PLANT FACT SHEET

Neotinea lactea (Poir.) R. M. Bateman, Pridgeon & M. W. Chase

GENUS *Neotinea* **FAMILY** Orchidaceae

COMMON NAMES Salepcicegi, Milky orchid

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Bulb

DESCRIPTION

An orchid. It has a bulb or tuber. The stems are 7-20 cm tall. There are 3-4 leaves near the base. They are oblong and pointed. The flowers are in dense cone shaped spikes. They are purple spotted.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant. It grows from sea level to 1,150 m above sea level.

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