

FLORA OF BRAZIL  
State of Maranhão

No. R. 6797V

*Sapium*

Vernacular name: Burra leiteira

c. 5km from Carolina on the road to  
Estreito, 7°18'S 47°27'W.

Growing close to roadside in area of  
mesotrophic facies cerradão.

Slender tree, 5m tall, but the species  
grows much taller. Copious white latex.

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