

17. CENOCENTRUM Gagnepain, Notul. Syst. (Paris) 1: 78. 1909.

大萼葵属 da e kui shu

Shrubs; entire plant yellow stellate scabrously spiny. Stipule ovate; leaf blade orbicular, palmately 5–9-lobed. Flowers solitary or arranged in broad corymbs, axillary. Epicalyx lobes 4, leaflike, connate at base, persistent. Calyx campanulate, 5-lobed. Corolla large; petals 5, obovate. Staminal column villous. Ovary 10-loculed; ovules several per locule; style pilose, 10-branched at apex; stigmas capitate. Capsule loculicidally dehiscent. Seeds reniform, glabrous, with minute spots.

One species: S China, Laos, Thailand, Vietnam.

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Hibiscus wangianus S. Y. Hu.

Shrubs deciduous, 2–4 m tall, densely stellate long spiny hairy or simple hairy, hairs ca. 4 mm. Stipule ca. 6 mm, caducous; petiole 6–18 cm, densely stellate long spiny and simple hairy; leaf blade 7–20 cm in diam., palmate veins 5–9, stellate long spiny and simple hairy, lobes broadly triangular, base cordate, margin roughly dentate, apex acute. Flowers solitary.

Pedicele 5–10 cm, densely stellate long spiny and simple hairy. Epicalyx lobes ovate, ca. 2.5 cm, densely white stellate puberulent and brown-yellow stellate scabrous hairy, margin white spiny hairy. Calyx swollen, 3–4 × ca. 5 cm, lobes broadly triangular-ovate, densely stellate puberulent long spiny, apex long acuminate. Corolla yellow, purple in center, ca. 10 cm in diam.; petals ca. 8 cm. Staminal column ca. 3.5 cm. Capsule nearly globose, 3.5–4 cm in diam., 10-valved. Seeds ca. 3 × 2 mm, verrucose. Fl. Sep–Nov.

Open forests, grassy slopes, valleys; 700–1600 m. S Yunnan [Laos, Thailand, Vietnam].

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