

Anglo/Brazilian
Northern Mato Grosso Expedition 1967/69

FLORA OF MATO GROSSO

No. R. 1197

Asclepiadaceae

Vernacular name: Mama de Boto
c. 15 km N of the Base Camp of the Expedition.
Base Camp 12°54'S - 51°52'W on the XAVANTINA -
SÃO FELIX road, c 275 km N of Xavantina.

Herb, growing prostrate on soil surface. Flowers
on first opening pale yellow-green with a green staminal
corona; petals becoming dull yellow & corona pale mauve
with ageing. Latex white.

Date: 26.4.1968 Growing on cleared ground at the
margin of the road in dry forest formation.

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