CANCER GRAPSUS.

CHARACTER GENERICUS.

Pedes octo (rarius sex aut decem); insuper manus duæ chelatæ.

Oculi distantes, plurimis pedunculati; elongati, mobiles.

Cauda articulata, inermis.

CHARACTER SPECIFICUS, &c.

CANCER brachyurus flavus, rubro variatus, corpore rotundato, thorace antice lobato-denticulato.

CANCER marinus, &c. orientalis rarissimus.

Seb. mus. 3. t. 18. f. 5.

CANCER GRAPSUS. C. brachyurus, thorace strigis subimbricato gibbo, antice trilobo.

Lin. Syst. Nat. p. 1048.

Litora insularum Indicarum et Americanarum incolit pulchra hæc Cancris species, interdum major quam in tabula monstratur.

THE
VARIEGATED CRAB.

GENERIC CHARACTER.

Legs generally eight (in some species six or ten), besides two claspers or chelated arms.

Eyes two, commonly distant; footstalked, moveable.

Tail jointed.

SPECIFIC CHARACTER, &c.

Short-tailed yellow CRAB, with red variegations, rounded body, and thorax lobate-denticulated in front.

VARIEGATED INDIAN CRAB.

This beautiful species of Crab inhabits the shores of the Indian and American islands, and is sometimes seen of larger size than shewn on the annexed plate.

Shaw, George. 1806. "The Variegated Crab, *Cancer grapsus* [Pl. 694]." *The Naturalist's Miscellany* 17(CC), <https://doi.org/10.5962/p.311132>.

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