

## Wild Buckwheat



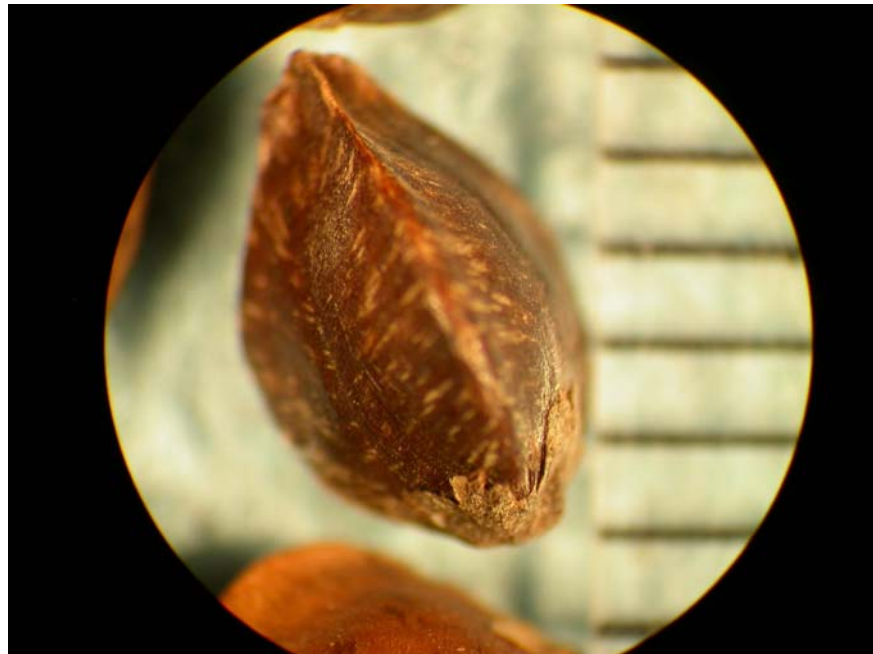
Vegetative plants. Key characteristics: heart-shaped leaves, gradually tapering to form a point at the tip, and hairless giving the plant a glossy texture. Wild buckwheat is similar in appearance to morningglories, except it has [ocreas](#) at the base of the leaf petioles and morningglories do not.



Plants take on a vining habit.



Flower. Key characteristics: greenish-white  
in color arising from leaf axils.



Seed. Seed are distinctly ridged, glossy, have a sharp terminal and are approximately 4.0 to 5.0 mm long.

Life cycle: summer annual.