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Poecilostomatoida ~~Leptocarpodoida~~ ①
Chondracanthidae. -
POEC.

Strabax, valid.

Nordmann, 1864, S. monstruosus.

Syn. Strabax, Nordmann, 1864, p. 477.

Στραβός = distorted.

Στράβαξ was an oficer Athenians under
Iphicrates - Dem., 482, 25: etc.

Female, Head oblong, about $\frac{2}{5}$ v entire length, considerably wider than v middle thorax, with six knob-like swellings, 2 at v ant' margin, v same size + close together, but not quite touching - 2 on v ventral surface just behind v mouth, smaller but similarly arranged, v other 2 on v dorsal surface at v post' end "head unequal in size - v right one larger and placed farther back. Body elongated, widening posteriorly, where it gives off on either side four finger-like processes. Abdomen pyriform, $\frac{1}{3}$ as long as v processes. Appendages lacking.

Male a pigmy, distinctly segmented, and provided with limbs.

(Nordmann, 1864) Length 20 mm.

STRABAX VON NORDMANN, 1864

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- Ho 1970: 202, DIAGNOSIS

- Ho 1994: 514

Strabax monstrosus, Nordmann, ♂♀. 0

— —, Nordmann, 1864, p. 478: pl. V, figs. 1-10.

— —, Valle, 1882, p. 247.

— —, Carus, 1885, p. 373 includes in Ternaeidae

— —, B. Smith, 1899, p. 490.

-- KABATA 1986: 7, NAME

Host. Tongue of Scorpaëna porcus and
S. scropha.

Mediterranean.

— —, Brian, 1899⁷, p. 6.

— —, Brian, 1908, p. 17.

— —, Brian, 1912, p. 33; pl. 5, figs. 445; pl. 8, figs. 748

-- --, Nunes-Ruivo, 1953, pp. 4-6, figs. 2-3..

--, Kabata, 1970, fig. 33

-- DELAMARE DEBOUTTEVILLE + NUNES-RUIVO 1958:
231, FIG. II, ON SCORPAENA SCROFA, BANYULS, FRANCE

Strabax monstrosus Nordmann, 1864

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--, Ho, 1972, p. 147

-- KENSLEY & GRINDLEY 1973:121

-- Capart, 1959:112

-- Ho 1970:202-206, FIGS. 262-271,

REDESCRIPTION, EX SCORPAENODES GUAMENSIS,

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