



# Taxa previously thought to occur in Namibia

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*Aeollanthus lobatus* N.E.Br.

Specimens identified in FSWA as this taxon are *Aeollanthus namibiensis*

*Aeollanthus namibiensis* O.Ryding

Specimens identified in FSWA as *Aeollanthus lobatus* are this taxon. *A. lobatus* is from Angola only.

*Aeollanthus neglectus* (Dinter) Launert

Specimens identified in FSWA as *Aeollanthus rehmannii* are this taxon

*Aeollanthus rehmannii* Guerke

Specimens in Namibia identified in FSA as this taxon are *Aeollanthus neglectus*

*Austronea linearis* Mart.-Azorin, M.B.Crespo & A.P.Dold

Specimens from Namibia previously cited as *Drimia vermiformis*, are this taxon

*Barleria damarensis* T.Anderson

Some specimens identified in FSWA as *Barleria jubata* are this taxon

*Barleria galpinii* C.B.Clarke

Specimens identified in FSWA as this taxon are *Barleria pseudosomalia*

*Barleria pseudosomalia* I.Darbysh.

Specimens previously identified as *B. galpini* in Namibia are this taxon

*Barleria rogersii* S.Moore

Specimens previously identified as this taxon are *Barleria taitensis* subsp. *occidentalis*

*Barleria taitensis* S.Moore var. *occidentalis*

Specimens previously identified as *B. rogersii* in Namibia are this taxon

*Boscia polyantha* Gilg

Specimens previously identified as this taxon are *Boscia tomentosa*

*Bulbostylis densa* (Wall.) Hand.-Mazz.

Specimens identified as this taxon are *Bulbostylis pusilla*

*Bulbostylis megastachys* (Ridl.) C.B.Clarke

Specimens identified in FSWA as *Bulbostylis schoenoides* are this taxon; no specimens

*Bulbostylis pusilla* (A.Rich.) C.B.Clarke

Specimens identified in FSWA as *Bulbostylis densa* are this taxon

*Caroxylon angolense* (Botsch.) Mucina

Some specimens previously identified as *Salsola nollothensis* in Namibia, are this taxon

*Caroxylon luederitzense* (Botsch.) Mucina

Some specimens identified as *Salsola nollothensis* are this taxon

*Caroxylon merxmuelleri* (Aellen) Mucina

Some specimens previously identified as *Salsola nollothensis* are this taxon

*Caroxylon nollothense* (Aellen) Mucina

Specimens previously identified as *Caroxylon* (*Salsola*) *nollothense*/is in Namibia were split between *Caroxylon merxmuelleri*, *C. luederitzense* and *C. angolense* (coastal species) by Botschantzev. Sukhurokov (2019) placed *C. luederitzense* and *C. angolense* in synonymy with *C. nollothense*.

*Caroxylon zeyheri* Moq.

Specimens previously identified as *Salsola zeyheri* in Namibia, are probably *Caroxylon namibicum*

*Citrullus amarus* Schrad.

What was known as *C. lanatus* in southern Africa is now this taxon and includes wild as well as semi-domesticated melons that do not have sweet flesh (cooking or seed melons). The most consistent difference are hairy/woolly young fruit in this species, while the cultivated, sweet watermelon (*C. lanatus*) has shiny, hairless young fruit. There



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has been a mistake in the combining of names over many years and the wild melon from southern Africa, described as *C. lanatus*, was made to include also the sweet melons that originated in north-eastern Africa. Because the cultivated sweet melons have been known for so many years as *C. lanatus*, the name was retained for them, even though the term "lanatus" describes the woolly fruit.

*Commiphora merkeri* Engl.

Specimens previously cited in FSWA as this are *Commiphora viminea*

*Craspedorhachis africana* Benth.

Specimen previously identified as this is *Craspedorhachis rhodesiana*

*Crinum kirkii* Baker

Specimens previously identified as this are *Crinum verdoorniae* Lehmillier

*Cyperus cyperoides* (L.) Kuntze subsp. *flavus*

Specimens identified in FSWA as *Mariscus umbellatus* are this taxon

*Cyperus foliaceus* C.B.Clarke

Specimens previously identified as this taxon are *Cyperus tenuispica*

*Cyperus haspan* L.

Specimens previously identified as this taxon are *Cyperus denudatus* var. *denudatus* & *C. sphaerospermus*.

*Cyperus indecorus* Kunth var. *namaquensis*

Specimens identified in FSWA as *Mariscus capensis* are this taxon

*Cyphia digitata* (Thunb.) Willd.

Specimens identified as this taxon for Namibia are a new species, *Cyphia* sp.1

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Specimens previously identified as *C. dentariifolia* = *C. digitata*, are this new species

*Diheteropogon filifolius* (Nees) Clayton

Specimens identified as this may be *Andropogon schirensis*

*Dinteracanthus diversifolium* (S.Moore) E.A.Tripp & I. Darbysh.

In Angola only; Namibian specimens identified as this are reassigned to (mostly) *D. marlothii*

*Drimia indica* (Roxb.) Jessop

Specimens in Namibia identified as this are *Vera-Duthiea amboensis*

*Ehretia amoena* Klotzsch

Specimens previously identified as this in Namibia are *Ehretia namibiensis* subsp. *kaokoensis*

*Ehretia rigida* (Thunb.) Druce

Namibian specimens cited as this are *E. alba*, *E. coerulea* or *E. namibiensis*

*Eriocephalus luederitzianus* O.Hoffm.

Specimens identified in FSWA as *Eriocephalus pubescens* are this taxon

*Eriocephalus pubescens* DC.

Specimens identified in FSWA as this taxon are *Eriocephalus luederitzianus*

*Ficus lutea* Vahl

Specimens identified as this are *Ficus ingens*

*Fuirena ciliaris* (L.) Roxb.

Specimens identified as this in FSWA are *F. leptostachya*

*Geschollia occultans* (G.Will.) Mart.-Azorin, M.B.Crespo & M.Pinter

More Namibian specimens needed

*Gymnosporia maranguensis* (Loes.) Loes.

Some specimens identified in FSWA as *Maytenus heterophylla* are this taxon

*Hebenstretia integrifolia* L.

Specimens identified in FSWA as this taxon are *Hebenstretia parviflora*. Author misapplied.



*Hebenstretia parviflora* E.Mey.

Some specimens identified in FSWA as *Hebenstretia integrifolia* are this taxon

*Heliotropium marifolium* Retz.

misapplied name; Namibian specimens are probably *Euploca baclei*

*Hymenodictyon floribundum* (Hochst. & Steud.) B.L.Rob.

Previously recorded for Namibia. The only specimen [Hoffmann LH944] has been redetermined as the new species *Hymenodictyon kaokoensis*

*Isolepis hystrix* (Thunb.) Nees

Specimens cited by FSWA as this are *Lipocarpha rehmannii*

*Jamesbrittenia bicolor* (Dinter) Hilliard

Specimens identified in FSWA as *Sutera amplexicaulis* are this taxon

*Jamesbrittenia canescens* (Benth.) Hilliard var. *canescens*

Some specimens identified in FSWA as *Sutera canescens* are NOT this taxon

*Jamesbrittenia fleckii* (Thell.) Hilliard

Some specimens identified in FSWA as *Sutera pallida* are this taxon

*Jamesbrittenia glutinosa* (Benth.) Hilliard

Some specimens identified in FSWA as *Sutera tomentosa* are this taxon

*Jamesbrittenia heucherifolia* (Diels) Hilliard

Some specimens identified in FSWA as *Sutera pallida* are this taxon; can be confused with *J. dolomitica*

*Jamesbrittenia integerrima* (Benth.) Hilliard

Some specimens identified in FSWA as *Sutera pallida* are this taxon

*Jamesbrittenia merxmulleri* (Roessler) Hilliard

Specimens identified in FSWA as *Sutera microphylla* are this taxon

*Jamesbrittenia pallida* (Pilg.) Hilliard

Some specimens identified in FSWA as *Sutera pallida* are this taxon

*Jamesbrittenia sessilifolia* (Diels) Hilliard

Some specimens identified in FSWA as *Sutera sessilifolia* are this taxon

*Jamesbrittenia tenella* (Hiern) Hilliard

Most of the specimens identified in FSWA as *Sutera hereroensis* are this taxon

*Justicia exigua* S.Moore

Specimens identified as *Justicia matammensis* in FSWA are this taxon

*Justicia protracta* (Nees) Immelman

Only *J. protracta* subsp. *rhodesiana* in Namibia, which has been elevated to specific level (*J. rhodesiana*) in FZ. Specimens identified as *J. protracta* in FSWA are *J. rhodesiana*.

*Justicia rhodesiana* S.Moore

Specimens identified in FSWA as *Justicia protracta* are this taxon

*Lampranthus otzenianus* (Dinter) Friedrich

Specimens identified as *Lampranthus uniflorus* are this taxon

*Lampranthus uniflorus* (L. Bolus) L.Bolus

Confusion due to *L. uniflorus* var. *spathulatus* = *L. otzenianus* being in Namibia; specimens changed to *L. otzenianus*

*Leobordea bracteosa* (B.-E. van Wyk) B.-E. van Wyk & Boatwr.

Specimens identified in FSWA as *Lotononis stipulosa* are this taxon

*Leobordea platycarpa* (Viv.) B.-E. van Wyk & Boatwr.

Specimens identified in FSWA as *Lotononis leptoloba* are this taxon

*Lotononis stipulosa* Baker f.



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Specimens identified in FSWA as this taxon are *Leobordea bracteosa*

*Manulea minuscula* Hilliard

Some specimens identified in FSWA as *Manulea pusilla* are this taxon

*Manulea pusilla* E.Mey. ex Benth.

Specimens identified in FSWA as this taxon are *Manulea minuscula*

*Mariscus capensis* (Steud.) Nees

Specimens identified in FSWA as this taxon are *Cyperus indecorus* var. *namaquensis*

*Mariscus sumatrensis* (Retz.) J. Raynal

Specimens in FSWA identified as *Mariscus umbellulatus* are this taxon

*Mariscus umbellatus* (Rottb.) Vahl

Specimens identified in FSWA as this taxon are *Cyperus cyperoides* subsp. *flavus*

*Maytenus heterophylla* (Eckl. & Zeyh.) N. Robson

Some specimens identified in FSWA as this taxon are *Gymnosporia maranguensis*

*Othonna perfoliata* (L.f.) Jacq.

Specimens previously identified as this are *Othonna undulosa*

*Pavetta lasiopeplus* K. Schum.

Specimens identified in FSWA as *Pavetta zeyheri* are this taxon

*Pavetta zeyheri* Sond.

Specimens identified in FSWA as this taxon are *Pavetta lasiopeplus*

*Pelargonium minimum* (Cav.) Willd.

This is the correct name for what was previously known as *Pelargonium fumarioides*

*Pluchea dioscoridis* (L.) DC.

Specimens identified in FSWA as this are *Pluchea bojeri*

*Polygala erioptera* DC. subsp. *erioptera*

Specimens identified as *Polygala virgata* in FSWA are this taxon

*Polygala lasiosepala* Levyns

Specimens identified as *Polygala teretifolia* in FSWA are this taxon

*Polygala virgata* Thunb.

Specimens identified as this in FSWA are *Polygala ephedroides*

*Psilocaulon squamifolium* N. E. Br.

Specimens identified in FSWA as this taxon are probably *Psilocaulon subnodosum*

*Psilocaulon subnodosum* (A. Berger) N. E. Br.

Specimens identified in FSWA as *Psilocaulon squamifolium* N. E. Br. are probably this taxon

*Pycreus betschuanus* (Boeckeler) C. B. Clarke

Specimens identified in FSWA as *Pycreus globosus* (All.) Rchb. are this taxon

*Pycreus globosus* Rchb.

Specimens identified in FSWA as this taxon are *Pycreus betschuanus*

*Sarcocornia perennis* (Mill.) A. J. Scott

Namibian specimens previously identified as this are *S. tegetaria* (Steffen 2010)

*Scabiosa columbaria* L.

Specimens previously identified as this are *Scabiosa austroafricana* Heine

*Selago albida* Choisy

Specimens identified in FSWA as this taxon are *Selago divaricata*

*Selago albomarginata* Hilliard

Specimens identified in FSWA as *Walafrida schinzii* are this taxon



*Selago amboensis* Rolfe

Some specimens identified in FSWA as *Walafrida saxatilis* are this taxon

*Selago divaricata* L.f.

Some specimens identified in FSWA as *Selago albida* are this taxon

*Selago kurttdinteri* Hilliard

Specimens identified in FSWA as *Walafrida paniculata* are this taxon

*Solanum incanum* Pav. ex Dunal

Specimens previously identified as this are *S. lichtensteinii*

*Solanum lichtensteinii* Willd.

Specimens previously known as *Solanum incanum* in Namibia is this taxon

*Solanum panduriforme* Drege ex Dunal

Specimens identified as *S. delagoense* in FSWA are this species

*Spiloxene scullyi* (Baker) Garside

Specimens previously identified as this are *Pauridia etesionamibensis*

*Sporobolus tenellus* (Spreng.) Kunth

Specimens cited in FSWA are *S. acinifolius* & *S. salsus*

*Sutera amplexicaulis* (Benth.) Hiern

Specimens identified in FSWA as this taxon are *Jamesbrittenia bicolor*

*Sutera microphylla* (L.f.) Hiern

Specimens identified in FSWA as this taxon are *Jamesbrittenia merxmuelleri*

*Sutera tomentosa* Hiern

Specimens identified in FSWA as this taxon are *Jamesbrittenia glutinosa*

*Tapiphyllum parvifolium* (Sond.) Robyns

Specimens identified in FSWA as this taxon are *Vangueria proschii*

*Tetradenia riparia* (Hochst.) Codd

From eastern Africa, Namibian specimens previously identified as this are reassigned to *T. brevispicata* and *T. galpinii*

*Thesium magnifolium* Hilliard

Specimens previously incorrectly identified as *T. utile* AW Hill in Caprivi

*Trianthema triquetra* Willd. ex Spreng.

Namibian specimens were of the var. *parvifolia*, which was elevated to species rank.

*Vangueria esculenta* S.Moore

Specimens previously identified as this in Namibia must be redetermined, possibly *V. randii*

*Vangueria proschii* Briq.

Specimens identified in FSWA as *Tapiphyllum parvifolium* are this taxon

*Walafrida paniculata* (Thunb.) Rolfe

Specimens identified in FSWA as this taxon are *Selago kurttdinteri*

*Walafrida saxatilis* (E.Mey.) Rolfe

Specimens identified in FSWA as this taxon are *Selago amboensis*

*Xerophyta glutinosa* Behnke

Specimens identified in FSWA as *Xerophyta squarrosa* Baker are this taxon

*Xerophyta naegelsbachii* (Dinter ex Friedr.-Holzh.) Behnke

Specimens identified in FSWA as *Xerophyta wentzeliana* are this taxon

*Xerophyta squarrosa* Baker

Specimens identified in FSWA as this taxon are *X. glutinosa*



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*Xerophyta wentzeliana* (Harms) Soelch

Specimens identified in FSWA as this taxon are *X. naegelsbachii*

*Zygophyllum cretaceum* Van Zyl ined.

Specimens cited in FSWA as *Z. foetidum* are this taxon van Zyl 3837 (NBG, K, PRE, S, WIND)

*Zygophyllum foetidum* Schrad. & J.C.Wendl.

Specimens cited in FSWA redet as *Z. cretaceum*