

FLORA OF BRAZIL

Federal District

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Syagrus comosa (Mart.) Mart.

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

Vernacular name: Gariroba

Specimens from a number of trees, the tallest 3.5 m to the top of the opening fronds & 12 cm in diam. at breast height, the others much smaller.

Fronds about 1.2 m long & prepared by cutting in 3 portions (base, tip & a central portion).

In cerrado.

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