

FLORA OF BELIZE

No. R. 5194

Crescentia cujete L.

Near Spanish Lookout, Cayo Dist.,
17°13'N 88°57'W, alt. 50-100 m.

Wide-crowned tree, 5.5m tall, 30cm dbh, bearing enormous fruits on the trunk. Bark charred and fissured in a squared pattern - bearing epiphytic orchids. Wood seems soft and light.

A tree of wet situations. Growing on a tiny elevated island surrounded by boggy campo.

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