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SEEN A SPECIES OF  
 ALIEN NOT SHOWN  
 IN THIS POSTER?



TAKE A GOOD PHOTO OR KEEP THE  
 SPECIMEN ALIVE IN A BUCKET FULL OF  
 SEAWATER

CONTACT US ON 79604109 FOR COLLECTION OF SPECIMEN

TAKE PHOTOS OF ALIEN SEEN WHERE  
 POSSIBLE!



IMAGE CREDIT: DEIDUN

1-LIMU KOHU  
 ASPARAGOPSIS TAXIFORMIS  
 SPOTTED IN MALTA: 1993 - RANGE: U



IMAGE CREDIT: DEIDUN

2-CAULERPA  
 CAULERPA TAXIFOLIA  
 SPOTTED IN MALTA: 2014 - RANGE: P



IMAGE CREDIT: DEIDUN

3-GRAPE ALGA  
 CAULERPA RACEMOSA  
 SPOTTED IN MALTA: 1997 - RANGE: I,P



IMAGE CREDIT: K. BALLESTEOS

4-WOMERSLEYELLA  
 WOMERSLEYELLA SETACEA  
 SPOTTED IN MALTA: 1994 - RANGE: C

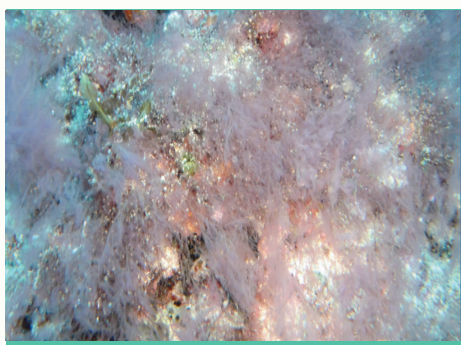


IMAGE CREDIT: S.F. RNADON

5-COTTON CANDY ALGA  
 LOPHOCLODIA LALLEMANDII  
 SPOTTED IN MALTA: <1994 - RANGE: I,P



IMAGE CREDIT: J. TERRADO

6-ACROTHAMNION  
 ACROTHAMNION PREISSII  
 SPOTTED IN MALTA: 2015 - RANGE: I,P

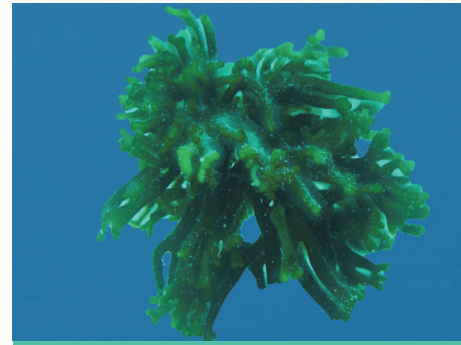


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7-DEAD MANS FINGERS  
 CODIUM FRAGILE  
 SPOTTED IN MALTA: ---- RANGE: P

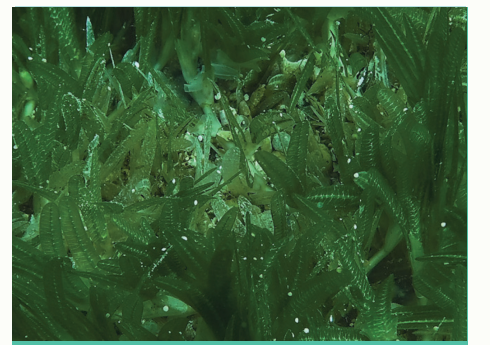


IMAGE CREDIT: DEIDUN

8-HALOPHILA  
 HALOPHILA STIPULACEA  
 SPOTTED IN MALTA: 1970 - RANGE: I,R



IMAGE CREDIT: P. VELLA

9-UPSIDE-DOWNJELLYFISH  
 CASSIOPEA ANDROMEDA  
 SPOTTED IN MALTA: 2009 - RANGE: I,P,R

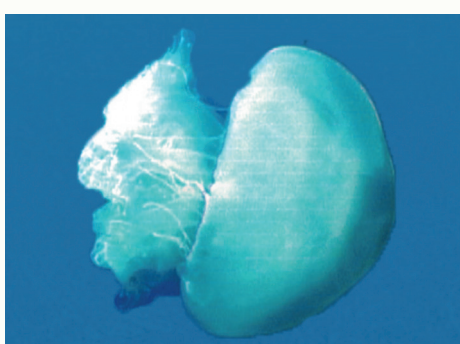


IMAGE CREDIT: S. ARRIGO

10-NOMADIC JELLYFISH  
 RHOPILEMA NOMADICA  
 SPOTTED IN MALTA: 2004 - RANGE: I,R



IMAGE CREDIT: D. WATSON

11-AUSTRALIAN SPOTTED JELLYFISH  
 PHYLLORHIZA PUNCTATA  
 SPOTTED IN MALTA: 2017 - RANGE: P

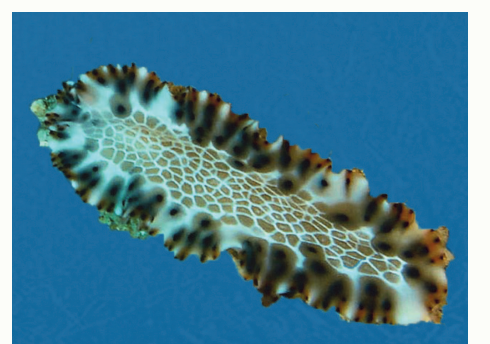


IMAGE CREDIT: FREE.FR

12-MARITICRELLA  
 MARITITRELLA FUSCOPUNCTATA  
 SPOTTED IN MALTA: 2015 - RANGE: P

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## NATIVE RANGE

**A:** ATLANTIC OCEAN

**C:** COSMOPOLITAN

**I:** INDIAN OCEAN

**P:** PACIFIC OCEAN

**R:** RED SEA.

**U:** UNKNOWN

## TAXONOMIC GROUP



RED ALGA



GREEN ALGA



JELLYFISH



SEAGRASS



FLATWORM



CRUSTACEAN



MOLLUSC



ECHINODERM

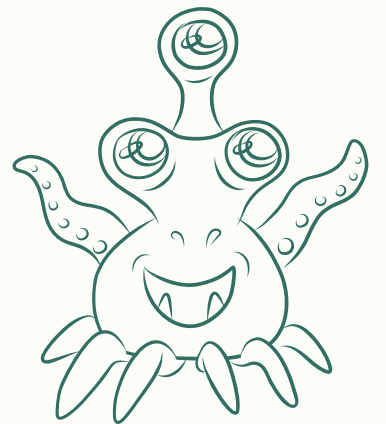


IMAGE CREDIT: J. CASSAR

**13-RED SEA MANTIS SHRIMP**  
**ERUGOSQUILLA MASSAVENSIS**

SPOTTED IN MALTA: 2019 - RANGE: I,R



IMAGE CREDIT: DEIDUN

**14-BLUE SWIMMER CRAB**  
**PORTUNUS SEGNIS**

SPOTTED IN MALTA: ---- RANGE: I,R



IMAGE CREDIT: DEIDUN

**15-SALLY LIGHTFOOT CRAB**  
**PERCNON GIBBESI**

SPOTTED IN MALTA: 2001 - RANGE: A,P



IMAGE CREDIT: WIKI COMMONS

**16-BROWN SHRIMP**  
**PENAEUS AZTECUS**

SPOTTED IN MALTA: ---- RANGE: A

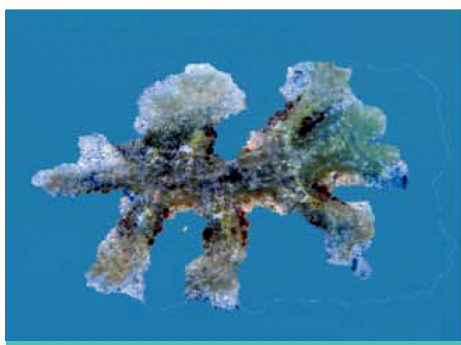


IMAGE CREDIT: S.F. RNADON

**17-GREEN MELIBE**  
**MELIBE VIRIDIS**

SPOTTED IN MALTA: 2008 - RANGE: I,P



IMAGE CREDIT: SEASLUG FORUM

**18-RAGGED SEA HARE**  
**BURSATELLA LEACHII**

SPOTTED IN MALTA: 1969 - RANGE: C



IMAGE CREDIT: B. ZAVA

**19-SPOTTED SEA HARE**  
**APLYSIA DACTYOMELA**

SPOTTED IN MALTA: 2008 - RANGE: U



IMAGE CREDIT: DEIDUN

**20-EASTERN MUSSEL**  
**BRACHIDONTES PHARAONIS**

SPOTTED IN MALTA: 1970 - RANGE: I,R



IMAGE CREDIT: P. VELLA

**21-PEARL OYSTER**  
**PINCTADA IMBRICATA RADIATA**

SPOTTED IN MALTA: 1912 - RANGE: I,P,R



IMAGE CREDIT: S. ARRIGO

**22-MANILA CLAM**  
**RUDITAPES PHILIPPINARUM**

SPOTTED IN MALTA: ---- RANGE: P



IMAGE CREDIT: BIOLIB.CZ

**23-FRAGILE COCKLE**  
**FULVIA FRAGILIS**

SPOTTED IN MALTA: 2008 - RANGE: I,P,R



IMAGE CREDIT: WIKI COMMONS

**24-PORCUPINE SEA URCHIN**  
**DIADEMA SETOSUM**

SPOTTED IN MALTA: ---- RANGE: I,P

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