***Bulbophyllum annandalei*** Ridl., J. Straits Branch Roy. Asiat. Soc. 82: 197 (1920).

[SECTION Cirrhopetalum [Lindl.] Rchb.f 1861](http://www.orchidspecies.com/bulbcirrhopetalum.htm)

Named for the original collector.



**Synonyms**

Cirrhopetalum annandelei

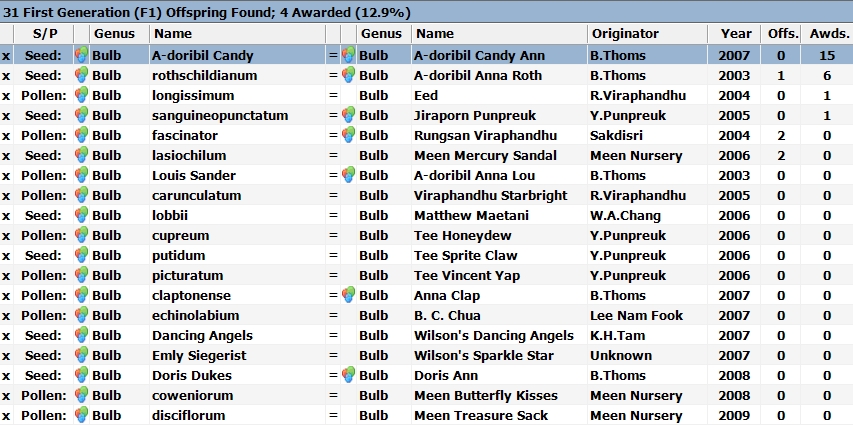
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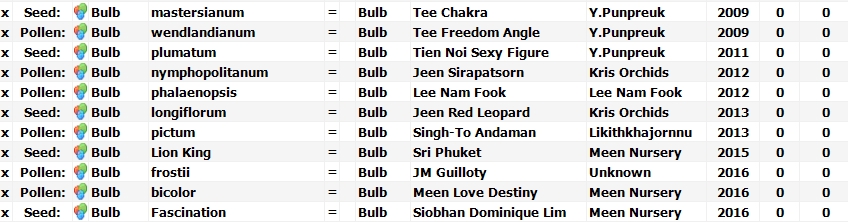
Found in penninsular Thailand and Malaysia at elevations around 1000 meters as a miniature to small sized, cool to warm growing epiphyte with conical pseudobulbs carrying a single, apical, thick, blunt leaf that blooms in the spring on a basal, 3 3/5" to 5" [9 to 12 cm] long, 2 to 4 flowered inflorescence holding the flowers in a loose umbel. Flowers smell like cheese.  Lips move. Keep plant in cool to intermediate temperatures in shaded conditions.

**Habitat**

Peninsular Thailand and Malaya. For many years this species was known only from the type specimen which was collected in from Bukit Besar at about 6.1N Latitude, which is near the border between Thailand and Malaya. The plant has been recently found farther south, however, in the Genting Highlands near Kuala Lumpur, Malaya at about 3300 ft. (1000 m). -- Source: Charles Baker

**F-1 Hybrids and Progeny**

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*Bulbophyllum annandalei* hybridizes well in primary crosses with other *Bulbophyllum* species. Twenty-three of the 31 F-I hybrids are primary crosses within the genus *Bulbophyllum*. As the chart shows, all but 5 of the F-1 fail to reproduce. The most awarded F-1 grex is Bulbophyllum A-doribil Candy Ann with 13 AOS awards including an FCC, 9 AM and a couple of cultural awards. Bulbophylum Anna Roth crosses Candy Ann with *Bulbophyllum rothschildianum.* It has 4 AM, 1 HCC and a CCM in 2009.



Bulbophyllum A-doribil Candy Ann

(*Bulbophyllum annandalei* x Bulbophyllum A-doribil Candy) Get it?



Bulbophyllum A-doribil Anne Roth ‘Cherry’ Am/AOS

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