

# **Appendicular Skeleton**

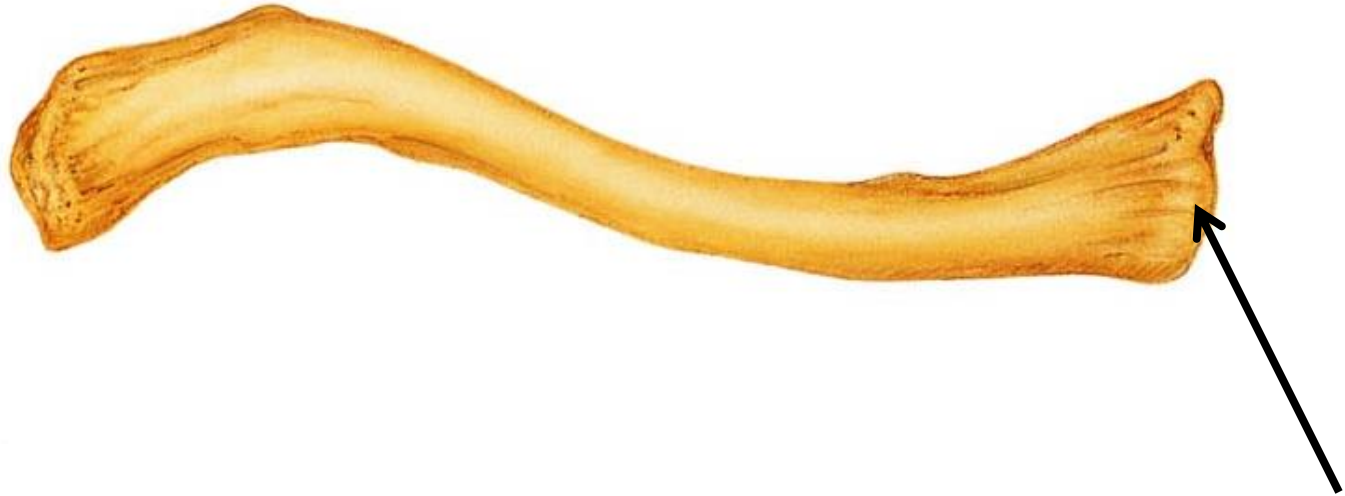
## **Pectoral Girdle**

# Clavicle



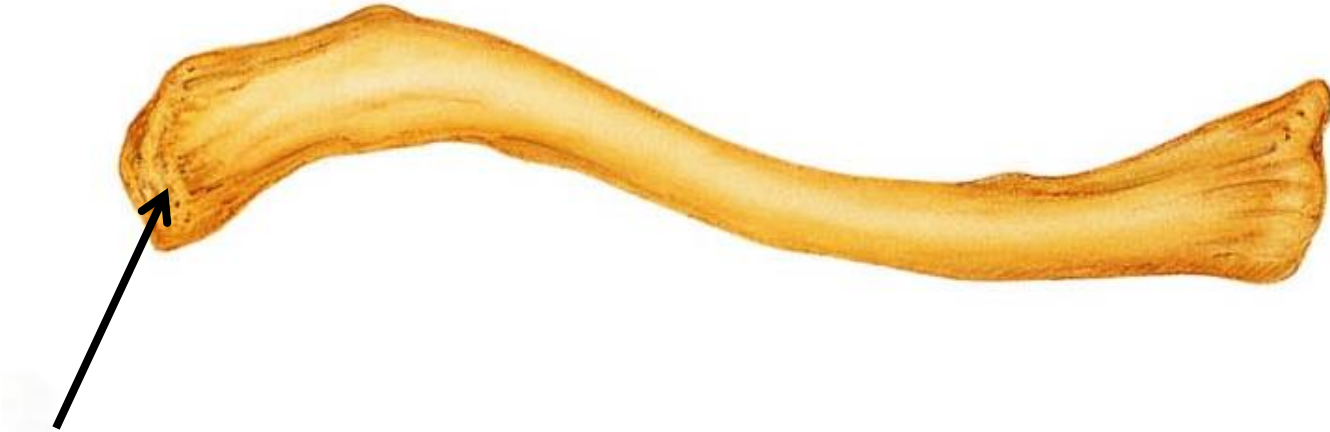
- Aka collarbones
- Slender S-shaped bone
- Superior surface smooth
- Act as braces and keep the shoulders lateral

# Clavicle – Sternal end



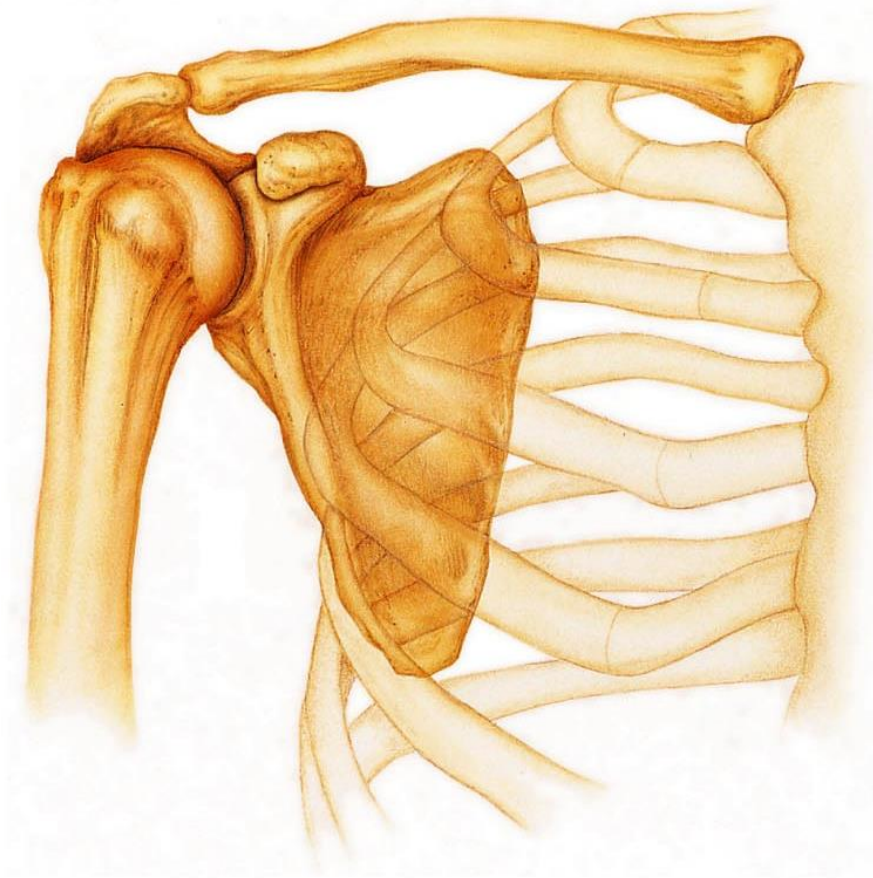
- Attaches to the sternum
- Cone shaped or squished

# Clavicle – Acromial end



- Attaches to the acromion of the sternum

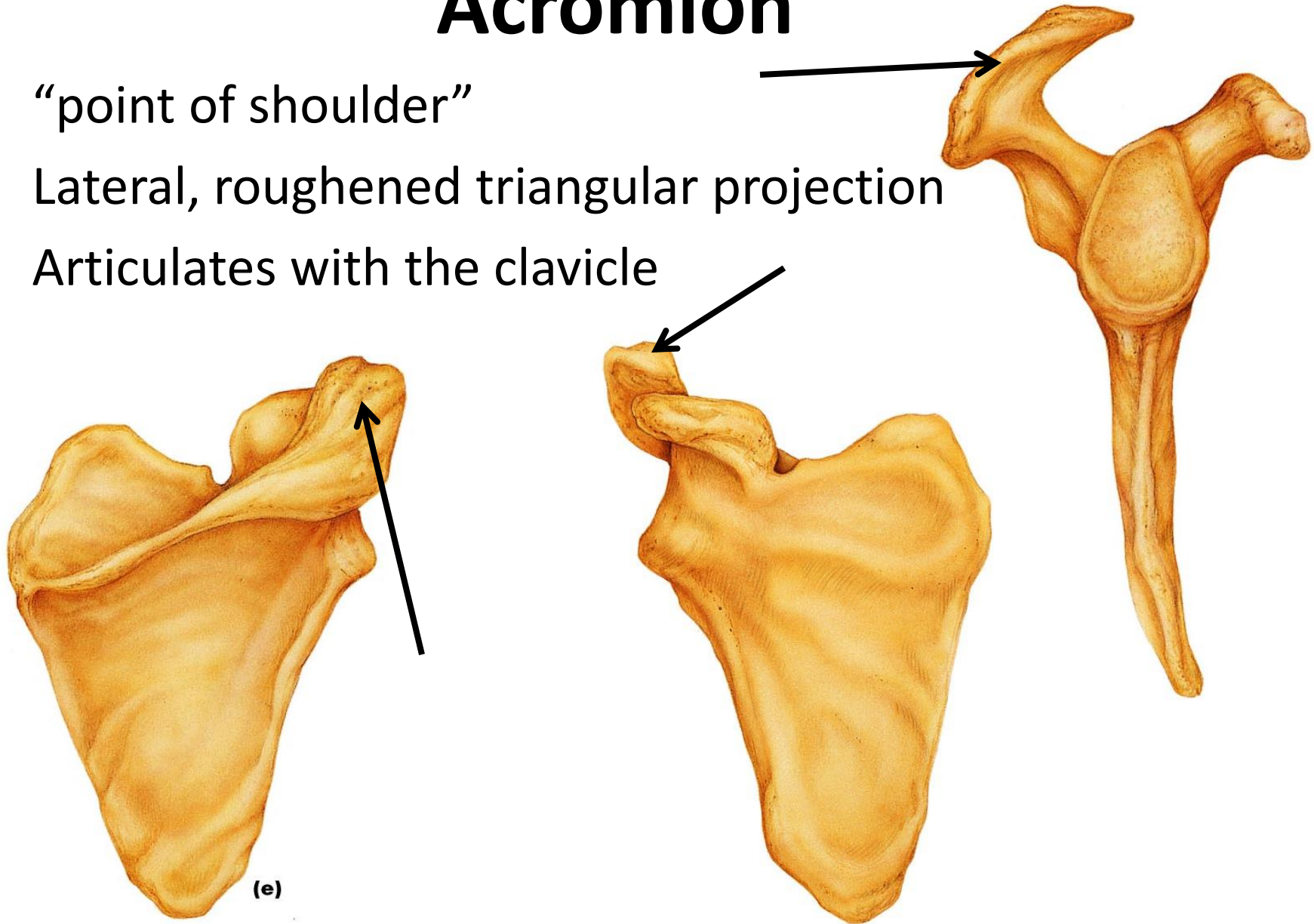
# Scapula



- Aka shoulder blades
- Name is comes from “spade” or “shovel” because ancient civilizations used them as such.
- Lie between ribs 2 - 7

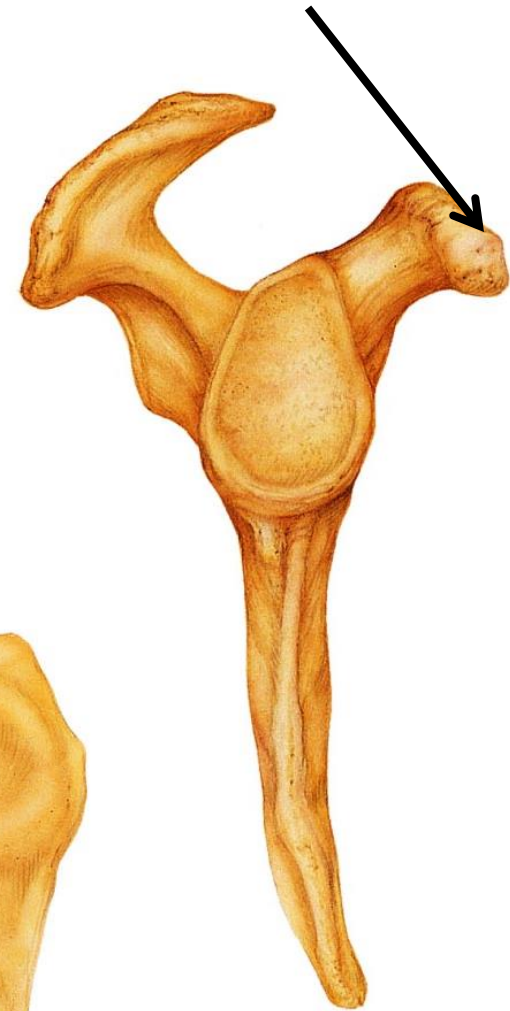
# Acromion

- “point of shoulder”
- Lateral, roughened triangular projection
- Articulates with the clavicle



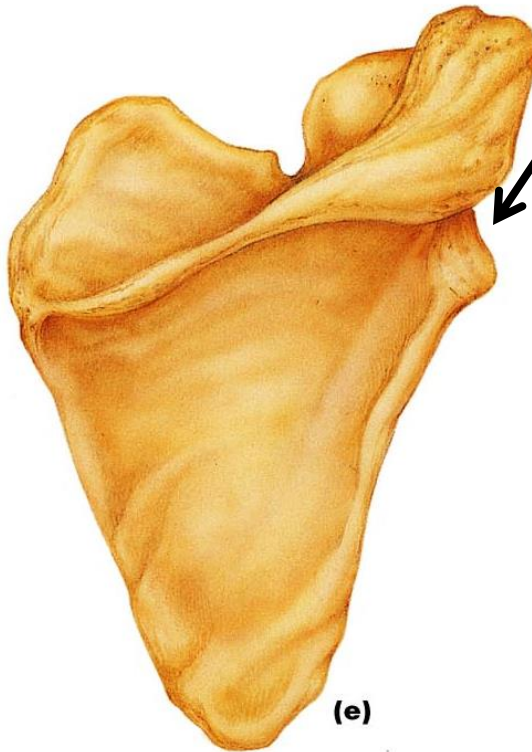
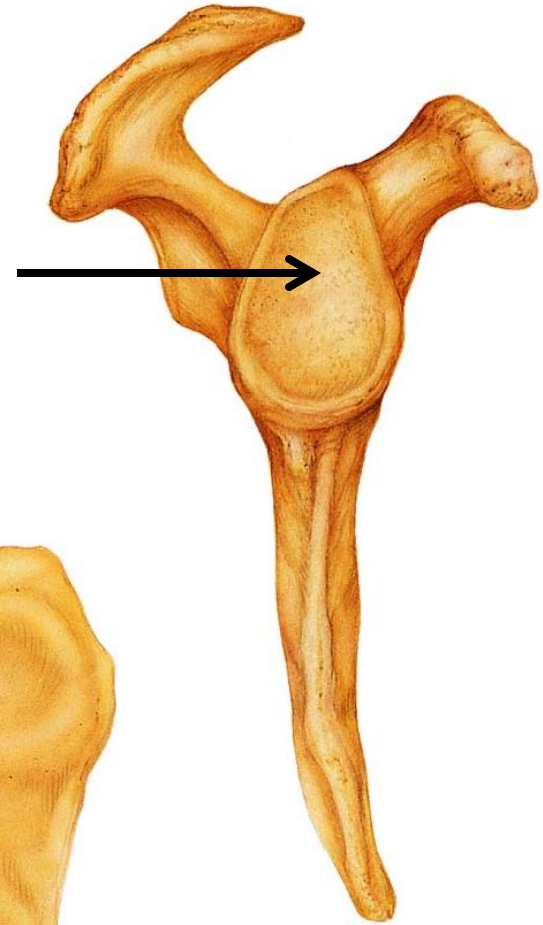
# Coracoid Process

- Anterior projection
- Helps to anchor biceps muscle

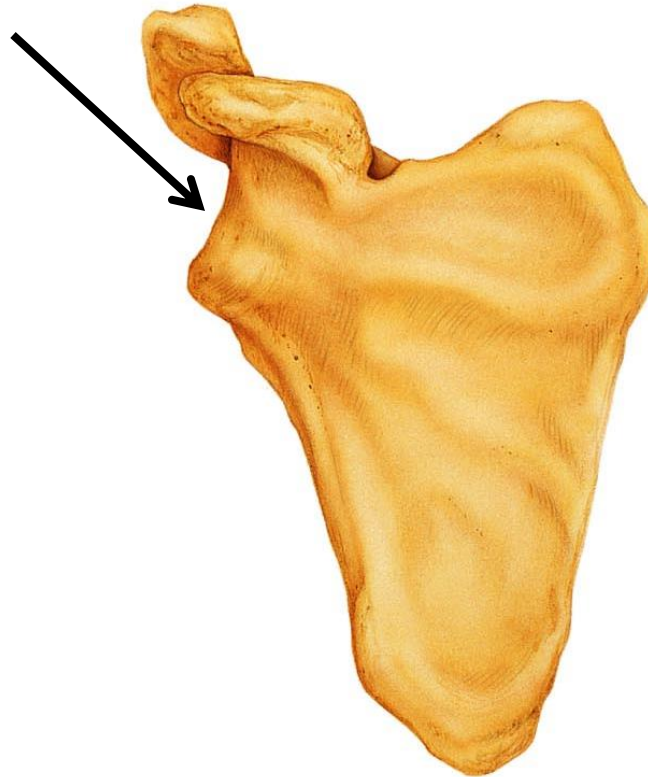


# Glenoid Cavity

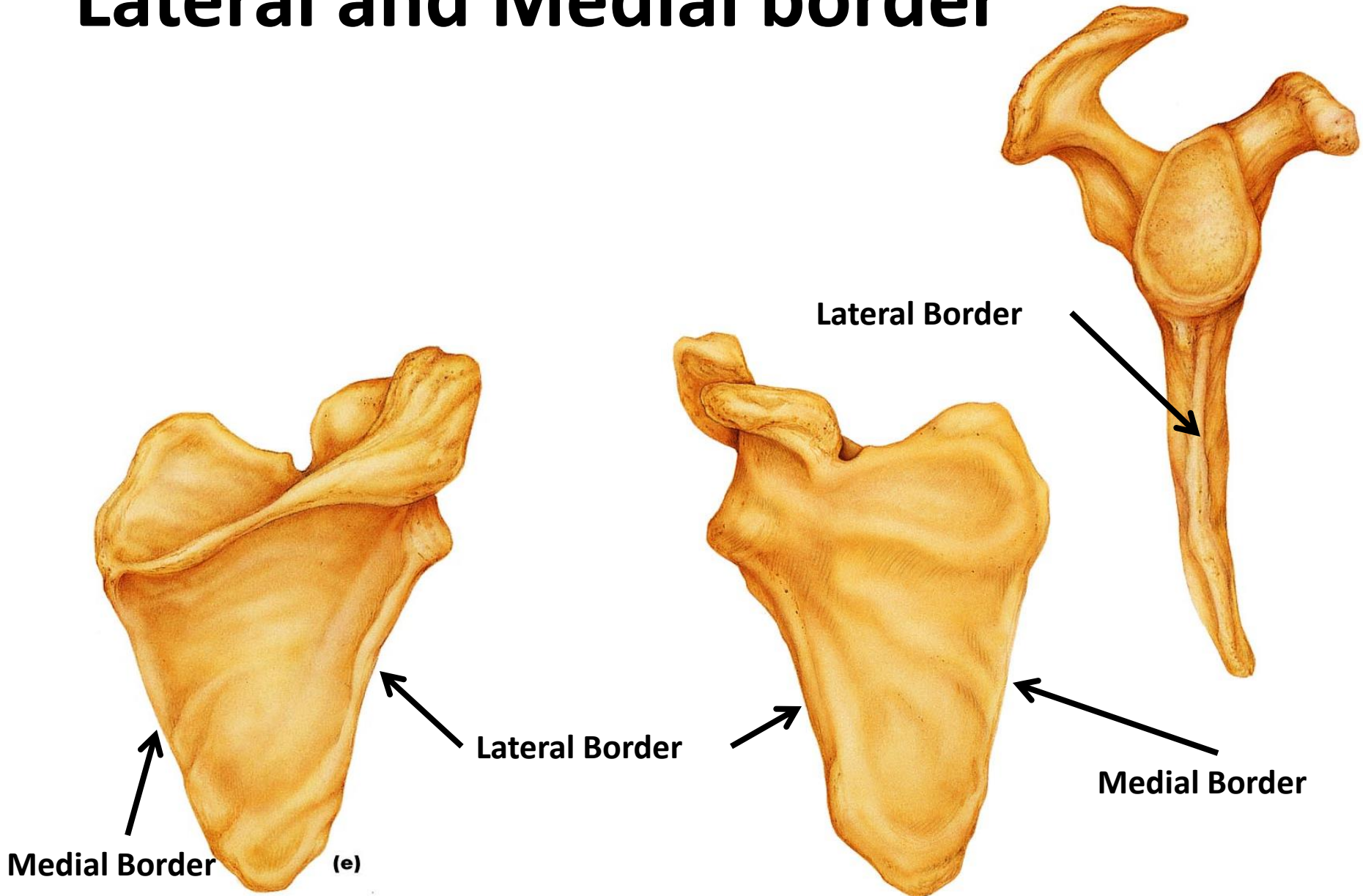
- Small shallow fossa, articulates with humerus



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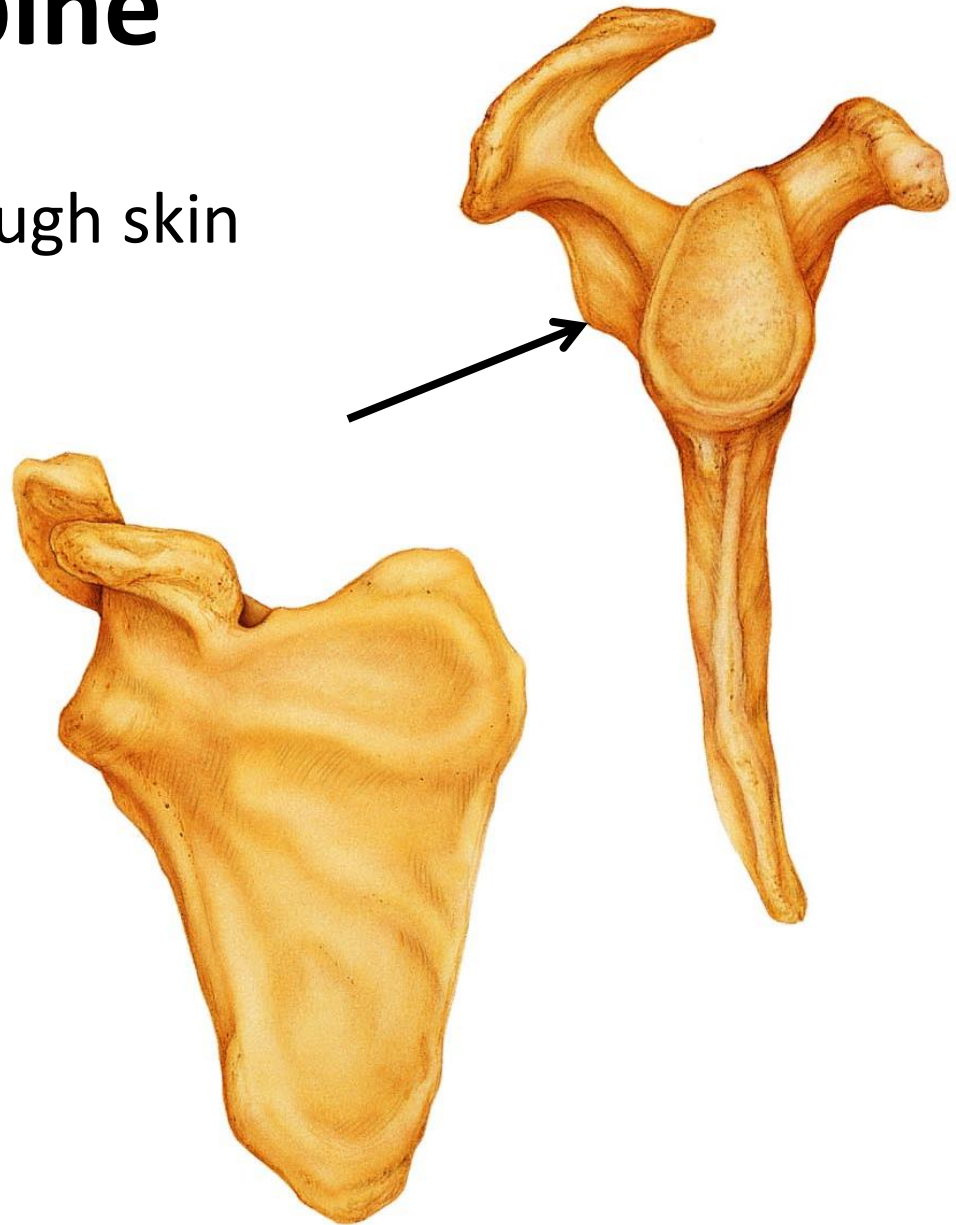
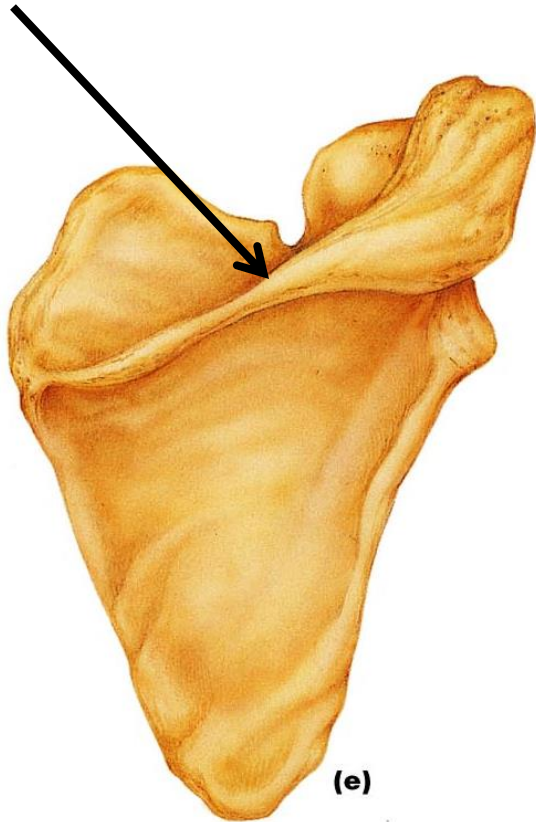


# Lateral and Medial border



# Spine

- Posterior, easily felt through skin



# Suprascapular notch

- Passageway for nerves

