

**Meso-zooplankton abundance:**

31 ind. m<sup>-3</sup>

**Long-term average (March,**

**1984-2015):** 1268 ± 550 ind.m<sup>-3</sup>

**Most abundant taxa :**

-copepod assemblage (52%)

-nauplii of cirripedia (37%)

**Dry mass:** 1.6 mg m<sup>-3</sup>

**Long-term average (March, 1984-2015):**

8.2 ± 2.8 mg m<sup>-3</sup>

**Note:** Sample collected with WP2 net



**epi-bathypelagic copepod**  
***Euchirella rostrata* female**