

EXCORALLANA
Excorallana truncata

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Class Malacostraca, Subclass Eumalacostraca, Order Isopoda, Family Corallanidae

DIAGNOSTIC CHARACTERS:

Pleotelson with posterior margin truncate

Eyes large but not extending across frontal margin

Posterior margin toothed on abdomen plates

Four teeth on anterior portion of pleotelson

Body color yellow

Head with small median point

The inner branch of the uropod is truncate posteriorly and armed with spines

Inner uropod is twice as wide as the outer branch

Outer uropod is lanceolate in shape

ILLUSTRATION:

