

FLORA OF BRAZIL

State of MATO GROSSO

No. R 2355

Qualea wittrockii Malmé

Near Rio Suiazinho, approx 12°50'S. 51°53'W
(approx 290 km NNW of Xavantina)

Vernacular name: CANGERANA PRETA

Tree, 28 m tall. Trunk 60 cm diam. at breast height with small buttresses at the base. Bark grey, fissured like that of a Scots Pine. Blaze: cortex pale sandy brown; wood amber.

Petal white with a central yellow honey-guide + salmon pink spots lying on either side of it. Flowers visited by humming-birds.

In Swampy Gallery Forest.

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