

Terebra rosacea Pease, 1869.

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T. ROSACEA, Pease.

T. aciculari, *gracilis*; anfractibus longitudinaliter valde plicato-costatis, interstitiis profunde sulcatis, infra suturam laevibus; apertura oblonga, parva, angusta; columella subrecta; costis albidis, interstitiis, columella, aperturaque, rosaceis.

Long. 20. Diam. 4 mill.

Hab. Insl. Oahu.

Shell acicular, slender; whorls longitudinally strongly plicately-ribbed, interstices deeply grooved, except a short space beneath the suture, which is smooth; aperture narrow, oblong, small; columella nearly straight; ribs whitish, interstices, columella, aperture rose pink.

Approaches *T. roseata*, Ad. and Rve. It is more slender, ribs larger, different in color, and interstices between the ribs grooved, instead of clathrated. The latter character, however, is altered in "Con. Icon." from the original, which, however, is frequently the case throughout that work. The aperture, also, is quite different.

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Rosacea (*Terebra*), Pease. *Am. Jour. Conch.*, v, p. 65, 1869, 39

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Terebra rosacea Pease, 1869, *Amer. Journ. Conch.* 5: 65. The type is lost, and the species was never figured. The description is interpreted by Kay (1979) as a different species from that which we and Weaver (1960) interpret it to be. The type locality is Oahu, Hawaii (N. DUB) 61 77

Plate 6, Bottom Left

***Terebra rosacea*⁵ Pease, 1869**

Length: 16 mm.

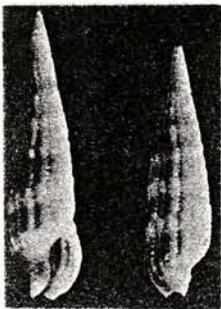
Distribution: Hawaiian Islands

(Habitat: Deep water (rare))

♂. Shell small, shining; whorls longitudinally strongly ribbed, intervals between ribs deeply grooved except a short smooth space below suture; aperture narrow, oblong, small; ribs whitish, interstices, culumella, aperture rose pink; inner lip not raised.

Terebra rosacea Pease, *Amer. Jour. Conch.*, 1869, p. 65.

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p. 401 *Terebra rosacea* Pease, 1869b. Fig. 130 F. Length, 18 mm; diameter, 4 mm. *Shell*: slender, glossy; subsutural band defined by a deep spiral groove; remainder of whorls axially ribbed with sharp keels, interspaces with low spiral cords; creamy red. *Spire*: protoconch of four white, conical whorls; whorls of teleoconch straight-sided; suture constricted and oblique. *Sculpture*: subsutural band defined by a deep spiral groove dissecting elevated, keeled axial ribs and forming nodules; remainder of whorl with keeled axial ribs, the interspaces equal in diameter to the ribs and crossed by flat cords. *Aperture*: narrow, oblong, small; inner lip not raised; base constricted. *Color*: columella, aperture, and spire deep rose; subsutural band sometimes with white ribs.

Shells are abundant at depths from 50 to 200 m.

T. rosacea was described from the Hawaiian Islands. The angulate axial ribs, wide interspaces, and smooth subsutural band distinguish these shells from those of *T. columellaris*.

A. KAY 1979 p 401

F. *T. rosacea*, length 18 mm.