

LUIDIA CHARACTER TABLE

#	CHARACTER	armata	astheno	foliol
1	aboral color uniform dark red	-	x	-
2	aboral color uniform gray w/white spots	-	-	x
3	aboral color blotchy purple, white, gray & brown	x	-	-
4	animal flimsy, felt-like, endoskeleton weak	-	x	-
5	animal substantial, endoskeleton strong	x	-	x
6	lateral (inferomarginal) spines long (>1/3 arm width)	-	x	-
7	lateral (inferomarginal) spines short (<1/4 arm width)	x	-	x
8	marginal paxillae stellate, w/ oval, slightly convex tabulum	-	x	-
9	marginal paxillae quadrate, w/rectangular, flat tabulum	x	-	x
10	marginal paxillae w/tabulum spines long, thin, of varied length	-	x	-
11	marginal paxillae w/tabulum spines short, flattened, length uniform	x	-	x
12	pedicellaria present	x	x	-
13	aboral pedicellaria present	-x	x	-
14	actinial intermediate plate pedicellaria present	x	-	-
15	inferomarginal plate pedicellaria present	x	-	-
16	lateral intermediate plate pedicellaria present	x	-	-
17	lateral spines restricted to oral edge of ray	x	-	x
18	lateral spines extend along lateral face of ray	-	x	-

x = character present

- = character absent

-x = character weakly or sometimes present