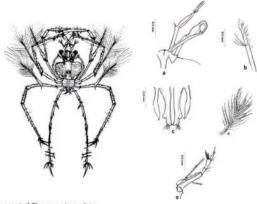
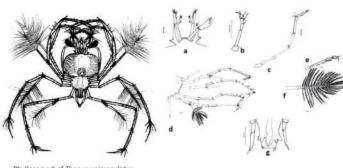
## Larval and post-larval stages of Thenus unimaculatus (Burton & Davie 2007)



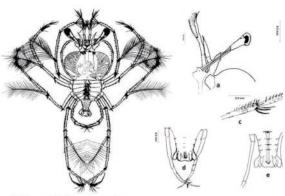
Phyllosoma I of Thenus unimaculatus

- a. cephalic shield with antenna, antennule and unsegmented eyestalk
- b. dactylus of III maxilliped
- c. abdomen and rudimentary fifth pereiopod of advanced phyllosoma I
- d. natatory setae on exopod of pereiopod I
- e. II maxilla and III maxilliped



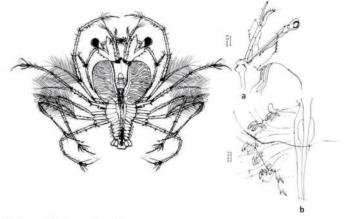
Phyllosoma II of Thenus unimaculatus

- a. cephalic shield with antenna, antennule and eyestalk
- b. II maxilliped
- c. III maxilliped
- d. thorax with pereiopods
- e. dactylus of pereiopod
- f. natatory setae on exopod of pereiopod I
- g. abdomen with pereiopod V



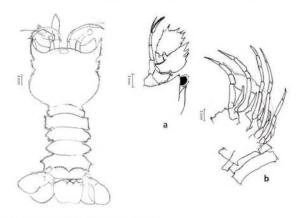
Phyllosoma III of Thenus unimaculatus

- a. cephalic shield with antenna, antennule and eyestalk
- b. II maxilliped
- c. III maxilliped
- d. abdomen with pereiopod V
- e. abdomen with small nodes of pleopod buds visible in the advanced stages



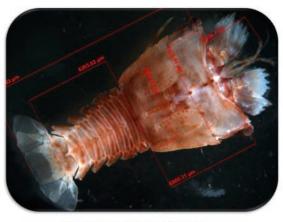
Phyllosoma IV of Thenus unimaculatus

- a, cephalic shield with antenna, antennule and eyestalk
- b. thoracic region with gill buds (peraeiopods I-V ) in the coxal region and pleopod buds on 
  bdomen



Nisto of Thenus unimaculatus (newly emerged – day 1)

- a. cephalic shield of advanced nisto with well developed antenna, antennule and eyestalk
- b. ventral sternum



First settled seed of Thenus unimaculatus





