



The [inflorescence](#) is a [raceme](#).



Purple-blue 'pea-type' flowers; [perfect](#).

Front



Side



Large, rounded form; 3 to 5 feet tall.



Fruits are [legumes](#), about 2 inches long, containing numerous bean-shaped seeds; legume is gray at maturity.

Immature fruit



Mature fruit



[Alternate](#) leaves are [compound](#) ([trifoliate](#)) with [entire margins](#); [stipules](#) are present at the base of the [petioles](#) (see arrows).

