

Character	<i>Aoroides inermis</i>	<i>Aoroides intermedius</i>	<i>Aoroides spinosus</i>	<i>Aoroides exilis</i>	<i>Aoroides columbiae</i>
Body Pigmentation	Speckle conc. post. seg.	Evenly spaced spots	Lgt brwn/ diffuse speckle	Dark banded/Saddleback	Dark banded/Saddleback
Antennae 2 Setation	Moderate/Strongly Setose	Strongly Setose	Poorly Setose	Poor/ Moderate Setose	Strongly Setose
Antennae 2 Flagellum	Red Banded	Red Banded	Not Red Banded	Not Red Banded	Not Red Banded
Maxilliped	Smooth teeth	Weakly serrate/w/0-2 cusps	Serrate teeth w/2-3 cusps	Serrate teeth w/2-4 cusps	Serrate teeth w/1-4 cusps
G1 Coxa	Broad	Broad	Broad	Broad	Broad
G1 Basis	Long Setae @ Ischium	Long Setae @ Ischium	Tiny Setae @ Ischium	^{NO} Long Setae @ Ischium	Long Setae @ Ischium
G1 Ischium	Bare	Posterior Setal Bundle	Posterior Setal Bundle	Tiny Post. Setal Bundle	Posterior Setal Bundle
G1 Merus	Ant. & Lat. Margins Bare	Ant. & Lat. Margins Bare	Ant. & Lat. Margins Bare	Ant. & Lat. Margins Bare	Ant. & Lat. Margins Bare
G1 Carpus	Fine Setae Ant./Lat Bare	Ant. Bare/Fine Setae Lat.	Fine Setae Ant./ Lat. Bare	Fine Setae Ant./Lat. Bare	Ant. Bare/ 1 Lat. Bundle
G1 Propodus	5 -7 Long Tufts Laterally	Small clumps Laterally	5 -7 Long Tufts Laterally	Fine Setae Ant./Lat. Bare	5 - 7 Long Tufts Laterally
G1 Dactyl	Toothed	Toothed	Toothed	Toothed	Toothed
Uropod 3 outer rami	Bare	Bare	1 - 3 strong spines	2 - 3 strong spines	Bare

(Not common)

Distinguishing Characters for Females of Eastern Pacific Species in the Genus *Aoroides*