

**FLORA OF MATO GROSSO**

No. R. 195

Bauhinia rubiginosa Benth.

1 1/2 km. S. of Xavantina (52°20'W-14°44'S)

Scrambling on trees growing along a stream running through cerrado formation.

Reaching 7 m. Stems undulate, flattened & very woody below, sometimes completely perforated along midline. At the very base the woody stem is 25 cm. in girth like an undulate, flattened, rope.

Tendrils borne in some inflorescences and at the base of some leaves.

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