

PANARTHROPODA

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VELVET WORMS

• PHYLUM ONYCHOPHORA

- Have characters similar to annelids and arthropods
 - however, not closely related to annelids! closely related to arthropods!
- Have segments with no septa, unjointed limbs, antennae, mandibles, chitin, exoskeleton
- Use metanephridia for excretion, one in each segment
- Use tracheal system with spiracles for respiration
- Have hydrostatic skeleton, move like worms
- Lay eggs (no larval stage)



ARTHROPODS

• PHYLUM ARTHROPODA

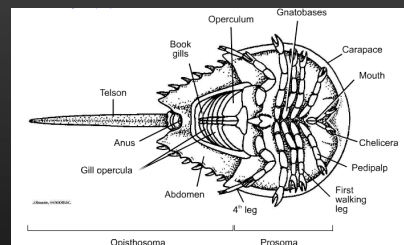
- Hard, chitinous exoskeleton
- Segmented, jointed appendages
- Extensive tagmatization

• SUBPHYLUM TRILOBITA

- All extinct, among oldest complex
- animal fossils found

• SUBPHYLUM CHELICERATA

- Two main body regions (tagma)
 - prosoma – cephalothorax
 - opisthosoma – abdomen
- No antennae, compound and simple eyes (ocelli), chemosensory organs
- Six pairs of limbs: 1st 2 are mouthparts: chelicerae and pedipalps
- Next four are walking limbs (i.e. spiders have eight legs)
- book gills or book lungs are respiratory structures
- Some species have tracheal system as well or exclusively



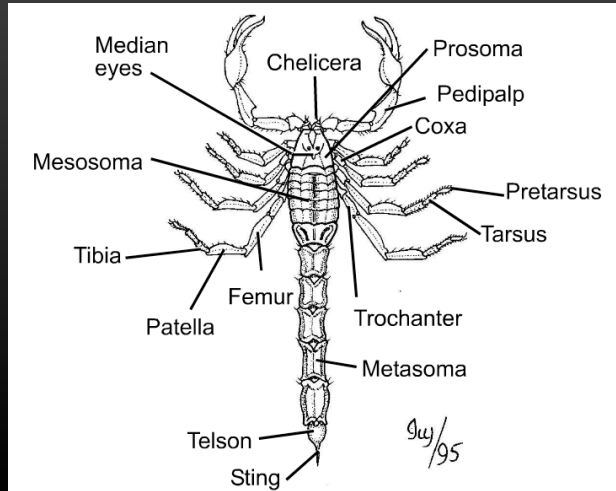
• CLASS MEROSTOMATA (HORSESHOE CRABS)

- Marine with book gills, chelicerae manipulate food, pedipalps not well-defined
- Telson modified into long spike
- Antibiotic blood

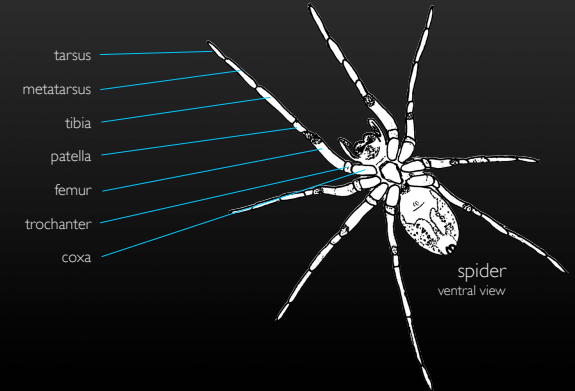
• CLASS ARACHNIDA (SCORPIONS, SPIDERS, TICKS, AND MITES)

- ORDER SCORPIONIDA (scorpions)
 - Book lungs, chelicerae tear up food, pedipalps modified into pincers
 - Pre-abdomen and post abdomen (tail)
 - Pectines (belly combs) - mechano and chemo reception
 - females use this structure to pick up sperm packet for reproduction
 - Telson is modified as stinger (bulb = vesicle, barb = aculus), contains neurotoxic venom

Scorpion anatomy



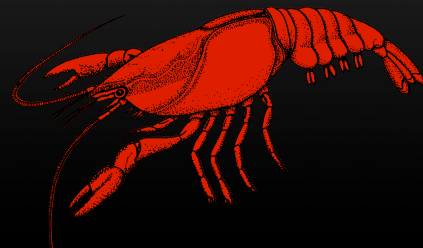
- ORDER ARANEAE (spiders)
 - Book lungs with tracheal system as well
 - Chelicerae with "fangs" (cheliceral teeth), pedipalps used in reproduction (males – bulbous, females – small and straight)
 - Spinnerets produce webs (very strong substances, modified for many uses)
- ORDER ACARI (ticks and mites)
 - No lungs, just tracheal system, parasitic with sucking mouthparts



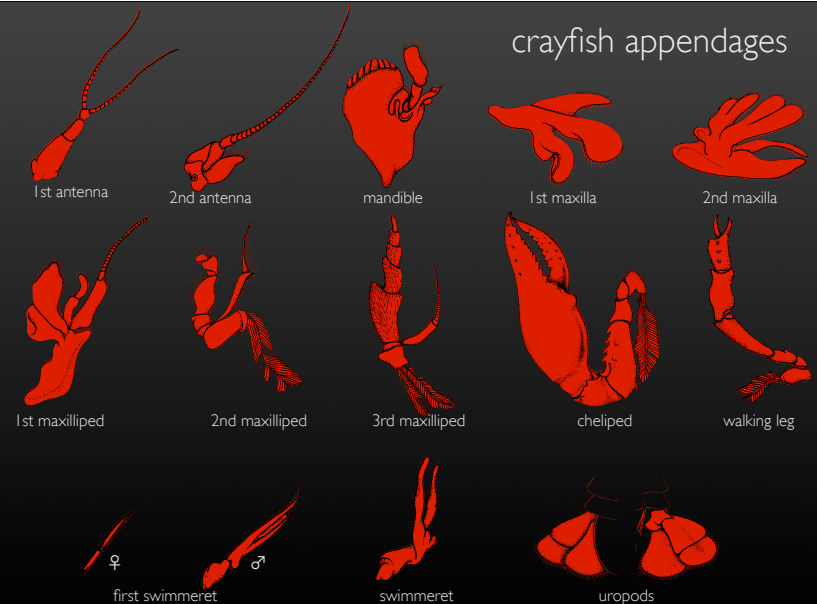
CRUSTACEANS

• PHYLUM ARTHROPODA - SUBPHYLUM CRUSTACEA

- Mostly aquatic, some terrestrial
- 3 body regions – head, thorax, and abdomen
- Stalked compound eyes
- Biramous limbs – outer part=exopodite, inner part=endopodite, used to walk, swim, feed, fight, respire, clean gills, etc.
- branchiostegite gills - derived from appendages
- Two antennae
- tough chitinous exoskeleton with calcium carbonate
- Mandibles, maxillae, and maxillipeds



crayfish appendages

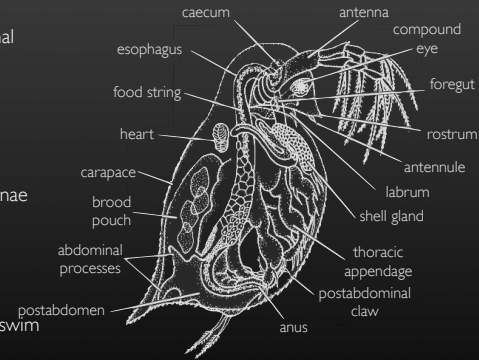


- CLASS BRANCHIOPODA

- Filter feeders, planktonic
- ORDER ANOSTRACA
 - Fairy shrimp, no abdominal limbs
 - Carapace like a shell
 - Nauplius larval stage
- ORDER CLADOCERA (DAPHNIA)
 - Bivalve, 2nd pair of antennae used for swimming

- CLASS OSTRACODA (OSTRACODS)

- Bivalve, benthic animals
- Use 1st pair of antennae to swim



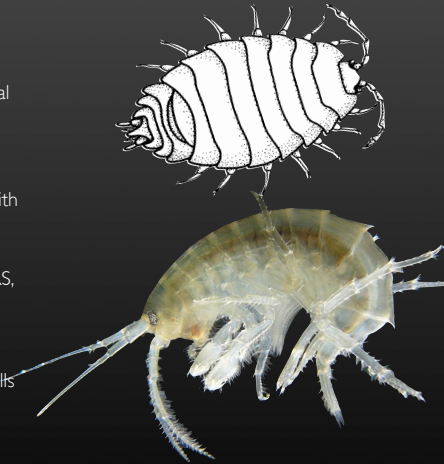
- CLASS MAXILLOPODA

- ORDER COPEPODA (COPEPODS)
 - Dorsally flattened
 - Use 1st pair of antennae to swim
 - most species retain nauplius eye – single, median simple eye
- ORDER CIRRIPIEDIA (BARNACLES)
 - Sessile, shell made totally of calcium carbonate
 - Planktonic larvae
 - Filter feeders



- CLASS MALACOSTRACA

- ORDER ISOPODA
 - Isopods (rolly pollies), terrestrial crustaceans
- ORDER AMPHIPODA
 - Some terrestrial, most aquatic
 - Have ancestral 19 segments with 19 pairs of limbs
 - No larval stage, brood eggs
- ORDER DECAPODA (LOBSTERS, SHRIMP, CRAYFISH, CRABS)
 - Many larval stages
 - Chelipeds (pincers) – even in shrimp – Boxing shrimp that kills with chelipeds
 - Variable levels of tagmatization



MYRIAPODS

- SUBPHYLUM MYRIAPODA

- CLASS CHILOPODA (CENTIPEDES)
 - Relatively untagmatized, 1 pair of limbs and spiracles per segment, simple eyes (some with compound eyes, some with no eyes)
 - Maxillipeds modified into fangs to inject venom (1st pair of limbs)
 - Secrete waste in form of ammonia, body is made of head capsule and trunk regions
 - Flattened when compared to millipedes, very successful predators
- CLASS DIPLOPODA (MILLIPEDES)
 - Diplosomatic
 - Each segment now has 2 pairs of limbs and spiracles
 - Simple eyes, detritivores, excrete ammonia, exoskeleton has CaCO₃ like crustaceans



HEXAPODS

• SUBPHYLUM HEXAPODA

- General characteristics of arthropods, plus:
 - unbranched limbs (uniramous)
 - distinct head
 - 1 pair of antennae
 - 1 pair of mandibles
 - 1 or 2 pairs of maxillae (2nd pair fused to form labium)
 - breathe via spiracles / tracheal system (some have "air pumps" in wing musculature)
 - malpighian tubules to excrete uric acid (conserves water)
- CLASS INSECTA (HEXAPODA)
 - Body divided into head, thorax, and abdomen (3 tagmata)
 - Thorax: 3 segments: 1st- pronotum with no wings, 2nd – mesonotum with 1 pair of wings, 3rd – metanotum with 2nd pair of wings
 - Wings can be highly modified in different species (grasshopper, beetle, fly)
 - 3 pairs of walking limbs
 - Abdomen has 11 segments ancestrally (no limbs on abdomen)

- Types of metamorphosis stages:
 - Hemimetabolous – gradual metamorphosis from larval to adult body forms
 - Holometabolous – major changes in larval forms: larvae-pupae-adult (seen in butterflies, bees, etc.)
 - ametabolous -- no metamorphosis (silverfish, earwigs, etc.)

