

FLORA OF BRAZIL

Federal District

No. R. 3393

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Ericosema nr. defoliatum Benth.

Fazenda Agua Limpa (University of Brasília field station), near Vargem Bonita, c. 18 km. SSW of Brasília TV tower.

Perennial herb forming a clump of shoots to 40 cm tall. These are at present leafless and only one is in flower.

Standard & keel mauve-purple on outside; inside of standard dirty yellow veined with mauve-purple; wings yellow.

In campo limpo which must be very wet during rainy season but is now dry.

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