

VANILLA ORCHID



Vanilla planifolia

Find in: Sugar from the Sun
in the wild, this plant thrives
in wet, hot habitats, and is
found in Mexico, Central America,
and the Caribbean.

Each flower

only lasts for
one day! They

must be self-

pollinated within

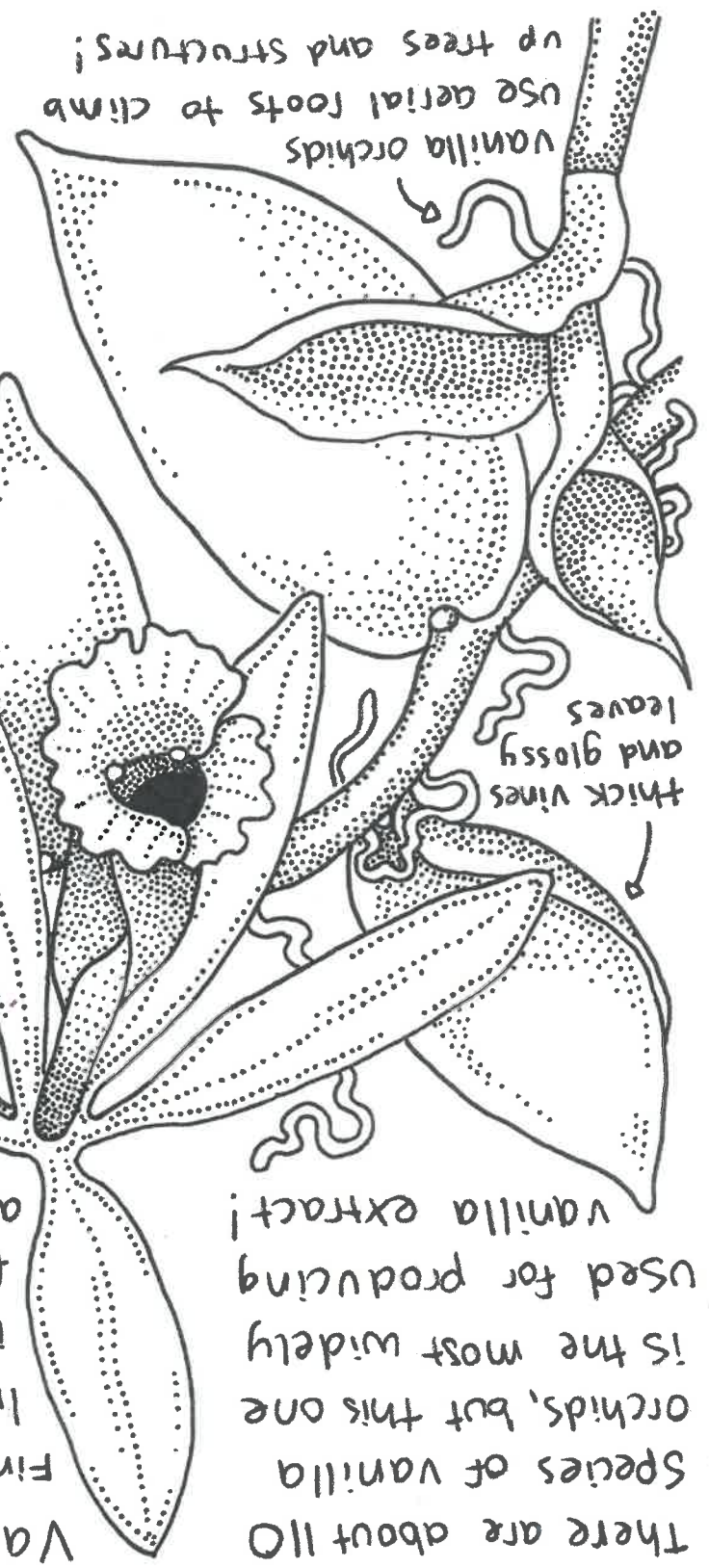
12 hours of opening

to produce fruit. All

commercial plants are

self-pollinated with

help from humans.



There are about 110
species of vanilla
orchids, but this one
is the most widely
used for producing
vanilla extract!

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