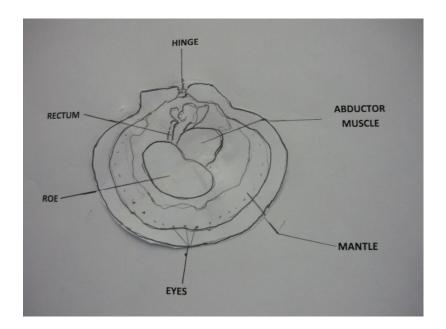
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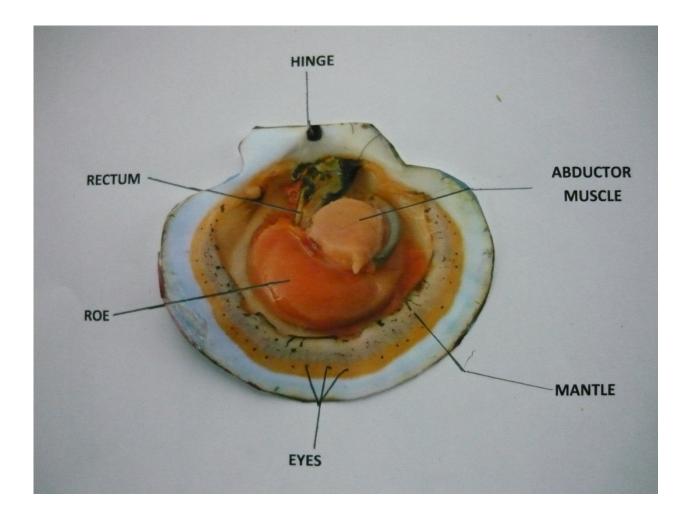
Using this diagram showing the anatomy of a sea scallop can you label the parts in the photograph of the sea scallop?





What part of the animal is usually eaten in the United States?

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Although the entire animal is edible, and is eaten in other countries, the *abductor muscle*, which is responsible for opening and closing the shells, is the only part usually eaten in the United States.