

Sapota

FLORA OF BRAZIL

State of Mato Grosso do Sul

No. R7545

*Pradosia brevipes* (Pierre) Pennington

(=*Chrysophyllum soboliferum* Rizzini)

Vernacular name: Fruto de tatu

5km W of the Rio Caracol on the road between Fazenda Margarida and Porto Murtinho, 21° 41'S 56° 48'W

In campo cerrado.

Subshrub to 40cm tall. Latex white. Corollas deep dull vinous red-purple. Flowers with a strong scent of over-ripe bananas.

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