

**The Ribbon Worms (Nemerteans) of British Columbia (2009)**  
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This list relies heavily on the works of Coe (1901, 1904, 1905, 1944). The higher taxonomy follows Chernyshev (2003) for the 'Enopla' (here Hoplonemertea) taxa. I have avoided the use of Anopla and Enopla in this list because there is some conflict with higher level taxonomies and these terms are in dispute. I included every species for which there is a confirmed British Columbia record. This list is certainly incomplete, and requires additions.

Phylum Nemertea Schultze, 1851

Order Hoplonemertea Hubrecht, 1879

Suborder Monostilifera Brinckmann, 1917

Family Amphiporidae Örsted, 1844

Genus *Amphiporus* Ehrenberg, 1831

*Amphiporus angulatus* (Fabricius, 1774)

*Amphiporus bimaculatus* Coe, 1901

*Amphiporus cruenatus* Verrill, 1879

*Amphiporus formidabilis* Griffin, 1898

*Amphiporus gelatinosus* Coe, 1905

*Amphiporus imparispinosus* Griffin, 1898

*Amphiporus tigrinus* Coe, 1901

Family Carcinonemertidae Sumner, Orburn, & Cole 1913

Genus *Carcinonemertes* Coe, 1902

*Carcinonemertes epialti* Coe, 1902

*Carcinonemertes errans* Wickham, 1978

Family Emplectonematidae Bürger, 1904

Genus *Emplectonema* Stimpson, 1857

*Emplectonema buergeri* Coe, 1901

*Emplectonema gracile* (Johnston, 1837)

*Emplectonema purpuratum* Coe, 1905

Genus *Paranemertes* Coe, 1901

*Paranemertes carnea* Coe, 1901

*Paranemertes peregrina* Coe, 1901

*Paranemertes sanjuanensis* Stricker, 1982

Family Malacobdellidae Blanchard, 1847

Genus *Malacobdella* Blainville, 1827

*Malacobdella macomae* Kozloff, 1991

*Malacobdella siliquae* Kozloff, 1991

Family Tetrastemmatidae Hubrecht, 1879

Genus *Tetrastemma* Ehrenberg, 1831

*Tetrastemma bicolor* Coe, 1901

- Tetrastemma candidum* (Müller, 1774)
- Tetrastemma nigrifrons* Coe, 1904
- Tetrastemma phyllospadicola* Stricker, 1985
- Family Zygonemertidae Chernyshev 2005
  - Genus *Zygonemertes* Montgomery, 1897
  - Zygonemertes albida* Coe, 1901
  - Zygonemertes thalassina* Coe, 1901
- Suborder Polystilifera Brinckmann, 1917 \*
  - Family Nectonemertidae Girard, 1893
    - Genus *Nectonemertes* Verrill, 1892
    - Nectonemertes mirabilis* Verrill, 1892
  - Genus *Pelagonemertes* Moseley, 1875
    - Pelagonemertes brinckmanni* Coe, 1926
    - Pelagonemertes joubini* Coe, 1926
- Order Heteronemertea Bürger, 1895
  - Family Baseodiscidae Bürger, 1897
    - Genus *Baseodiscus* Diesing, 1850
    - Baseodiscus princeps* (Coe, 1901)
  - Family Cephalothricidae
    - Genus *Cephalothrix* Örsted, 1843
    - Cephalothrix pacifica* Gerner, 1969
    - Genus *Procephalothrix* Wijnhoff, 1913
    - Procephalothrix spiralis* (Coe, 1930)
  - Family Lineidae McIntosh, 1875
    - Genus *Cerebratulus* Reiner, 1804
    - Cerebratulus albifrons* Coe, 1901
    - Cerebratulus californiensis* Coe, 1905
    - Cerebratulus herculeus* Coe, 1901
    - Cerebratulus marginatus* Renier, 1804
    - Cerebratulus montgomeryi* Coe, 1901
    - Cerebratulus occidentalis* Coe, 1901
    - Genus *Lineus* Sowerby, 1806
    - Lineus ruber* (Müller, 1771)
    - Lineus spatiosus* Iwata, 1954
    - Lineus torquatus* Coe, 1901
    - Lineus vegatus* Coe, 1931
    - Genus *Micrura* Ehrenberg, 1871
    - Micrura alaskensis* Coe, 1901
    - Micrura verrilli* Coe, 1901

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