

The *ETY* Fish Project

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Series ZEIOGADARIA (cont.)

Subseries GADARIAE

derived from *Gadus*, i.e., Gadiformes, sister order of Stylephoriformes

Order STYLEPHORIFORMES

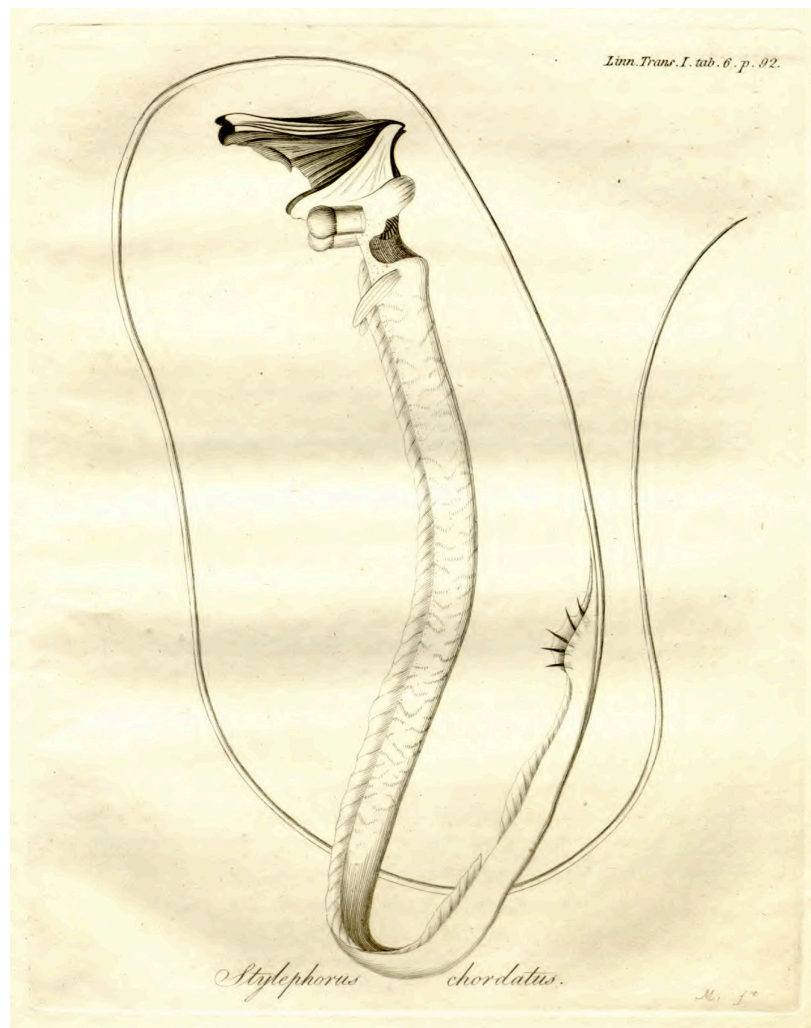
Family STYLEPHORIDAE Tube-eye

***Stylephorus* Shaw 1791**

stylus, a style or projecting part; *phorus*, bearer, referring to the “very singular figure and situation of the eyes,” which are large, telescopic and directed forwards or upwards

***Stylephorus chordatus* Shaw 1791**

with a chord or string, referring to the “extraordinary thread-like process of the tail,” i.e., an exceedingly long, cord-like appendage



Stylephorus chordatus. From: Shaw, G. 1791. Description of the *Stylephorus chordatus*, a new fish. *Transactions of the Linnean Society of London* 1791 [v. 1] (art. 7): 90-92, Pl. 6.