

FLORA OF BRAZIL
State of Tocantins

No. R7861

Oxandra sessiliflora R.E. Fries

16km from Lajeado on the road to Tocantínia (Xerente Reserve), 9°38'S 48°23'W, alt. 271m.

In cerradão with trees to 12m.

Tree, 11m tall, 20cm dbh. Bark smooth, pale creamy fawn, with some fissured patches detaching in small sheets (like *Richeria grandis*). Typical Annonaceous regular branched (spruce-like) form. Flowers waxy cream with a very strong sherbet scent. Growing next to a fruiting specimen of *Ephedranthus parviflorus* (R7860).

31 x 1997

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