

Thunderseed pod

The Thunderseed Vault

THREE FORMS



Closed Thunderseed

A closed palm-sized pod hides its kernels behind papery walls, copper rings and a green seam.



Copper-Ring Seed

The seam parts slightly, exposing three pale kernels beneath raised copper rings.



Seven-Beat Seed Bloom

Seven uneven lobes open around a small warm centre, keeping tiny kernels attached inside.

Three authored forms of an imagined species. Illustrations are not to a common scale.

Habitat

The Thunderseed Vault's dry honeycomb shelves. Solid rock separates this seed store from the neighbouring basin; the pods rest among fine mineral sediment.

Identifying features

Palm-sized papery pod with concentric copper mineral rings, a green central seam and tiny pale kernels visible only in the open form.

Character & musical voice

A dry rattle becomes a seven-position phrase, then a generous bright cluster. Seed shaker, woody marimba and root brass.