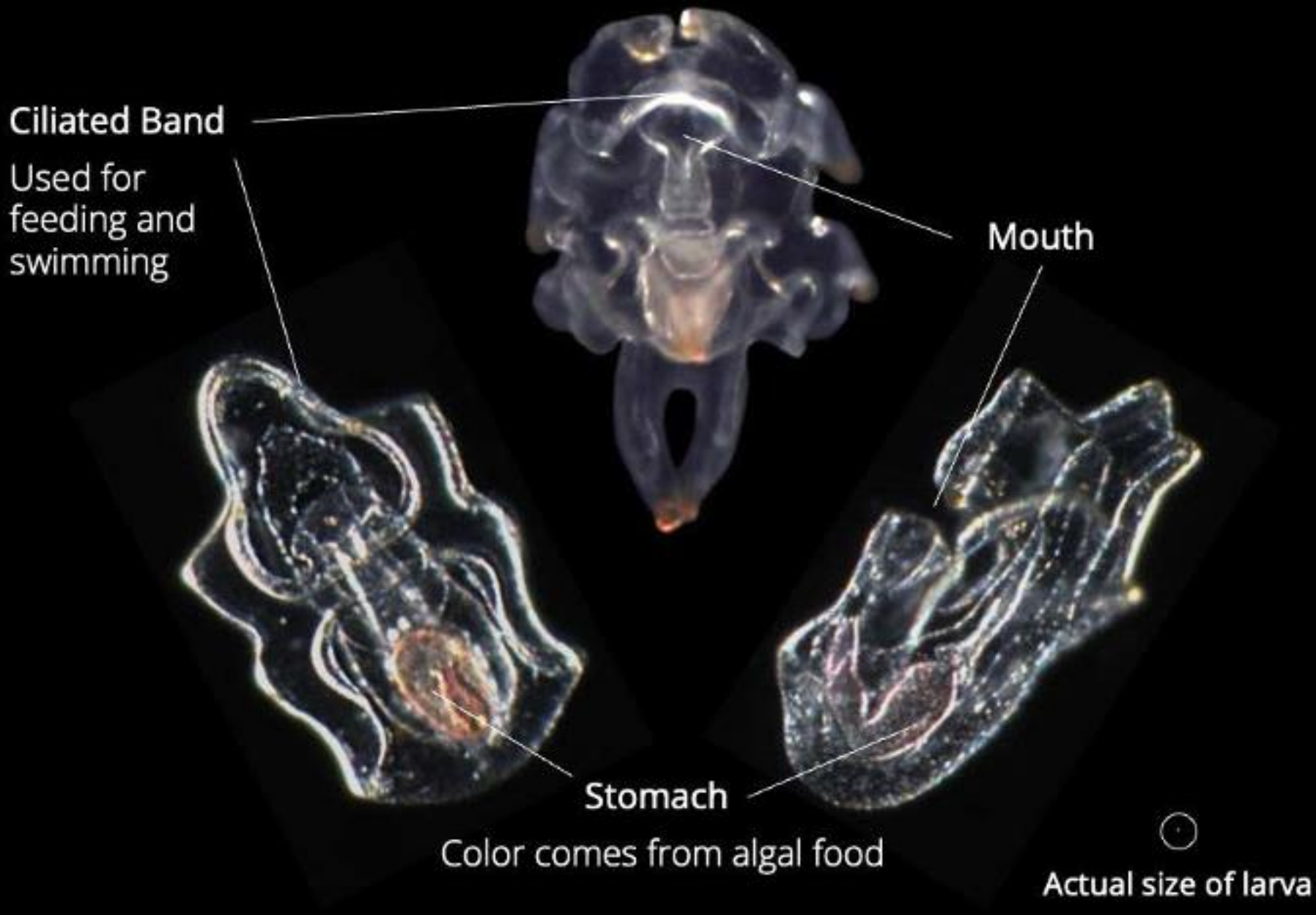
Bipinnaria

Plural: Bipinnarias

Sea star larva (baby)



Larvae of two different species shown at 100x magnification

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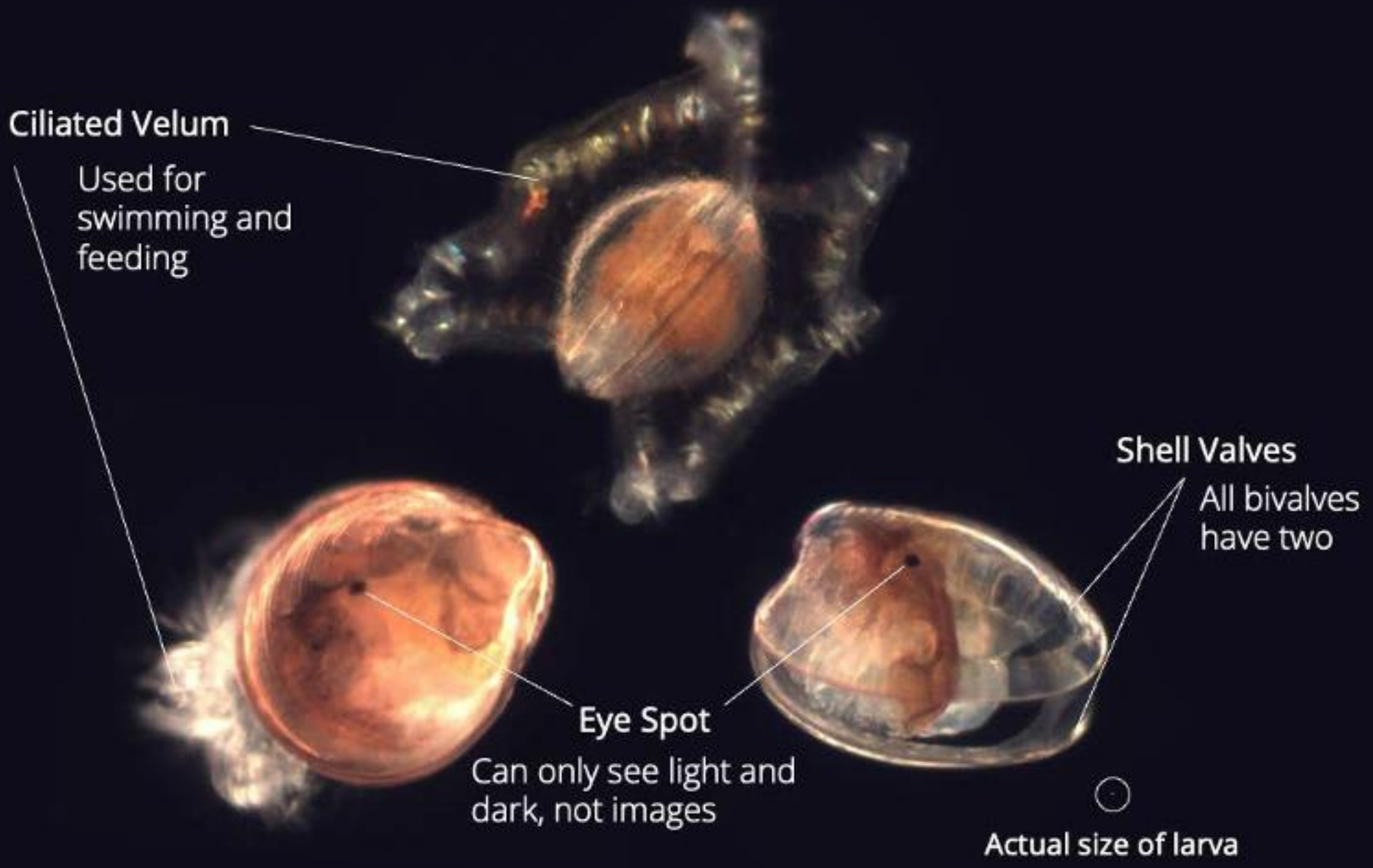
Bivalve Veliger

Plural: Bivalve Veligers

Clam, mussel, or oyster larva (baby)



Larvae of the same species shown at 160x magnification

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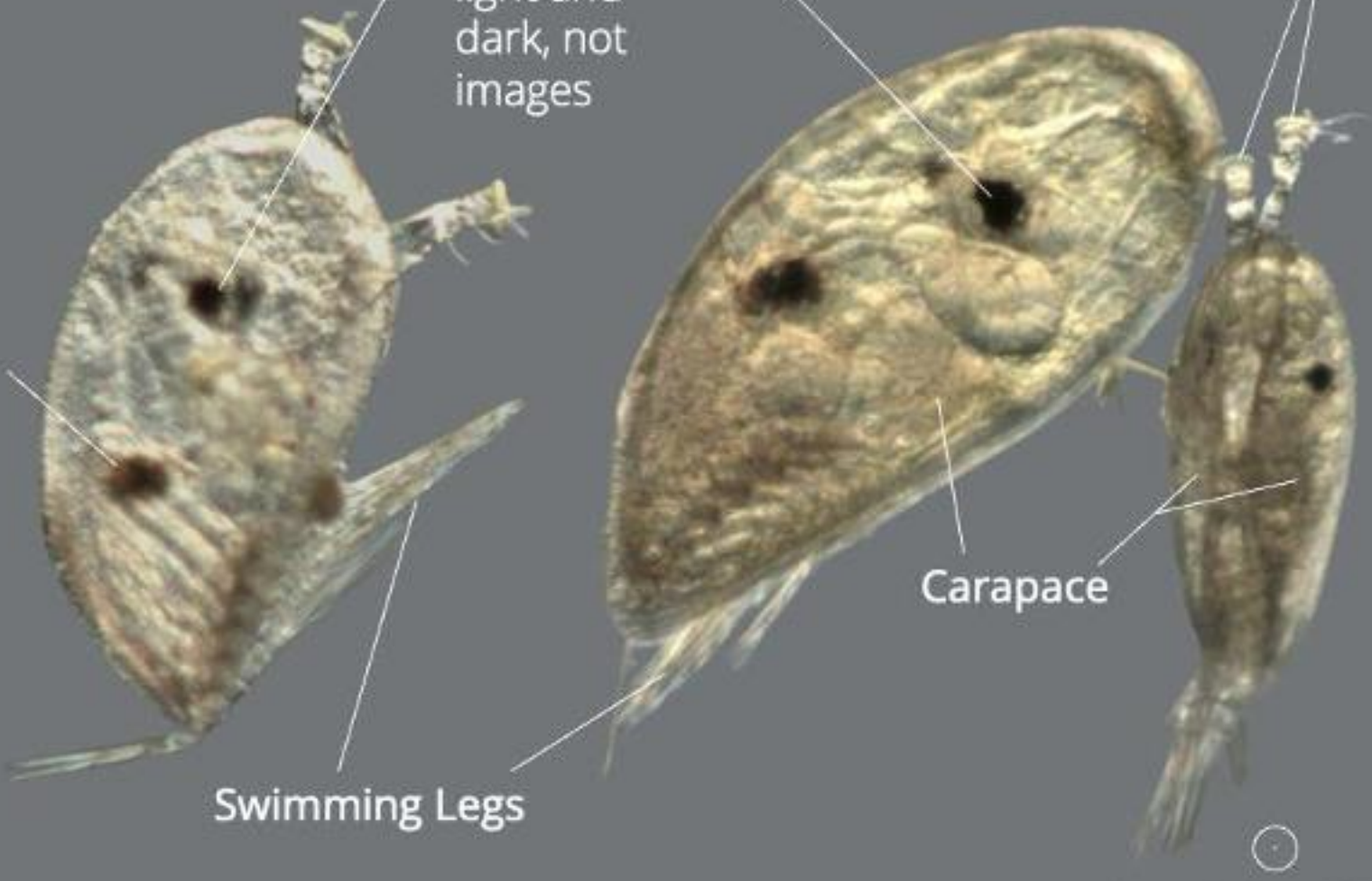
Cyprid

Plural: Cyprids

Barnacle larva (baby)



Larvae of the same species shown at 140x magnification

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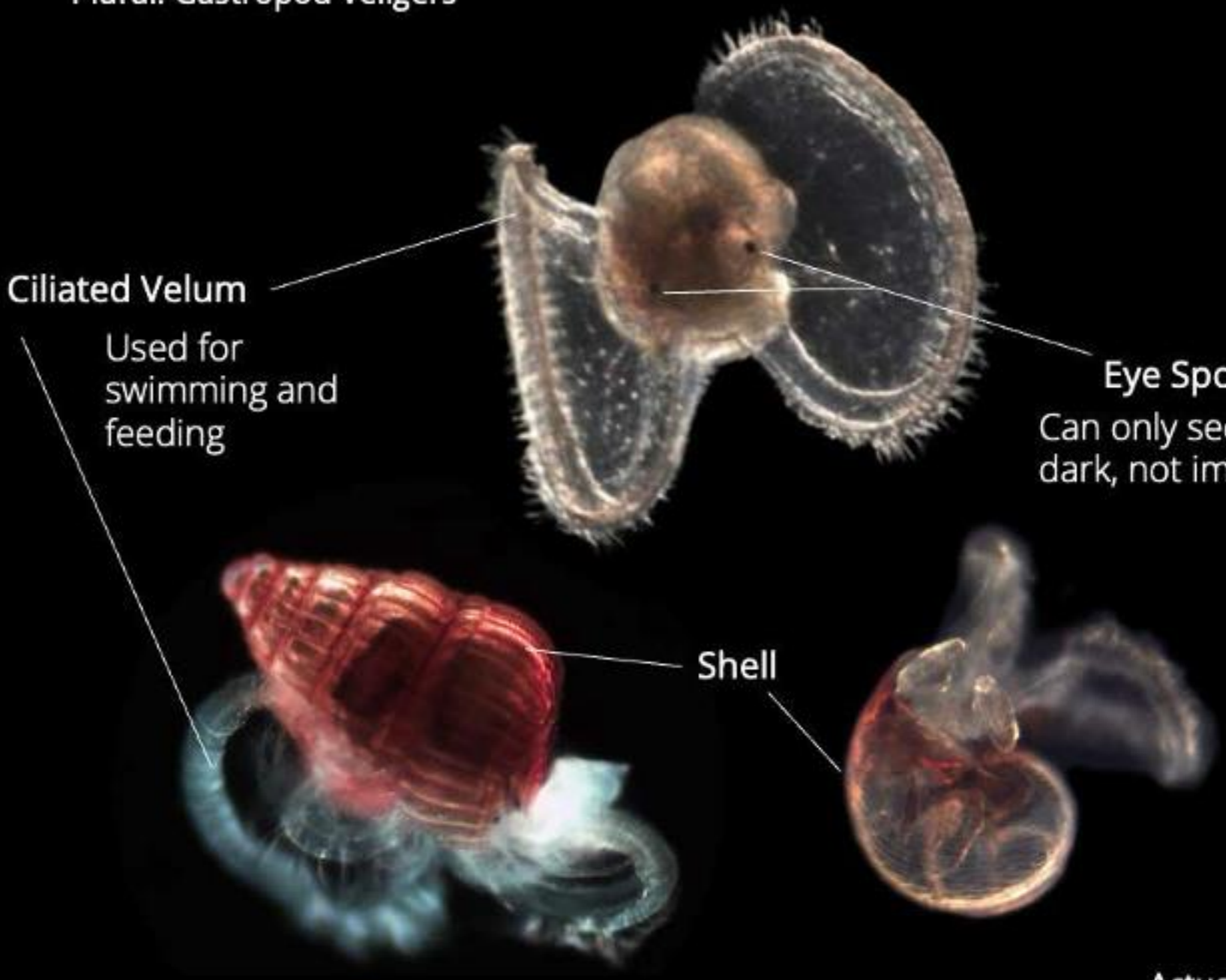
Gastropod Veliger

Plural: Gastropod Veligers

Sea snail and slug larva (baby)



Larvae of three different species shown at 140x magnification

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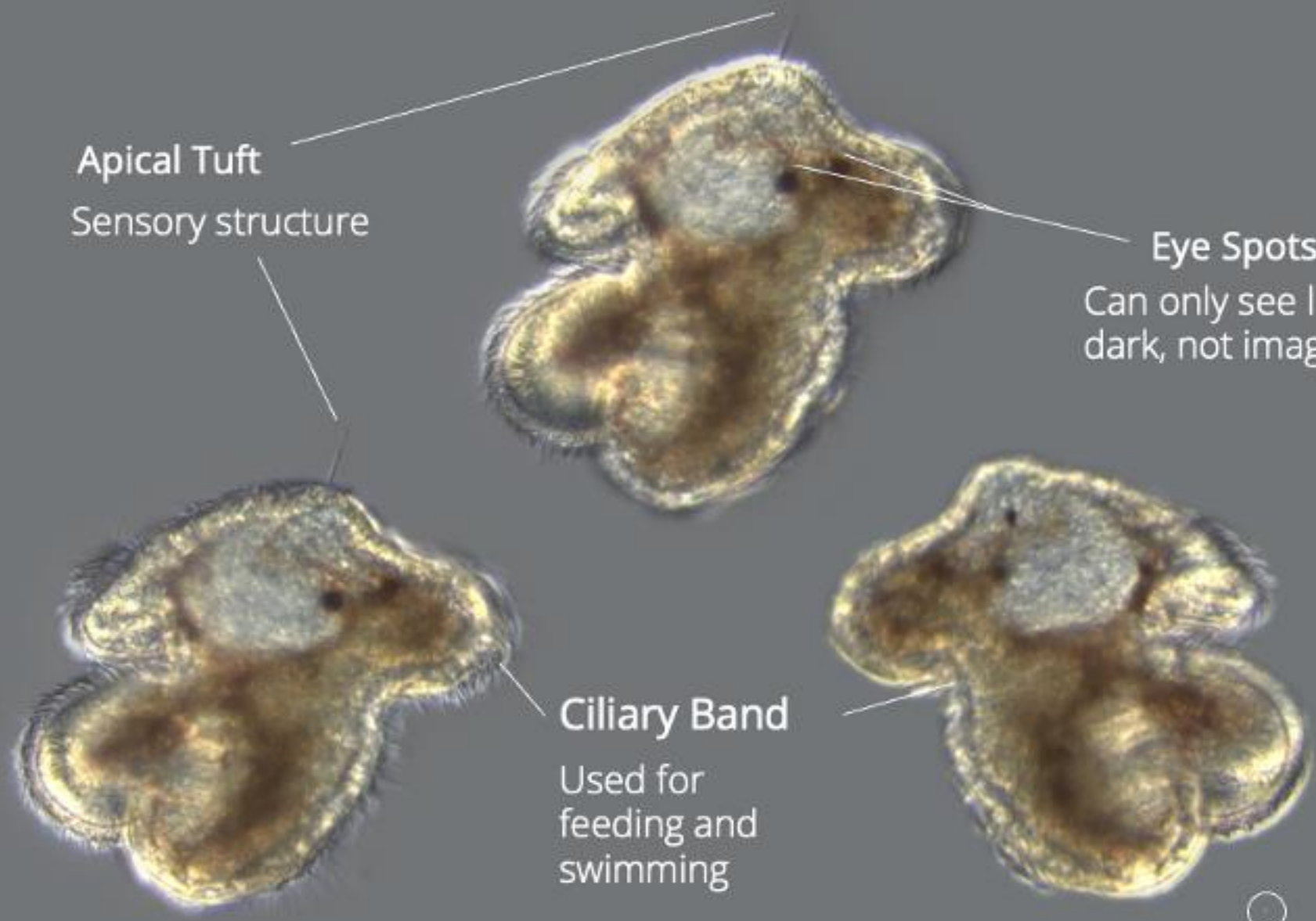
Müller's Larva

Flatworm larva (baby)

Plural: Müller's larvae



Larvae of the same species shown at 240x magnification

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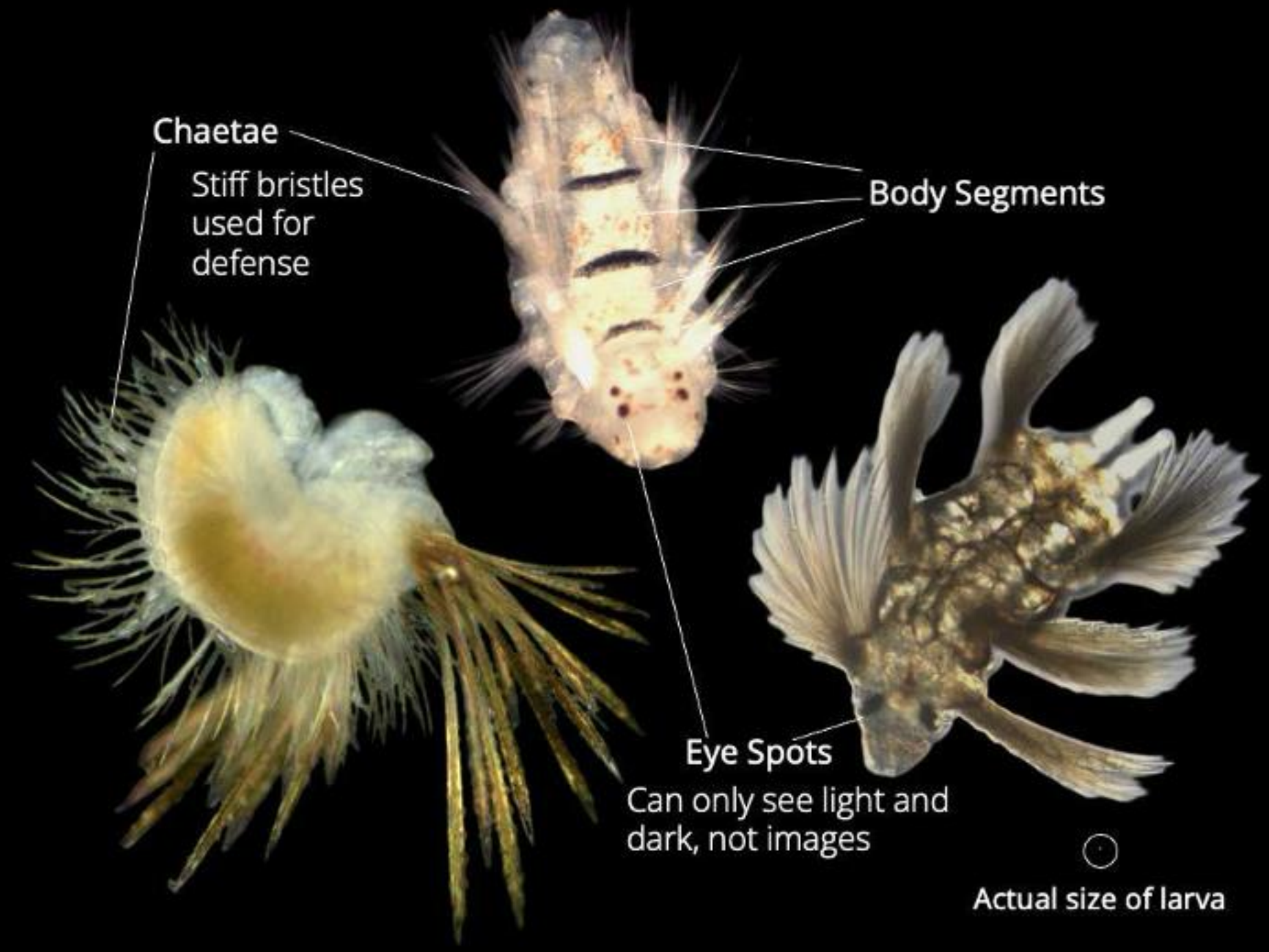
Nectochaete

Plural: Nectochaetes

Segmented worm larva (baby)



Larvae of three different species shown at 200x magnification

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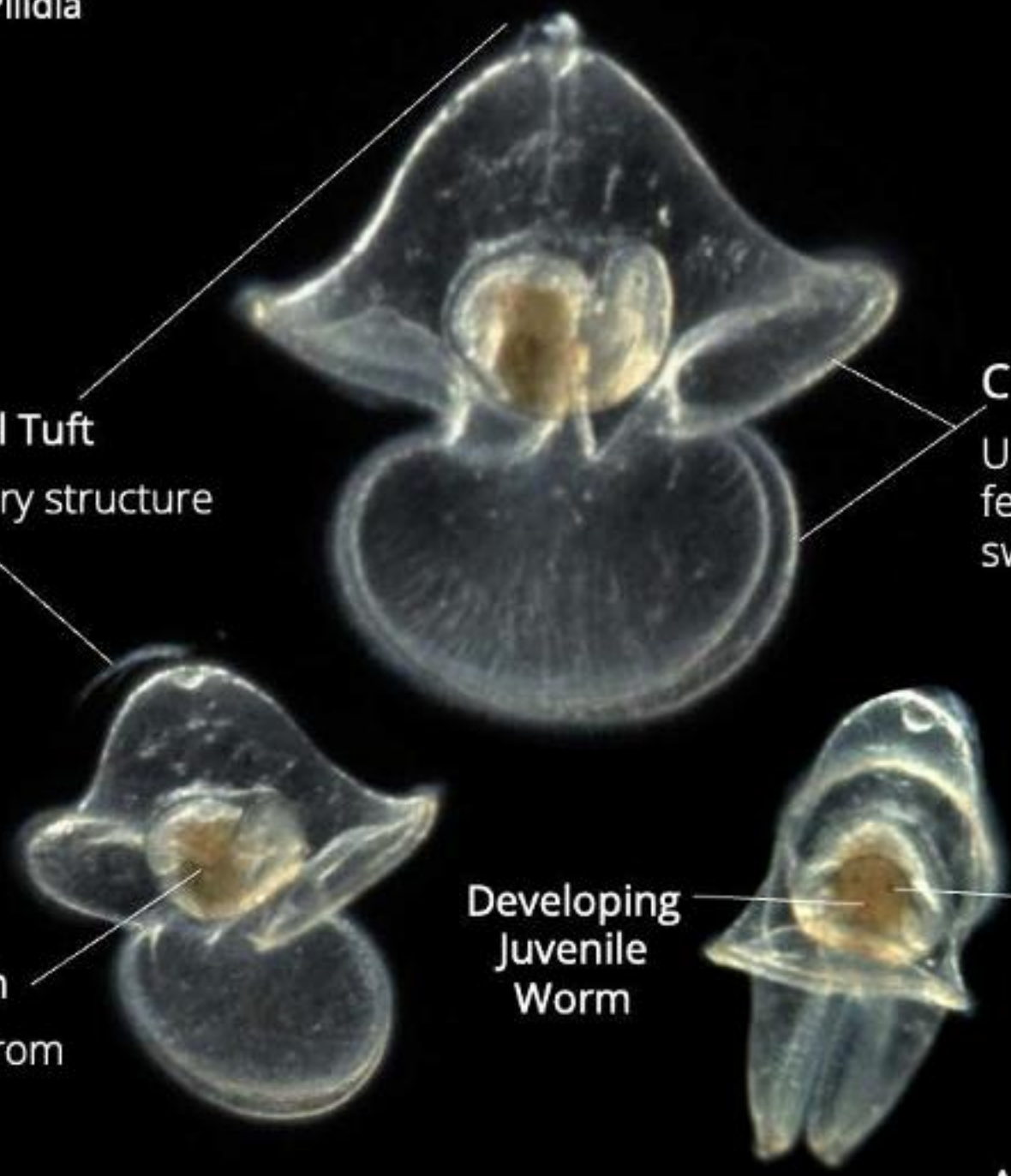
Pilidium

Plural: Pilidia

Ribbon worm larva (baby)



Apical Tuft

Sensory structure

Ciliary Band

Used for feeding and swimming

Stomach

Color comes from algal food

Developing Juvenile Worm

Eye Spots

Can only see light and dark, not form images

Actual size of larva

Larvae of the same species shown at 160x magnification

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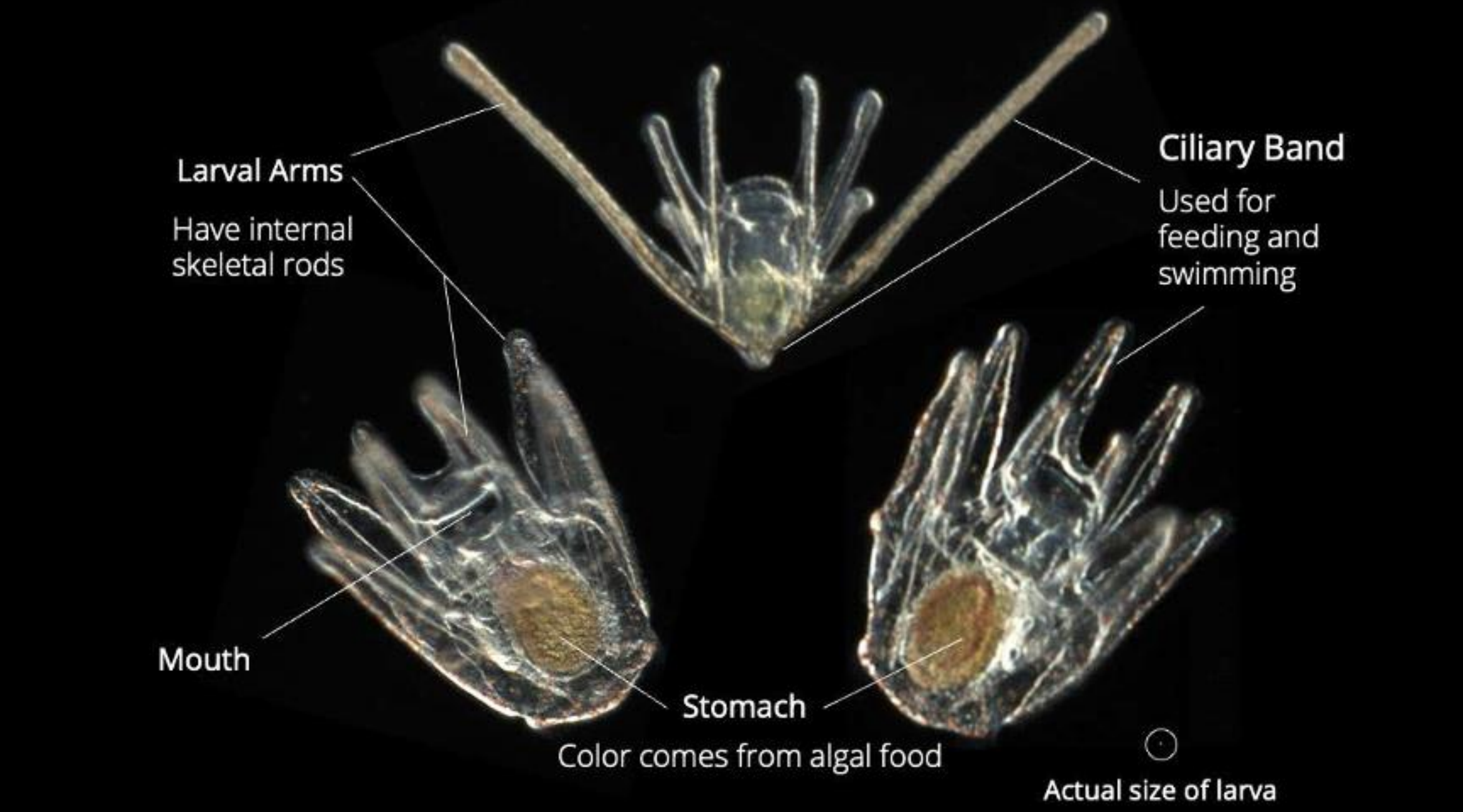
Pluteus

Plural: Plutei

Sea urchin and brittle star larva (baby)



Larvae of two different species shown at 120x magnification

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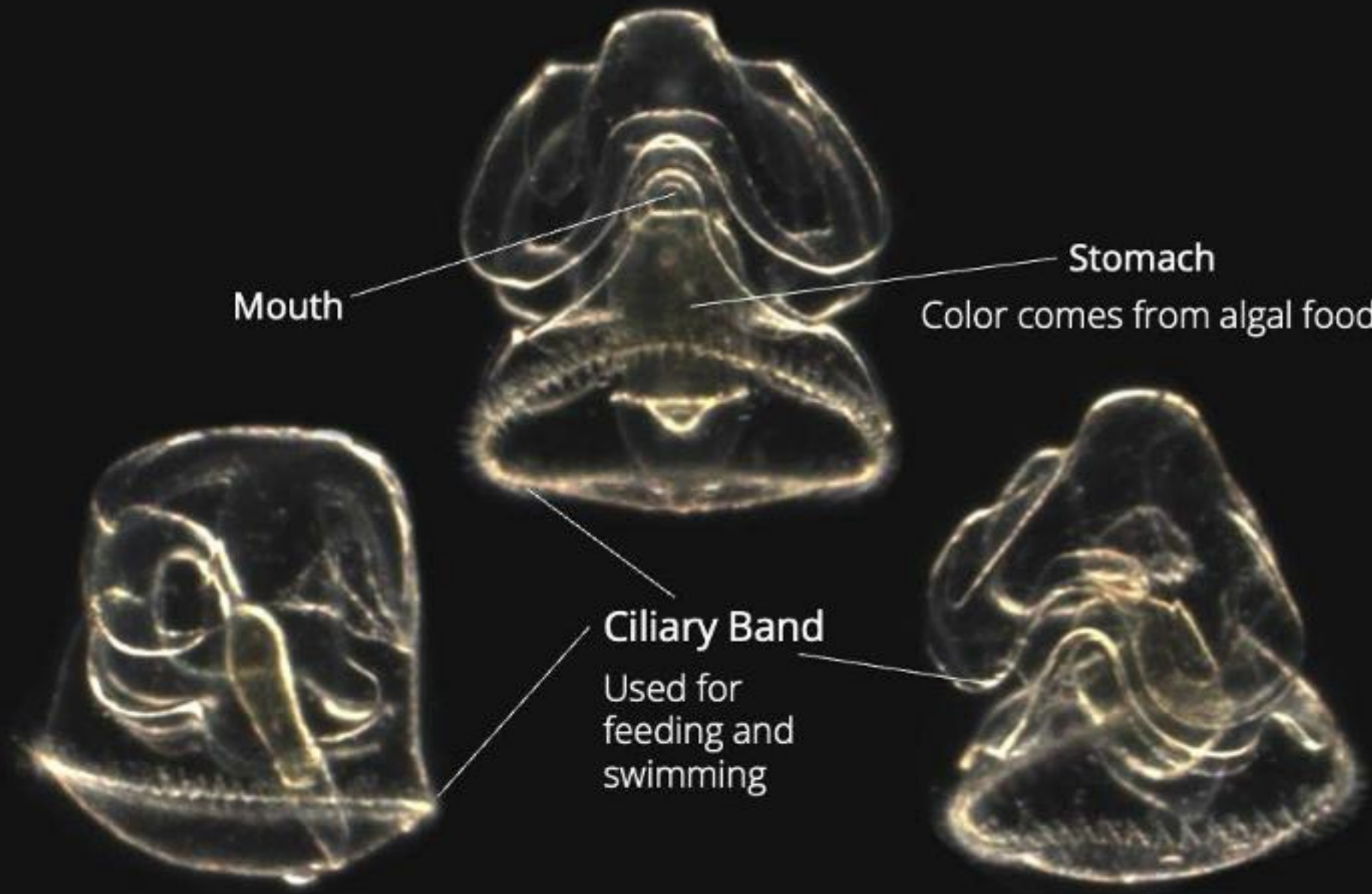
Tornaria

Plural: Tornariae

Acorn worm larva (baby)



Larvae of the same species photographed at 100x magnification

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Trochophore

Plural: Trochophores

Mollusc or annelid worm larva (baby)

Larvae of two different species shown at 220x magnification

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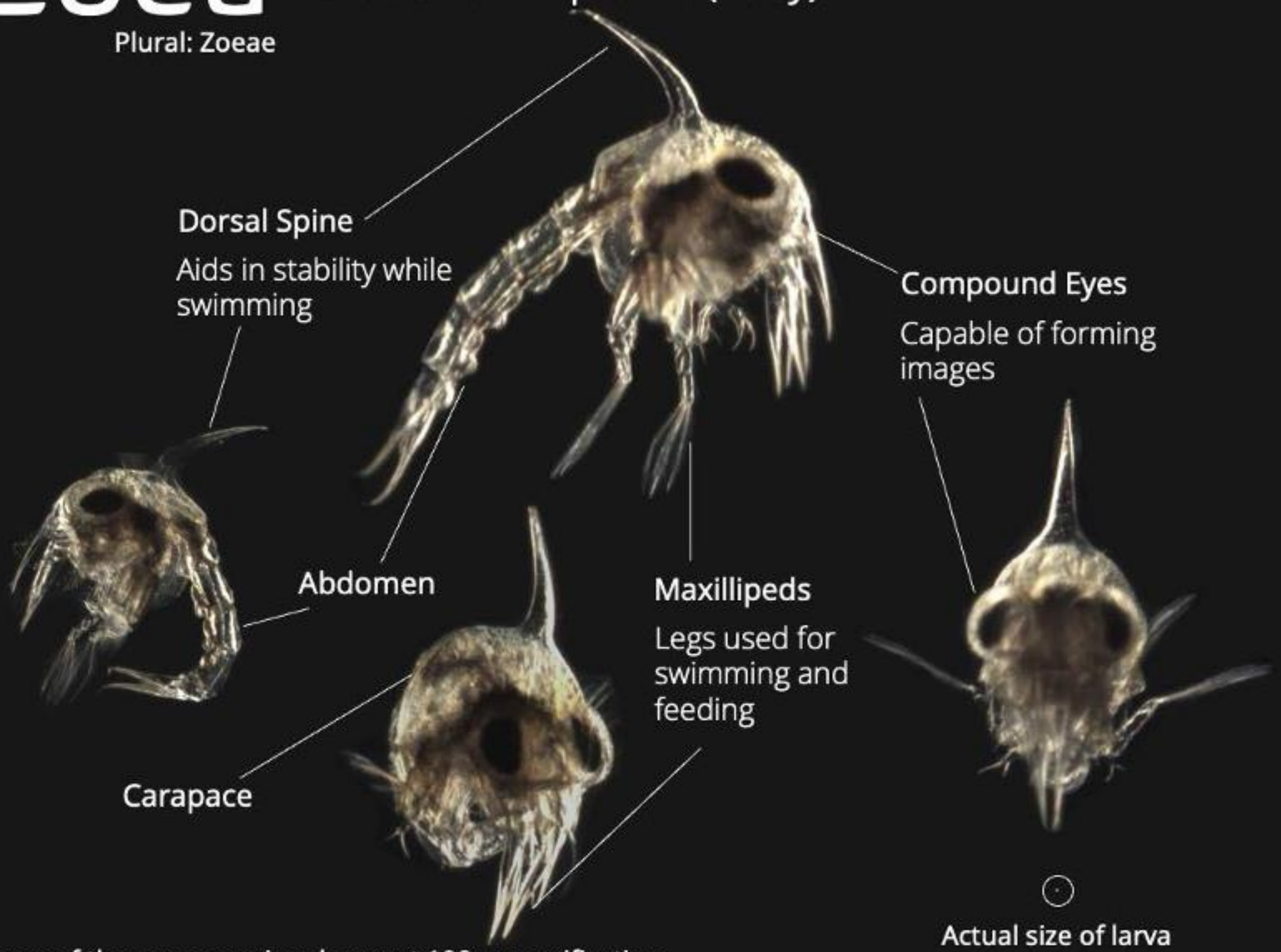
Zoea

Plural: Zoeae

Crab or shrimp larva (baby)



Larvae of the same species shown at 100x magnification

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Planula

Plural: Planulae

Jellyfish or sea anemone larva (baby)

Larvae of the same species photographed at 220x magnification

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