

Cymbidium mastersii



Native of: Himalayas

Habitat: We have seen this species in Sikkim growing as an epiphyte in evergreen forest from 1500 - 2500 meters.

Description: Medium sized plant with 5 to 10 flowers on a 40cm long spike. Flowers are 5cm across and long lasting. One parent has a spotty lip and the other has no spots.

Cultivation Guidance: At school we grow this cool (min.10°C) wet in the summer dryish in winter in pots. A lot of cymbidium growers put mature plants outside in a shady place during summer.

Flowering season: Autumn

Flask to flowering approx: 4yrs.

Seed source: Writhlington School