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Native to Australia; (although most of our accessions are from Papua New Guinea).
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Lyon L-80.0719, from Waimea 75p323 (incl. L-87.227, same source). Rcvd from Waimea as Undet.; looks almost identical to L-80.0718 Amomum aculeatum, but time of flowering was out of phase; also looks like L-79.0108 A. longipes. Keep separate from L-87.0223 and L-87.0281. ID as A. dallachyi by R.M. Smith, Aug 87. // Plantings: between H22-8-2 & -3, no date / (1) 21 Sep 1988, in H21, makai/ewa of Hydriastele wendlandiana L-81.0296; in flower, 17 Aug 96. // Alice Tangerini collected flowers, fruit, stem with leaves for illustrating, Aug 96. // Voucher: KMN 3627 -HLA, E; flowering out of phase w/ L-80.718. 5 m ht., 2.5 cm diam. Leaves elliptic-lanceolate, 40-45 x 8.5-9.5 cm; ligule shallowly bifid, base red, margin ciliate. Peduncle subterrestrial, horizontal, 8-15 cm; infl. at soil level, globose or depressed globose, 5-5.5 x 4.5-5.5 cm. Bracts ciliate near apex, exposed portion green, concealed portion rose-pink. Bracteole tubular, puberulent, 15 mm, rose-pink. Calyx bronzy, 2 cm, exceeding the corolla tube; corolla lobes yellow w/ pink veins, 20-27 mm; labellum 26x37 mm, pale yellow w/ red mottling at center, lip dark yellow, bilobed. Anther crest 3-lobed, laterals 5 mm.

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Other accessions (not shown):


**L-87.0281**, Papua N.G.: Kress 80-1130; Sangwep; via Waimea 82p524; voucher: KMN 3641 -HLA, E. (Still in greenhouse, or DEAD.)