

FLORA OF BRAZIL

State of Mato Grosso do Sul.

No. R. 6491

*Capparis*

Vernacular name:

Fazenda Coqueiro, 20km from highway BR262 on the unfinished road MS 454 (about 50km from Corumbá).

In chaco vegetation - mixture of small shrubby thickets and small islands of grassy campo.

Small, wide-crowned tree, 4m tall with slanting trunk 12cm dbh. Bark grey, vertically fissured. Ripe fruits marzipan colour, showing pink inside on dehiscence. Seeds dark-coloured with a mucilaginous coat.

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