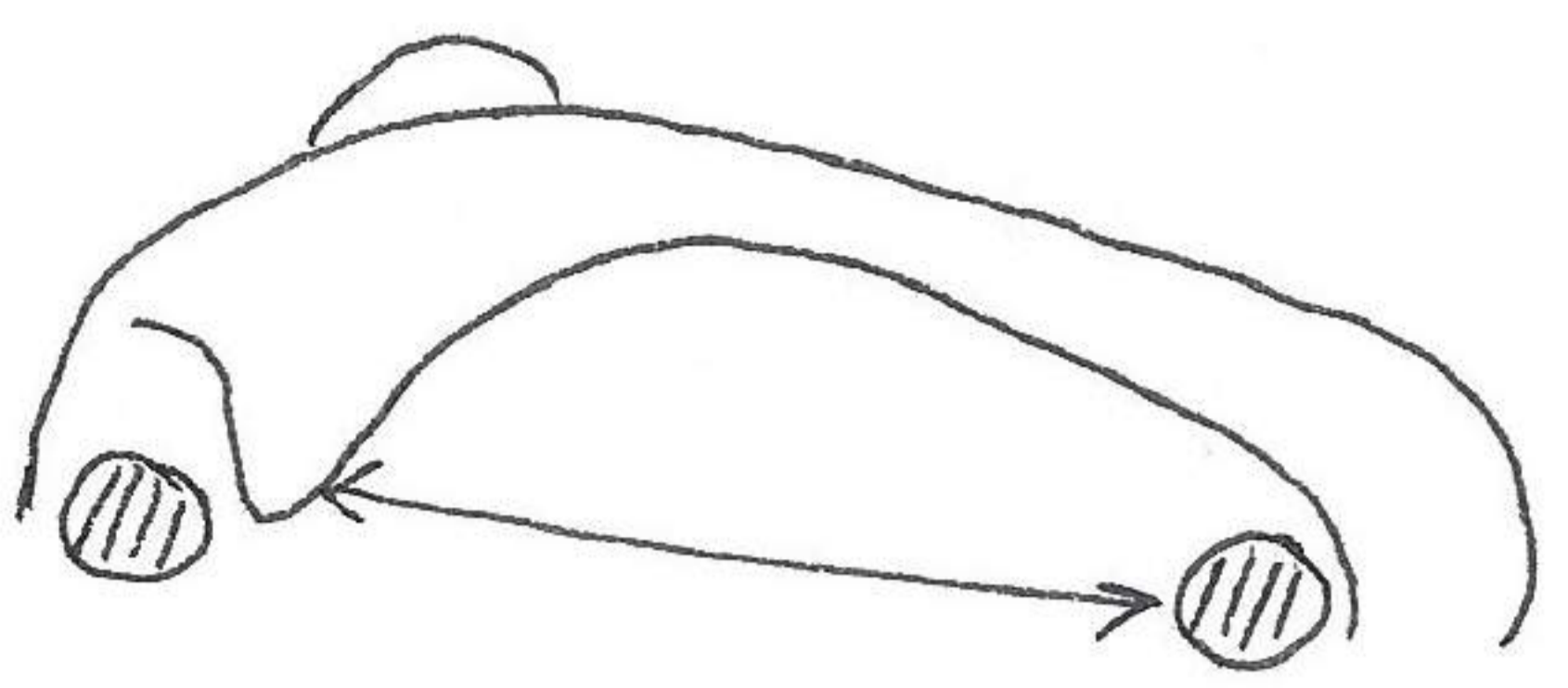


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The height of the shell is 2 to 2 1/2 times the distance between the posterior pseudocardinal tooth and the anterior side of the posterior adductor muscle scar. The anterior adductor muscle is not enclosed by pseudocardinal teeth as is in *Q. quadrula*. Cardinal teeth larger.

than in *Q. quadrula*.
lateral ridge and ^{shell} more rounded than *Q. quadrula*.
a metallic silver.

Umbo more prominent. Lacks nacre