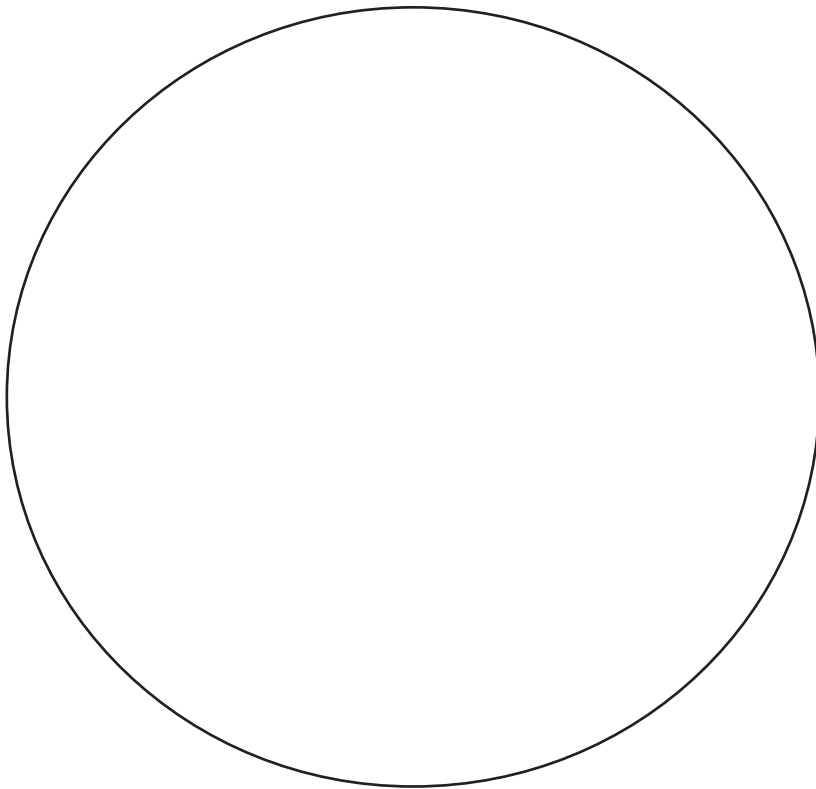


Name _____

Observe the brine shrimp. Draw a sketch and take notes on the brine shrimp in your sample.



Your notes:

Answer the following:

How many legs does a brine shrimp have?

22 legs (11pairs) with gills on them

Describe the way the brine shrimp move.

Their legs move continuously so that they can get oxygen from the water.

Are you looking at a male or female brine shrimp? How do you know?

If you see 2 black dots (egg sacks) you have a female. If you don't see them, you have a male.

The brine shrimp has segments on its body like a lobster.

What kind of body does the brine shrimp have?

They are crustaceans, they have a hard exoskeleton (shell on the outside).
