

FLORA OF BRAZIL
State of Maranhão

No. R7753

Byrsonima crassa Nied.

Vernacular name: Muricí

8km from Tasso Fragoso on the road to Balsas, 8°26'S
45°48'W.

In campo cerrado.

Wide-crowned small tree, 4.5m tall, 11cm dbh. Bark
detaching in characteristic pattern: starting with
transverse rings around stem, each of which later
disintegrates into angular scales. Petals yellow, turning
orange-red on aging.

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