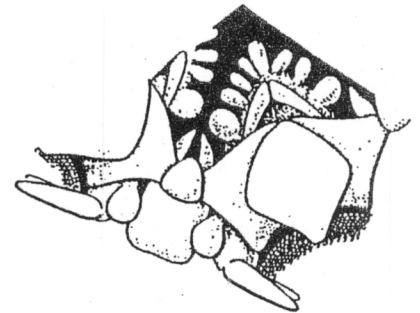


# CLASS OPHIUROIDEA

## Order Ophiurida

### Family Ophionereidae

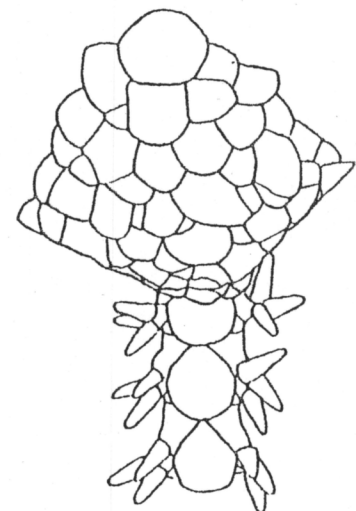
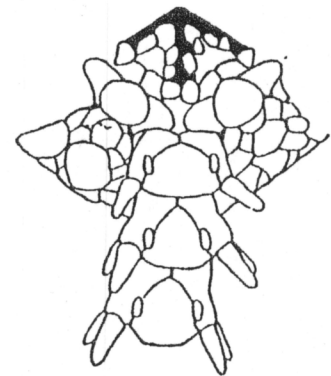
#### *Ophionereis annulata*



### General Description:

Character	<i>Ophionereis annulata</i>
Pattern of Aboral Disk	Many sclaes flattened disc
Radial Shield Pattern	N/A
Pattern of Oral Disk	scaled
Hyaline Forks	No
Arm Insertion to Disk	Inserted to disc
Number of Oral Papillae	4
Arrangement of Papillae	All tubular and clubshaped
Infradental Papillae	1
Oral Shield Pattern	spade
Adoral Shield Spine	Yes
Tooth Pattern	Club shaped
Number of Tentacle Spines	N/A
Pattern of Tentacle Spines	N/A.
Number of Tentacle Scales	1 scale
Pattern of Dorsal (top) Tentacle	Teardrop
Pattern of Ventral (bottom) Tentacle	Teardrop
Cushion btwn Tentacle Plates	Slightly
Color of Animal Preserved	N/A

Figure 19. *Ophionereis annulata*.



juvenile