

FLORA OF BRAZIL
State of Mato Grosso do Sul.

No. R. 6497

Talisia esculenta (Sw. Hil.) Radlk.
Guarea det T. A. R. V. 97.

Vernacular name: Pau de cobras

c. 14km from BR262 on the Estrada Maria Coelho, Morro Sao Domingo, near the entrance to the Sítio Nismat (c. 35km from Corumbá).

In remains of semideciduous forest with many *Acrocomia* palms.

Tree, 12m tall, c. 45cm dbh with spreading oak-like appearance. Bark light-coloured, irregularly fissured. Fruits pale marzipan orange. Vernacular name means snake tree and it is so-called because snakes are very common amongst its branches.

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