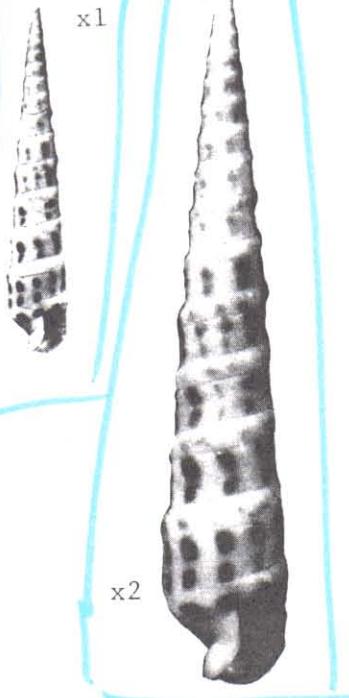


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Ivory white with three rows of prominent, rich, dark chestnut markings on body whorl; to approx. 50 mm.

Specimen illustrated is syntype of *decorata* Deshayes, a synonym... BMNH type collection.

Terebra decorata Deshayes

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214. *T. decorata* Desh. J. Conchyl., vi, 75, pl. iv, f. 13. Pidang, Sumatra.  
Types (2) B.M. = *tessellata* Gray.

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66. *decorata*, *Terebra* — DESHAYES, 1857, J. C. P., 6: 75, plt. 4, fig. 13. Hab. Pidang (ile Sumatra). Capt. Martin. Coll. Cuming. Size: 28–6 mm. Holotype: 27.0 mm. There is another specimen in the type collection, 44.0 mm in length, which was collected by Lt. Col. Wilmer at Aden, and is not a type. (= "T. *tessellata* GRAY, 1834", on label).

DECORATA

DESHAYES 1857

= TESSELLATA (S)

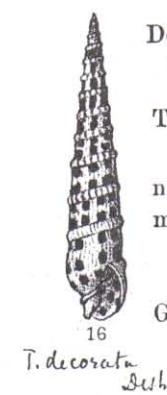
Decorata (Terebra), Desh. Jour. Conch., 1857, p. 75, pl. iv, f. 13. . . . . 26

T. DECORATA, Desh. Pl. 7, fig. 16.

Whitish, with two series (on the body-whorl three) of chestnut quadrangular spots; whorls smooth, longitudinally striated, marginal band tuberculated. Length, 28 mill.

Pidang, Sumatra.

Reeve figures this species under the name of *T. tessellata*, Gray, which has a double band of tubercles. *T. tessellata*



*T. decorata*  
Desh.

16. *Terebra* *decorata*, Desh. Jour. de Conch., 2d ser., ii t. 4, f. 13. . . . .



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5c, Type-figure

of *T. decorata* Deshayes, from Deshayes, 1867, pl. 4, fig. 13.

214. TEREBRA DECORATA, Desh.

*T. testa minima*, *elongato-angusta*, *acuminata*, *alba*, *fusco-castaneo*, *biseriatim punctata*, *ultimo anfractu punctulis triserialibus*; *anfractibus numerosis*, *angustis*, *lævigatis*, *sulco impresso divisis*; *margine suturali candido*, *convexo*, *noduloso*; *apertura brevissima*, *subquadrangulari*; *columella brevi*, *cylindracea subuniplicata*, *extus angulo vix prominente circumdata*.

Long. 28 mill., larg. 6.

Hab. Pidang (Ile Sumatra).

Collection Cuming.



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DESHAYES 1857 p 315

DESHAYES 1857 p 314