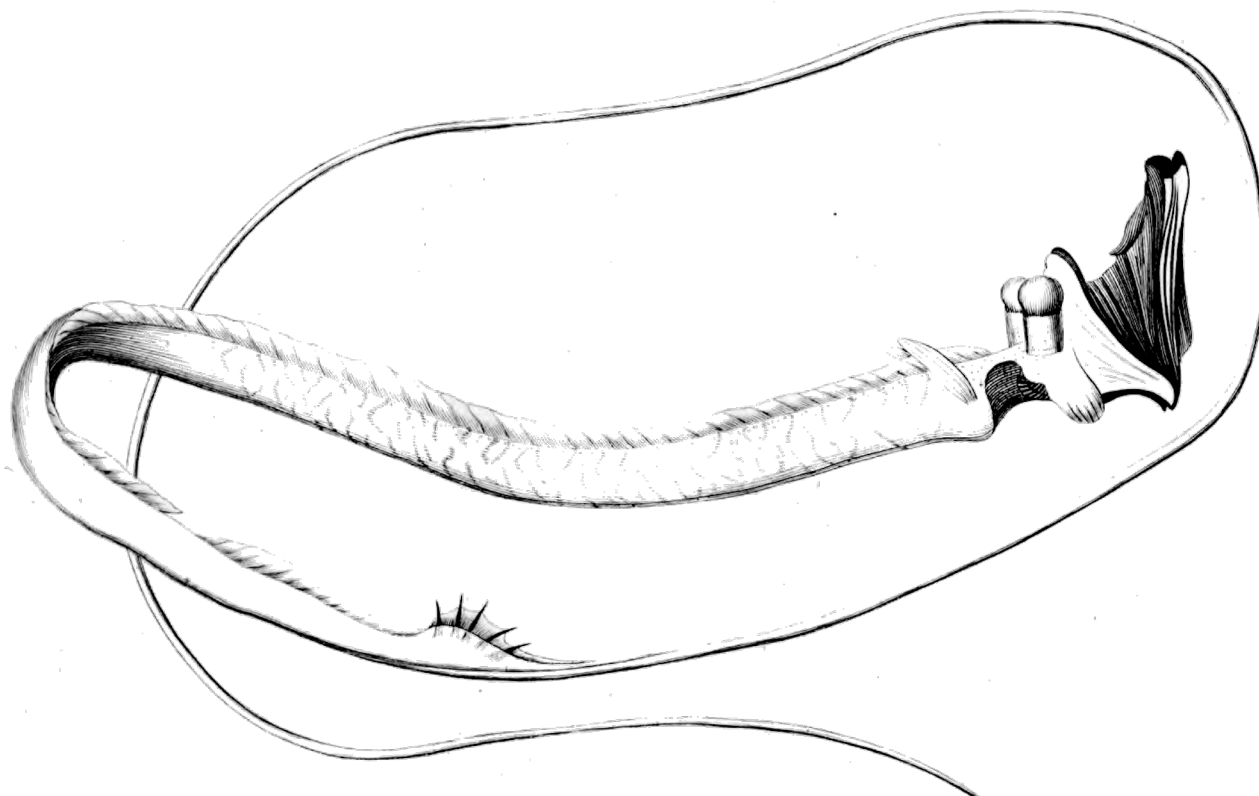


Order STYLEPHORIFORMES

Tube-eye

Family **STYLEPHORIDAE**

Swainson 1839



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.

Stylephorus

Shaw 1791

stylus, from *stûlos* (στυλος), column or pillar; *phorus*, from *phoreûs* (φορεύς), bearer or carrier, referring to the “very singular figure and situation of the eyes,” which are large, telescopic and directed forwards or upwards

***Stylephorus chordatus* Shaw 1791** scientific Neo-Latin for having a cord or string, referring to the “extraordinary thread-like process of the tail,” i.e., an exceedingly long, cord-like appendage