

FLORA OF BELIZE

No. R. 6544

Metopium brownei (Jacq.) Urban

Vernacular name: Poison Wood

Belize District. Gale's Point (sea to Bar River), just south of Bar River mouth, Transect 1, c. 17°14'N 88°18'W

In scrubby vegetation amongst coconut palms.

Small tree, 3-4 m tall. Fruits toffee orange-brown. Juice corrosive and poisonous.

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