

Myrtaceae of Restinga – RPPN Caruara

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The RPPN Caruara (Reserva Particular do Patrimônio Natural Caruara) is the largest Restinga private conservation area in Brazil. It comprises 60% of the total area of RPPNs in Rio de Janeiro state (about 3,845 ha) and hosts seven distinct Restinga phytophysionomies.

This field guide features all Myrtaceae species identified in the area, which is being used on an ongoing restoration project at RPPN Caruara. Due to its interaction with the local fauna, Myrtaceae family is essential for the planting actions developed to the restoration of degraded areas inside the reserve. This guide intends to help botanical studies in the region regarding Myrtaceae species.



1 *Campomanesia schlechtendaliana*
Gabiroba



2 *Campomanesia schlechtendaliana*
Gabiroba



3 *Campomanesia schlechtendaliana*
Gabiroba



4 *Eugenia astringens*
Aperta



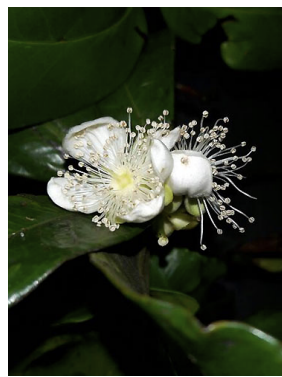
5 *Eugenia astringens*
Aperta



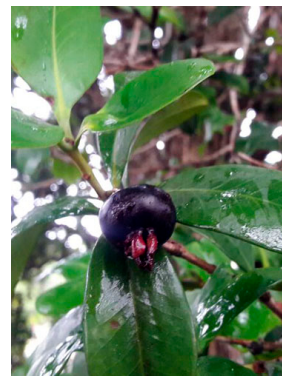
6 *Eugenia astringens*
Aperta



7 *Eugenia brasiliensis*
Grumixama



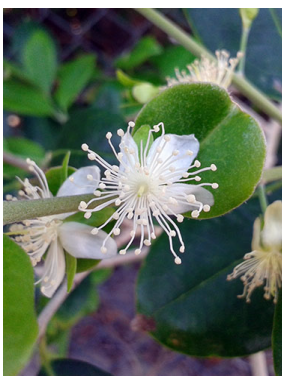
8 *Eugenia brasiliensis*
Grumixama



9 *Eugenia brasiliensis*
Grumixama



10 *Eugenia dichroma*
Pitanga-lagarto II



11 *Eugenia dichroma*
Pitanga-lagarto II



12 *Eugenia dichroma*
Pitanga-lagarto II



13 *Eugenia pluriflora*
Folha-miúda



14 *Eugenia pluriflora*
Folha-miúda



15 *Eugenia pluriflora*
Folha-miúda

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16 *Eugenia pruniformis*
Azeitona



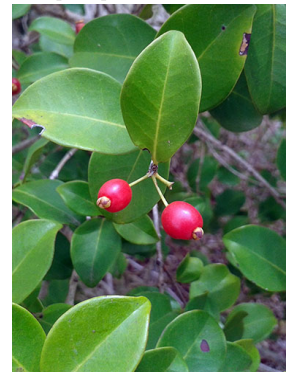
17 *Eugenia pruniformis*
Azeitona



18 *Eugenia pruniformis*
Azeitona



19 *Eugenia puniceifolia*
Cambucazinho



20 *Eugenia puniceifolia*
Cambucazinho



21 *Eugenia repanda*
Pitanga-jambo



22 *Eugenia repanda*
Pitanga-jambo



23 *Eugenia repanda*
Pitanga-jambo



24 *Eugenia repanda*
Pitanga-jambo



25 *Eugenia selloi*
Pitanga-lagarto I



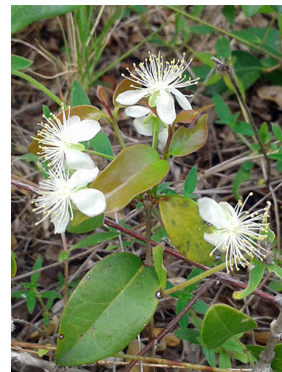
26 *Eugenia selloi*
Pitanga-lagarto I



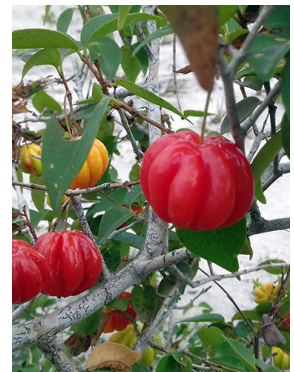
27 *Eugenia selloi*
Pitanga-lagarto I



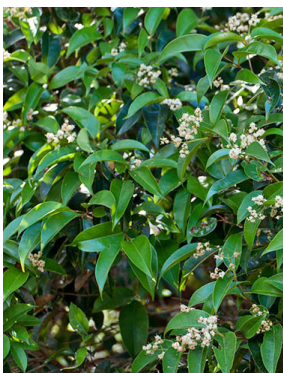
28 *Eugenia uniflora*
Pitanga



29 *Eugenia uniflora*
Pitanga



30 *Eugenia uniflora*
Pitanga



31 *Myrcia insularis*
Cascudo



32 *Myrcia insularis*
Cascudo



33 *Myrcia insularis*
Cascudo



34 *Myrcia insularis*
Cascudo



35 *Myrcia neobrasiliensis*
João-branco

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36 *Myrcia neobrasiliensis*
João-branco



37 *Myrcia neobrasiliensis*
João-branco



38 *Myrciaria floribunda*
Pastora



39 *Myrciaria floribunda*
Pastora



40 *Myrciaria floribunda*
Pastora



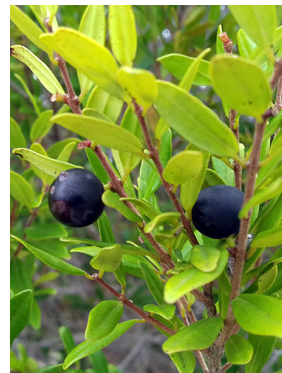
41 *Myrciaria tenella*
Camboinha



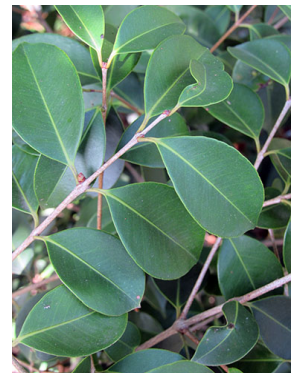
42 *Myrciaria tenella*
Camboinha



43 *Myrciaria tenella*
Camboinha



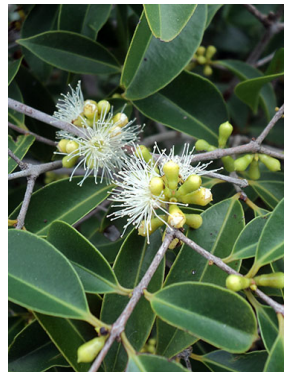
44 *Myrciaria tenella*
Camboinha



45 *Neomitranthes obscura*
Cambucá



46 *Neomitranthes obscura*
Cambucá



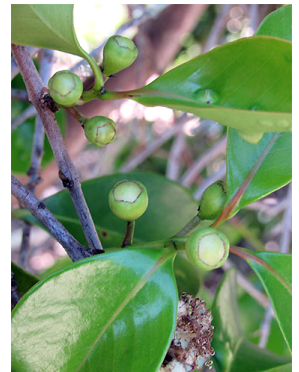
47 *Neomitranthes obscura*
Cambucá



48 *Neomitranthes obscura*
Cambucá



49 *Psidium cattleianum*
Araçá-casca-grossa



50 *Psidium cattleianum*
Araçá-casca-grossa



51 *Psidium cattleianum*
Araçá-casca-grossa



52 *Psidium cattleianum*
Araçá-casca-grossa



53 *Psidium guineense*
Araçá-pedra



54 *Psidium guineense*
Araçá-pedra



55 *Psidium guineense*
Araçá-pedra