

in) Lernaeascus, Lernaeopodoida-Aphelachneriadae
valid.
Claus, 1886, L. nematoxys.

Syn. Lernaeascus Claus, 1886, p. 231.

Λέρνη and ασκός = a bladder or bag.

Male. Well segmented, thickset, with broad, scale-like dorsal projections. Fourth & fifth abdominal segments fused inter se. Mouthparts with stylet-formed mandibles, without the second max'ls.

Female. Nematode-like, with a double row of dorsal & ventral scale-like skin-projections. The claw-antennae separated by quite a distance. Mouth-parts with an epipharyngeal beak and cheliform max'ls in a deeply excavated pit. The 3 pairs of thorax legs very tiny rudiments.

(Claus. 1887.)

PHILICHTHYIDAE - POECILOSTOMATOIDA

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Lernaeascus

- Izawa, 1973, p. 84
- ESSAFI + RAIBAUT 1980: 357
- CASTRO ROMERO 1994a: 13-

Lernaeascus nematoxys, Claus, ♀.

— —, Claus, 1886, p. 231.

— —, — —, 1887^a, p. 281; pl. XIV, figs. 1-12.
pl. XV, figs. 13-24; pl. XVI, figs. 25-32.

— — Claus, 1887^b, p. 241.

— —, Delamare Deboutteville 1962, p. 43, fig. 17

Host, Solea monochir,

L. NEMATOXIS, KAZACHENKO 1994: 42, FIG. 9B

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Lernaeus nematoxys Claus, 1886

--, Kabata, 1970, fig. 64, 65, p. 76

-- IZAWA 1987: 153-