

Cymbidium lowianum (Rchb. f.) Rchb. f. (Orchidaceae): A new record of angiosperm for Darjeeling Himalaya of West Bengal

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SUMMARY

Present paper deals with the *Cymbidium lowianum* (Rchb. f.) Rchb. f. (Orchidaceae) is collected from Todey forest and Neora Valley of Kalimpong Sub-Division of Darjeeling Himalaya of West Bengal and is reported as new angiospermic record for the Darjeeling Himalayan region of India. An updated nomenclature, important synonyms, illustrated description, photographs, habitat, flowering and fruiting, altitudinal range, specimen examined, present status and geographical distribution of species has also been given.

Key Words : New record, Orchidaceae, *Cymbidium lowianum*, Darjeeling Himalaya, India

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