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Rodriguezia claudiae Chiron, an addition to the Flora of Colombia (Orchidaceae).

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Abstract
A population of *Rodriguezia claudiae* Chiron, was discovered in the Department of Putumayo, a new addition to the Flora of Colombia (Orchidaceae).

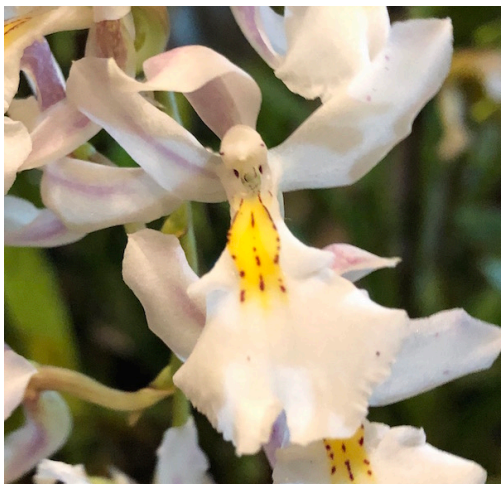
Rodriguezia claudiae Chiron was recently discovered in Colombia but has been misidentified as *Rodriguezia arevaloi* Schltr. and given the variety *santina* due to its yellow color to plants in cultivation. A combination that has never been published. *Rodriguezia claudiae* was only known from Peru. The Colombian population was found at 500 m at Puerto Guzmán, Department Putumayo and is here added to the flora of Colombia.

Rodriguezia claudiae Chiron, Richardiana 1: 24 (2001).

Holotype: Peru, between La Merced and Oxapampa (Pasco), 600 m. Collected in October 1998, flowered in culture in 2000, deposited in the Herbarium of the University Claude Bernard de Lyon with number Chiron 98065 (LY).

Colombia: Specimen collected at Puerto Guzmán, Department Putumayo, Colombia. Specimen made from a plant in cultivation (2019). Collector unknown. Voucher specimen at (HPUJ).

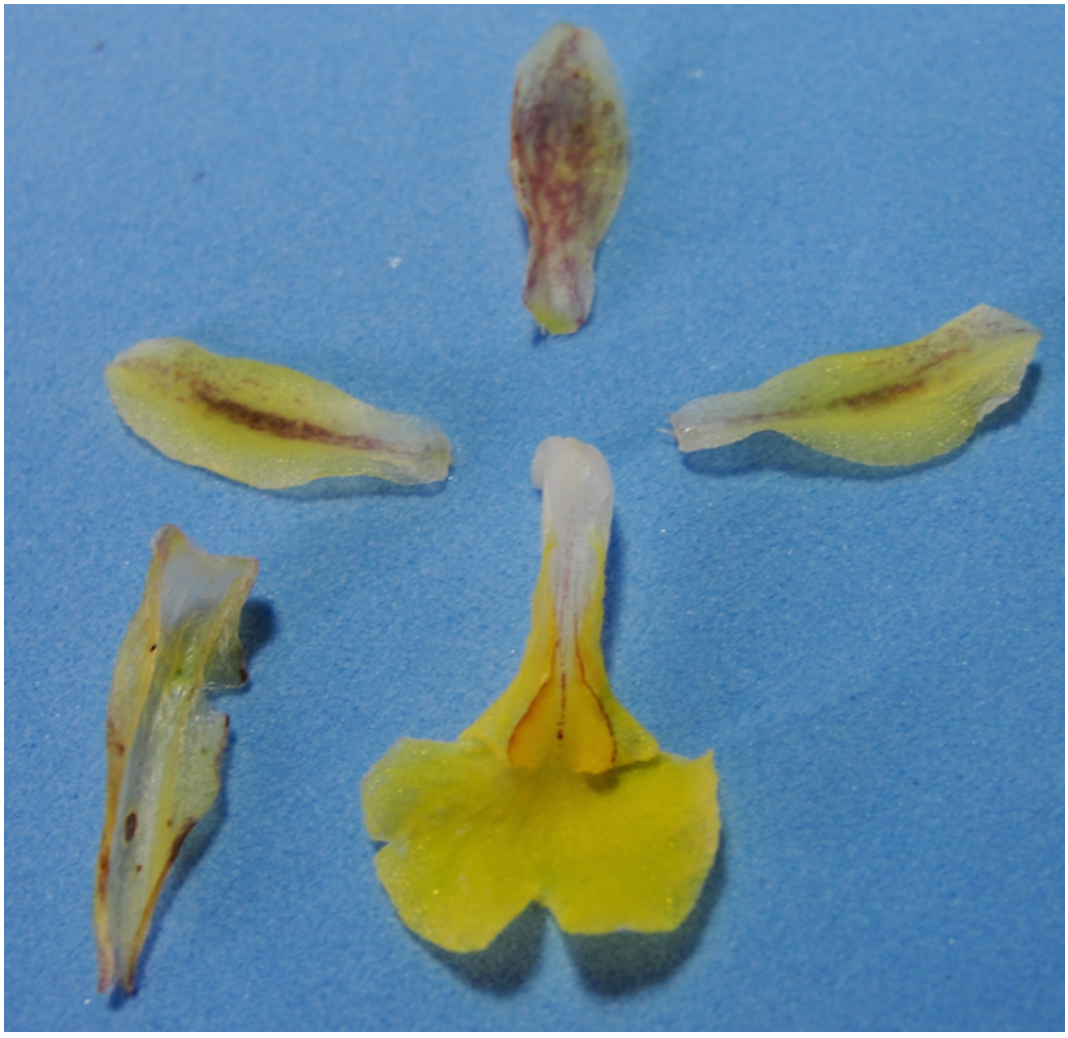
Rodriguezia claudiae Chiron.



Rodriguezia arevaloi Schltr.

Rodriguezia claudiae Chiron.

Rodriguezia claudiae Chiron labellum.



Rodriguezia claudiae Chiron.

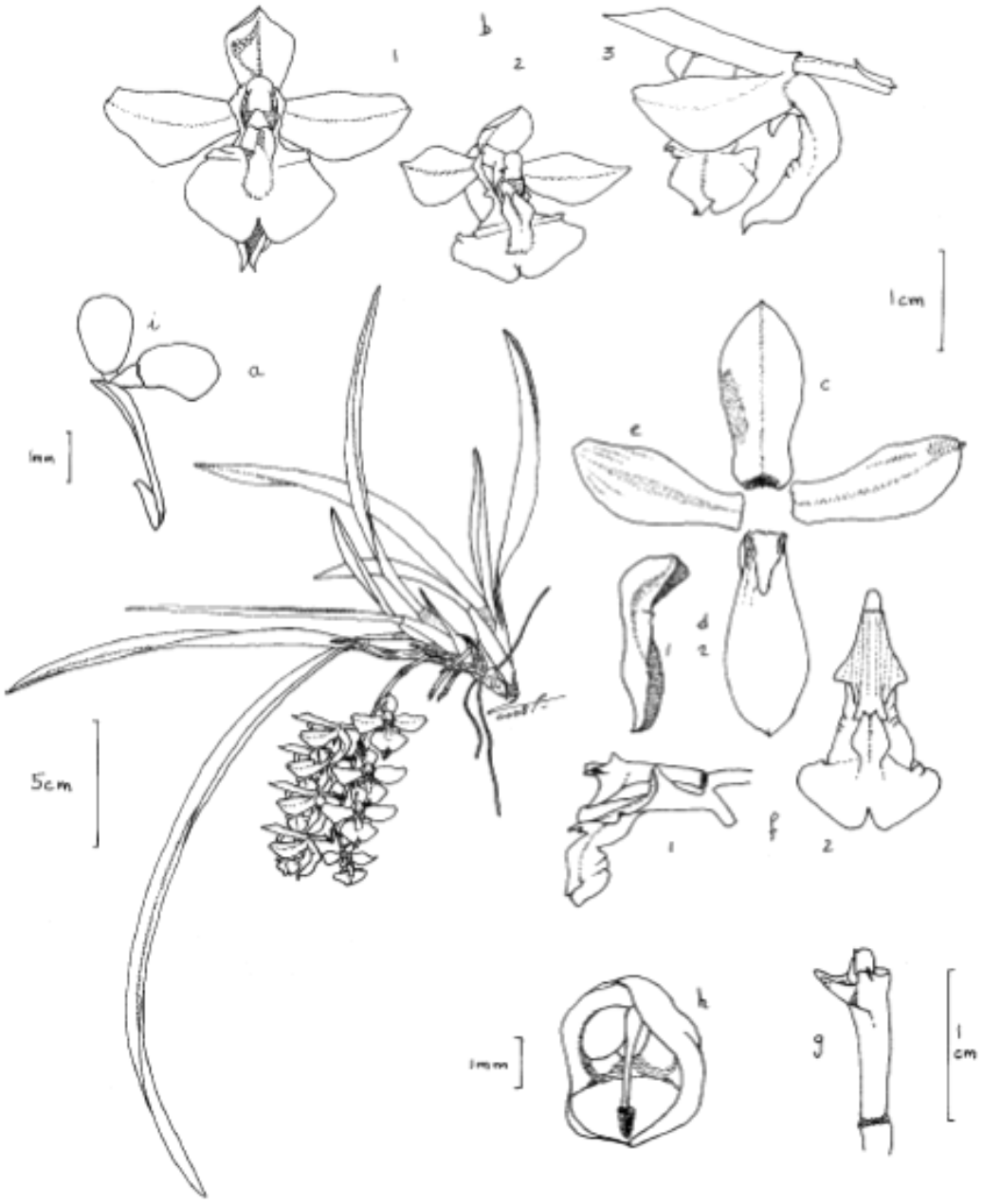


Planche 2 - *Rodriguezia claudiae* Chiron

dessin Guy Chiron, août 2000, d'après spécimen vivant (Pérou, Chiron 98065)
a : plante – b : fleur (1 : vue de face – 2 : vue de trois quarts – 3 : vue de côté) – c : sépale dorsal – d : sépales latéraux (1 : en position naturelle – 2 : étalés) – e : pétales – f : labelle (1 : en position naturelle, avec la colonne – 2 : étalé) – g : colonne – h : anthère avec pollinies – i : pollinarium

Type illustration in Richardiana I(1), p. 22. Contribution à l'étude des Orchidées du Pérou I – Rodriguezia Ruiz & Pavon, Guy R. Chiron. January 2001.

Resumen

Una población de *Rodriguezia claudiae* Chiron, fue descubierta en el Departamento de Putumayo, y es una nueva adición a la Flora de Colombia (Orchidaceae).

Rodriguezia claudiae Chiron fue descubierta recientemente en Colombia, pero se identificó erróneamente como *Rodriguezia arevaloi* Schltr. y dada la variedad *santina,* por su color amarillo, a las plantas en cultivo. Una combinación que nunca ha sido publicada. *Rodriguezia claudiae* solo se conocía de Perú. La población Colombiana se encontró a 500 m en Puerto Guzmán, Departamento Putumayo y se agrega aquí a la flora de Colombia.