PLANT FACT SHEET

Stanhopea tigrina Bateman ex Lindl.

GENUS *Stanhopea* **FAMILY** Orchidaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Flowers - flavouring

The highly scented flowers have been used to add flavour to tortillas.

DESCRIPTION

An orchid.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

NOTES

There are 70 Stanhopea species. They are epiphytic orchids in tropical America.

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