

Hibiscus trionum L. (Malvaceae)

Seed.

General shape: reniform to round-triangular

Normal size: 2.0-2.5 mm L x 1.6-2.0 mm W x 1.0-1.2 mm D

Color: grayish-brown to black.

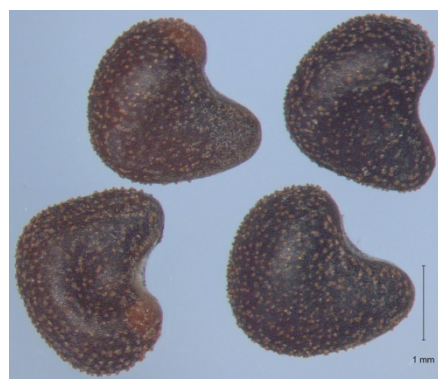
Texture: granular, dotted with numerous, ragged, light-colored pimples.

Distinguishing features: The seed is thickest along the outer margin, tapering upward and thinner near the hilum. Its texture is faintly granular with warty projections scattered on the surface. The stalk fragment extends from the hilum along the inner edge of the thin lobe appearing as an appendix partially detached from the hilum.

Embryo: Curved, cotyledons folded.

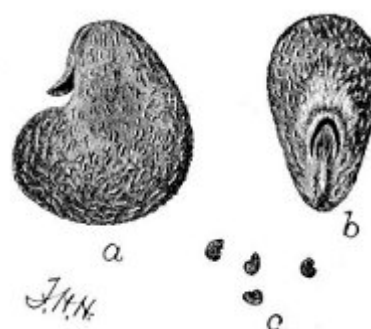


Seeds of *Hibiscus trionum*



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Seeds under magnification



Source: Fig 129. Bladder Ketmia. *Hibiscus*

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