

**Zooplankton.**

**Sheet 55.**

**SIPHONOPHORA**

**SUB-ORDER: CALYCOPHORAE**

**Family: Diphyidae**

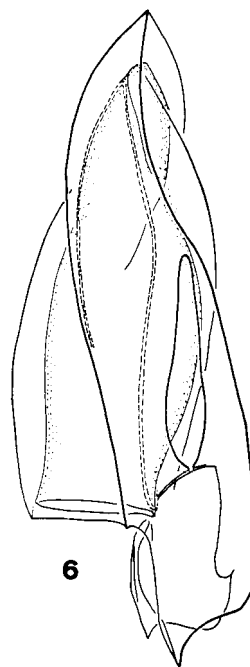
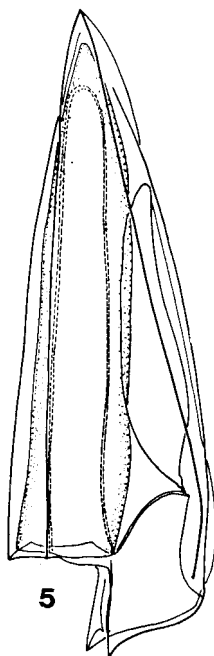
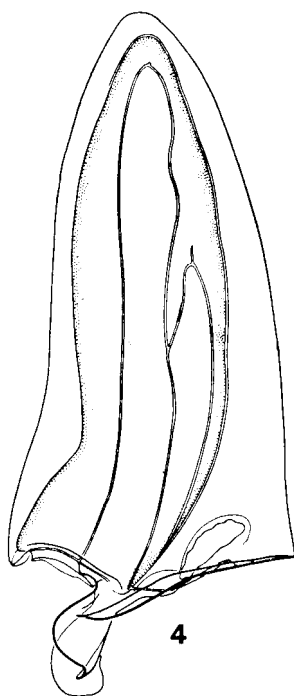
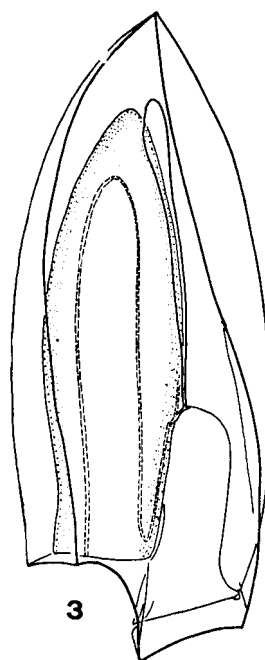
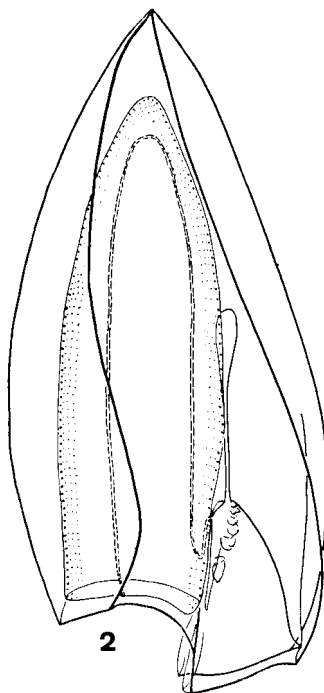
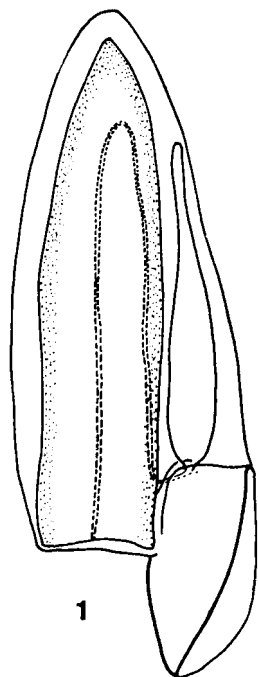
**GENERA: DIMOPHYES, MUGGIAEA**

**SULCULEOLARIA, CHELOPHYES**

**EUDOXOIDES**

**(By A. K. Totton and J. H. Fraser)**

**1955.**



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| 1. <i>Dimophyes arctica</i> . | 4. <i>Sulcoleolaria biloba</i> .     |
| 2. <i>Muggiaea kochi</i> .    | 5. <i>Chelophyes appendiculata</i> . |
| 3. <i>M. atlantica</i> .      | 6. <i>Eudoxides spiralis</i> .       |

(Figure 4 from T o t t o n, 1954; remainder original).

## Family DIPHYIDAE

Some genera of Calycophorae in which the heteromorph larval nectophore is caducous. In *Sulculeolaria* spp. there may be a succession of four definitive nectophores; in *Chelophyes*, *Dimophyes* and *Eudoxoides* a succession of two; and in *Muggiæa* only one definitive nectophore. In *Sulculeolaria* the eudoxids are not freed till sexual maturity, if freed at all, and are not known in a free state, whilst in *Dimophyes* they appear to be freed early on.

Species	Number of ridges on anterior bell	Hydroecium	Somatocyst	Basal wing	Inferior bell
1. <i>Dimophyes arctica</i> (Chun)	Absent	Deep, open at ventral side	Long and fusiform	Single	Present
2. <i>Muggiæa kochi</i> (Will)	5	Deep	Half length of nectosac	Divided, corners not produced	Absent
3. <i>Muggiæa atlantica</i> Cunningham	5	Deep	Whole length of nectosac	Divided, corners not produced	Absent
4. <i>Sulculeolaria biloba</i> (Sars)	Absent	Very shallow	Very short and ovate	Two distinct lamellæ	Present
5. <i>Chelophyes appendiculata</i> (Eschscholtz)	5 at base, one very short leaving 4 at apex	Medium	Large and fusiform	Divided, corners not greatly produced	Present
6. <i>Eudoxoides spiralis</i> (Bigelow)	5, spirally twisted	Medium	Half length of nectosac	Divided, corners distinctly produced	Absent
<i>Lensia</i> spp. (see following sheet, No. 56)	5 or more	Very shallow	Varies	Divided, corners not produced	Present

(A separate sheet will deal with the sub-family Chuniphyinae).

### Further Information on Identification

1. *Dimophyes arctica*: Chun, 1897, p. 20, Pl. 1, Figs. 1—5; Moser, 1925, Pl. 26, Figs. 1—9.
2. *Muggiæa kochi*: Chun, 1882, p. 1155, Pl. 17 (as *Monophyes primordialis*, *Muggiæa kochii* and *Eudoxia eschscholtzii*); Moser, 1925, p. 100, Pl. 1, Fig. 1.
3. *Muggiæa atlantica*: Cunningham, 1892, p. 212, Figs. 1—2; Bigelow, 1911, p. 187, Pl. 7, Fig. 1; Pl. 9, Figs. 7—8; Moser, 1925, Pl. 1, Fig. 5; Russell, 1938, p. 441, Figs. 1—6.
4. *Sulculeolaria biloba*: Sars, 1846, Pl. 7, Figs. 16—21 (as *Diphyes biloba*); Bigelow, 1911, Pl. 5, Figs. 8, 9, 9 bis (as *Galeolaria australis*, this is the *Galettia biloba* or *G. australis* of several recent authors); Totton, 1954, Discovery Rep., Vol. XXVII, Figs. 49—51.
5. *Chelophyes appendiculata*: Bigelow, 1911, p. 248, Pl. 7, Figs. 5—6, Pl. 8, Figs. 7—8, Pl. 9, Fig. 6, Pl. 10, Fig. 6, Pl. 11, Fig. 1 (as *Diphyes appendiculata*) non Fig. 9, Pl. 11 (— *Eudoxoides mitra*).
6. *Eudoxoides spiralis*: Bigelow, 1911, p. 249, Pl. 7, Fig. 4, Pl. 8, Figs. 1—2, Pl. 9, Fig. 3, Pl. 11, Fig. 4 (as *Diphyes spiralis*); Moser, 1925, Pl. 1, Figs. 6—11 (as *Muggiæa spiralis*); Totton, 1932, Fig. 30.

### Distribution

Species  
(Species in brackets occur only exceptionally)

Gulf of Bothnia .....	—
Gulf of Finland .....	—
Baltic proper .....	—
Belt Sea .....	—
Kattegat .....	—
Skagerak .....	—
Northern North Sea .....	1, 4, 5
Southern North Sea .....	—
English Channel (eastern) .....	—
English Channel (western) .....	2, 3
Bristol Channel and Irish Sea .....	2, 3
South and West Ireland and Atlantic ..	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6
Faroe Shetland Area .....	1, (3), 4, 5, (6)
Faroe Iceland Area .....	1, (4), (5)
Norwegian Sea .....	1, (4), (5)
Barents Sea .....	1

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