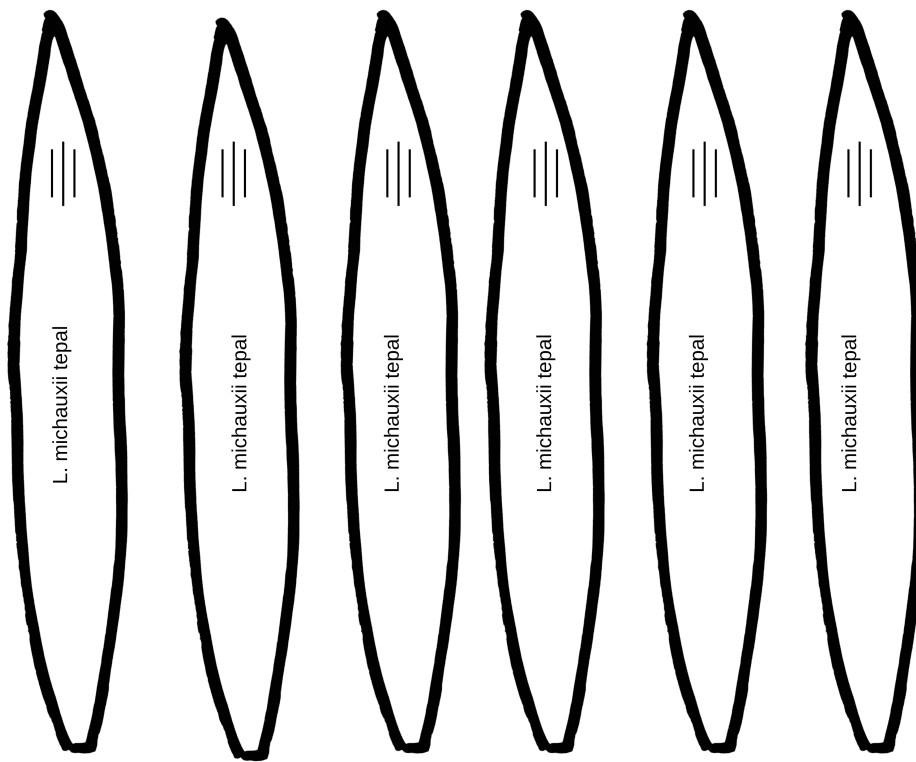
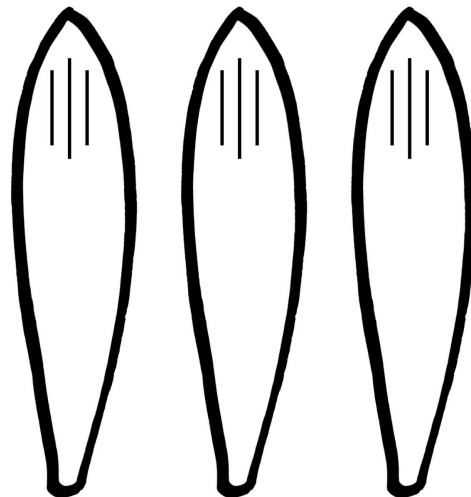


Lilium michauxii - Tepal and leaf templates

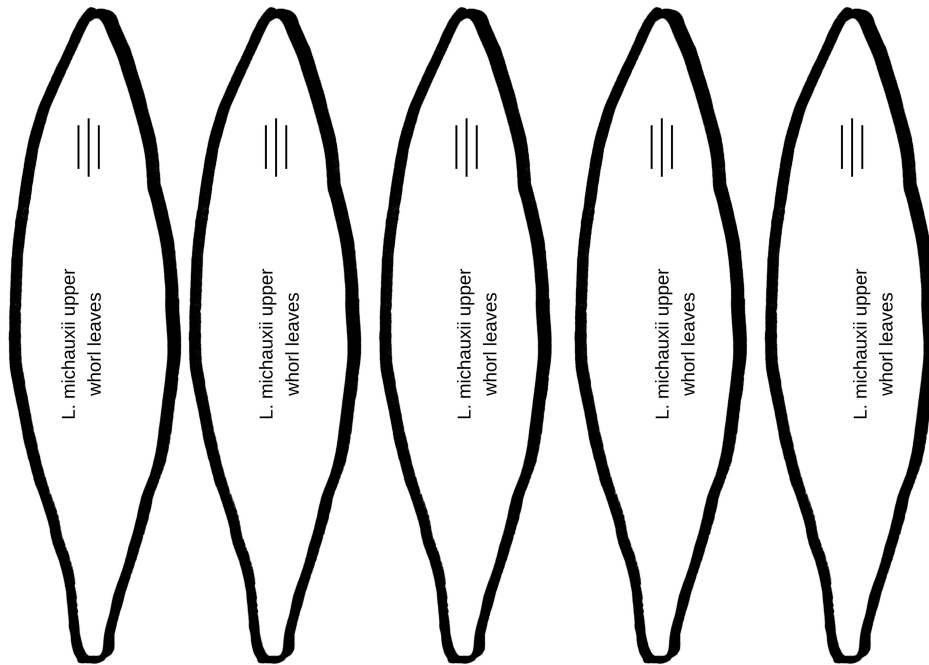


Lily sepals (structures protecting the developing flower bud) are nearly identical to its petals. The sepals and petals are fused at the base of the ovary, and often collectively referred to as tepals.

Two to three small leaves are found on the pedicel —small stalk connecting the bloom to the main stem.



Lilium michauxii - Leaf whorls



The upper whorl of leaves are 4-5" below the bloom's stem, are slightly smaller than the lower whorls located approximately 5" further down the stem.

