

## VOUCHER SHEET

Oxyurostylis pacifica Zimmer 1936

Diastylidae

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Key Used: D. Diener. Key distributed at meeting  
August 15, 1983

Other Literature: Zimmer, C. 1936. Proc. U.S. Nat. Mus.,  
83:423-439.  
Zimmer, C. 1943. Arch. Naturgesch  
12:130-173.

Important Characters: Telson long and tapering to a point,  
carapace and thoracic somites rough covered  
with fine denticles.

Related Species and Character Differences:

O. tertia has highly sculptured carapace  
which is lacking in O. pacifica.

Common Synonyms: None

Variability: A distinct species at all sizes.

Comments: A common southern California species found  
in 10 to over 100 meters in sand silt  
bottoms.