

PROVISIONAL SPECIES VOUCHER SHEET

Provisional Name: *Cirriformia* sp LA1

Taxon: Cirratulidae

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Common Synonyms:

Specimen(s): STATION DATE DEPTH STORAGE LOCATION VIAL#

Bight 98 [1 ant. frag. (~60 setigers)] 2208 7/22/98 37m Bight98 voucher 981261

Characters: (This description was provided by Cheryl Brantley @ LA Co. San. Dist. for a single specimen ~104 setigers, nearly entire, 14mm long X 1.5 mm wide from 31 meters on the San Pedro shelf.) (The corresponding characters for my specimen from Bight98 station 2208 are listed in { } brackets. That specimen is ~60 setiger anterior fragment with a maximum width of 1.8mm.)

1. Prostomium broadly triangular with long peristomium twice the length of the prostomium.
{same with several pseudoannulations to peristome}
2. Eyes absent. {same}
3. Tentacular filaments in two dense patches on setiger 6.
{same}
4. Branchiae first present from setiger 1 located just dorsal to the notosetae; branchiae absent from posterior setigers.
{same}
5. Both fascicles of anterior parapods with capillaries.
{same}
6. Neuropodial spines from setiger 10 with 1-2 per fascicle increasing to 4. {same}
7. Notopodial spines from setiger 24. {from setiger 22}
8. All spines a translucent yellow. {same}
9. Methyl green stain pattern consisting of very light speckling in thin bands across each segment. {same}

Illustrations:**Related Species & Other Comments:**

See the *Cirriformia specimen character summary* table email attachment provided by Leslie Harris and sent by the SCCWRP Listserver on May 21, 1999.

References: