## Phylum Arthropoda Class Malacostraca Superorder Eucarida Order Decapoda Suborder Reptantia Infraorder Brachyura Family Xanthidae

## Lophopanopeus leucomanus

**Coloration:** 

## **Defining Characteristics:**

- Carapace with anterior half deeply rugose
- Frontal lobes strongly oblique
- Carpus of chelipeds covered with numerous small irregular pits, separated by reticulating lines
- Upper portion of hand pitted with two or more irregular, inwardly directed teeth on upper margin
- Dark color restricted to fingers.

## Illustration

