

FLORA OF BRAZIL

State of Minas Gerais

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*Xylopia sericea* A. St. Hil.

Vernacular name: Pindaíba preta

Fazenda Trijunção, Município de Formoso, close to the Capela de São Francisco, 14°52'S 46°02'W

Low campo cerrado on brownish sandy soil.

In a patch of low cerradão.

Tree, 5m tall, 10cm dbh, with regular, spruce-like, branching pattern and many horizontal lateral branches to 3m long. Bark fawn, smooth, with shallow vertical striations. Outer and inner surface of follicles pinkish red. Seed dark grey, with a small, waxy, pale grey, aril.

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