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Dodonea angustifolia

Dodonaea angustifolia is a slender shrub or small tree that occurs naturally from southern Africa to Arabia, as well as in Australia and New Zealand. The seed capsules are three-winged and are dispersed by wind. Although occurring in rocky areas, it is also cultivated to stabilise moving sand and to prevent erosion.





Ehretia rigida

Ehretia rigida, is a small, multi-stemmed tree with a tangled growth habit belonging to the Boraginaceae, the borage family. It occurs over a wide range of habitat throughout the eastern part of South Africa, and in Namibia, Botswana, Zimbabwe and Mozambique. Puzzel bush, 9m, shrub small tree, woodland, grassland, bushveld, fast growing.





Tarchonanthus camphoratus

The camphor bush can reach up to 6 meters in height. The twigs and younger stems are white-felted, as are the undersides of the leaves. The upper leaf surface is dark olive-green. Bruised leaves smell strongly of camphor. 2-9m, small tree, bushveld thickets, grassland, forest.





Rhamnus prinoides

Rhamnus prinoides, the shiny-leaf buckthorn, is an African shrub or small tree in the family Rhamnaceae. Commonly referred to as "gesho" it was first scientifically described by French botanist Charles Louis L'Héritier de Brutelle in 1789. Small to medium tree, rivers, open bush, forest verges, valleys and grasslands





Dombeya rotundifolia

Dombeya rotundifolia, the dikbas or "South African wild pear", is a small deciduous tree with dark grey to blackish deeply fissured bark, found in Southern Africa and northwards to central and eastern tropical Africa.





Acacia robusta

A conspicuously tall, robust, upright Acacia, with handsomely gnarled, dark brown bark and a somewhat irregularly curved and dense, spreading crown of dainty, feathery leaves. The trees tend to branch quite high up, with nearly vertically spreading, upswept branches. 5.10m, small to medium tree, woodlands, near streams, fast growing.





Acacia caffra

Senegalia caffra, also known as hook-thorn or Acacia caffra, is a tree that occurs commonly in southern Africa. Though it is cultivated, it often occurs naturally in Gauteng suburban gardens, together with Acacia karroo and Acacia robusta





Celtis africana

The white stinkwood, is a deciduous tree in the family Cannabaceae. Its habit ranges from a tall tree in forest to a medium-sized tree in bushveld and open country, and a shrub on rocky soil. It occurs in Yemen and over large parts of Africa south of the Sahara. 12m to 24m, medium tree, bushveld, open grasslands, along river banks.





Leucosidea sericea

Commonly known as ouhout in Afrikaans, is an evergreen tree or large shrub that grows in the Afromontane regions of southern Africa. It is the sole species in the genus *Leucosidea*. 7m x 5m, shrub small tree, damp conditions in deep sand or clay soil, frost resistant.





Combretum erythrophyllum

Commonly known as the river bushwillow, is a medium to large-sized, spreading tree found in bush along river banks in southern Africa. It is planted as a shade and ornamental tree in South Africa and the United States and is propagated by seed.

9m+, medium tree, rivers, streams banks and are fast growing.





Olea europaea subsp. *africana*

This is a subspecies of olive previously described as *Olea cuspidata* and *Olea africana*. It has various common names, including wild olive, brown olive, Indian olive, Olienhout and iron tree. 9m x 12m, Small to medium tree, stream banks, woodlands, slow growing.





Searsia lancea

Commonly known as karee, karree, is an evergreen, frost hardy, drought resistant tree, which can reach up to 8 metres in height with a 5 metre spread. In North America, where it is naturalized, it is known as African sumac and willow rhus. 7m x 7m, small to medium tree, drainage lines, rivers and streams, frost hardy and good protective canopy.





Rhus leptodictya

Searsia leptodictya is known as mountain karee in English, bergkaree in Afrikaans, and mohlwehlwe in Sotho. An evergreen tree reaching a height of 5 metres and a similar spread, it is drought resistant but only semi frost hardy. It is an attractive small tree with a rounded crown and a pleasing weeping effect. 3m-4m up to 9m, shrub small tree, woodland, forest margin, bushveld, frost hardy, drought resistant.





Rhus searsia pyroides

Previously known as *Rhus pyroides*, is a species of *Searsia*, native to southern Africa. This tree occurs throughout the whole of South Africa, a part of Botswana, Zimbabwe and Tanzania and in some areas of Namibia near Windhoek. Common wild current, small to medium found on rivers, open bush, on forest verges, valleys and grasslands. Pioneer species, attractive to birds.





Buddleja Auriculata

Buddleja auriculata is an evergreen shrub endemic to Zimbabwe, Mozambique, and South Africa, growing in montane fields and thickets at elevations of 600–2,000 m. Weeping sage 4m x 4m, shrub, small tree, graceful, attractive and does well near water, great for birdlife.





Buddleja salviifolia

Common names sage bush and sagewood, is endemic to much of southern and eastern Africa, from Kenya and Angola south, where it grows on rocky hillsides, along forest margins and watercourses. The species was described and named by Lamarck in 1792.





Buddleja Saligna

Buddleja saligna, the false olive or bastard olive, is almost endemic to South Africa where it has a wide distribution. It occurs most often in ravines and against outcrops and is distributed from coastal elevations to the central plateau at elevations of < 2000 m. 4m-5m, Shrub, fast growing, hillside, mixed shrub, forest margins, screen plant.





Portulacaria afra

Portulacaria afra is a small-leaved succulent plant found in South Africa. These succulents commonly have a reddish stem and leaves that are green, but also a variegated cultivar is often seen in cultivation. They are simple to care for and make easy houseplants for a sunny location. 2.5m-4m, Shrub, drier rocky outcrops, sensitive to frost





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