

**FLORA OF BRAZIL**  
**State of Tocantins**

**No. R7864**

*Salacia*

Vernacular Name: Bacopari

20km from Palmas on the road to Tocantínia, 10°01'S  
48°18'W, alt. 271m.

In cerradão on a slope with outcropping rocks.

Tree, 6m tall, 20cm dbh with smooth, slightly cracked bark covered in lichens. Extremely floriferous. Flowers with a strange herbal mixture (tobacco-substitute) scent (unlike any other floral scent we have encountered). Tips of petals pale marzipan greenish cream. Base of petals, disc and stamens marzipan orange-brown.

31 x 1997

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