3. Except for the general fish parasite faunal surveys, and the taxonomic studies of varying value carried out on trypanorhynchs, little effort has been aimed at understanding the biology of these parasites.
4. No trypanorhynch life cycle has yet been completed within the laboratory indicating a fundamental lack of knowledge of these parasites.
5. Increasing pressure to understand the social and economic importance of trypanorhynchs may be expected, in respect of both their pathogenicity and biological tag potential. Neither of these can be comprehensively investigated without other aspects of the parasite's biology being considered.

6. Phylogenetically, the Trypanorhyncha appear to have few affinities with other groups of cestodes. Traditionally, they have been regarded (Dollfus, 1942) as an old group showing little diversification. Until accurate knowledge of these tapeworms is available, it would be advisable to regard them as a group very much apart from other tapeworm orders.

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