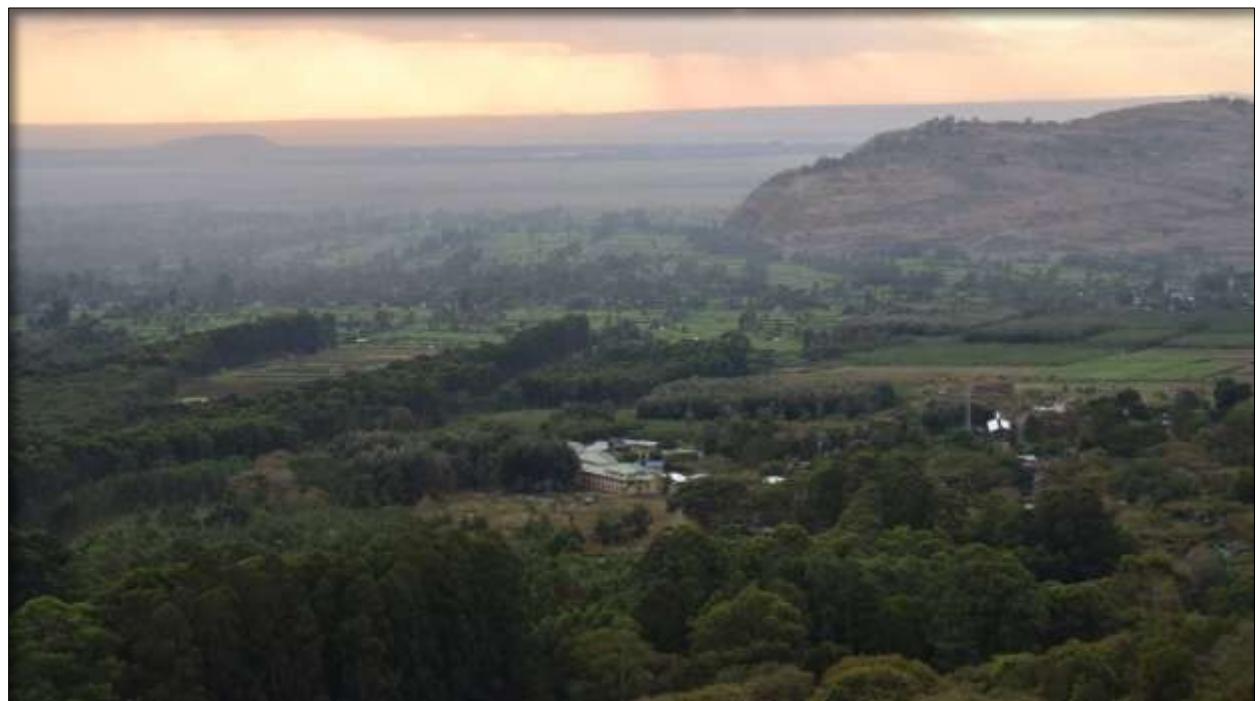


## **RBS Workshop, Wondo Genet, 27 Feb-1 Mar 2014**

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## **Introduction**

Rapid Botanic Survey (RBS) is a standardised method for assessing the flora across a region, as efficiently as possible (Hawthorne, 2012). RBS makes an excellent framework for training in field botany and vegetation assessment, and survey results are commonly used for a variety of purposes: statistical classification of vegetation types; Environmental Impact Assessments and conservation planning; generating checklists of plant species with details on geographic and ecological range, and maps; and bioquality scoring, showing the global rarity value of different areas of vegetation types, discussed below.

A presentation of the aims and benefits of RBS was given at the Arbopro final workshop<sup>1,2</sup> in Wondo Genet college of Forestry and Natural Resources. Wondo Genet college is a part of Hawassa University whose main campus is nearby at Shashemene in Central Ethiopia. A three day Rapid Botanic Survey (RBS) training and demonstration workshop was then held in the college between 27 Feb and March 1, 2014. The fieldwork was conducted in the vegetation, mostly montane forest, around the college.

Given the short time frame, the RBS workshop was a demonstration and training session for the field activities involved in Rapid Botanic Survey: unfortunately, training for databasing, identification and analysis was not feasible in the time. However, in this report, results and analysis of the data from the RBS are discussed in the light of published data on the species and vegetation of the region. We conclude by suggesting how RBS could contribute to research and teaching in conservation and resource management in the college and more widely in Ethiopia.

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<sup>1</sup> [http://www.bgci.org/index.php?option=com\\_news&id=1104](http://www.bgci.org/index.php?option=com_news&id=1104)

<sup>2</sup> <http://www.nachhaltige.uni-hamburg.de/de/downloads/KNU-Praesentation-ARBORETUM-PROJECT-PBorchardt.pdf>

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## Activities and Methods

The vegetation was surveyed in four RBS sample areas. All species of vascular plant were collected in each, and canopy trees were enumerated according to the standard RBS protocol outlined by Hawthorne (2012). Voucher specimens of almost all species were collected, and photographs were taken of many. From the specimens and photos, most records have been identified using the Flora of Ethiopia, online resources (e.g. Jstor plants), or by comparison with specimens in the Ethiopian National Herbarium in Addis Ababa. As only a day was spent in the herbarium, at the time of writing c. 58/327 (17%) of records across all plots are of incompletely identified species (most of these to a vague name such as *Acacia sp.*). Although normally the identification would be completed for a higher proportion of records, by spending longer in the herbarium, the results have yielded enough determinations for this provisional analysis.

Data from plots were all input in a Brahms database (see [herbaria.plants.ox.ac.uk/bol](http://herbaria.plants.ox.ac.uk/bol))



## Results

The results of the RBS samples are shown in Annex 1.

**Table 1 Summary of RBS, and of earlier plot survey by Kebede et al. 2013**

Sample	Note	Date	No. recs	No. id species (including vague names)	Altitude (m)	Latitude	longitude
<b>WGSF01</b>	Broken forest just above arboretum	27-Feb-14	47	31 (36)	1885	7.09889N	38.63566E
<b>WGMF02</b>	<i>Pouteria</i> forest around dam	28-Feb-14	61	42 (50)	1983	7.09919N	38.64235E
<b>WGMF03</b>	Forest between previous 2 samples	01-Mar-14	69	52 (56)	1907	7.09737N	38.6389E
<b>WGSC04</b>	Regeneration after plantation cleared	03-Mar-14	77	46 (54)	1816	7.10584N	38.62827E
<b>WGMISC</b>	Misc. records & photos from around college	26 Feb 2014	69	50	c. 1800		
<b>A -RBS Overall</b>	01-04 above	2014	323	159 (119)	1800-2000		
<b>B - Checklist in Kebede et al. (2013)</b>	Species checklist from paper	2010		239 (220)	1800-2500	See Map	
<b>A&amp;B Combined</b>				(275)	1800-2500		

## Analysis and discussion

The vegetation types of Wondo Genet have been amply covered by Kebede *et al.* (2013): the aim of this exercise was merely to demonstrate the principal of RBS and its potential for use more broadly.

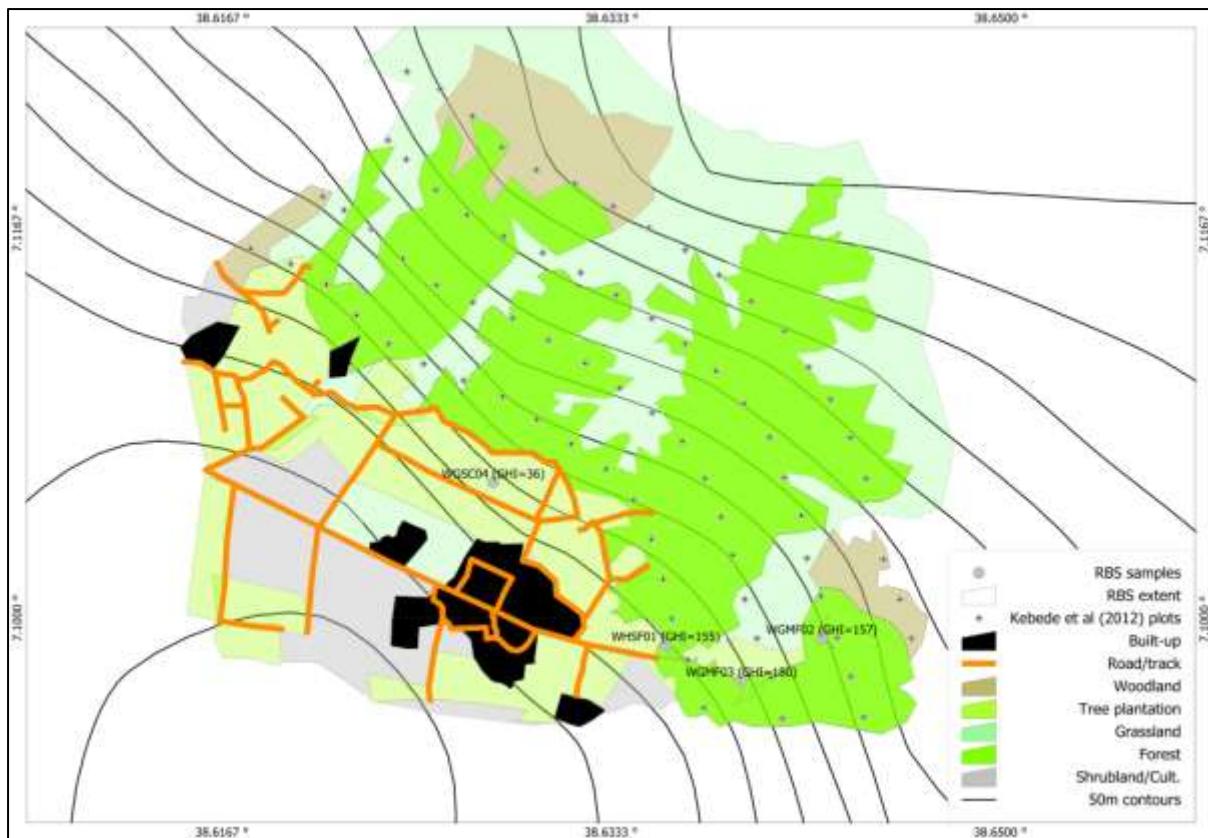
### Vegetation type

The map in Figure 1, and summary of plant communities in Kebede *et al.* (2013) show that our samples were conducted in a small portion of the range of vegetation in the area. Kebede *et al.*'s (2013) plots were similarly biased towards the woody vegetation: they recognised 5 community types in their 75 measured plots (see Figure 1) in a wider variety of vegetation and altitude range.

Normally, outputs from RBS survey would have many tens or hundreds of samples, and then the community types can be explored using ordination and cluster analysis, in the manner shown by Kebede *et al.* However, there is no point to ordinate just 4 RBS samples. With access to the results of Kebede *et al.*, it would be possible to integrate the new plots into their classification precisely, but in fact their stated indicator species and map position allow the correspondence in Table 1 to be deduced with some confidence.

**Table 2 Correspondence between previously established communities and the RBS samples**

<b><i>Kebede et al.</i> community</b>	<b>RBS samples</b>	
<b>1</b> <i>Acokanthera-</i> <i>Calpurnea</i>	WGSC04	
<b>2</b> <i>Erythrococca –</i> <i>Millettia ferruginea</i>	WGMF02, WGMF03	
<b>3</b> <i>Croton</i> <i>macrostachyus-</i> <i>Vernonia</i>	WGSF01 was on the borderline between type 3 & 2	
<b>4</b> <i>Dodonea-</i> <i>Hypericum</i>	Not sampled in RBS workshop	
<b>5</b> <i>Protea- Rhus</i>	Not sampled in RBS workshop	



**Figure 1** Map of Wondo Genet college and surrounding vegetation showing location of 4 RBS samples. Kebede *et al.* plots and other features adapted from map in Kebede *et al.* (2013). Contours were derived from a national 90m digital terrain model. WGSC04 was in an area of tree plantation that has been cleared in the last year, and within which the indigenous vegetation was regenerating.



## Bioquality

The Genetic Heat Index (GHI) was calculated for each sample as outlined by Hawthorne (2012):

GHI is a ‘how hot is my hotspot’ score, allowing the hotspot temperature to be measured for small patches of vegetation on a globally standardised scale. It is a weighted average rarity score across all species in each sample, whereby globally rare species score more than more globally widespread species, in approximate proportion to their global rarity, estimated at a 1 degree square resolution. The richer a community is in rare species, and the rarer those species are, the higher the GHI score.

Rather than calculate a detailed range and weight for all species, which would be more precise but impractical, species (or varieties and subspecies) are always put into one of four categories called Stars, based on approximate global range. Stars are weighted according to the mean rarity of species within them. Black Star species are the globally rarest, then Gold, Blue and Green. Green Star species are widespread species of no rarity value, often familiar to botanists in many countries.

**Table 3 Summary of provisional Stars for sampled species (d.s. = degree squares occupied)**

Star	Typical range	Mean geographic Range (d.s.) expected for Star	Proportionate weight for calculating GHI)	Examples
<b>Black</b>	Endemic to a part of Ethiopia	2.67	27	<i>Habenaria cultriformis, Vepris dainellii, Coffea arabica</i> (special consideration in respect of wild coffee populations only – cultivated coffee would be Green Star)
<b>Gold</b>	Extending into Kenya /Uganda, or widespread in Ethiopia +- in adjacent countries	8	9	<i>Acanthus eminens, Justicia schimperiana, Solanecio gigas, Millettia ferruginea</i>
<b>Blue</b>	Intermediate Gold-Green. E.g. scattered on African mts or within E.Africa	24	3	<i>Polyscias fulva, Acokanthera schimperi, Pavetta abyssinica, Clutia lanceolata, Dombeya schimperiana, Afrocarpus falcatus</i>
<b>Green</b>	Widespread to South and /or West Africa	72	-	<i>Pseuderanthemum tunicatum, Aerva lanata, Cyathula cylindrica, Landolphia buchananii, Cordia africana, Combretum molle, Commelina erecta, Ageratum conyzoides, Solanecio angulata, Momordica foetida, Tectaria gemmifera, Cynodon dactylon, Leucas martinicensis, Calpurnia aurea, Nuxia congesta, Ficus sur, Maesa lanceolata, Drynaria volkensii, Vepris nobilis</i>

The guideline geographic ranges (in degree squares) for each Star, which are standardised across RBS projects, are shown in Table 3, with the corresponding weight. The aim is to classify species into Stars so that the mean range for a Star corresponds as closely as possible to this target value:

obviously there is some variation in geographic range for species of each Star. Other considerations, such as abundance of a species within its range; and existence of closely related taxa with much broader ranges, can be used to downgrade a Star rating from that suggested by the geographic extent alone. Globally rare subspecies, for instance, have a Star intermediate between that appropriate for a species of the same range and that of the combined range of all subspecies in the species.

Stars were assigned for all species recorded in Wondo Genet, as a first approximation based on the total geographic range derived from various resources and Floras, in particular Flora of Ethiopia, Flora of Tropical East Africa, GBIF<sup>3</sup>, the African plants<sup>4</sup> database and Jstor-Global plants<sup>5</sup> (Table 3). In any future RBS project, the Stars would be reappraised in more detail, for instance considering recent changes to ranges recorded in herbaria.

GHI is calculated as: Sum of (No. Species in each Star x Weight for that Star) x 100/ no. Species with any Star.

The total number of species sampled in Wondo Genet is summarised in Table 4. The overall total ("A & B combined") excludes the extra records made for the Wondo Genet area outside of RBS samples (filed under a sample "WGMISC"), as several of these, collected on and around the campus, had been planted and not strictly members of the Wondo Genet natural or naturalised flora. The bottom row of Table 4 therefore summarises the number of species sampled, in each Star, and the overall GHI of the sampled Wondo Genet vegetation as a whole is estimated from this as follows, using the weights 27, 9, 3, 0 for Black, Gold, Blue and Green species.

Sample calculation of GHI for A&B combined **numbers of each species** for each star and their **weights**

$$\text{GHI} = 100 \times ((4 \times 27) + (12 \times 9) + (19 \times 3)) / (4+12+19+199)$$

$$= 100(108 + 108 + 57) / 234$$

$$= 116.67$$

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<sup>3</sup> <http://www.gbif.org/>

<sup>4</sup> <http://www.ville-ge.ch/musinfo/bd/cjb/africa/recherche.php>

<sup>5</sup> <http://about.jstor.org/content/global-plants-formerly-jstor-plant-science>

**Table 4 Summary of number of species in each Star for each RBS sample and previous checklist of Kebede et al.**

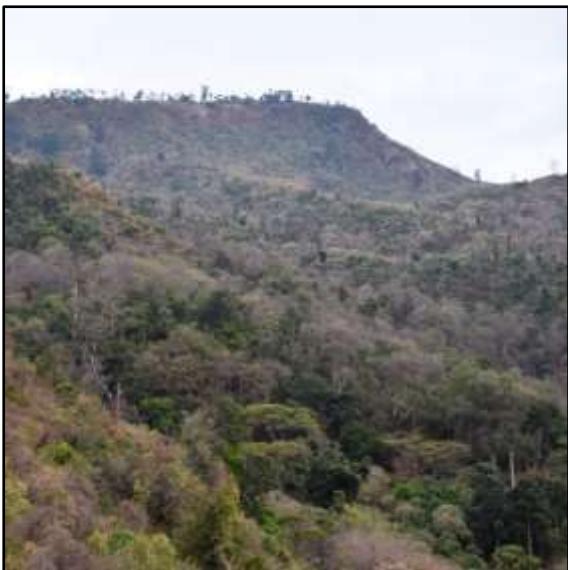
Sample	Veg (see Table 2)	No. recs	No. id species (including vague names)	No. Species of Each Star					GHI
				Black	Gold	Blue	Green	?	
WHSF01	2-3	47	31 (36)	1	1	3	24	2	155
WGMF02	2	61	42 (50)	1	2	4	31	4	157
WGMF03	2	69	52 (56)	2	2	3	38	7	180
WGSC04	1	77	46 (54)	0	1	1	30	14	36
A -RBS Overall	1-3	323	119 (159)						134
B - Checklist in Kebede et al (2013)	1-5	?	219 (239)	3	12	17	181	6	117
A&B Combined	1-5		265	4	12	19	199		116

GHI is globally standardised, so can be used to compare hotspots around the world and regionally. Although they therefore make most sense when comparing many samples, the GHI translates roughly into biodiversity hotspot ‘temperatures’ as follows:

- GHI <50: Cold: typical scores for secondary vegetation dominated by ruderals, e.g. along roadsides and abandoned fields. Generally speaking, of little conservation value, except in some cases with respect to heavy use or high socio-economic value of many such species locally, or maybe because frequented by rare animals. Other scores can be devised using the same data to highlight ‘conservation priorities in respect of other values’.
- GHI 150-200: Warm: In many countries, areas with warm temperatures in this GHI range are protected on the basis of the perceived global distinctiveness of the flora. The fauna tends to be similarly rich in rare species.
- GHI 300+: Hot. Such temperatures apply to notable global endemic hotspots, such as the highest mountain top vegetation in Trinidad, West Africa (and maybe Ethiopia’s e.g. Bale mts); small enclaves of the wettest evergreen forest in Ghana and Liberia; probably the coastal forests of East Africa, and the endemic-rich small islands of southern Japan.

The overall Wondo Genet GHI of 117 applies to species from all *Kebede et al.* (2013) classes 1-5 – i.e. a score for the vegetation in the sampled areas combined. This is a modest GHI, but it can be seen from Table 4 that this is due to the combination of:

- low-scoring class 1 vegetation of *Acokanthera-Calpurnea*, exemplified by the secondary vegetation after a cleared plantation (WGSC04 – GHI =36);
- Relatively high scoring montane forest of the *Erythrococca-Millettia* community in the other RBS plots (highest scoring WGMF03 – GHI=180).



From the point of view of global species rarity, the Wondo Genet montane forest is of higher conservation value, with rarer species overall, than the other type of vegetation sampled. In an ongoing project, it would be possible to map the hotspot scores across a broad region, noting subtle hotspots and coldspots within general trends; this would put into context the conservation significance of any particular patch, particularly when combined with ordination to show similarities and differences of communities regardless of GHI.

The RBS dataset could also be used to assess value in terms of distribution of useful plants.

The trees of each species were individually counted in each of the RBS samples, and this gives the potential to analyse the tree populations independently. This could be used to make a tree-centred classification, or for instance for evaluating where rare or useful individual trees are concentrated.

## What next?

RBS is an ideal framework for training botanists, including tree-spotters or those interested in useful plants; also for reinvigorating the Wondo Genet herbarium. Students trained in the process would be better equipped for many aspects of rural appraisal and land use management. During a broader regional or national survey, RBS teams would be able to collect living material for seed-banks, botanic gardens and arboreta, whilst providing good background data on the context of such collections. RBS also generates a database, including images, of great benefit in many arenas e.g. to help IUCN red-listing; choice of candidate species for agroforestry projects; to map aromatic, medicinal or rare plants. Analytic outputs, such as a hotspot map and botanic description of the area could be used to make educational material for the arboretum and e.g. lecture material for teaching staff, as well as academic outputs.

## A summary of potential for future RBS projects at Wondo Genet

We talked during the Arbopro workshop about how a small botanic survey project could start with little delay with student and staff teams from the College. This team could work locally (e.g. without transport in the beginning) to survey the local vegetation more thoroughly. This could be a cheap enterprise, although travel and subsistence costs would need to be raised. The Oxford team would be happy to help and teach the analysis required to turn the data into e.g. a hotspot map, vegetation typology etc. Some species identification would need to happen in Addis, until the herbarium collection at Wondo Genet is comprehensive for the area.

- With a small grant (e.g. £5000-£10,000) Oxford staff could come out again to help with identification and help guide the survey (and provide motivation to get the project going), and give a BRAHMS course. A BRAHMS course was requested by both the college and the

National Biodiversity Centre, and would be necessary for storing the data in a way that we can access it and help with analysis in Oxford. Funds of this scale could also be used to pay a small stipend/daily allowance for the staff and students in the teams. Any remaining funds could be used to buy fuel to travel to forests further afield.

- Priority species could be identified by e.g. their global rarity, their ecological significance in the landscape, or their scent/other ornamental/medicinal features. A period of seed collection could follow to establish such species in the arboretum. In particular, scented and medicinal species would be of interest to the aromatic and medicinal centre adjacent to the College, who are interested to try cultivating Ethiopian aromatic/medicinal species alongside the European species that are being grown at the moment.



A bigger project (e.g. £300,000) would be more useful in the long run, whereby RBS team members work more or less full time to survey a wider region of Ethiopian Afromontane forest or other vegetation, and international institutions play a bigger role. The above project elements would be included in this proposal, with the difference that: A wider survey would require a significant budget for fuel, per diems and camping equipment or guest house costs. A remote sensing component would be built in.

- A budget for updating the arboretum e.g. removing *Eucalyptus* and replanting here and the surrounding areas with priority Ethiopian species, could be part of the same project.
- A series of workshops would be included to bring the users of the (college) forests together to discuss ways to reduce dependence on fuel wood from the forest, and to reduce fire-setting. Fuel wood collection in the forest is contributing to deforestation of the area. Funding would need to be reserved for implementing a solution to this dependence, whatever that may be. We would need to come up with a potential solution to try here - converting some of the unproductive timber plantations to coppiced areas for fuel wood, with due regard to the income the college makes from them currently.
- A collaboration with BGCI and other gardens of Ethiopia, and the biodiversity centre, would be envisaged, where these institutions contribute capacity building in *ex situ* species conservation and the grounds to do it in.
- Collaboration with national and regional herbaria could bring regional databases together with the new data collected. This database could be put online, along with Star and IUCN ratings and any other annotations.



It is currently proposed that such a project could be appealing to the UK Darwin Initiative.

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## Annex 1: Checklist of Wondo Genet Species

*Abutilon bidentatum* (Hochst.) A.Rich. (Malvaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Acacia abyssinica* (Leguminosae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Acacia brevispica* Harms (Leguminosae) Star =GN : WGSC04 : KEBEDE2012



Figure 2 *Acacia brevispica* (Green Star)

*Acacia sp.* Brenan & Exell (Leguminosae) : WGMF02 : WGMISC2  
*Acanthaceae sp.* (Acanthaceae) : WGMF03  
*Acanthaceae sp1* (Acanthaceae) : WGSC04  
*Acanthaceae sp2* (Acanthaceae) : WGSC04  
*Acanthus eminens* C.B.Clarke (Acanthaceae) Star =GD : WHSF01 : KEBEDE2012  
*Acmella caulirhiza* Delile (Compositae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Acokanthera schimperi* (A.D.C.) Schweinf. (Apocynaceae) Star =BU : WHSF01 : WGSC04 : WGMISC2 : KEBEDE2012



Figure 3 *Acokanthera schimperi* (Blue Star)

*Aeollanthus abyssinicus* Hochst. ex Benth. (Labiatae) Star =GD : KEBEDE2012  
*Aerangis brachycarpa* (A.Rich.) T.Durand & Schinz (Orchidaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Aerva lanata* (L.) Schult. (Amaranthaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Afrocarpus falcatus* (Thunb.) Mirb. (Podocarpaceae) Star =BU : WHSF01 : WGMF02 : WGMF03 : WGMISC : KEBEDE2012

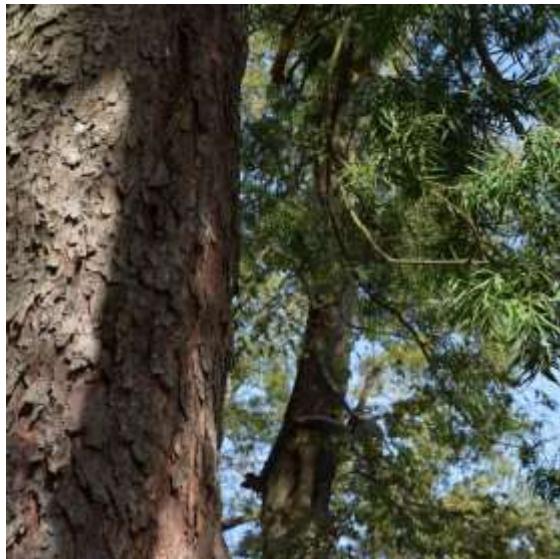


Figure 4 *Afrocarpus falcatus* (Blue Star)

*Ageratum conyzoides* L. (Compositae) Star =GN : WHSF01 : KEBEDE2012  
*Albizia gummifera* (J.F.Gmel.) C.A.Sm. (Leguminosae) Star =GN : WHSF01 : WGMF02 : WGMF03 : WGSC04 : WGMISC : WGMISC2  
*Albizia schimperiiana* (Leguminosae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Albizia sp.* (Leguminosae) : WGMISC2  
*Alepidea peduncularis* A.Rich. (Umbelliferae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Allophylus abyssinicus* (Hochst.) Radlk. (Sapindaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Allophylus ferrugineus* Taub. var. *ferrugineus* (Sapindaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Amaranthaceae sp.* (Amaranthaceae) : WHSF01 : WGMF03  
*Ampelocissus abyssinica* (A.Rich.) Planch. (Vitaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Andropogon distachyos* L. (Gramineae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Apodytes dimidiata* (Icacinaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Arisaema sp.* (Araceae) : KEBEDE2012  
*Aristeo abyssinica* Pax (Iridaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Aristida adoensis* Hochst. (Gramineae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Asparagus africanus* Lam. (Asparagaceae) Star =BU : KEBEDE2012  
*Asplenium bugiense* Hieron. (Aspleniaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Asplenium mannii* Hook. (Aspleniaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Asplenium theciferum* (Aspleniaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Athrixia rosmarinifolia* (Compositae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Berkheya spekeana* Oliv. (Compositae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Bersama abyssinica* (Melanthiaceae) Star =GN : WHSF01 : WGMF02 : WGMF03 : WGSC04 : KEBEDE2012



Figure 5 *Bersama abyssinica* (Green Star)

*Bidens pilosa* L. (Compositae) Star =GN : WGSC04 : KEBEDE2012  
*Bidens* sp. (Compositae) : KEBEDE2012  
*Borassus aethiopum* Mart. (Palmae) Star =GN : WGMISC  
*Bougainvillea* sp. (Nyctaginaceae) : WGMISC  
*Brachiaria brizantha* (A.Rich.) Stapf (Gramineae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Brachiaria ovalis* Stapf (Gramineae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Brucea antidyserterica* Lam. (Simaroubaceae) Star =GN : WGMF03 : KEBEDE2012  
*Brucea* sp. (Simaroubaceae) : WGMISC2  
*Buddleja polystachya* Fresen. (Loganiaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Caesalpinia decapetala* (Roth) Alston (Leguminosae) Star =GN : WGMF03



Figure 6 *Caesalpinia decapetala* (Green Star)

*Callistemon viminalis* (Myrtaceae) Star =GN : WGMISC  
*Calpurnia aurea* (Aiton) Benth. ssp. *aurea* (Leguminosae) Star =GN : WGSC04 KEBEDE2012



Figure 7 *Calpurnia aurea* (Green Star)

*Canthium oligocarpum* (Rubiaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Carduus leptacanthus* Fresen. (Compositae) Star =GD : WGSC04 : KEBEDE2012  
*Carex chlorosaccus* C.B.Clarke (Cyperaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Carissa spinarum* L. (Apocynaceae) Star =GN : WGMF02 : WGMF03 : KEBEDE2012  
*Cassipourea malosana* (Baker) Alston (Rhizophoraceae) Star =GN : WHSF01 : WGMF03 : WGMISC : KEBEDE2012  
*Caylusea abyssinica* (Fresen.) Fisch. & C.A.Mey. (Resedaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Cayratia gracilis* (Guill. & Perr.) Suess. (Vitaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Celosia schweinfurthiana* Schinz (Amaranthaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Celtis africana* Burm.f. (Ulmaceae) Star =GN : WHSF01 : WGMF02 :

WGMF03 : WGSC04 : WGMISC : KEBEDE2012  
*Ceropegia* sp. (Asclepiadaceae) : KEBEDE2012  
*Chionanthus mildbraedii* (Gigl & Schellenb.) Stearn (Oleaceae) Star =GN : WGMF02 : WGMF03 : KEBEDE2012  
*Chionanthus* sp. (Oleaceae) : WGMISC2  
*Chlorophytum* sp. (Anthericaceae) : KEBEDE2012  
*Christella chaseana* (Schelpe) Holttum (Thelypteridaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Cirsium* sp1 (Compositae) : WGMF03  
*Clematis hirsuta* Guill. & Perr. (Ranunculaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Clutia lanceolata* Forssk. (Euphorbiaceae) Star =BU : KEBEDE2012  
*Coffea arabica* L. (Rubiaceae) Star =GN (if planted)  
*Coffea arabica* f. (*wildpopulation*) (Rubiaceae) Star =BK : KEBEDE2012  
 WGMF03 : WGMISC



Figure 8 *Coffea arabica* (Black Star when wild pop.)

*Combretum molle* G.Don (Combretaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Commelina africana* (Commelinaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Commelina erecta* L. (Commelinaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Compositae* sp. (Compositae) : WGMISC  
*Compositae* sp1,2,3,4,5,6,7 (Compositae) : WGSC04  
*Conyza pyrrhopappa* A.Rich. (Compositae) Star =GN : WGSC04 : KEBEDE2012



Figure 9 *Conyza pyrrhocappa* (Green Star)

*Cordia africana* Lam. (Boraginaceae) Star =GN : WHSF01 : WGMF03 : WGMISC2 : KEBEDE2012



Figure 10 *Cordia africana* (Green Star)

*Crassocephalum* sp. (Compositae) : WGMF02 : KEBEDE2012  
*Crotalaria incana* (Leguminosae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Croton macrostachyus Delile* (Euphorbiaceae) Star =GN : WHSF01 : WGMF02 : WGMF03 : WGSC04 : WGMISC : WGMISC2 : KEBEDE2012  
*Cucurbitaceae* sp1 (Cucurbitaceae) : WGMF02  
*Cucurbitaceae* sp2 (Cucurbitaceae) : WGSC04  
*Cupressus lusitanica* Mill. (Cupressaceae) Star =GN : WHSF01  
*Cyathula cylindrica* Moq. (Amaranthaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Cyathula uncinulata* (Schrad.) Schinz (Amaranthaceae) Star =GN : WGSC04 : WGMISC2



Figure 11 *Cyathula uncinulata* (Green Star)

*Cynodon dactylon* (L.) Pers. (Gramineae) Star =GN : WHSF01 : WGMF02 : WGMF03 : KEBEDE2012  
*Cynoglossum coeruleum* (Boraginaceae) Star =GN : WGSC04 : KEBEDE2012  
*Cynoglossum* sp. (Boraginaceae) : WGMISC2  
*Cyperaceae* sp. (Cyperaceae) : WHSF01 : WGMF02 : WGSC04  
*Cyperus rigidifolius* Steud. (Cyperaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Cyphostemma niveum* (Hochst ex Schweinf.) Desc. (Vitaceae) Star =GD : KEBEDE2012  
*Dalbergia lactea* Vatke (Leguminosae) Star =GN : WHSF01 : WGMF02 : WGMF03 : KEBEDE2012



Figure 12 *Dalbergia lactea* (Green Star)

*Datura* sp. (Solanaceae) : WGMISC2  
*Desmodium repandum* (Vahl) DC. (Leguminosae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Dichondra repens* (Convolvulaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Digitaria abyssinica* (A.Rich.) Stapf (Gramineae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Dioscorea bulbifera* (Dioscoreaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Diospyros abyssinica* (Ebenaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Diospyros mespiliformis* A.DC. (Ebenaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Discopodium penninervium* Hochst. (Solanaeae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Disperis anthoceros* (Orchidaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Dissotis* sp. (Melastomataceae) : KEBEDE2012  
*Dodonaea viscosa* Jacq. var. *angustifolia* (L.f.) Benth. (Sapindaceae) Star =GN : WGMISC : KEBEDE2012



Figure 13 *Dodonaea viscosa* (Green Star)

*Dombeya schimperiana* A.Rich. (Sterculiaceae) Star =BU : WHSF01  
*Doryopteris concolor* (Langsd. & Fisch.) Kuhn (Adiantaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Dovyalis* sp. (Flacourtiaceae) : WGMISC2  
*Dovyalis* sp1 (Flacourtiaceae) : WGSC04  
*Dovyalis* sp2 (Flacourtiaceae) : WHSF01  
*Dovyalis verrucosa* Warb. (Flacourtiaceae) Star =GD : KEBEDE2012  
*Dracaena afromontana* Mildbr. (Dracaenaceae) Star =GN : WGMF03 : KEBEDE2012  
*Dracaena steudneri* Engl. (Dracaenaceae) Star =GN : WGMF02 : WGMISC : KEBEDE2012



Figure 14 *Dracaena steudneri* (Green Star)

*Droguetia iners* (Urticaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Drymaria cordata* (L.) Willd. ex Roem. & Schult. (Caryophyllaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012



Figure 15 *Drynaria cordata* (epiphyte-Green Star)

*Drynaria* sp. (Polypodiaceae) : WGMISC2  
*Drynaria volkensii* Hieron. (Polypodiaceae) Star =GN : WGMF03 : WGMISC : KEBEDE2012  
*Ehretia cymosa* Thonn. (Boraginaceae) Star =GN : WGMF02 : KEBEDE2012  
*Ekebergia capensis* Sparrm. (Meliaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Embelia schimperi* Vatke (Myrsinaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Entada abyssinica* A.Rich. (Leguminosae) Star =BU : KEBEDE2012  
*Eragrostis schweinfurthii* Chiov. (Gramineae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Erica arborea* L. (Ericaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Eriosema* sp. (Leguminosae) : KEBEDE2012  
*Erucastrum arabicum* Fisch. & C.A.Mey. (Cruciferae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Erythrina brucei* Schweinf. (Leguminosae) Star =GD : WGMISC  
*Erythrococca trichogyna* (Müll.Arg.) Prain (Euphorbiaceae) Star =GN : WGMF02 : WGMF03 : WGMISC2 : KEBEDE2012



Figure 16 *Erythrococca trichogyna* (Green Star)

*Eucalyptus* sp. (Myrtaceae) : WGMISC  
*Eulophia guineensis* Lindl. (Orchidaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Euphorbia schimperiana* (Euphorbiaceae) Star =GN : WHSF01 : WGSC04 : KEBEDE2012  
*Euphorbia* sp. (Euphorbiaceae) : WGMISC2  
*Exotheca abyssinica* (A.Rich.) Andersson (Gramineae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Fagaropsis angolensis* (Engl.) Dale (Rutaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Fern* sp, sp2, sp3, sp4, sp5 () : WGMF03  
*Ficus sur* Forssk. (Moraceae) Star =GN : WGMF02 : WGMF03 : KEBEDE2012  
*Ficus thonningii* Blume (Moraceae) Star =GN : WHSF01 : WGMF02 : WGMF03 : WGMISC : KEBEDE2012  
*Ficus vasta* Forssk. (Moraceae) Star =GN : WGMISC : KEBEDE2012  
*Flacourtie indica* (Burm.f.) Merr. (Flacourtiaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Foeniculum vulgare* Mill. (Umbelliferae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Fuerstia africana* T.C.E.Fr. (Labiatae) Star =BU : KEBEDE2012  
*Gardenia ternifolia* (Rubiaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Geranium* sp. (Geraniaceae) : WGSC04 : KEBEDE2012  
*Girardinia bullosa* (Steud.) Wedd. (Urticaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Girardinia diversifolia* (Link) Friis (Urticaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Gnidia chrysanthra* (Solms) Gilg (Thymelaeaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Gnidia lamprantha* Gilg (Thymelaeaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Gomphocarpus phillipsiae* (N. E. Br.) Goyder (Asclepiadaceae) Star =GD : KEBEDE2012  
*Gongronema angolense* (N.E.Br.) Bullock (Asclepiadaceae) Star =GN : WHSF01  
*Gouania longispicata* Engl. (Rhamnaceae) Star =GN : WGMF03 : KEBEDE2012



Figure 17 *Gouania longispicata* (Green Star)

*Gramineae* sp. (Gramineae) : WGSC04  
*Grevillea robusta* R.Br. (Proteaceae) Star =GN : WHSF01 : WGMISC  
*Grewia ferruginea* Hochst. (Tiliaceae) Star =BU : KEBEDE2012  
*Guizotia* sp. (Compositae) : KEBEDE2012  
*Habenaria cultriformis* Kraenzl. ex Engl. (Orchidaceae) Star =BK : KEBEDE2012  
*Hagenia abyssinica* (Bruce) J.F.Gmel. (Rosaceae) Star =GN : WGMISC

*Helichrysum schimperi* (A.Rich.) Moeser (Compositae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Helinus mystacinus* (Aiton) Steud. (Rhamnaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Hesperantha petitiiana* (A.Rich.) Baker (Iridaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Heteromorpha arborescens* Cham. & Schldl. (Umbelliferae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Hyparrhenia hirta* (L.) Stapf (Gramineae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Hypericum peplidifolium* A.Rich. (Guttiferae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Hypericum quartianum* A.Rich. (Guttiferae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Hypericum revolutum* (Guttiferae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Hypoestes* sp. (Acanthaceae) : WGMF02 : KEBEDE2012  
*Hypoxis villosa* L.f. (Hypoxidaceae) Star =BU : KEBEDE2012  
*Impatiens hochstetteri* (Balsaminaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Indigofera* sp. (Leguminosae) : KEBEDE2012  
*Ipomoea kituiensis* Vatke (Convolvulaceae) Star =GD : KEBEDE2012  
*Ischaemum afrum* (J.F.Gmel.) Dandy (Gramineae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Jacaranda* sp. (Bignoniaceae) : WGMISC  
*Jasminum abyssinicum* Hochst. ex DC. (Oleaceae) Star =GN : WHSF01 : WGMF03 : KEBEDE2012  
*Justicia schimperiana* T. Anderson. (Acanthaceae) (=*Adhatoda schimperiana*) Star BU : WGMF02 : WGMF03 : WGSC04 Star: WGMISC : KEBEDE2012



**Figure 18 *Justicia schimperiana* (Blue Star)**

*Kalanchoe lanceolata* (Forssk.) Pers. (Crassulaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Kalanchoe* sp. (Crassulaceae) : WGMISC2  
*Kohautia platyphylla* (K. Schum.) Bremek. (Rubiaceae) : KEBEDE2012

*Labiatae* sp. (Labiatae) : WGSC04  
*Landolphia buchananii* (Hallier f.) Stapf (Apocynaceae) Star =GN : WHSF01 : WGMF03 : WGSC04 : KEBEDE2012  
*Lantana camara* L. (Verbenaceae) Star =GN : WGSC04  
*Leguminosae* sp. (Leguminosae) : WGMISC : WGMISC2  
*Leguminosae-pap* sp1 (Leguminosae) : WGMF02 : WGMF03  
*Leguminosae-pap* sp2 (Leguminosae) : WGSC04  
*Leguminosae-pap* sp3 (Leguminosae) : WGSC04  
*Lepidotrichilia volvensis* (Gürke) J.-F.Leroy (Meliaceae) Star =GN : WGMF03 : WGSC04 : KEBEDE2012  
*Leucas martinicensis* (Jacq.) R.Br. (Labiatae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Lysimachia ruhmeriana* Vatke (Primulaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Maesa lanceolata* Forssk. (Myrsinaceae) Star =GN : WGMF02 : WGMF03 : WGMISC : KEBEDE2012  
*Malvaceae* sp. (Malvaceae) : WGSC04  
*Maytenus arbutifolia* (A.Rich.) Wilczek (Celastraceae) Star =GN : WGMF02 : KEBEDE2012  
*Maytenus undata* (Thunb.) Blakelock (Celastraceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Melinis repens* (Willd.) Zizka (Gramineae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Millettia ferruginea* Hochst. (Leguminosae) Star =GD : WGMF02 : WGMF03 : WGMISC : KEBEDE2012



**Figure 19 *Millettia ferruginea* (Gold Star)**

*Mirabilis jalapa* L. (Nyctaginaceae) Star =GN : WGMISC  
*Momordica foetida* Schumach. (Cucurbitaceae) Star =GN : WGSC04 : KEBEDE2012  
*Myrsine africana* L. (Myrsinaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Nervilia simplex* (Thouars) Schltr. (Orchidaceae) Star =BU : KEBEDE2012  
*Nuxia congesta* Fresen. (Loganiaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Ochna holsti* Engl. (Ochnaceae) Star =GN : WHSF01 : WGMF02 : KEBEDE2012  
*Ocimum grandiflorum* (Lam.) Pic. Serm. (Labiatae) Star =BU : KEBEDE2012  
*Ocimum lamiifolium* Benth. (Labiatae) Star =GN : WGSC04 : KEBEDE2012  
*Ocimum* sp. (Labiatae) : WGMISC2  
*Olea europaea* L. subsp. *cuspidata* (Wall. ex G. Don) Cif. (Oleaceae) : KEBEDE2012  
*Olea welwitschii* (Knobl.) Gilg & Schellenb. (Oleaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Olinia rochetiana* A.Juss. (Oliniaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Oncinotis tenuiloba* Stapf (Apocynaceae) Star =GN : WGMF02 : WGMF03  
*Oncoba spinosa* Forssk. (Flacourtiaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Opilia amentacea* Roxb. (Opiliaceae) Star =GN : WHSF01 : KEBEDE2012  
*Oplismenus compositus* (L.) P.Beauv. (Gramineae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Orchidaceae* sp. (Orchidaceae) : WGMF02 : WGMF03  
*Osyris lanceolata* Hochst. & Steud. (Santalaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012

*Oxalis obliquifolia* A.Rich. (Oxalidaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Oxalis* sp. (Oxalidaceae) : WGSC04  
*Oxyanthus speciosus* (Rubiaceae) Star =GN : WGMF02 : WGMF03 :  
 WGSC04 : KEBEDE2012  
*Pavetta abyssinica* (Rubiaceae) Star =BU : KEBEDE2012  
*Pelargonium* sp. (Geraniaceae) : KEBEDE2012  
*Pellaea viridis* (Adiantaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Pennisetum thunbergii* Kunth (Gramineae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Pentas lanceolata* (Rubiaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Peperomia abyssinica* Miq. (Piperaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Peperomia tetraphylla* (G.Forst.) Hook. & Arn. (Piperaceae) Star =GN :  
 KEBEDE2012  
*Periploca linearifolia* Quart.-Dill. & A.Rich. (Asclepiadaceae) Star =? :  
 KEBEDE2012  
*Periploca* sp. (Asclepiadaceae) : WGMF02  
*Phaulopsis* sp. (Acanthaceae) : WHSF01  
*Phoenix reclinata* Jacq. (Palmae) Star =GN : WGMF03 : WGMISC :  
 KEBEDE2012  
*Phragmanthera macrosolen* (Steud. ex A. Rich.) M. G. Gilbert  
 (Loranthaceae) Star =GD : KEBEDE2012  
*Phyllanthus mooneyi* M.G. Gilbert (Euphorbiaceae) : WGSC04  
*Phyllanthus* sp. (Euphorbiaceae) : KEBEDE2012  
*Physalis peruviana* L. (Solanaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Phytolacca dodecandra* L'Hér. (Phytolaccaceae) Star =GN : WGMF02 :  
 WGMF03  
*Pimpinella* sp. (Umbelliferae) : KEBEDE2012  
*Pittosporum viridiflorum* (Pittosporaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Pittosporum viridiflorum* Sims ssp. *viridiflorum* (Pittosporaceae) Star =GN  
 : WHSF01  
*Plantago palmata* Hook.f. (Plantaginaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Plectocephalus varians* (A. Rich.) C. Jeffrey in Cufod. (Compositae) Star  
 =BU : KEBEDE2012  
*Plectranthus punctatus* L'Hér. (Labiateae) Star =BU : KEBEDE2012  
*Pleopeltis macrocarpa* (Bory. ex Wild.) Kaulf. (Polypodiaceae) :  
 KEBEDE2012  
*Plumbago zeylanica* L. (Plumbaginaceae) Star =GN : WGMISC  
*Plumeria rubra* (Apocynaceae) Star =GN : WGMISC  
*Polyscias fulva* (Hiern) Harms (Araliaceae) Star =BU : WGMF02 :  
 WGMF03 : WGMISC2 : KEBEDE2012



**Figure 20 Polyscias fulva (Blue Star)**

*Polystachya* sp. (Orchidaceae) : KEBEDE2012  
*Pouteria adolfi-friedericii* (Sapotaceae) Star =BU : WGMF02 : WGMF03 :  
 KEBEDE2012  
*Premna schimperi* Engl. (Labiateae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Protea gaguedi* J.F.Gmel. (Proteaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Prunus africana* (Hook.f.) Kalkman (Rosaceae) Star =GN : WGMF02 :  
 WGMF03 : KEBEDE2012  
*Pseuderanthemum tunicatum* (Afzel.) Milne-Redh. (Acanthaceae) Star  
 =GN : WGMF02  
*Psidium* sp. (Myrtaceae) Star =GN : WGSC04  
*Psydrax schimperiiana* (Rubiaceae) Star =BU : KEBEDE2012  
*Pteridium aquilinum* (Dennstaedtiaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012

*Pteris catoptera* Kunze (Pteridaceae) Star =GN : WHSF01 : WGMF02 :  
 WGMF03 : KEBEDE2012



**Figure 21 Pteris catoptera (Green Star)**

*Pteroglossaspis eustachya* Rchb.f. (Orchidaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Rhamnus prinoides* L'Hér. (Rhamnaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Rhoicissus tridentata* (L.f.) Wild & R.B.Drumm. (Vitaceae) Star =GN :  
 KEBEDE2012  
*Rhus retinorrhoea* Steud. ex Oliv. (Anacardiaceae) Star =GD :  
 KEBEDE2012  
*Rhus vulgaris* Meikle (Anacardiaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Ritchiea albersii* Gilg (Capparaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Rotorea myricoides* (Hochst.) Steane & Mabberley ssp. *myricoides* var.  
*myricoides* (Labiateae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Rubia cordifolia* (Rubiaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Rubus niveus* Thunb. (Rosaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Rubus* sp. (Rosaceae) Star =GK : WGMISC2  
*Rubus steudneri* (Rosaceae) Star =GN : WHSF01 : WGMF02 : WGMF03 :  
 WGSC04 : KEBEDE2012



**Figure 22 Rubus steudneri (Green Star)**

*Rubus volkensii* Engl. (Rosaceae) Star =BU : KEBEDE2012  
*Rumex abyssinicus* Jacq. (Polygonaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Rumex nepalensis* Spreng. (Polygonaceae) : KEBEDE2012  
*Salix subserrata* Willd. (Salicaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Salvia tiliifolia* Vahl. (Labiateae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Satureja punctata* (Benth.) Briq. ssp. *ovata* (Benth.) Seybold (Labiateae)  
 Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Schinus molle* (Anacardiaceae) Star =GN : WGMISC

*Schrebera alata* (Hochst.) Welw. (Oleaceae) Star =GN : WGMISC2 : KEBEDE2012



Figure 23 *Schrebera alata* (Green Star)

*Scleria bulbifera* Hochst. ex A.Rich. (Cyperaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Selaginella goudotiana* Spring var. *abyssinica* (Spring) Bizzarri (Selaginellaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Senma didymobryota* (Fresen) Irwin & Barneby (Leguminosae) Star =GN : WGSC04  
*Senna septemtrionalis* (Viv.) Irwin & Barneby (Leguminosae) Star =GN : WGSC04 : KEBEDE2012  
*Senseli* sp. () : WGMF02  
*Setaria megaphylla* (Steud.) T.Durand & Schinz (Gramineae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Setaria sp1* (Gramineae) : WGMF02 : WGSC04  
*Setaria sp2* (Gramineae) : WHSF01 : WGMF02  
*Sida acuta* Burm.f. (Malvaceae) Star =GN : WGSC04  
*Sida collina* Schldl. (Malvaceae) Star =GN : WGSC04  
*Sida* sp. (Malvaceae) : WGMISC : WGMISC2  
*Sida tenuicarpa* Vollesen (Malvaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Simirestis goetzei* (Loes.) R.Wilczek (Celastraceae) Star =GN : WGMF02 : KEBEDE2012  
*Solanecio angulatus* (Vahl) C.Jeffrey (Compositae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Solanecio gigas* (Vatke) C. Jeffrey (Compositae) Star =GD : WGMF02 : WGSC03 : KEBEDE2012



Figure 24 *Solanecio gigas* (Gold Star)

*Solanecio tuberosus* (Sch.Bip. ex A.Rich.) C.Jeffrey (Compositae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012

*Solanum giganteum* Jacq. (Solanaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Solanum incanum* L. (Solanaceae) Star =GN : WGSC04 : KEBEDE2012  
*Solanum nigrum* L. (Solanaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Solanum* sp. (Solanaceae) : WGMISC2  
*Solanum villosum* Mill. (Solanaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Sonchus* sp. (Compositae) : KEBEDE2012  
*Sopubia ramosa* (Scrophulariaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Spathodea campanulata* P.Beauv. ssp. *nilotica* (Seem.) Bidgood (Bignoniaceae) Star =GN : WGMISC  
*Sporobolus pyramidalis* P.Beauv. (Gramineae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Stachys* sp. (Labiatae) : KEBEDE2012  
*Steganotaenia araliacea* Hochst. (Umbelliferae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Stephania abyssinica* (Menispermaceae) Star =GN : WHSF01 : WGMF03 : WGSC04 : WGMISC2 : KEBEDE2012



Figure 25 *Stephania abyssinica* (Green Star, medicinal)

*Syzygium guineense* (Willd.) DC. (Myrtaceae) Star =GN : WGMF02 : WGMF03  
*Syzygium guineense* (Willd.) DC. ssp. *guineense* (Myrtaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Syzygium guineense* (Willd.) DC. ssp. *macrocarpum* (Engl.) F.White (Myrtaceae) : KEBEDE2012  
*Tagetes minuta* L. (Compositae) Star =GN : WGSC04 : KEBEDE2012  
*Tectaria gemmifera* (Fée) Alston (Dryopteridaceae) Star =GN : WGMF02 : WGMF03 : KEBEDE2012  
*Thalictrum rhynchocarpum* Quart. & A. Rich. (Ranunculaceae) Star =GN : WGMF02 : KEBEDE2012  
*Themedia triandra* Forssk. (Gramineae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Tiliacora funifera* (Miers) Oliv. (Menispermaceae) Star =GN : WGMF02 : WGMF03 : KEBEDE2012  
*Toddalia asiatica* (L.) Lam. (Rutaceae) Star =GN : WHSF01 : WGMF03 : WGSC04 : WGMISC2 : KEBEDE2012  
*Tragia mixta* M.G. Gilbert (Euphorbiaceae) Star =BU : WGMF02  
*Tragia* sp. (Euphorbiaceae) : KEBEDE2012  
*Trema orientalis* (L.) Blume (Ulmaceae) Star =GN : WGMISC  
*Triumfetta rhomboidea* Jacq. (Tiliaceae) Star =GN : WGMF03 : WGSC04 : KEBEDE2012  
*Triumfetta* sp. (Tiliaceae) : WGMF02 : WGMISC2  
*Urticaceae* sp. (Urticaceae) : WGMF03  
*Vepris dainelli* (Pic. Serm.) Kokwaro (Rutaceae) Star =BK : WHSF01 : WGMF02 : WGMF03 : KEBEDE2012



Figure 26 *Vepris dainellii* (Black Star)

*Vepris nobilis* (Delile) W. Mziray (Rutaceae) Star =GN : WHSF01 :  
WGMF02 : WGSC04 : KEBEDE2012  
*Vepris simplicifolia* (Verdoon) W.Mziray (Rutaceae) : KEBEDE2012  
*Vepris* sp. (Rutaceae) : WGMISC  
*Verbascum* sp. (Scrophulariaceae) : KEBEDE2012  
*Vernonia amygdalina* Delile (Compositae) Star =GN : WGMF02 : WGSC04  
: WGMISC  
*Vernonia auriculifera* Hiern (Compositae) Star =GN : WGMF03 :  
KEBEDE2012  
*Vernonia brachycalyx* O.Hoffm. (Compositae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Vernonia hochstetteri* (Compositae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Vernonia inulaefolia* Steud. (Compositae) Star =BK : KEBEDE2012  
*Vernonia* sp. (Compositae) : WGMISC : WGMISC2  
*Wahlenbergia abyssinica* (Campanulaceae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012  
*Zehneria scabra* (L.f.) Sond. (Cucurbitaceae) Star =GN : WGMF03 :  
KEBEDE2012  
*Zollernia paraensis* Huber. (Leguminosae) Star =GN : KEBEDE2012



Figure 27 *Vepris nobilis* (Green Star)