

FLORA OF BRAZIL
Federal District

No. R. 3613

Phthirusa ovata (Pohl) Eichl.

Close to the Escola Fazendária, c. 11 km
SE of the Brasília TV Tower

Parasite on a 2m tree of
Dalbergia violacea. Shoots much branched
& ascending to 1m. Roots twining around
the trunk of the host.

Flowers greenish cream.

In rather dense cerrado.

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