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Close-up of a large plant of *Sinningia speciosa* 'Pedra Lisa' from the streamside population near the Hotel Fazenda Pedra Lisa. This was a very damp and humid spot, and the plants were wet. Many of the dark specks on the flowers were ants. Photo: Mauro Peixoto.

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