

Solenangis aphylla



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Native of: East Africa & Madagascar

Habitat: Epiphyte at low levels in thicket and riverine forest to 900m.

Description: This is the only leafless plant in this genus, roots long up to 90cm long and 2mm thick. Flowers are white tipped with reddish pink and slightly scented. They are less than 1 cm across but the dense spike can have up to 16 flowers.

Cultivation Guidance: At school we grow similar species mounted as they must have light to their roots, at (min. 15°C) in moderate shade.

Flowering season: ?

Flask to flowering approx: 3yrs?

Seedling source: Bob & Paddy Dadd