

Anglo/Brazilian
Northern Mato Grosso Expedition 1967/69

FLORA OF MATO GROSSO

No. R. 1034

Scleria leptostachya Kunth.

8 km NE of the Base Camp of the Expedition.
(Base Camp at 12° 54' S - 51° 52' W close to the
Xavantina-São Felix road.)

Vernacular name: Mijo de Cavalo

Inflorescences to 80 cm. with
characteristic scent, hence the vernac.
name (= horse urine).

Growing in cerrado formation on
sandy soil.

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