Class: Bivalvia

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Order: Mytiloida

Family: Mytilidae

Genus: Musculus

*Musculus niger*

Species: Musculus niger

Common name: Black Mussel

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| ~PHOTO1~ | ~PHOTO2~ |
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Distinguishing features: Tasty

Colour: Black

Size: Small

Distribution: West Coast

Similar species:

References:

Class: Malacostraca

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Order: Decapoda

Family:

Genus:

*Anomura*

Species:

Common name: hermit crabs

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|  | ~PHOTO2~ |
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Distinguishing features: Little crabs that eats cigarette buds

Colour: Red

Size: Tiny

Distribution: Durban

Similar species:

References:

Class: Malacostraca

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Order: Decapoda

Family: Palaemonidae

Genus: Macrobrachium

*Macrobrachium lar*

Species: Macrobrachium lar

Common name: monkey river shrimp

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| ~PHOTO1~ | ~PHOTO2~ |
| ~PHOTO3~ | ~PHOTO4~ |

Distinguishing features: Cute shrimps with hands and feet

Colour: Yellow

Size: Miniscule

Distribution: False bay

Similar species:

References: