

FLORA OF BRAZIL
State of Maranhão

No. R. 6723

Himatanthus obovatus (M. Arg.) Woods.

Vernacular names: Pau de Leite,
Sucuúbinha

Transect area 3, near Pedra Caída on the
Carolina-Estreito road, 7°02'S 47°27'W.

In campo cerrado on very sandy soil.

Small tree, 4m tall. Copious white latex.
Corollas white with yellow throat.

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