

CITY OF SAN DIEGO VOUCHER SHEET

SPECIES: Ampelisca romigi

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AUTHORITY: J.L. Barnard 1954

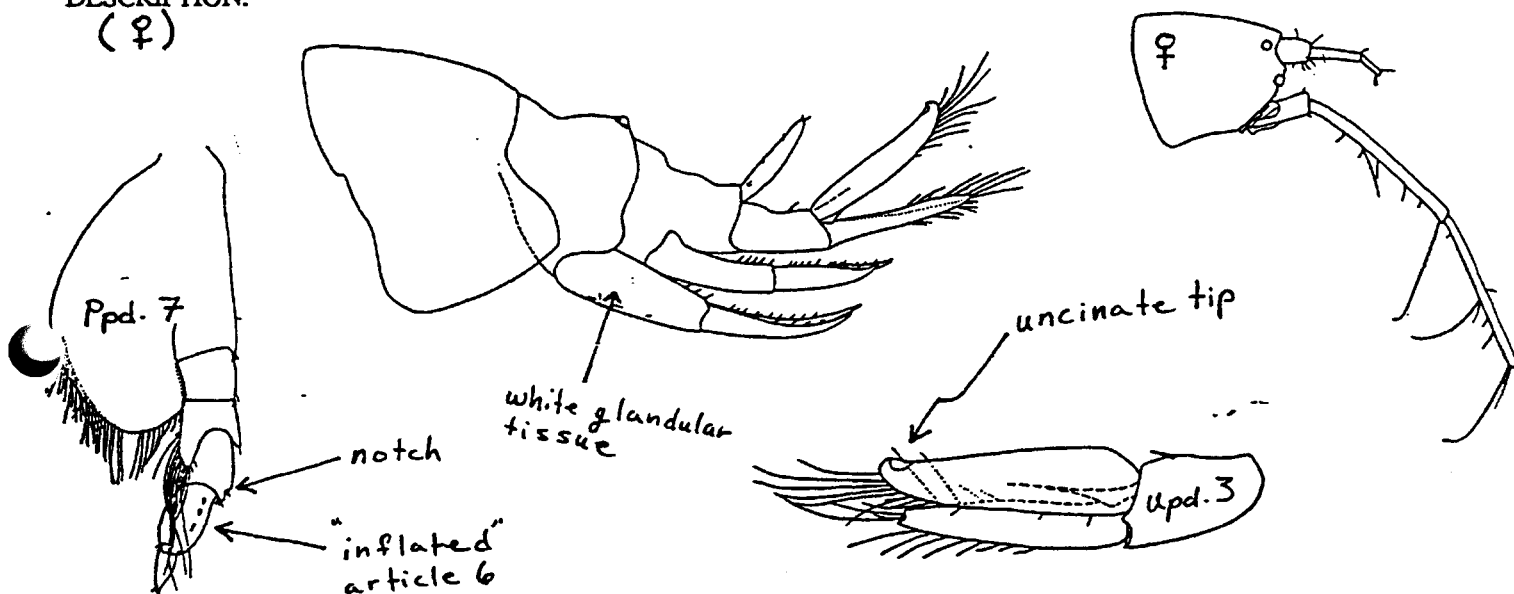
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CHARACTERS:

1. Uropod 3 distinct: inner ramus uncinata; slightly longer than outer ramus.
2. Rami and peduncle of uropod 1 subequal in length
3. White glandular tissue obvious in peduncle of uropod 1.
4. Peraeopod 7: article 4 longer than article 3 with pronounced posterior lobe; article 5 with notch in distal anterior edge; article 6 longer than article 5 and expanded ("inflated"); article 7 shorter than article 5

DESCRIPTION:

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HABITAT OR STATION INFORMATION:

Stn. B13 (Rep 2): 11 Apr 1994, 380 Ft (Coarse sediments)

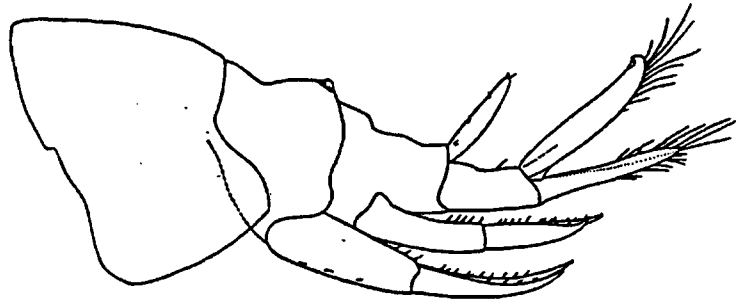
OTHER COMMENTS:

Similar to and easily mistaken for Ampelisca agassizi. Both species have white glandular tissue on the uropod 3 peduncle and lack an acute tooth on the lower posterior corner of epimeron 3. Ampelisca romigi can be distinguished from A. agassizi by the shape of the 1st and 3rd uropods and the characteristic of peraeopod 7 (see next page for comparison).

REFERENCES:

Barnard, J.L. (1954). Amphipoda of the Family Ampeliscidae collected in the eastern Pacific Ocean by the Velero III and Velero IV. Allan Hancock Pac. Exped., 18(1): 1-137

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