

Atlantic Blue Crab

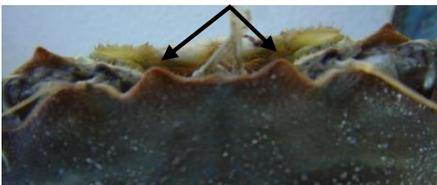
Callinectes sapidus



Walking legs are blue in color. Carapace is rough and brownish blue/green.



Claws are short and broad. Males have blue tips, females have red. There is no internal spine present.



Two distinct frontal teeth between the eyes.

Lesser Blue Crab

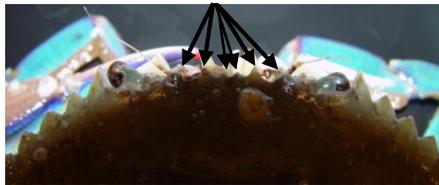
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Walking legs are violet blue in color. Swimmerets are often mottled in white. Carapace is olive green, smooth and uniform in color.



Claws are short and broad. There is no internal spine present.



Six distinct frontal teeth between the eyes.

Swimming Pass Crab

Portunus gibbesii



Walking legs are purple in color. Carapace is dark to light brown and has iridescent patches.



Claws are long and slender. An internal spine is present.



Four distinct frontal teeth between the eyes.

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