

***Curcuma longa* L.,**
syn.: *C. domestica* Valetton (from Java),
Turmeric, `ōlena

Native to Asian tropics
or India.
Widely cultivated.

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***C. longa* L.**, (*C. domestica*), from
Elsie Horikawa, Oahu, (either
Lyon L-74.0424 or L-75.0177)

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C. longa, Foster 9521 at Wahiawa.

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L-74.0424 and L-75.0177, Oahu: from Elsie Horikawa; **DEAD**.

L-79.0301, Michigan: Int'l Growers Exchange; via Kalford Yee, via T. Kubota; **DEAD?**

L-82.0282, Japan: Ibuski Tropical Rsch. Stn. Plantings: 1 Apr 1986 (2) **MLMakai, Herb Garden, ewa side under *Pritchardia***; dormant, Apr 93. Voucher: KMN 3694 - HLA, E.

L-84.0424, Kauai: Wainiha Valley; coll. by Fred Fujii; **DEAD?**

L-87.0328, Kauai: Kalaheo; Mrs. Emerick, via NTBG 72p108, via Waimea 74p333. Plantings: 23 Sep 1987 (1), **MLMakai, Herb Garden, new section**. Vouchers: A. Nishimoto 12 -HLA(1) & AN 15 -HLA(1); **pink & white bracts**, terminal infl up to .5 m tall).

L-85.0155 (**dark orange rhizome**), Oahu: Don Mitchell. 1 planted 28 May 1986, **MLMakai, Herb Garden, under *Delonix***.

L-88.0572 (**rhizome orange outside, white inside**), Thailand, John Mood.

L-96.0258, Elsie Horikawa, rcvd 22 May 91?; **orange rhizome, white bracts**; **DEAD?**

L-90.0083 (**white rhizomes**), Oahu: Tip Davis, via Alan Young. Dormant, 15 Jan 99.

L-92.0013 (**yellow-orange rhizomes inside**), Bea Krauss source?. 30 planted in **Ethnobotany, Metrosideros Island**, pre-1991.

2003.0033 *C. aff. longa*, Myanmar: Smithsonian; Kress 97-5808 (has its own page).

2003.0067, Smithsonian, Kress 00-6635.

2003.0068, Smithsonian, Kress 99-6480.

2005.0065 (**top bracts pale pink**), Nong Nooch 9326.

2004.0108 `Emperor', Thailand: Nong Nooch 9296.

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Lyon 2003.0033, Myanmar: Smithsonian; Kress 97-5808.
2 planted H33 (Econ.), ewa of 'Lilian Oliveira' ti, makai of
citrons, 19 Jul 2003. In flower, Aug 2004.



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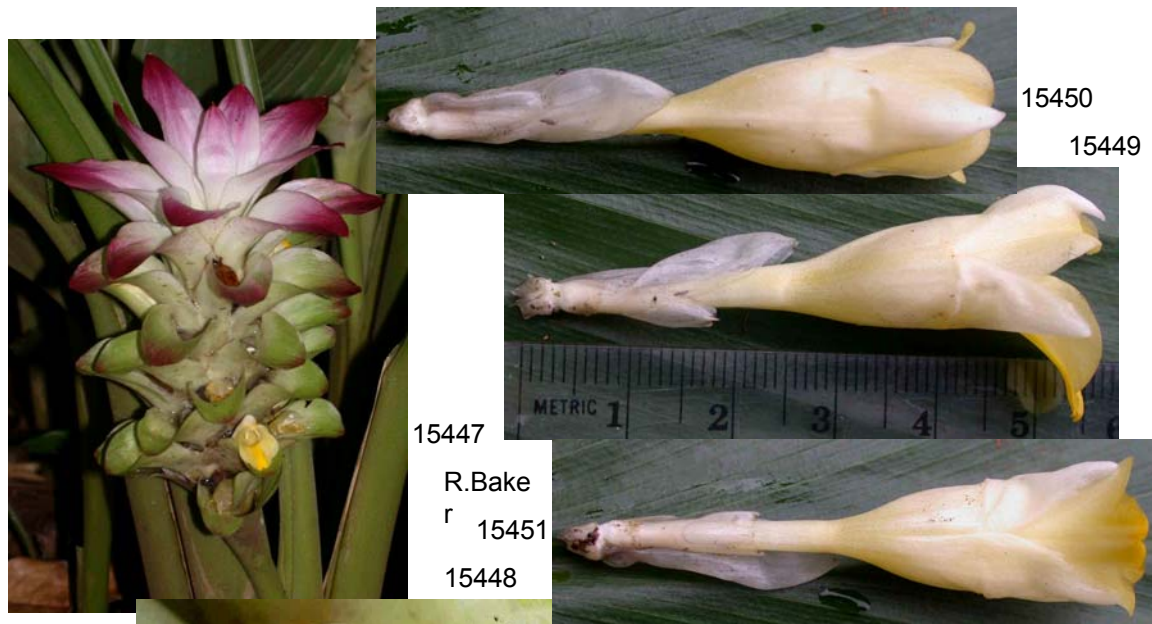


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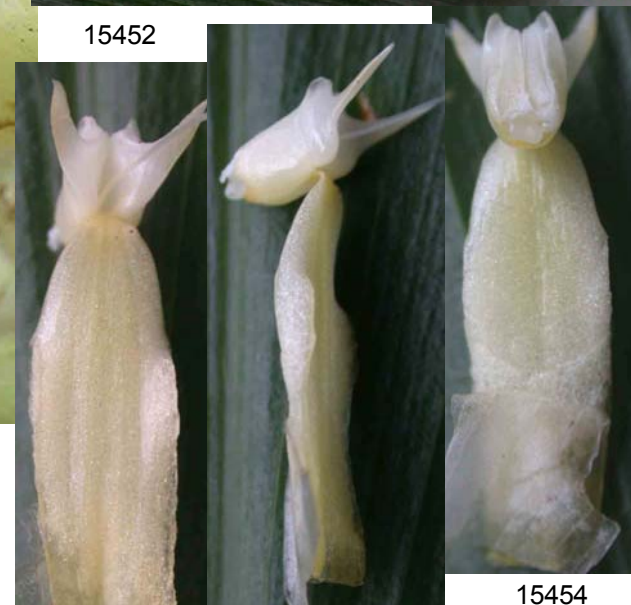
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***Curcuma longa* L., syn.: *Curcuma soloensis* Valeton**

1 m ht.; rhizome orange, very mildly flavored; roots orange. Leaves 7, plain green, elliptic or ovate-elliptic, 40-60 x 15-19 cm, tapering at base into a winged petiole; petiole 5-22 cm above the ligule; ligule ciliate, 1-2 mm. Infl. cylindric, 15-18 x 9-11 cm; peduncle exposed 5 cm above sheaths; fertile bracts green with rose red apex, becoming progressively streaked with rose-purple towards the coma; lower ones with limb 3 cm, obtuse, obovate; upper ones 5.5 cm, lance-elliptic, finally becoming coma-like; coma white toward base, rose-purple toward apex, 6 cm; flowers (2-) 3-4 (-5), about equalling the lower fertile bracts; bracteoles 2-2.5 cm, translucent white, often with slight pink apex. Calyx translucent, 1 cm; floral tube 2 cm; corolla white, 2.5-3 cm, the lobes 1-1.5 cm; lateral staminodes yellow, 11-15 x 7-8 mm; labellum yellow with darker median band, 20 x 17 mm, obovate, the lip bilobed; filament 4 x 4 mm, anther 5 mm, spurs 3 mm.



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Lyon L-87.0327, Papua N.G.: K. Woolliams 596; Musgrave R., 58 km from UPNG, 2000' elev., rainfall 150" annual. Via Waimea 75p1641, *C. sp.* Plantings: 23 Sep 1987 (1), **MLMakai, Herb Gdn., new sec., above *Pritchardia arecina***. Vouchers: KMN 3915 - HLA, KMN 3699 - HLA; KMN ID as *C. soloensis*, which is *C. longa*, acc. to RBG Kew Monocot Checklist.