

FLORA OF BRAZIL
State of Mato Grosso

No. R. 6939

Krameria tomentosa St. Hil.

Vernacular name: Carapixo

Fazenda Furninha, 12km from Rondonópolis
(16°29'S 54°37'W) on the Cuiabá road.

On a slightly raised mound covered in
cerrado vegetation, surrounded by
hydrologic campo ('campo com moitas', ie a
vegetation type coming close to 'campo de
murundum').

Small wiry shrub, 80cm tall. Calyx dark
red-purple and the anterior petals the
same colour. Posterior petals 3, each with
narrow cream limb expanding into a small
pink wing at the tip, the wings of the 3
petals almost connate.

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