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Comparison of lithification depths derived from plastron length and carapace length. Overall, both depth proxies are highly concordant (R = 0.91) with only two marked exceptions (one *Adocus* and one *Hoplochelys*). However, carapace length for all three *Hoplochelys* appears to overestimate depth, hinting at a different interrelationship between carapace length, plastron length, and shell height that likely reflects a different evolutionary trajectory in shell construction.

Comparison of Carapace and Plastron Depth

