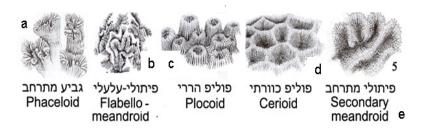
Key to expected Red Sea Seriatopora (After Veron, 2000)

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Key to *Pocilloporidae* Genera

Colonies have verrucae = *Genus Pocillopora*Colonies do not have verrucae
Branches fine = **Genus Seriatopora**Branches robust = **Genus Stylophora**

Key to Seriatopora species

Branches 2-5 mm diameter
Branches taper to a point = *S. hystrix*Branches > 5 mm diameter
Corallites aligned in rows
Branches long and not tapered = *S. caliendrum*

- -Colony with elongate branches
- --Verrucae not longer than wide
- ---Branches not laterally fused = *P. eydouxi* *
- S. spinosa and S. angulata not in Veron's (2000) list
- S. angulata = S. hystrix (World Register of Marine species = WoRMS)
- * Recorded from Red Sea (Veron, 2000) may occur in the future. Samples from Seychelles in IUI collection)