

FLORA OF BRAZIL

State of Mato Grosso do Sul

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Caesalpinia taubertiana S. Moore

Corumbá, MS, 19°01'S 57°39'W, close to the limestone workings of the Pedreira de Xavier.

Remains of deciduous forest.

Tree, 8 m tall, 25 cm dbh, with grey bark scaling in vertically elongated flakes. Petals yellow, the posterior with orange spots. This is a colonizing species and also has great powers of coppice regeneration.

Vernacular names: Sicupira, Coração de negro.

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