Key to Genera and Species of Decapod Larvae Present in Ungava Bay

(From observations and various authors. Tables 4–12)

Larvae of species shown in parentheses not taken in Ungava Bay

1.	backwardbackward backward and with large spines, abdomen siender, curved	2
	Carapace and abdomen elongate, shrimp-like	5
2.	Telson forked and without uropods; carapace with long rostral, posterior dorsal and lateral spines	3
	Telson truncate and with uropods in later stages; carapace with only a long rostral spine	4
3.	Zoea with about one-third of dorsal and rostral spines covered with minute spinules shorter than the width of the spine where attached (Hyas arane)	us)
	 Zoea with about one-third of dorsal and rostral spines covered with stout spinules longer than the width of the spine where attached	tus
4.	Antennal flagellum styliform(Pagurus acadiana	us)
	- Antennal flagellum bifid Pagurus pubesce	ns
5.	Abdomen with a dorsolateral spine on somites 4 and 5 or on somite 5 only	', 8
	- Abdomen without dorsolateral spine on any somite Pandalus	6
6.	Stages I and II Zoea about 6–7 mm in total length; Stages II and III with many setae on antennal scale and scaphognathite	alis
	 Stages I and II Zoea about 4–5 mm in total length; Stages II and III with few setae on antennal scale and scaphognathite Pandalus montage 	gui
7.	Dorsolateral spine on abdominal somite 5 only (not in Ungava Bay)	
	- Denticles on abdominal somites 4 and 5 (Pandalus propinqui	us)
	- Denticles on abdominal somites 3 and 4 (Dichelopandal	us)
8.	Exopods on some of the pereopods	9
	- No exopods on pereopods	13
9.	Exopods on first to third or first and second pereopods	
	- Exopods on first to third pereopods Eualus	10

	Exopods on first and second pereopods
10.	Total length of Stage I Zoea about 5 mm
	- Dorsolateral spines on abdominal somites 4 and 5 Eualus fabricii
	- Dorsolateral spines on abdominal somite 5 only Eualus gaimardi
11.	Total length of Stage I Zoea 3 mm or less
	- Total length of Stage I Zoea 3 mm; spines on telson 7+7 (Eualus macilentus)
	- Total length of Stage I Zoea 2 mm; spines on telson 6+6 (Eualus pusiolus)
12.	Exopods on first and second pereopods only
	 Stages I and II Zoea about 6–7 mm total length; many setae on anterior lobe of scaphognathite; centre pair of terminal spines of telson not much smaller than others Spirontocaris phippsi
	 Stages I and II Zoea less than 6 mm total length; relatively few setae on anterior lobe of scaphognathite; central pair of terminal spines on telson much smaller than others in Stages I–IV Spirontocaris spinus
13.	Very large Zoeae, Stages I and II about 9–11 mm or more in total length; chela of first pereopod pre-subchelate
	 Moderately large Zoeae, Stages I and II about 8–9 mm or less in total length; chela of first pereopod clearly chelate
14.	Terminal spines of telson 11 + 11 Lebbeus groenlandicus
	- Terminal spines of telson 9 + 9 Lebbeus polaris
15.	Pleopods well developed in Stage I Zoea; expansion present on outer edge of first article of antennule in Stage II
	 Pleopods not developed in Stages I or II Zoea; expansion lacking on outer edge of first article of antennule in Stage II
16.	Dorsolateral spine on abdominal somite 5 only
	- Dorsolateral spines on all abdominal somites