

# Sabaragamuwa Province, Sri Lanka

## ORCHIDS of Morningside

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1 *Anoectochilus regalis*



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3 *Anoectochilus setaceus*



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6 *Arundina graminifolia*



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8 *Bulbophyllum elegans*



9 *Bulbophyllum elegans*



10 *Calanthe triplicata*



11 *Calanthe triplicata*



12 *Calanthe triplicata*



13 *Chiloschista pusilla*



14 *Conchidium muscicola*



15 *Conchidium muscicola*



16 *Conchidium muscicola*



17 *Cymbidium ensifolium*



18 *Dendrobium panduratum*



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20 *Eulophia spectabilis*

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21 *Eulophia spectabilis*



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23 *Malaxis discolor*



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26 *Pholidota pallida*



27 *Podochilus malabaricus*



28 *Podochilus malabaricus*



29 *Sirhookera lanceolata*



30 *Spathoglottis plicata*



31 *Trichoglottis tenera*



32 *Trichoglottis tenera*



Montane Forest in Sinharaja Pranta Reserve

Morningside is the local name of the eastern part of the Sinharaja Forest Reserve, the largest remaining rain forest in Sri Lanka. This part was extensively explored during the 1990's. The main focus was studying the vertebrate fauna (amphibians and reptiles) and crabs. It is important that the flora be investigated as well. The Morningside area is affected by local people and agriculture, mainly tea plantations.