

This species, although resembling *Allodiscus* in some respects, is placed in the genus *Phelussa* after examination of the radula, which is in accordance with the style of that genus, that is, with only a long mesocone in the marginal teeth. A discordant feature is the spirally lined protoconch which is more like that of *Allodiscus*.

Phelussa elliottae n.sp. also has several distinctive features such as the umbilical spirals, the channelled suture and the thickening, which runs back from the columella and around the brink of the perforation.

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