

130. *Terebra nassoides* Hinds, 1844

(Pl. 33, fig. 130a-b)

- 1844 *Terebra nassoides* Hinds, Proc. Zool. Soc. Lond. pt. 11:158; 1844 Hinds in Sowerby, Thes. Conch. 1:182, pl. 45, fig. 115. 1860 Reeve, Conch. Icon. 12, pl. 26, sp. 144; 1982, K. Smythe, Seashells of the Arabian Gulf 72, pl. 13, fig. d.
- 1901 *Terebra (Euryta) nassoides* Hinds, Melvill & Standen, Proc. Zool. Soc. Lond. pt. 11. 429.

Description: Shell to 14 mm; color light-brown with a pale gray subsutural area followed by a narrow dark-brown band; outline of whorls faintly convex; protoconch of $2\frac{1}{2}$ conical whorls; subsutural band of color only; axial ribs, from suture to suture, narrower than interspaces, later whorls with ribs sometimes becoming obsolete; spiral sculpture, seen only under magnification, consisting of about 5 evenly-spaced lines; aperture quadrate; columella curved; siphonal fasciole with posterior keel.

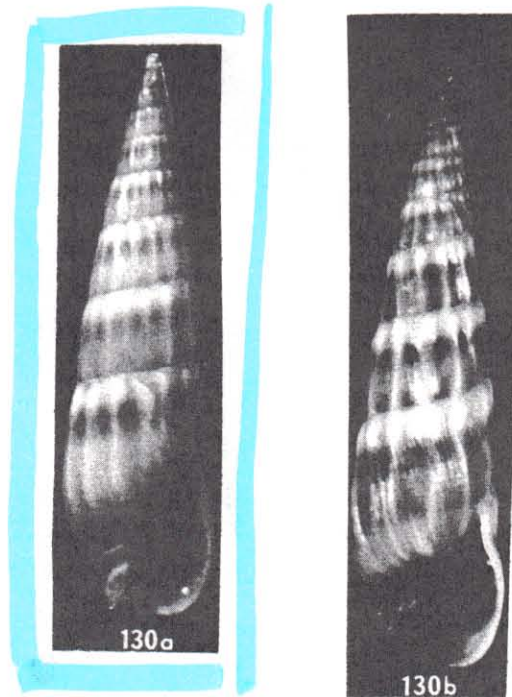
Type locality: None given. The Gulf of Oman is here designated as the type locality.

Distribution: Persian Gulf and Gulf of Oman; intertidal.

Type: Lectotype BM(NH) no. 1968251; 13.5 mm.

Discussion: Melvill & Standen said that this species is found in a "great variety of form and coloration, at low tide, just below the surface of the water." It may be separated from the two other small, smooth Persian Gulf species, *T. fuscobasis* (128) and *T. fuscocincta* (129) by its almost straight outline and by the complete lack of a subsutural band.

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130a, b, *T. nassoides* Hinds. 130a, Lectotype British Museum (N.H.) No. 1968251; 13.5 mm. 130b, Masirah I., Sultanate of Oman; 18.4 mm.

TEREBRA NASSOIDES. *Ter. testâ obeso-subulatâ, lævigatâ, nitidâ, anfractibus planulatis, integris, supernè albo, mediò fusco cinctis, ultimo unicolore; aperturâ infernè effusâ.* Axis 6 lin.

Hab. —?
Cab. Cuming.

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95. T. NASSOIDES. (pl. xlv. f. 115.) Hinds, l. c. p. 158.

Testâ obeso-subulatâ, lævigatâ, nitidâ; anfractibus planulatis, integris, supernè albo, mediò fusco cinctis, ultimo concolore; aperturâ infernè effusâ; columellâ nudâ, rectiusculâ, subtruncatâ; canali nullo.

Whorls entire, polished, with longitudinal straight folds; beneath the suture banded with white, towards the middle with a dark narrow band, elsewhere of an ash colour.

Native country unknown.

H. 446. T. C. p. 182 t. xlv f. 115.

169. TEREBRA NASSOIDES, Hinds.

Terebra nassoides, Hinds, *Thes. Conch.* p. 182. no. 95, pl. 45. f. 115.
Hab. —.

DESH 1859 p. 306

142. *nassoides*, *Terebra* - HINDS, 1844, P. Z. S. L., p. 158.

Hab. ? Coll. Cuming. Size: 6 lin. (= 13.5 mm).
Lectotype no. 1968251: 13.8 mm; syntypes: 15.5 mm, and 13.9 mm. This appears to be the same species as *T. bridgesi* DALL, 1908.

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TEREBRA (EURYTA) NASSOIDES Hinds.

P.G. Gulf of Oman, Jask.

M.C. Generally, and in great variety of form and coloration, at low tide on sand, just below the surface of the water.

TEREBRA NASSOIDES Hinds.

DAUTZENBERG, 1929, p. 137.

Localité. — Baie de Ranofotsy, S.-W. de Fort-Dauphin (Decary).

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34.—*Terebra* (Mazatlanian) *nassoides* Hinds.

T. nassoides Hinds, *Proc. Zool. Soc.*, London, 1843, p. 158.

T. nassoides Reeve, *Conch. Icon.*, xii., pl. xxvi., fig. 144, 1860.

T. (Euryta) nassoides Tryon, *Man. Conch.*, p. 38, pl. xii., fig. 23, 1885.

Hab.: P.G., Henjam Island, Jask, and other places on the Gulf of Oman. M.C., Charbar, very general everywhere.

A remarkably pretty small species, sometimes of an ivory whiteness, at others straw-coloured excepting below the sutures where white prevails, and ornamented with a median band of brown spots, with a dark spiral band at the entrance to the mouth; above, the riblets are more conspicuous and frequent.

Euryta H. and A. Adams, 1853, being pre-occupied, Dr. W. H. Dall has changed the name of the sub-genus to *Mazatlanian*.

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134. *Terebra nassoides* Hinds.

Von den Localitäten 37, 39, 45.

Steinmann 1905 Red Sea

Nassoides (*Terebra*), Hinds. *Proc. Zool. Soc.*, 1843, p. 158, fig. 38

T. NASSOIDES, Hinds. Pl. 12, fig. 23.

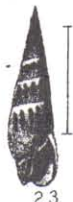
Whorls varicosely ribbed, spirally minutely striated; pinkish ash, banded with lead-color, margin below the suture white.

Length, 13.5 mill.

Red Sea (Lord Mountnorris).

Appears to be closely allied to the preceding species. I have not seen it.

TRAYON 1885 p. 38



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T. nassoides
Reeve

23. *Terebra nassoides*, Reeve. *Conch. Icon.*, f. 144,

Species 144. (Mus. Cuming.)
TEREBRA NASSOIDES. *Ter. testâ obeso-subulatâ, lævigatâ, roseo-cinereâ, albo-marginatâ, plumbeo-fasciatâ, anfractibus declivi-convexis, indivisis, varicoso-costatis, spiraliter minutè striatis; aperturâ parvâ, columellâ brevi, carinatâ et paululum recurvâ.*

THE NASSA-LIKE TEREBRA. Shell stoutly subulate, smooth, pinkish-ash, white-edged, banded with lead-colour, whorls slopingly convex, undivided, varicosely ribbed, spirally minutely striated; aperture small, columella short, keeled and a little recurved.

HINDS, *Pro. Zool. Soc.* 1843, p. 158.

Hab. Red Sea; Lord Mountnorris.

A rather stout, varicosely ribbed species, of a pinkish-ash colour, white at the sutural margin, thin, encircled with a narrow band of dull lead-colour, and also at the base.

AV 1860 (140)



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