# The vegetation ecology of the Eastern Transvaal Escarpment in the Sabie area. 3. Annotated checklist

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# ABSTRACT

Over 1 000 plant taxa occurring in a 1 300 km<sup>2</sup> belt transect extending from Hazyview (530 m elevation) to Mount Anderson (2 280 m elevation) in the Sabie area of the Eastern Transvaal Escarpment are listed by genus, with species arranged alphabetically within genera. Annotations include genus author, species author, growth form, habitat, collector and specimen number. Floristic analysis shows the Asteraceae as representing the largest family, followed by the Fabaceae, Poaceae, Rubiaceae and Liliaceae. Floristic affinities are briefly discussed.

## UITTREKSEL

In 'n 1 300 km<sup>2</sup> breë lynopname, wat vanaf Hazyview (530 m bo seespieël) tot Mount Anderson (2 280 m bo seespieël) in die Sabie-area van Oos-Transvaalse platorand strek, kom meer as 1 000 planttaksons voor wat volgens genus gelys is. Die spesies is alfabeties onder die genusse gerangskik. Aantekeninge sluit die genus-outeur, spesie-outeur, groeivorm, habitat, versamelaar en eksemplaarnommer in. Volgens die floristiese analise verteenwoordig die Asteraceae die grootste familie gevolg deur Fabaceae. Poaceae, Rubiaceae en Liliaceae. Floristiese verwantskappe word ook kortliks bespreek.

# INTRODUCTION

This checklist contains 1 009 identifiable plant taxa (excluding mosses and lichens) recorded in the 251 relevés of the study area (cf. Deall et al. 1989a & b). Most taxa are represented by voucher specimens housed in either the National Herbarium, Pretoria; the D. R. de Wet Forestry Research Centre Herbarium, Sabie; or in the senior author's field herbarium, Botanical Research Institute, Pretoria. A number of plants seen in the field are not included in the checklist because they were in too poor a condition to be identified. Voucher specimen numbers are italicized at the end of each species citation. All pertain to G. B. Deall except where indicated. Some taxa can, if necesary, be verified by more than the single voucher specimen quoted. Additional numbers are available from the senior author's collection register kept at the National Herbarium, Pretoria.

Classification of the Pteridophyta is according to Schelpe & Anthony (1986) and that of the Spermatophyta is according to Gibbs Russell et al. (1985, 1987). Species are arranged alphabetically within genera, exotic species being indicated by an asterisk. In instances where plants could not be identified below the generic level, the epithet sp. is appended (e.g. Combretum sp.). It should be noted that such a name may not consistently refer to the same species concept, but may include various species within the genus. Also, species designated as 'complex' are those whose identity in the field was not clear. For example, Tetradenia 'complex' is named thus because, although the first specimens collected were identified as Tetradenia riparia, subsequent specimens, which cursorily appeared to be T. riparia were identified as T. brevispicata. This distinction could not easily be discerned in the field without prior knowledge, and thus the term 'complex' is used to indicate that either species could be involved. Annotative terminology is in accordance with the categories used by Deall *et al.* (1989a & b).

# FLORISTIC ANALYSIS

A floristic analysis of the taxa contained in the checklist is summarized in Table 1. The study revealed a total of 1 009 identifiable species (including subspecies and varieties) distributed amongst 501 genera and 133 families. As with Scheepers' (1978) study, the Asteraceae constitute the largest family (37 genera and 128 species). The Fabaceae (36 genera, 91 species) and Poaceae (49 genera, 90 species) are next, followed by the Rubiaceae (26 genera, 48 species) and Liliaceae (21 genera, 46 species). The largest genera include *Helichrysum* (39

 
 TABLE 1.—Floristic analysis of taxa in the Sabie area of the Eastern Transvaal Escarpment

Major families and groups	No. of families	No. of genera	No. of species*
Monocotyledonae	16	126	244
Poaceae Liliaceae		49 21	90 46
Dicotyledonae	95	345	709
Asteraceae		37	128
Fabaceae		36	91
Rubiaceae		26	48
Angiospermae	111	471	953
Gymnospermae	2	2	3
Pteridophyta	20	28	53
	133	501	1 009

\* including subspecies and varieties

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spp.), Senecio (21 spp.), Vernonia (12 spp.), Asplenium (11 spp.), Cyperus (11 spp.), Rhynchosia (10 spp.), Indigofera (9 spp.), Crassula (9 spp.), Protasparagus (9 spp.), and Hyparrhenia (9 spp.).

Of the species whose distribution is limited to the Montane and Subalpine Belts, 29 % are present in the Natal Drakensberg (Killick 1963); 28 % in the northern Transvaal Drakensberg (Scheepers 1978); and 17 % in the Chimanimani Mountains of Zimbabwe (Goodier & Phipps 1961). This suggests that the Montane and Subalpine flora of the Sabie area has both temperate and tropical affinites, although the former is apparently stronger.

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# CHECKLIST

## PTERIDOPHYTA

## LYCOPODIACEAE

#### Lycopodium L.

gnidioides L. f., trailing, on rocks in elfin-like Mistbelt forests, 1194

## SELAGINELLACEAE

# Selaginella Beauv.

- dregei (Presl) Hieron, mat-forming xerophytic pioneer in rock depressions of Escarpment Slopes and Foothills, 1618 kraussiana (Kunze) A. Br. ex Kuhn, prostrate moss-like species
  - in field layer of Tall Forest, Escarpment and Mountain Slopes, 326

# MARATTIACEAE

#### Marattia Swartz

fraxinea J.E. Sm. ex J.F. Gmel, var. salicifolia (Schrad.) C. Chr., large waterside fern in dense shade of Tall (riparian) Forest, Mountain Slopes and Upper Foothills, 1043

# OSMUNDACEAE

## Todea Willd. ex Bernh.

barbara (L.) T. Moore, large tree-like fern of Tall (swamp) Forest, Escarpment Lower Slopes, 1120

## GLEICHENIACEAE

Dicranopteris Bernh. linearis (Burm. f.) Underw., infrequent fern in forests and mesic thickets of Foothills, 571

SCHIZAEACEAE

#### Mohria Swartz

caffrorum (L.) Desv., rosette fern associated with rocky woodlands and grasslands of Mistbelt, 1023

## CYATHEACEAE

# Cyathea J.E. Sm.

dregei Kunze, large tree fern in moist (often riparian) sites of Mistbelt and Low Country, 109

# HYMENOPHYLLACEAE

# Trichomanes L.

pyxidiferum L. var. melanotrichum (Schlechtd.) Schelpe, smalllobed transluscent epiphyte of Mistbelt forests, 1017

# DENNSTAEDTIACEAE

## Blotiella Tryon

glabra (Bory) Tryon, large tree-like fern of Tall (swamp) Forest, Escarpment Lower Slopes, 1126

Pteridium Gled. ex Scop

aquilinum (L.) Kuhn, widespread fern of disturbed grasslands and thickets, especially Mistbelt, 29

Hypolepis Bernh.

sparsisora (Schrad.) Kuhn, large bracken-like fern in sunny openings of Mistbelt forests, 1123

#### ADIANTACEAE

#### Adiantum L.

- capillus-veneris L., infrequent waterside fern in forests of Mistbelt and Low Country, 894
- Pteris L.
- catoptera Kunze, large fern in field layer of moist forests, Humid Mistbelt, 1063
- cretica L., large fern in Tall (riparian) Forest, Mountain Slopes, 1572
- Cheilanthes Swartz
  - concolor (Langsd. & Fisch.) R. & A. Tryon, apparently rare streambank fern in riparian forests of Low Country, 1846
  - hirta Swartz, occasional fern in rocky, sheltered mesic thickets of Low Country, 1717
  - pentagona Schelpe & N.C. Anthony, small localized fern of rock outcrops in Summit Peak grasslands and shrublands, 2495
- quadripinnata (Forssk.) Kuhn, localized fern of Summit shrublands and woodlands, 2293
- viridis (Forssk.) Swartz
  - var. glauca (Sim) Schelpe & N.C. Anthony, fern of exposed rocky sites in grasslands and thickets of Humid Mistbelt, 1414
- var. viridis, widespread rosette fern, common in Mistbelt and Low Country, 2077

Pellaea Link

- calomelanos (Swartz) Link, rosette fern, common on rock outcrops in woodlands and shrublands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 87
- pectiniformis Bak, rosette fern associated with rock outcrops in forests and woodlands of Humid Mistbelt, 1391

## POLYPODIACEAE

Polypodium L.

polypodioides (L.) Hitchc., subsp. ecklonii (Kunze) Schelpe, creeping epiphytic fern, common in Mistbelt forests, 704

Pleopeltis H.B.K. ex Willd.

macrocarpa (Bory ex Willd.) Kaulf., creeping epiphytic fern, common in Mistbelt forests, 717

# DAVALLIACEAE

Arthropteris J. Sm. monocarpa (Cordem.) C. Chr., infrequent shade fern associated with exposed (rocky) woodlands of Plateau Crest, 1400

#### **ASPLENIACEAE**

Asplenium L.

- aethiopicum (Burm. f.) Becherer, occasional fern in deep bushy ravines, Summit Slopes, 2677
- anisophyllum Kunze, robust epiphytic fern in forests of Humid Mistbelt, 1065
- boltonii Hook. ex Schelpe, small fern in High Forest of Mountain Slopes, 2172
- erectum Bory ex Willd. var. erectum, ground fern in field layer of high Mistbelt forests, 2138
- inaequilaterale Willd., occasional fern in rocky field layer of Mistbelt forests, 1130A
- lobatum Pappe & Rawson, occasional fern in rocky field layer of Mistbelt forests, 1046A
- lunulatum Swartz, fern in dense shade of tall Mistbelt forests, 1130
- rutifolium (Berg.) Kunze, common epiphytic fern in Mistbelt forests, 335
- sandersonii Hook., small epiphytic fern in moist forest of Lower Mountain Slopes, 2230
- splendens Kunze, common epiphytic or ground fern in Mistbelt forests, 321
- varians Wall. ex Hook. & Grev. subsp. fimbriatum (Kunze) Schelpe, apparently confined to cool, moist cliff forests of Lower Mountain Slopes, 1380

# THELYPTERIDACEAE

# Thelypteris Schmidel

- bergiana (Schlechtd.) Ching, rosette fern, infrequent along shady stream banks in forests of Mistbelt and Low Country, 895
- gueinziana (Mett.) Schelpe, large fern in Tall (riparian) Forest of Low Country, 1909
- interrupta (Willd.) K. Iwats., large infrequent fern in Tall (riparian) Forest of Low Country, 1923
- madagascariensis (Fée) Schelpe, rosette fern in tall Mistbelt forests, especially Escarpment Slopes, 1122
- sp., large fern in Tall Forest of Escarpment Slopes, includes 1045

## ATHYRIACEAE

Athyrium Roth

scandicinum (Willd.) Presl, small infrequent fern in Tall (riparian) Forest of Escarpment Lower Slopes, 1125

## LOMARIOPSIDACEAE

Elaphoglossum Schott ex J. Sm.

acrostichoides (Hook. & Grev.) Schelpe, fern in shelter of large boulders, Summit Peak shrublands, 2496

## ASPIDIACEAE

- Dryopteris Adans.
- athamantica (Kunze) Kuntze, rosette fern in marshy grasslands, especially Mistbelt, 1655
- inaequalis (Schlechtd.) Kuntze, frequent rosette fern of Mistbelt forests, 1001

Cyrtomium Presl

caryotideum (Wall. ex Hook. & Grev.) Presl. var. micropterum (Kunze) C. Chr., infrequent fern in forests of Humid Mistbelt, 1575

Polystichum Roth

- luctuosum (Kunze) T. Moore, infrequent fern in forests of Humid Mistbelt, especially Lower Mountain Slopes, 1381
- macleae (Bak.) Diels, large leathery fern, infrequent in Tall (riparian) Forest, Summit Slopes, 2260
- Rumohra *Raddi*
- adiantiformis (G. Forst.) Ching, robust fern apparently confined

to rocky outcrops in forest openings, especially Plateau Crest, 1226

Tectaria Cav.

gemmifera (Fée) Alston, fairly infrequent fern in Tall Forest of Escarpment Slopes, 1139

# BLECHNACEAE

- Blechnum L.
- giganteum (Kaulf.) Schlechtd., fairly infrequent fern in Tall Forest of Escarpment Slopes, 1121
- tabulare (Thunb.) Kuhn, large rosette fern widespread in Mistbelt woodlands and grasslands, 1146

# **GYMNOSPERMAE**

# PODOCARPACEAE

# Podocarpus L'Hérit.

- falcatus (Thunb.) R. Br. ex Mirb., tall understorey and canopy tree, sometimes dominant in High Forest of Mountain Slopes, 2223
- latifolius (Thunb.) R. Br. ex Mirb., dominant canopy tree in elfin-like forests, Plateau Crest and Mountain Slopes, 2050

#### PINACEAE

- \*Pinus L.
- spp., exotic timber tree encroaching on indigenous vegetation wherever plantations exist

# ANGIOSPERMAE — MONOCOTYLEDONAE

# TYPHACEAE

Typha L. capensis (P. Rohrb.) N.E. Br., robust rhizomatous herb on stream banks in Low Country, Scheepers 12

# POACEAE

- Ischaemum L.
  - fasciculatum Brongn., localized in marshy grasslands of Escarpment Lower Slopes and Foothills, 1905
- Elionurus Kunth ex Willd.
  - sp., small tufted perennial grass of Summit Plateau grasslands. 2741
- Cleistachne Benth.
  - sorghoides *Benth.*, occasional annual grass in xeric thickets of Upper Foothills, 684

Eulalia Kunth.

- villosa (*Thunb.*) Nees, widespread tufted perennial grass in thickets, woodlands and grasslands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 633
- Bothriochloa Kuntze
- bladhii (*Retz.*) S.T. Blake, widespread perennial grass in disturbed grasslands and woodlands of Low Country, 598 Schizachyrium Nees
- sanguineum (*Retz.*) Alston, widespread tufted grass in woodlands and grasslands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 603 Andropogon L.

appendiculatus Nees, tall perennial grass dominating hygric

- sites with deep black soils, Summit Slopes and Plateau, 2580
- chinensis (Nees) Merr., small tufted perennial grass, infrequent in grasslands and woodlands of Low Country, 1919
- huillensis Rendle, large tufted perennial grass, infrequent in disturbed grasslands, especially Mistbelt, 1300
- schirensis A. Rich., medium-size tufted perennial grass, abundant (often dominant) in woodlands and grasslands of Mistbelt, 1321B

Cymbopogon Spreng.

- 'complex', tall tufted perennial grass in thickets, woodlands and grasslands of Mistbelt and Low Country:
  - excavatus (Hochst.) Stapf ex Burtt Davy, 1518 validus (Stapf) Stapf ex Burtt Davy, 1321C

Hyparrhenia Anderss. ex Fourn.

- anamesa Clayton, robust tufted perennial grass, infrequent in moist grasslands, Humid Mistbelt, 1658
- cymbaria (L.) Stapf, large tufted perennial grass in seral thickets and woodlands, Humid Mistbelt, 1601
- dregeana (Nees) Stapf ex Stent, large tufted perennial grass in rocky open woodlands of Humid Mistbelt, 1977

- complex', tufted perennial grass, common in thickets, woodlands and grasslands of Mistbelt and Low Country: var. filipendula, 1321F
  - var. pilosa (Hochst.) Stapf, 1624A
- gazensis (*Rendle*) Stapf, tufted perennial grass, localized in fairly rocky woodlands and thickets of Low Country, 84c.
- hirta (L.) Stapf, fairly frequent tufted perennial grass in woodlands and grasslands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 1321D
- newtonii (Hack.) Stapf var. macra Stapf, infrequent perennial grass associated with seepage areas, Escarpment Slopes, 164
- variabilis Stapf, tall perennial grass in woodlands of Low Country, 3

Hyperthelia Clayton

dissoluta (Nees ex Steud.) Clayton, large tufted grass, widespread in Woodland and Xeric Thicket of the Low Country, 2018

Monocymbium Stapf

ceresiiforme (*Nees*) Stapf, small tufted perennial grass, abundant in grasslands of Mistbelt, 1119

Trachypogon Nees

spicatus (L. f.) Kuntze, frequent tufted perennial grass scattered in woodlands and grasslands of Mistbelt and low Country, 1513

Heteropogon Pers.

contortus (L.) Roem. & Schult., small tufted perennial grass, widespread in Woodland and Xeric Thicket of the Low Country, 730

Diheteropogon Stapf

- amplectens (Nees) Clayton, large tufted perennial grass, infrequent in disturbed woodlands of Upper Foothills, 623 filifolius (Nees) Clayton, small tufted perennial grass, scattered
- in Summit grasslands, 1694

Themeda Forssk.

- triandra Forssk., widespread tufted perennial grass in thickets, woodlands and grasslands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 745
- Digitaria Haller
- diagonalis (Nees) Stapf var. diagonalis, tufted perennial grass, occasional in Mountain Slopes grasslands, 1533
- maitlandii Stapf & C.E. Hubb., tufted perennial grass in deepsoil grasslands of Plateau Interior, 1312
- monodactyla (Nees) Stapf, small tufted perennial grass in rocky retarded grasslands, especially Escarpment Plateau, 1276 tricholaenoides Stapf, rare rhizomatous perennial grass in
- Plateau grasslands, Humid Mistbelt, 1244A

Alloteropsis C.B. Presl

- semialata (R. Br.) Hitchc., small tufted perennial grass, common in Escarpment Plateau and Summit grasslands, 1113
- Brachiaria Griseb. brizantha (A. Rich.) Stapf, infrequent grass in disturbed grasslands of Low Country, 721
  - serrata (*Thunb.*) Stapf, infrequent tufted perennial grass, sometimes associated with sheet-rock outcrops on Upper Foothills, 1320A
- subulifolia (Mez) Clayton, localized grass in dolomite-soil grasslands, Plateau Interior, 1320

Paspalum L.

- scrobiculatum L., infrequent perennial grass of disturbed grasslands and woodlands, Mistbelt and Low Country, 678
- \*urvillei Steud., naturalized perennial grass, infrequent in disturbed woodlands, Low Country, 114

Oplismenus Beauv.

hirtellus (L.) Beauv., low straggling perennial grass, widespread and dominant in field layer of Eorest and Mesic Thicket of Mistbelt and Low Country, 682

Panicum L.

'complex', common grass in field layer of Woodland and Xeric Thicket of Low Country:

deustum Thunb., 1695A

- maximum Jacq., 847
- ecklonii Nees, tufted perennial grass, widespread in Mistbelt grasslands, 1096
- natalense Hochst., widespread tufted perennial grass in Mistbelt grasslands and woodlands, 1321H

Setaria Beauv.

megaphylla (Steud.) Dur. & Schinz, robust tufted perennial grass, widespread in forests and mesic woodlands and thickets of Mistbelt and Low Country, 602

sphacelata (Schumach.) M.B. Moss, medium-size tufted grass, widespread in Humid Mistbelt grasslands and woodlands and in Low Country woodlands and xeric thickets, 817 Rhynchely trum Nees

'complex', small tufted grass, widespread in Woodland and Xeric Thicket of Low Country and in Mistbelt woodlands and grasslands:

- nerviglume (Franch.) Chiov., 1292B
- repens (Willd.) C.E. Hubb., 1401

rhodesianum (Rendle) Stapf & C.E. Hubb., 1623

Melinis Beauv.

tenuinervis (Stapf) Stapf, rare tufted grass in closed (rocky) woodlands, Low Country, 1704

Pennisetum Rich.

- macrorum Trin., tall perennial grass of riparian woodlands, Summit Plateau, 2710
- thunbergii Kunth, tufted rhizomatous perennial grass of marshy grasslands, Summit Plateau, 2652
- Ehrharta Thunb.
  - erecta Lam., sporadic straggly perennial grass in Mistbelt forests and thickets, 243

Tristachya Nees

- leucothrix Nees, tufted perennial grass scattered in woodlands and grasslands of Mistbelt, 1321J
- Trichopteryx Nees
- dregeana Nees, short straggling perennial grass, usually associated with seepage, Mistbelt, 1108
- Loudetia Hochst. ex Steud. densispica (Rendle) C.E. Hubb., tufted perennial grass confined to woodlands and grasslands of Mistbelt, 1094
- simplex (Nees) C.E. Hubb, tufted perennial grass, dominant in Humid Mistbelt grasslands and woodlands and also present in Low Country woodlands, shrublands and thickets. 616
- Helictotrichon Bess. ex Schult.
- natalense (Stapf) Schweick., locally abundant perennial grass of marshy grasslands, Summit Plateau, 2659
- Pentaschistis Stapf
- sp., tufted perennial grass, infrequent in grasslands of Summit Peaks, 2733

Phragmites Trin.

mauritianus Kunth, tall robust perennial reed in dense stands along rivers in Low Country, 1965

Agrostis L.

- eriantha Hack. var. eriantha, infrequent grass localized in shrubby grasslands, Summit Plateau, 2647
- lachnantha Nees, loosely tufted perennial grass, infrequent in grasslands of Escarpment Slopes, 1078
- Aristida L.
  - congesta Roem. & Schult. subsp. barbicollis (Trin. & Rupr.) De Winter, small tufted grass, infrequent in Low Country woodlands, 1767
  - junciformis Trin. & Rupr. subsp. junciformis, small tufted grass, infrequent in rocky grasslands of Plateau Crest and Summit, 1428
- transvaalensis Henr., tufted grass in moist seepage of sheet-rock formations, Transitional Mistbelt, 1621

Perotis Ait.

- patens Gand., small grass, infrequent in Low Country woodlands, 1760
- Sporobolus R. Br.
- centrifugus (Trin.) Nees, densely tufted perennial grass, fairly frequent on Summit Peaks and Slopes, 2371
- 'complex', tufted grass, widespread in Mistbelt grasslands and in woodlands and shrublands of Low Country:

africanus (Poir.) Robyns & Tournay, 1541

pyramidalis (Beauv.), 555

sp., 972

stapfianus Gand, small tufted grass localized and infrequent on sheet-rock formations in Mistbelt and Low Country, 1898

Eragrostis Beauv.

- caesia Stapf, tufted perennial grass, localized in sandy grasslands of Plateau Crest, 54
- capensis (Thunb.) Trin., widespread tufted perennial grass in grasslands of Escarpment Slopes and Plateau, 1097
- curvula (Schrad) Nees, widespread tufted perennial grass, except in forests and mesic thickets, 1294B
- gummiflua Nees, infrequent grass of disturbed sheet-rock sites, Humid Mistbelt, 1299A

- hierniana Rendle, infrequent grass on sheet-rock formations in Mistbelt and Low Country, 1920
- racemosa (Thunb.) Steud., widespread tufted perennial grass in grasslands of Mistbelt, 1028
- sclerantha Nees subsp. sclerantha, localized grass of lithoseral grasslands, especially Mistbelt, 1424A

Microchloa R. Br.

caffra Nees, small tufted perennial grass, localized in lithoseral grasslands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 1143

Rendlia Chiov.

- altera (Rendle) Chiov., small tufted perennial grass, locally abundant in grasslands of Summit and Plateau Crest, 1171
- Harpochloa Kunth
- falx (L. f.) Kuntze, tufted perennial grass in sandy grasslands of Escarpment Slopes, Plateau Crest and Summit Peak, 1208

Ctenium Panz.

concinnum Nees, large tufted perennial grass, infrequent in grasslands of Summit and Mountain Slopes, 1511

Pogonarthria Stapf

squarrosa (Roem. & Schult.) Pilg., tufted grass, rare in sandy woodlands of Low Country, 1769

Bewsia Goossens

biflora (Hack.) Goossens, tufted perennial grass in grasslands of Lower Mountain Slopes, 1312G

Styppeiochloa De Winter

gynoglossa (Goossens) De Winter, small tufted perennial grass, confined to grasslands of Escarpment Slopes, 1102

Trichoneura N.J. Anderss.

grandiglumis (Nees) Ekman, small tufted grass, rare in sandy woodlands of Low Country, 1759

Koeleria Pers.

capensis (Steud.) Nees, densely tufted perennial grass in rocky woodlands and grasslands of Mistbelt, 1079

Stiburus Stapf

alopecuroides (Hack.) Stapf, small tufted perennial grass, localized in sandy grasslands of Escarpment and Summit Plateau, 1109

Festuca L.

- caprina Nees var. caprina, infrequent tufted perennial grass of Summit Peak grasslands, 2509
- costata Nees var. costata, denscly tufted perennial grass, often dominant in Summit grasslands, 2619

Bromus L.

speciosus Nees, scattered tufted perennial grass of Summit grasslands, 2618

**CYPERACEAE** 

## Cyperus L.

- albostriatus Schrad., common sedge in field layer of forests, mesic thickets and rocky woodlands, especially Mistbelt, 1418
- denudatus L. f., occasional sedge of marshy grasslands, Summit Plateau, 2575
- immensus C.B. Cl., robust sedge, infrequent in Tall (riparian) Forest of Low Country, 1908

leptocladus Kunth, apparently localized sedge in rocky woodlands and grasslands, Escarpment Plateau, 1289

obtusiflorus Vahl

- var. flavissimus Boeck., localized sedge in grasslands of Lower Mountain Slopes, 1478
- var. sphaerocephalus (Vahl) Kuekenth., frequent sedge of Summit grasslands, 2512
- pseudoleptocladus Kukenth., medium size sedge, widespread in Forest and Mesic Thicket of Mistbelt and Low Country, 1056
- schlechteri C.B. Cl., infrequent sedge of moist grasslands, Summit Plateau, 2687
- semitrifidus Schrad., small sedge, widespread in lithoseral grasslands of Escarpment Plateau and Summit, 1278
- sexangularis Nees, infrequent sedge in field layer of Tall (riparian) Forest, Low Country, 1841

thorncroftii McClean, sedge of sheet-rock shrublands, Transitional Mistbelt, 1620

Pycreus Beauv.

muricatus (Kukenth.) Napper, small sedge, localized in grasslands of Escarpment Slopes, 1077

Mariscus Gaertn.

solidus (Kunth) ined. subsp. solidus, giant sedge of marshy grasslands, Transitional Mistbelt, 1969

Kyllinga Rottb.

alba Nees, small sedge of Escarpment Plateau grasslands, 161 odorata Vahl, small sedge, infrequent in Mistbelt grasslands, Scheepers 19

Ficinia Schrad.

- bergiana Kunth, small sedge, infrequent in grasslands of Lower Mountain Slopes, 1501
- sp., tussock sedge, Mistbelt and Low Country, includes 680, 2527

Scirpus L.

ficinioides Kunth, locally abundant sedge of marshy grasslands, Summit and Escarpment Plateau, 1262A

Schoenoplectus Palla corymbosus (Roth. ex Roem. & Schult.) J. Raynal, waterside sedge, localized in Tall (riparian) Forest of Low Country, 1910

Bulbostylis Kunth

- burchellij (Fical. & Hiern) C.B. Cl., occasional sedge in rocky woodlands of Plateau Crest, 1449
- oritrephes (Ridley) C.B. Cl.
- 'complex', small tufted sedge common in Summit grasslands and shrublands:
  - subsp. australis B.L. Burtt, 2389

subsp. oritrephes, 2326

schoenoides (Kunth) C.B. CL, small sedge, widespread in grasslands of Escarpment Plateau and Slopes, 1088

Rhynchospora Vahl

brownii Roem. & Schult., occasional sedge associated with seepages in woodlands and grasslands of Transitional Mistbelt, 749

Tetraria Beauv.

- natalensis (C.B. CL) Koyama, localized sedge of moist grasslands, Summit Slopes, 2394
- cf. sp. nov. (De Winter & Codd 202), occasional perennial herb of moist rocky woodlands and shrublands, Summit Slopes, 2368, 2427
- Coleochloa Gilly
  - setifera (*Ridley*) Gilly, large-tussocked sedge, locally abundant on sheet-rock formations, Mistbelt and Low Country, 1882

Scleria Berg.

- bulbifera Hochst. ex A. Rich., infrequent sedge of Escarpment Plateau grasslands, 1335
- dieterlenii Turrill, small perennial sedge of moist grasslands, Summit Plateau and Slopes, 2563
- melanomphala Kunth, occasional sedge of moist grasslands, Escarpment Lower Slopes, 1944

Schoenoxiphium Nees

- lehmannii (Nees) Steud., infrequent perennial sedge of Tall (riparian) Forest, Lower Mountains, 1582
- rufum Nees, tufted perennial sedge, infrequent in riparian woodlands, Summit Plateau, 2444
- schweickerdtii Merxm. & Podlech, rhizomatous perennial sedge of rock crevices, Summit Peak, 2469
- sp. nov., tufted sedge of riparian woodlands, Summit Plateau, 2435

Carex L.

- austro-africana (Kukenth.) Raymond, waterside sedge of marshy grasslands, Summit Plateau, 2578
- cognata Kunth. var. drakensbergensis (C.B. Cl.) Kukenth., waterside sedge, Summit Plateau, 2443
- spicato-paniculata C.B. Cl., fairly widespread sedge in forests, thickets and woodlands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 595

ARECACEAE

Phoenix L.

reclinata Jacq., small tree on stream banks of High (riparian) Forest, Low Country, 1838

## ARACEAE

#### Zantedeschia Spreng.

sp., infrequent perennial herb of marshy grasslands, Summit Plateau, (no voucher specimen)

Stylochiton Lepr.

natalense Schott, perennial tufted herb, localized in shaded field layer of forests, thickets and woodlands, Low Country, 702

XYRIDACEAE

Xyris L.

gerrardii N.E. Br., infrequent grass-like herb of moist and marshy grasslands, Summit Slopes and Plateau, 2656

COMMELINACEAE

Commelina L.

africana L.

- var. africana, trailing herb, infrequent in Summit Plateau grasslands, 2540
- var. krebsiana (Kunth) C.B. Cl., herb, localized in sandy grasslands of Plateau Crest, 1285
- var. lancispatha C.B. Cl., herb, infrequent in field layer of Woodland and Xeric Thicket of Low Country, 1724
- eckloniana Kunth, locally abundant herb of marshy grasslands, Plateau Crest, 1265
- livingstonii C.B. Cl, occasional herb of mesic thickets, Mistbelt and Low Country, 720
- sp., widespread herb, includes 1188, 1406

Aneilema R. Br.

aequinoctiale (Beauv.) Kunth, trailing herb in undergrowth of Tall (riparian) Forest, Low Country, 1837

Cyanotis D. Don

- lanata Benth., small succulent herb, rare on sheet-rock formations in Low Country, 1894
- lapidosa Phill, small herb, localized in rock crevices of Plateau Crest woodlands, 1409
- pachyrrhiza Oberm., small succulent herb, localized in rock depressions of Plateau Crest woodlands, 1241
- speciosa (L. f.) Hassk., occasional herb in grasslands of Humid Mistbelt, 1149A
- Floscopa Lour. glomerata (Willd. ex Schult. & Schult. f.) Hassk., localized herb in seepage areas of Tall Forest, Low Country, 1924

JUNCACEAE

Juncus L.

- lomatophyllus Spreng., hydrophytic rosette herb of marshy grasslands, Summit Plateau, 2657
- LILIACEAE

#### Bulbine Willd.

- sp., succulent geophyte, infrequent in lithoseral woodlands of Low Country
- Trachyandra Kunth
- reflexipilosa (Kuntze) Oberm., widespread geophytic herb of Summit Plateau grasslands and shrublands, 2531
- saltii (Bak.) Oberm., low perennial herb, localized in sandy grasslands of Escarpment Slopes and Plateau, 1090 Anthericum L.
- angulicaule Bak., rare herb in sandy grasslands of Escarpment Crest, 1270
- cooperi Bak., widespread geophytic herb in grasslands of Plateau Interior and Summit, 1364
- galpinii Bak. var. galpinii, localized herb, infrequent in lithoseral grasslands of Escarpment Plateau, 1280
- sp. cf. A. galpinii Bak., infrequent herb of sheet-rock formations, Low Country, 1860

Chlorophytum Ker-Gawl

sp., infrequent herb in field layer of rocky woodlands, Plateau Crest, 1191A

Eriospermum Jacq. ex Willd.

- burchellii Bak., geophytic herb localized in rocky shrublands of Transitional Mistbelt and in grasslands of Escarpment Slopes and Plateau, 1030
- cooperi Bak., widespread geophytic herb, infrequent in Mistbelt grasslands and woodlands, 756
- luteo-rubrum (Bak.), infrequent geophyte of retarded grassland, Summit Plateau, 2349
- sp. 1, infrequent grassland geophyte of Summit Plateau and Slopes, 2541
- sp. 2, infrequent geophytic herb in woodlands of Escarpment Slopes, includes 1858

Kniphofia Moench

- sp., perennial herb, infrequent in lithoseral grasslands of Escarpment Slopes, 1160
- splendida E.A. Bruce, perennial herb, localized in grasslands of Lower Mountain Slopes, E.A. Bruce 315

Aloe L.

- arborescens Mill, widespread shrubby species in rocky woodlands and forests, Mistbelt, Scheepers 426
- barbertoniae Pole Evans, succulent perennial herb, widespread in Woodland and Xeric Thicket of Low Country, 1998
- longibracteata Pole Evans, succulent perennial herb, apparently confined to xeric thickets and woodlands, Mistbelt, 1992
- petricola Pole Evans, widespread succulent rosette herb, local-

ized on sheet-rock formations, Low Country and in rocky woodlands, Humid Mistbelt, 1995

- sp., widespread succulent herb, includes 1993, 1994
- chortolirioides Berger var. woolliana (Pole Evans) Glen & Hardy, small succulent herb on steep rock ledges, Summit grasslands, PNBG 29952
- Agapanthus L'Hérit.
- inapertus Beauv. subsp. parviflorus Leighton, perennial herb often associated with riparian sites on Summit, 2627

Tulbaghia L.

sp., infrequent perennial herb of rocky shrublands, Mistbelt, 2744

Albuca L.

- setosa Jacq., low bulbous herb, infrequent in Plateau Interior grasslands, 1176
- Urginea Steinh.
  - capitata (Hook.) Bak., occasional bulbous herb of rocky shrublands, Summit Plateau, 2457

Dincadi Medik.

marlothii Engl., localized herb, infrequent in Escarpment Plateau grasslands, 1279

Scilla L.

nervosa (Burch.) Jessop, bulbous rosette herb, localized in disturbed lithoseral grasslands of Escarpment and Summit Plateau, 1296

Eucomis L'Hérit.

autumnalis (Mill.) Chitt. subsp. clavata (Bak.) Reyneke, fairly common bulbous herb of moist (often riparian), Summit grasslands, 2440

Ornithogalum L.

saundersiae Bak., geophyte in Low Country woodlands, 1752 Ledebouria Roth.

- cooperi (Hook. f.) Jessop, bulbous rosette herb, widespread in grasslands of Plateau Interior and Summit, 1369 revoluta (L. f.) Jessop, bulbous geophyte, infrequent in Mistbelt
- grasslands, 1554
- sp., flattened succulent rosette herb, widespread in grasslands of Humid Mistbelt, includes 1212

Dracaena Vand. ex L.

hookeriana K. Koch, subwoody shrub of shady field layer, widespread in Forest and Mesic Thicket of Mistbelt and Low Country, 907

Protasparagus Oberm.

- africanus (Lam.) Oberm., small bush, widespread in woodlands and thickets, especially Low Country, 516
- falcatus (L.) Oberm., robust spiny climber, common in forests and thickets of Mountain and Escarpment Slopes and Upper Foothills, 93
- laricinus (Burch.) Oberm., localized shrubby species of rocky woodland, Lower Mountain Slopes, 1567
- natalensis (Bak.) Oberm., spiny climber, infrequent in Tall (riparian) Forest of Low Country, 1980F
- plumosus (Bak.) Oberm., shrubby species in undergrowth of forests, Escarpment Slopes and Plateau, 1062
- racemosus (Willd.) Oberm., infrequent undershrub of Low Country woodlands and thickets, 1706A
- rigidus (Jessop) Oberm., small bush, localized in Plateau Crest woodlands, 1186
- setaceus (Kunth) Oberm., small bush, common in forests of Mountain Slopes, 1385
- sp., common undershrub in forests, woodlands and thickets, especially Transitional Mistbelt and Low Country, includes 43
- Myrsiphyllum Willd.
- asparagoides (L.) Oberm., herbaceous twiner, rare in undergrowth of moist thickets, riparian woodlands, Summit and Lower Mountain Slopes, 2450
- ramosissimum (Bak.) Oberm., small shrub of riparian forest, Mountain and Summit Slopes, 2136

Behnia Didr.

reticulata (Thunb.) Didr., perennial herbaceous twiner, common in forests and thickets of Mountain and Escarpment Slopes and Upper Foothills, 282

Smilax L.

kraussiana Meisn., common climber, widespread in forests, thickets and woodlands, Mistbelt and Low Country, 122

AMARYLLIDACEAE

Haemanthus L.

carneus Ker-GawL, occasional herb of rocky woodlands, Lower Mountain Slopes, 1561

- sp., infrequent herb in grasslands of Lower Mountain Slopes, 1489 Scadoxus Raf
- multiflorus (Martyn) Raf. subsp. multiflorus, occasional widespread herb of forests and thickets, 1728

Boophane Herb.

- disticha (L. f.) Herb., bulbous herb, apparently localized in grasslands and woodlands of Escarpment Slopes
- Clivia Lindl.
- caulescens R.A. Dyer, perennial herb, localized in shady field layer of Mistbelt forests, Scheepers 407
- Nerine Herb.
- angustifolia Bak., large bulbous herb of marshy grasslands, Summit Plateau, 2569
- Brunsvigia Heist.
- radulosa Herb., large bulbous herb, rare in grasslands of Lower Mountain Slopes
- Crinum L.
- sp., bulbous herb, occasional in lithoseral woodlands, Low Country, 974

Cyrtanthus L. f.

- bicolor R.A. Dyer, herb, infrequent in lithoseral grasslands of Escarpment Slopes, 1161
- HYPOXIDACEAE

Hypoxis L.

'complex', robust geophytic herb, widespread in grasslands and woodlands of Mistbelt and Low Country:

rigidula *Bak., 1302* 

- rooperi S. Moore, 667 costata Bak., infrequent herb amongst rocks, Summit Peak shrublands, 2489
- filiformis Bak., delicate geophytic herb, widespread in Mistbelt grasslands, 1093
- galpinii Bak., widespread geophytic herb of rocky grasslands and woodlands, Mistbelt, 1112
- gerrardii Bak., rare geophyte of Lower Mountain grasslands, 1502
- multiceps Buchinger, robust geophyte, localized in dolomitesoil grasslands of Plateau Interior, 1317

VELLOZIACEAE

Xerophyta Juss.

- retinervis Bak., short woody perennial, common in early lithosere of Mistbelt and Low Country, 2003
- DIOSCOREACEAE
- Dioscorea L.
  - 'complex', soft perennial twiner, frequent in forests and thickets of Mistbelt and Low Country:

cotinifolia Kunth, 655

sylvatica (Kunth) Eckl. var. sylvatica, 377

dregeana (Kunth) Dur. & Schinz var. dregeana, soft perennial twiner, infrequent in closed rocky woodlands of Escarpment Slopes, 1443A

## IRIDACEAE

Moraea Mill.

- elliotii Bak., small herb, localized in moist lithoseral grasslands of Escarpment Slopes, 1118
- muddii N.E. Br., medium-size herb, occasional in Mistbelt grasslands, 1426
- sp., herb, scattered in woodlands and grasslands of Mistbelt, includes 1628B

Dietes Salisb. ex Klatt

- iridioides (L.) Sweet ex Klatt, gregarious herb, widespread but localized (sometimes dominant) in Forest and Mesic Thicket of Mistbelt and Low Country, 362
- Aristea Ait.
- angolensis Bak., infrequent herb of Summit Slope grasslands, 2310
- woodii N.E. Br., widespread herb in woodlands and grasslands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 681

Schizostylis Backh. & Harv.

- coccinea Backh. & Harv., localized herb of marshy grasslands and riparian woodlands, Summit Plateau, 2655
- Hesperantha Ker-Gawl. baurii Bak., apparently rare bulbous herb of rocky Protea woodland, Summit Slopes, 2599

Dierama K. Koch

sp. cf. galpinii N.E. Br., grass-like herb of Mistbelt grasslands,

includes 1282A

Crocosmia Planch.

- aurea Planch., geophytic herb in light shade of Short (riparian) Forest, Lower Mountain Slopes, 366
- paniculata (Klatt) Goldbl., large geophytic herb of rocky shrublands, Mistbelt, 2743

Gladiolus L.

- densiflorus Bak., large herb, scattered in grasslands and woodlands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 1708
- ecklonii Lehm., subsp. ecklonii, widespread, infrequent herb in grasslands and woodlands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 1688
- exiguus G.J. Lewis, widespread herb in woodlands and grasslands, Mistbelt, 1482
- longicollis Bak. var. platypetalus (Bak.) Oberm., widespread herb of Summit Plateau grasslands, 2350
- sp., widespread herb in grasslands and woodlands of Mistbelt and Low Country, includes 782, 1318
- varius F. Bol. var. micranthus (Bak.) Oberm., widespread herb of Summit grasslands, 2740

Watsonia Mill.

sp. cf. transvaalensis *Bak.*, perennial herb of rocky shrublands, Summit Slopes and Plateau, 2751

STRELITZIACEAE

- Strelitzia Ait.
- caudata R.A. Dyer, herbaceous tree, infrequent in Tall Forest of Escarpment Slopes

#### ORCHIDACEAE

- Stenoglottis Lindl.
  - fimbriata Lindl., small orchid on rocks and bark of elfin-like forests, Plateau Crest, 1237
- Holothrix L.C. Rich. ex Hook.
- scopularia (Lindl.) Reichb. f., small ground orchid, apparently rare in Protea woodland, Summit Slopes, 2429
- Satyrium Swartz
- cristatum Sond. var. longilabiatum A.V. Hall, infrequent geophytic herb of rocky shrublands, Mistbelt, 2746
- longicauda Lindl var. longicauda, small geophytic herb, infrequent in grasslands of Summit Slopes, 2697
- Brownleea Harv. ex Lindl. coerulea Harv. ex Lindl., small herb, infrequent in closed woodlands of Low Country, 830

Disa Berg.

- stachy-oides Reichb. f., infrequent ground orchid of encroached grasslands, Summit Plateau, 2550
- Disperis Swartz
- fanniniae *Harv.*, small herb on rocks of elfin-like forests, Plateau Crest, *1239*
- Polystachya Hook.
- concreta (Jacq.) Garay & Sweet, epiphytic orchid, occasional in mesic thickets of Transitional Mistbelt, 1622
- ottoniana Reichb. f., small epiphytic orchid with rows of pseudobulbs forming mats on trees in elfin-like forests, Plateau Crest, 1201
- sp., epiphytic orchid localized in mesic thickets, Transitional Mistbelt, includes 926, 1049

Ansellia Lindl.

- gigantea Reichb. f., large-tufted epiphytic orchid, apparently localized in xeric thickets of Low Country, 803
- Eulophia R. Br. ex Lindl. horsfallii (Batem.) Summerh., large ground orchid in Low Country riparian forests
- streptopetala Lindl., large ground orchid in light shade of forests, woodlands and thickets, Mistbelt and Low Country, 1446

Bulbophyllum Thouars

- sandersonii Reichb. f., orchid on rocks and bark of elfin-like forests, Plateau Crest, 1198
- Tridactyle Schltr.
- tricuspis (H. Bol.) Schltr., widespread epiphyte in Forest and Mesic Thicket of Mistbelt and Low Country, 658A

# ANGIOSPERMAE — DICOTYLEDONAE

PIPERACEAE Piper L.

capense L. f., soft shrub, sometimes dominant in Tall Forest of Escarpment and Mountain Slopes, 2055 Peperomia Ruiz. & Pav.

- blanda (Jacq.) H.B.K. var. leptostachya (Hook. & Arn.) Duell, small occasional herb on rocks in mesic thickets, Transitional Mistbelt, 708
- retusa (L. f.) A. Dietr., small epiphytic herb (also on rocks) common in forests and mesic thickets, Mistbelt, 715
- tetraphylla (G. Forst.) Hook. & Arn., small epiphytic herb (also on rocks) localized in forests of Humid Mistbelt, 1192
- **MYRICACEAE**

# Myrica L.

pilulifera Rendle, small tree, widespread in rocky woodlands of Mistbelt, 960

serrata Lam., small tree of river banks, Low Country, 897

ULMACEAE

# Celtis L.

africana Burm. f., tall tree, widespread in forests, woodlands and thickets of Mistbelt and Low Country, 256

Trema Lour

orientalis (L.) Blume, medium-size pioneer tree, widespread in thickets and woodlands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 794

# MORACEAE

Ficus L.

- ingens (Miq.) Miq. var. ingens, fairly small tree, localized on rocks of Mistbelt and Low Country, 811
- sur Forssk., fairly large tree, widespread in forests, woodlands and thickets of Mistbelt and Low Country, 858
- thonningii Blume, medium-size tree, widespread in forests, woodlands and thickets of Mistbelt and Low Country, 872

URTICACEAE

Laportea Gaudich.

peduncularis (Wedd.) Chew, shrubby perennial, infrequent in rocky forested kloofs of Lower Foothills, 1756

PROTEACEAE

## Faurea Harv.

- galpinii Phill., rare understorey tree of Tall Forest, Upper Mountain Slopes
- saligna Harv., medium-size tree, often dominant in woodlands of Low Country, 1788
- speciosa (Welw.) Welw., small tree, common in woodlands and thickets of Mistbelt and Low Country, 644

Protea L.

- caffra Meisn., small tree of rocky grasslands and woodlands, Mistbelt, 1488
- gaguedi Gmel., small tree, occasional in rocky grasslands of Summit and Escarpment Slopes, 1145A
- parvula Beard, low prostrate shrublet, widespread in Summit grasslands and shrublands, 2330
- roupelliae Meisn. subsp. roupelliae, small tree of rocky woodlands, Summit Slopes, 2594
- welwitschii Engl, small tree, common in localized open woodlands of Plateau Interior, 1666

## LORANTHACEAE

Tapinanthus (Blume) Reichb.

rubromarginatus (Engl.) Danser, woody epiphytic parasite in Protea woodland, Summit Slopes, 2610

Erianthemum V. Tieghem

dregei (Eckl. & Zeyh.) V. Tieghem, woody hemiparisitic epiphytic bush, fairly localized in rocky xeric thickets of Low Country, 846

# SANTALACEAE

Osyridicarpos A. DC.

- schimperianus (Hochst. ex A. Rich.) A. DC., shrubby hemiparasitic climber, localized in thickets of Transitional Mistbelt, 701
- Thesium L.
- costatum A.W. Hill, small perennial forb (hemiparasitic), infrequent in Mistbelt shrublands and grasslands, 1216
- cytisoides A.W. Hill, infrequent forb in marshy grasslands, Plateau Crest, 1268
- goetzeanum Engl., small perennial forb, infrequent in retarded grasslands, Summit Plateau, 2321
- sp., infrequent forb in Mistbelt grasslands, includes 1500, 2557

#### OLACACEAE Ximenia L.

- caffra Sond., small tree, occasional in Low Country woodlands, 1772

POLYGONACEAE

Rumex L

- bequaertii De Wild., occasional herb of marshy grasslands, Summit Plateau, 2574
- sagittatus Thunb., shrubby perennial climber, localized in rocky woodlands and thickets of Plateau Crest, 1411
- sp., occasional waterside herb of riparian woodlands, Summit Plateau, 2441
- Polygonum L.
- salicifolium Willd., small infrequent herb of stream banks, Lower Foothills, 1911

Oxygonum Burch.

dregeanum Meisn. var. strictum (C.H. Wr.) R.A. Grah., rare semi-succulent bushy herb of Summit Plateau grasslands, 2553

AMARANTHACEAE

# Cyathula Blume

- cylindrica Moq., infrequent shrubby scrambler of Tall Forest, especially Low Country, 1410
- Pupalia Juss.
- atropurpurea Moq., shrubby climber, infrequent in Low Country forests, 1757

\*Achyranthes L.

sicula (L.) All., infrequent forb, widespread throughout Mistbelt and Low Country, 1599

PHYTOLACCACEAE

- Phytolacca L.
- octandra L., infrequent shrub in Tall Forest of Escarpment Slopes, 1066.
- AIZOACEAE
- Psammotropha Eckl. & Zeyh.
- myriantha Sond., low tufted herb, localized in Summit Peak grasslands, 2734

RANUNCULACEAE

Knowltonia Salisb.

transvaalensis Szyszyl. var. transvaalensis, rosette forb, widespread in grasslands of Escarpment Slopes and Plateau, 744

Clematis L.

- brachiata Thunb., infrequent liane, widespread in Forest and Mesic Thicket of Mistbelt and Low Country, 1383 Ranunculus L.
- multifidus Forssk., small infrequent herb of riparian woodlands, Summit Plateau, 2436

Thalictrum L.

rhynchocarpum Dill. & Rich., robust perennial herb of cool moist shady undergrowth, Mountain Slopes forests, 1353A

# MENISPERMACEAE

Cocculus DC

hirsutus (L.) Diels, slender twiner, infrequent in sheltered thickets of Lower Foothills, 2027

Stephania Lour

- abyssinica Dill. & Rich., slender climber, infrequent in riparian woodlands and forests of Mistbelt, 216
- Cissampelos L.
- torulosa E. Mey. ex Harv., soft twiner, abundant in forests and thickets of Mistbelt and Low Country, 200

# ANNONACEAE

Monanthotaxis Baill.

caffra (Sond.) Verdc., scrambling shrub, common in Forest and Mesic Thicket of Mistbelt and Low Country, especially below Escarpment Plateau, 707

Annona L

senegalensis Pers. low spreading tree, localized and widespread in Woodland and Xeric Thicket of Low Country, 738

TRIMENIACEAE

- Xymalos Baill.
  - monospora (Harv.) Baill, medium-size tree, often dominating the understorey of forests in Humid Mistbelt, 1002

#### LAURACEAE

Cryptocarya R. Br.

liebertiana Engl., dominant canopy tree of Tall Forest, Mountain Slopes, 2244

Ocotea AubL

kenyensis (Chiov.) Robyns, large tree, infrequent in forests of Mistbelt and Low Country. 1388

#### BRASSICACEAE

- Rorippa Scop.
  - \*nasturtium-aquaticum (L.) Hayek, infrequent herb in shelter of large boulders, Summit Peak shrublands, 2494

CAPPARACEAE

- Capparis L.
- brassii DC., fairly rare scrambling shrub of Tall (riparian) Forest, Low Country, 896
- sepiaria L. var. subglabra (Oliv.) De Wolf, rare scrambler in Tall (riparian) Forest, Lower Foothills, 1874

DROSERACEAE

- Drosera L.
- burkeana *Planch.*, fairly common insectivorous herb of Summit grasslands, 2533
- sp., small insectivorous herb, infrequent in sandy grasslands of Plateau Crest
- CRASSULACEAE
- Kalanchoe Adans.
- rotundifolia (Haw.) Haw., widespread succulent herb of Mistbelt and Low Country lithosere, 779
- Crassula L.
- acinaciformis *Schinz*, giant subsucculent herb, infrequent in woodlands and thickets of Low Country
- alba Forssk. 'complex', succulent herb, common in lithoseral grasslands and woodlands, especially Mistbelt:
  - var. alba, 1416A
- var. parvisepala (Schonl.) Toelken, R71
- natalensis Schonl, small succutent herb of rock depressions, Mistbelt woodlands, 1521
- pellucida L. subsp. brachypetala (Drège ex Harv.) Toelken, small infrequent herb, gregarious in moist field layer of forests, Escarpment Slopes, 1125
- sarcocaulis Eckl & Zeyh. subsp. sarcocaulis, succulent shrublet, widespread in Mistbelt rock formations, 1228
- sp., occasional herb of moist grasslands, Escarpment Slopes, includes 1115
- swaziensis *Schonl.*, small herb of rock formations in woodlands and forests, Plateau Crest, 1232
- vaginata Eckl. & Zeyh., succulent herb, infrequent in Mistbelt grasslands, 1483

**ESCALLONIACEAE** 

# Choristylis Harv.

rhamnoides Harv., shrub of Mistbelt thickets and forests, 831

# PITTOSPORACEAE

Pittosporum Banks ex Soland.

viridiflorum Sims, small tree, mainly localized in understorey of thickets and woodlands, Transitional Mistbelt, 1793

# MYROTHAMNACEAE

Myrothamnus Welw. flabellifolia (Sond.) Welw., xerophytic shrublet of sheet-rock formations, especially Low Country, 1853

# HAMAMELIDACEAE

- Trichocladus Pers.
- grandiflorus Oliv., large tree in canopy of Tall Forest, Plateau Crest and Escarpment Upper Slopes, 1059

## ROSACEAE

Rubus L.

- pinnatus Willd., widespread scrambler in forests and woodlands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 2023
- sp., widespread scrambler in Forest and Mesic Thicket of Mistbelt and Low Country, includes 480

Alchemilla L.

rehmannii Engl., infrequent herb of stream banks, Summit Plateau, 2438

#### Agrimonia L.

\*odorata Mill., subwoody herb, infrequent in moist low thickets of Mountain Slopes, 1596

Leucosidea Eckl. & Zeyh.

sericea Eckl. & Zeyh., small (usually riparian) tree of Summit and Mountain Slopes. 56

Cliffortia L.

- nitidula (Engl.) R.E. & Th. Fries Jr subsp. pilosa Weim., common ericoid shrub of open rocky woodlands and forest margins, Mistbelt, 1693
- repens Schltr., ericoid shrub, infrequent in Mistbelt grasslands, 1082
- serpyllifolia Cham. & Schlechtd., infrequent shrub amongst rocks, Summit Peak shrublands, 2502

Prunus L.

- africana (Hook. f.) Kalkm., large canopy tree, occasional (sometimes dominant) in Mistbelt forests, 966
- CHRYSOBALANACEAE

Parinari Aubl.

- capensis Harv. subsp. capensis, low shrublet often associated with rock outcrops, widespread in grasslands of Escarpment Plateau, 1295
- curatellifolia *Planch. ex Benth.*, fairly large canopy tree, abundant (often dominant) in thickets and woodlands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 7

#### CONNARACEAE

Cnestis Juss.

natalensis (Hochst.) Planch. & Sond., small understorey tree in Mistbelt forests and mesic thickets, 908

#### FABACEAE

#### Albizia Durazz.

versicolor Welw. ex Oliv., medium-size tree, infrequent in woodlands of Upper Foothills, 2039

Acacia Mill

- ataxacantha DC., abundant and vigorous scandent tree, dominant in thickets of Mistbelt and Low Country, 650
- caffra (*Thunb.*) Willd., small tree, widespread in Woodland and Xeric Thicket of Low Country, 818
- davyi N.E. Br., small tree, widespread in Woodland and Xeric Thicket of Low Country, 767

\*mearnsii De Wild., naturalized exotic tree, fairly widespread sp., small tree scattered infrequently in woodlands and thickets

of Mistbelt and Low Country, includes 868

Dichrostachys (A. DC.) Wight & Arn.

cinerea (L.) Wight & Arn.

'complex', small tree, localized and widespread in Woodland and Xeric Thicket of Low Country:

subsp. africana Brenan & Brumm. var. africana, 628

subsp. nyassana (Taub.) Brenan, 723

Entada Adans.

spicata (E. Mey.) Druce, robust prickly liane, localized in Tall Forest of Mistbelt and Low Country, 1008

Bauhinia L.

galpinii N.E. Br., abundant scrambling shrub, often dominant in woodlands, thickets and forests, especially Low Country, 2030

Piliostigma Hochst.

thonningii (Schumach.) Milne-Redh., infrequent small tree in Low Country woodlands, 471

Tylosema (Schweinf.) Torre & Hillc.

fassoglensis (Schweinf.) Torre & Hillc., widespread robust creeper, a persistent pioneer of lithoseral woodlands and thickets; exclusively Low Country, 519

Cassia L.

- \*bicapsularis L., shrubby climber, infrequent in mesic thickets of Upper Foothills, 1800
- \*floribunda Cav., occasional shrub in mesic thickets of Low Country, 257
- mimosoides L., small subwoody forb, infrequent in sandy grasslands of Plateau Crest, 1643
- petersiana Bolle, widespread shrub in Woodland and Xeric Thicket of Low Country, 738
- plumosa (E. Mey.) Vogel var. erecta Schorn & Gordon-Gray, small subwoody forb, infrequent in rocky grasslands of Lower Mountain Slopes, 1552
- quarrei (Ghesq.) Steyaert, subwoody forb, localized in disturbed open woodlands of Upper Foothills, 599
- Peltophorum (Vogel) Benth.

Calpurnia E. Mev.

- aurea (Ait.) Benth., small localized tree in understorey of forests, Lower Mountain Slopes, 295
- Lotononis (DC.) Eckl. & Zeyh.
- pulchra Duemmer, infrequent shrublet in grasslands of Lower Mountain Slopes, 1476
- Pearsonia Duemmer
- aristata (Schinz) Duemmer, subwoody shrublet, widespread but infrequent in grasslands and woodlands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 1518A
- obovata (Schinz) Polhill, prostrate subwoody forb, infrequent in Mistbelt grasslands, 1522
- sessilifolia (Harv.) Duemmer
- 'complex', subwoody bushy forb, widespread and common in woodlands and grasslands of Mistbelt and Low Country: subsp. marginata (Schinz) Polhill, 1452
  - subsp. sessilifolia, 1707
- uniflora (Kensit) Polhill, subwoody forb, rare in xeric thickets of Low Country, 821
- Crotalaria L.
- capensis Jacq., small shrub in Tall (riparian) Forest, Low Country, 888
- recta Steud. ex A. Rich., small shrub, localized in disturbed woodlands and thickets of Upper Foothills, 1624

Argyrolobium Eckl. & Zeyh.

- harveyanum Oliv., slender perennial herb, infrequent in grasslands of Summit Slopes, 2373
- speciosum Eckl. & Zeyh., infrequent subwoody forb scattered in woodlands, grasslands and thickets of Mistbelt and Low Country, 709
- transvaalense Schinz, infrequent subwoody forb in xeric thickets, Low Country, 1840

Lotus L.

discolor E. Mey. subsp. discolor, fairly rare shrublet in moist grasslands of Escarpment Lower Slopes, 1946

Indigofera L.

- comosa N.E. Br., infrequent shrublet of sheet-rock formations, Low Country, 1883
- hedyantha Eckl. & Zeyh, infrequent subwoody forb of retarded grasslands, Summit Plateau, 2356
- hilaris Eckl & Zeyh., subwoody forb, infrequent in grasslands of Mountain Slopes, 1535
- oxalidea Welw. ex Bak., prostrate forb, infrequent in grasslands and woodlands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 731
- sanguinea N.E. Br., subwoody forb, fairly frequent in grasslands of Summit and Escarpment Plateau, 2073
- sp., shrublet or prostrate forb of moist grasslands, Escarpment Lower Slopes, includes 1945
- sp. 1, subwoody shrublet localized in grasslands of Lower Mountain Slopes, 1460
- sp. 2, shrublet localized in grasslands of Mountain Slopes, 1475
- swaziensis H. Bol, small shrub, widespread and common in woodlands, grasslands and xeric thickets of Mistbelt and Low Country, 665
- tristoides N.E. Br., small shrub, infrequent in grasslands and disturbed (sometimes riparian) woodlands of Mistbelt, 1939

polystictum (Benth. ex Harv.) C.H. Stirton, infrequent shrub of wooded rocky knolls, Summit, 2311

Tephrosia Pers.

- 'complex', large forb, mainly in Low Country thickets and woodlands:
- polystachya E. Mey. var. latifolia Harv., 765A

shiluwanensis Schinz, 765

- elongata E. Mey. var. elongata, lax forb, infrequent in grasslands, woodlands and thickets of Mistbelt and Low Country, 1153
- macropoda (E. Mey.) Harv., lax forb, infrequent in grasslands of Escarpment Slopes, 1117
- semiglabra Sond., forb, infrequent in rocky shrublands of Lower Mountain Slopes, 1553

Aeschynomene L.

- nyassana Taub., subwoody forb, common in rocky woodlands and grasslands of Humid Mistbelt, 1182
- rehmannii *Schinz*, subwoody forb, infrequent and localized in sandy grasslands of Plateau Crest, 1246
  - var. leptobotrya (Harms ex Bak. f.) J.B. Gillett, subwoody forb, localized in rocky grasslands, shrublands and

woodlands of Escarpment Upper Slopes, Plateau Crest and Summit, 1420

- Smithia Ait.
- erubescens (E. Mey.) Bak. f., shrublet in grasslands of Transitional Mistbelt, 1950

Stylosanthes Swartz

fruticosa (Retz.) Alston, infrequent subwoody forb of disturbed woodlands, Upper Foothills, 604

Zornia J.F. Gmel.

milneana *Mohlenbr*, rare ground creeper of disturbed grasslands, Plateau Crest, 1298

Desmodium Desv.

- dregeanum Benth., small shrub, infrequent in disturbed grasslands of Upper Foothills, 737
- gangeticum (L.) DC., infrequent lax forb of woodlands and thickets, Low Country, 793
- repandum (Vahl) DC., small undershrub, widespread and common in Forest and Mesic Thicket of Mistbelt and Low Country, 1002A
- setigerum (E. Mey.) Benth. ex Harv., ground creeper, infrequent in disturbed grasslands and woodlands of Mistbelt, 1288

Pseudarthria Wight & Arn.

hookeri Wight & Arn. var. hookeri, robust shrubby forb, widespread and common in Woodland and Xeric Thicket of Low Country and in Mistbelt grasslands and woodlands, 610

Dalbergia L. f.

armata E. Mey., robust spiny liane, common and widespread in forests and mesic thickets, especially below Escarpment Plateau, 21

Pterocarpus Jacq.

- angolensis DC., fairly large canopy tree, mainly confined to Woodland and Xeric Thicket of Low Country, 248
- rotundifolius (Sond.) Druce subsp. rotundifolius, fairly large canopy tree, confined to partially sheltered woodlands and thickets on shallow soils of Lower Foothills, 2040

Abrus Adans.

laevigatus E. Mey., slender subwoody twiner, common in forests, thickets and woodlands below Escarpment Plateau, 713 Dumasia DC.

villosa DC. var. villosa, soft twiner in shrub layer of Tall Forest, Mountain Slopes, 1573

Neonotonia Lackey

wightii (Arn.) Lackey, localized climber of xeric thickets, Low Country, 802

Erythrina L.

- latissima E. Mey., small tree, infrequent in woodlands of Plateau Crest and Escarpment Slopes, 1437
- lysistemon Hutch., fairly large tree, widespread in forests, thickets and woodlands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 874
- Mucuna Adans.
- coriacea Bak. subsp. irritans (Burtt Davy) Verdc., soft perennial twiner, fairly common in woodlands and thickets of Foothills, 1626

Rhynchosia Lour.

- angulosa Schinz, localized forb in grasslands of Lower Mountain Slopes, 1485
- caribaea (Jacq.) DC., slender twiner, widespread in forests, thickets and woodlands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 696
- hirta (Andr.) Meikle & Verdc., subwoody soft twiner, localized in forests and mesic thickets of Foothils, 42
- komatiensis Harms, small shrub, widespread and common but localized mainly in Woodland and Xeric Thicket of Low Country, 620
- monophylla Schltr., herbaceous creeper, common in broken lithoseral grasslands and woodlands of Mistbelt, 1413A
- sordida (E. Mey.) Schinz, large subwoody forb, infrequent and localized in disturbed woodlands of Upper Foothills, 1829
- thorncroftii (Bak. f.) Burtt Davy, infrequent small shrub of riparian forests, Escarpment Lower Slopes, 988
- totta (Thunb.) DC., small delicate twiner, occasional in grasslands and woodlands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 1327
- villosa (Meisn.) Druce, large forb, infrequent in moist grasslands of Summit and Plateau Crest, 1261
- woodii Schinz, occasional prostrate subshrub of Summit grasslands, shrublands and woodlands, 2519

Otholobium C.H. Stirton

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Eriosema (DC.) G. Don

- angustifolium Burtt Davy, widespread forb of Humid Mistbelt grasslands, 1244
- burkei Benth., infrequent forb of dolomite-soil grasslands, Plateau Interior, 1345
- cordatum E. Mey., infrequent forb of Mistbelt grasslands, 1362 ellipticifolium Schinz, widespread forb of Mistbelt grasslands, 1116
- gunniae C.H. Stirton, occasional forb of Mistbelt grasslands, 1544
- kraussianum Meisn., common forb of retarded grasslands, Summit Plateau and Slopes, 2345
- nutans Schinz, localized forb of Plateau Interior grasslands, 1657
- psoraleoides (Lam.) G.Don, robust shrubby forb, infrequent in Low Country woodlands, 1768
- Flemingia Roxb. ex Ait. f.
- grahamiana Wight & Arn., robust shrubby forb, infrequent in Low Country woodlands, 2034
- Vigna *Savi*
- oblongifolia A. Rich. var. oblongifolia, soft slender twiner, rare in sheltered woodlands of Lower Foothills, 1780
- nervosa *Markoetter*, delicate twiner, infrequent in grasslands of Humid Mistbelt, 1481

Sphenostylis E. Mey.

- angustifolia Sond., lax herbaceous twiner, infrequent and localized in Escarpment Plateau grasslands, 1334
- marginata E. Mey. subsp. marginata, vigorous climber, infrequent in thickets of Upper Foothills, 692

## GERANIACEAE

Geranium L.

ornithopodon Eckl. & Zeyh., trailing herb, common in moist (often riparian) grasslands and woodlands, Summit, 2433

Monsonia L

- attenuata Harv., rare forb of moist grasslands, Escarpment Lower Slopes, 1688
- transvaalensis Knuth, widespread forb of Summit grasslands, 2552

OXALIDACEAE

- Oxalis L.
- depressa Eckl. & Zeyh., very small delicate herb, infrequent in Mistbelt grasslands and open woodlands, 1507
- obliquifolia Steud. ex Rich., small herb, widespread in Summit grasslands, woodlands and shrublands, 2516

# LINACEAE

Linum L.

thunbergii Eckl. & Zeyh., small localized herb of disturbed lithoseral grasslands, Plateau Crest, 1284

#### RUTACEAE

#### Zanthoxylum L.

- capense (Thunb.) Harv., small tree, localized in shrub layer of forests, especially Escarpment Slopes, 334
- davyi (Verdoorn) Waterm., widespread canopy tree of woodlands, forests and thickets of Mistbelt and Low Country, 694
- thorncroftii (Verdoorn) Waterm., small tree, localized in shrub layer of elfin-like forests, Plateau Crest

Vepris Comm. ex A. Juss.

undulata (Thunb.) Verdoorn & C.A. Sm., infrequent understorey tree of High Forest, Upper Mountain Slopes, 2254

Toddalia Juss.

asiatica (L.) Lam., robust prickly liane, commonly localized in forests and mesic thickets below Escarpment Plateau, 2025

Clausena Burm. f.

anisata (Willd.) Hook. f. ex Benth., small understorey tree, widespread in forests of Mistbelt and Low Country, 875

Citrus L.

\*spp., exotic tree of cultivation, occasionally encroaching on mesic thickets of Transitional Mistbelt

SIMAROUBACEAE

# Kirkia Oliv.

acuminata Oliv., medium size deciduous tree, infrequent in moist woodlands and forests of Low Country, 1718

## PTAEROXYLACEAE

Ptaeroxylon Eckl. & Zeyh.

obliquum (Thunb.) Radlk., infrequent understorey tree of High Forest, Mountain Slopes, 2246

MELIACEAE

- Ekebergia Sparrm. capensis Sparrm., small tree, localized and rare in understorey of Tall (riparian) Forest, Low Country, 892
- pterophylla (C. DC.) Hofmeyr, small tree, localized in elfin-like forests and rocky woodlands of Plateau Crest, 1689
- Trichilia P. Br.

emetica Vahl, fairly large canopy tree, infrequent in Low Country forests, 1753

# MALPHIGIACEAE

Sphedamnocarpus Planch. ex Benth. & Hook. f.

galphimiifolius (Juss.) Szyszyl.

- subsp. galphimiifolius, slender subwoody climber, infrequent in forests of Escarpment Lower Slopes, 1959
- subsp. rehmannii *Launert*, robust climber, infrequent in xeric thickets of Low Country, 819
- pruriens (Juss.) Szyszyl.
- var. lanceolatus Launert, subwoody climber, infrequent in developing thickets of Escarpment Upper Slopes, 1674
   var. pruriens, infrequent subwoody climber of xeric thickets, Low Country, 500

POLYGALACEAE

Polygala L.

- hottentotta Presl, small infrequent herb, widespread in woodlands and grasslands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 625
- sp., occasional forb of Summit shrublands and woodlands, includes 2640, 2648
- uncinata E. Mey. ex Meisn., small infrequent herb, mainly localized on sheet-rock formations supporting woodland, Low Country, 978
- virgata Thunb., small infrequent shrub of Upper Foothill thickets, 943

Muraltia Juss.

- flanaganii H. Bol., infrequent ericoid shrublet of rocky shrublands, Summit Peak, 2507
- sp., prostrate ericoid shrublet, infrequent in low shrublands of exposed Summit Slopes, 2410

# EUPHORBIACEAE

Andrachne L.

- ovalis (Sond.) Müll. Arg., infrequent shrub in riparian forests, Upper Foothills, 1044
- Securinega Comm. ex Juss.
- virosa (Roxb. ex Willd.) Pax & K. Hoffm., localized shrub in woodlands and thickets, Low Country, 792

Phyllanthus L.

nummulariifolius Poir., infrequent shrub of xeric woodlands, Lower Foothills, 1774

reticulatus Poir, untidy localized shrub of Low Country woodlands, especially on broken lithosere, 1698

Drypetes Vahl

gerrardii Hutch., small understorey tree, localized in riparian forests of Mountain Slopes, 900

Antidesma L.

- venosum E. Mey. ex. Tul., low spreading tree, common and widespread in thickets and woodlands, especially Low Country, 637
- Bridelia Willd.
- micrantha (Hochst.) Baill., fairly large tree, common in thickets and woodlands. Often a pioneer on sheet-rock formations, mainly Low Country, 652

Adenocline Turcz.

acuta (Thunb.) Baill., soft undershrub, infrequent in kloof forests of Upper Mountain Slopes, 2151

Acalypha L

- angustata Sond. var. glabra Sond., localized subwoody forb of Lower Mountain Slope grasslands, 1458
- caperonioides Baill., widespread subwoody forb of Lower Mountain and Summit Plateau moist grasslands, 1534
- petiolaris Hochst., localized subwoody forb of Foothill woodlands, 758
- punctata *Meisn.*, infrequent subwoody forb of Upper Foothill woodlands and thickets, 622
- wilmsii Pax ex Prain & Hutch., subwoody forb, common in woodlands and grasslands of Humid Mistbelt, 1422

Tragia L.

- okanyua Pax, slender twiner, infrequent in disturbed xeroclinal woodlands of Upper Foothills, 672
- rupestris Sond., slender twiner or creeper occurring in Plateau Interior grasslands and Foothill thickets, 799
- sp., infrequent twiner of Low Country woodlands, includes 1820
- Ctenomeria Harv.
- capensis (Thunb.) Harv. ex Sond., large twiner, infrequent in mesic thickets of Escarpment Lower Slopes, 1401
- Dalechampia L.
- capensis Spreng. f., slender climber, localized in rocky mesic thickets of Upper Foothills, 712A Clutia L. abyssinica Jaub. & Spach var. abyssinica, prostrate subwoody
  - herb, infrequent in disturbed woodlands of Upper Foothills, 752
- affinis *Sond.*, soft shrub of Cyathea riparian woodland, Summit Plateau, *2120*
- hirsuta E. Mey. ex Sond., small shrub, infrequent in xeroclinal thickets of Upper Foothills, 940
- monticola S. Moore, frequent subwoody herb of woodlands and grasslands, especially Humid Mistbelt, 869
- Euphorbia L.
- epicyparissias E. Mey. ex Boiss., undershrub in Leucosidea riparian woodland, Summit Plateau, 2112
- ingens  $\vec{E}$ . Mey. ex Boiss., large succulent tree, usually associated with rocky xeric thickets and woodlands, Low Country
- kraussiana Bernh., small herbaceous perennial, rare in undergrowth of rocky riparian thickets, Escarpment Lower Slopes, 932

striata Thunb., localized forb of Plateau Crest grasslands, 1202

#### ANACARDIACEAE

Sclerocarya Hochst.

birrea (A.Rich.) Hochst. subsp. caffra (Sond.) Kokwaro, large tree, widely scattered in Low Country woodlands, 1844 Lannea A. Rich.

- discolor (Sond.) Engl., small tree of lithoseral woodlands and thickets, Low Country, 814
- edulis (Sond.) Engl., low woody forb, widespread in Woodland and Xeric Thicket of Low Country and in lithoseral grasslands of Plateau Crest, 1421

Protorhus Engl.

longifolia (Bernh.) Engl., medium-size tree, common in forests of Plateau Crest and Escarpment Lower Slopes and in lithoseral woodlands and thickets, especially Upper Foothills, 914

#### Rhus L.

- chirindensis *Bak. f.*, occasional tree in understorey or canopy of Escarpment Slopes forests, 939
- dentata *Thunb.*, widespread small tree occurring throughout Mistbelt and Low Country, 675
- discolor E. Mey. ex Sond., small shrub in grasslands of Mountain Slopes, precursor to open woodland, 1529
- pentheri Zahlbr., small understorey tree of forests, woodlands and thickets of Low Country, 757
- pyroides Burch. var. pyroides, small bushy tree, widespread in forests, woodlands and thickets of Mistbelt and Low Country, 760
- rehmanniana Engl., small tree, mainly localized in Plateau Crest woodlands, 1436
- transvaalensis *Engl.*, small tree, common and widespread in woodlands and thickets, especially Woodland and Xeric Thicket of Low Country, 675A
- tumulicola S. Moore., localized shrub of broken lithoseral shrublands and woodlands, especially Summit and Plateau Crest, 1185

## AQUIFOLIACEAE

Ilex L.

mitis (L.) Radlk., infrequent waterside tree, Mistbelt forests, 1354

# CELASTRACEAE

Maytenus Molina

acuminata (L. f.) Loes. var. acuminata, frequent understorey and canopy tree of Mountain Slopes forests, 2109

heterophylla (Eckl. & Zeyh.) N.K.B. Robson, small tree, com-

mon in woodlands and thickets, especially Low Country, 601

- mossambicensis (Klotzsch) Blakelock var. mossambicensis, small tree, frequent in Forest and Mesic Thicket of Mistbelt and Low Country, 269
- peduncularis (Sond.) Loes, small tree, scattered infrequently in Forest and Mesic Thicket of Mistbelt and Low Country, 900
- undata (Thunb.) Blakelock, small tree of forests, woodlands and thickets, especially Low Country, 837
- Catha Forssk. ex Scop.
  - edulis (Vahl) Forssk. ex Endl, medium-size tree localized in Low Country thickets, often on rocky sites, 644A

Pterocelastrus Meisn.

echinatus N.E. Br., occasional small tree in humid Mistbelt forests and woodlands, 1067

Cassine L.

- eucleiformis (Eckl. & Zeyh.) Kuntze, infrequent small tree of Tall Forest, Mountain Slopes, 2284
- papillosa (Hochst.) Kuntze, understorey tree of Tall Forest, Mountain Slopes, 2279
- tetragona (L. f.) Loes., infrequent understorey tree in High Forest, Upper Mountain Slopes, 2169

Hippocratea L.

crenata (Klotzsch) K. Schum. & Loes., infrequent scandent shrub of High Forest, Mountain Slopes, 2243

**ICACINACEAE** 

- Cassinopsis Sond.
  - ilicifolia (Hochst.) Kuntze, small understorey tree, widespread in forests of Mistbelt and Low Country, 275

Apodytes E. Mey. ex Arn.

- dimidiata E. Mey. ex Arn. subsp. dimidiata, medium-size tree, widespread and common in forests, thickets and woodlands, especially Forest and Mesic Thicket of Mistbelt and Low Country, 666
- Pyrenacantha Wight
- grandiflora *Baill.*, thick-branched climber, rare in rocky xeric thickets of Upper Foothills, 1892

SAPINDACEAE

#### Allophyllus L.

'complex', small to large tree, infrequent but widespread in Forest and Mesic Thicket of Mistbelt and Low Country: cf. decipiens (Sond.) Radlk., 2187 melanocarpus (Sond.) Radlk., 1576

transvaalensis Burtt Davy, 1129

Pappea Eckl. & Zeyh.

capensis Eckl. & Zeyh., occasional small shrub in rocky woodlands, thickets and forests, Low Country, 1705

### MELIANTHACEAE

#### Bersama Fres.

- transvaalensis *Turrill*, fairly large occasional tree of rocky forests and woodlands, Mistbelt and Low Country, 1455
- tysoniana Oliv., small tree, infrequent in forests of Mountain and Escarpment Slopes, 1957

# GREYIACEAE

Greyia Hook. & Harv.

radlkoferi Szyszyl, small tree of Mistbelt lithosere, occurring as pioneer on sheet-rock formations and persisting in forests, 1563

# BALSAMINACEAE

#### Impatiens L.

hochstetteri Warb. subsp. hochstetteri, soft herb, localized in moist field layer of riparian forests, Mountain and Escarpment Slopes, 1013

RHAMNACEAE

# Ziziphus Mill.

- mucronata Willd. subsp. mucronata, small straggly tree, common in woodlands and thickets, especially Low Country and Transitional Mistbelt, 700
- Berchemia Neck. ex DC.
- zeyheri (Sond.) Grubov, small tree, infrequent in forests and thickets of Lower Foothills, 1713
- Scutia (Comm. ex DC.) Brongn.

- myrtina *(Burm, f.) Kurz*, robust scandent shrub, common in High Forest of Mountain Slopes, 2195 Rhamnus L.
- prinoides L'Hérit., infrequent shrub in woodlands and forests, Mistbelt. 959
- Phylica L.
  - paniculata Willd., infrequent shrub of broken lithoseral thickets, Plateau Crest, 1227
- VITACEAE
- Rhoicissus Planch.
- revoilii Planch., robust woody liane of High Forest, Mountain Slopes
- rhomboidea (E. Mey. ex Harv.) Planch., robust woody liane, frequent in forests and thickets of Mistbelt and Low Country, 2048
- tomentosa (Lam.) Wild & Drumm., robust woody liane, frequent in forests and thickets of Escarpment Slopes and Foothills, 705
- tridentata (L. f.) Wild & Drumm., small shrub, frequent in forests, woodlands and thickets of Mistbelt and Low Country, 128
- Cyphostemma (Planch.) Alston
- anatomicum (C.A. Sm.) Wild & Drumm., occasional liane, scattered in Mistbelt lithosere, 1392
- simulans (C.A. Sm.) Wild & Drumm., rare twiner of xeric thickets, Lower Foothills, 1878
- woodii (Gilg& Brandt) Descoings, soft perennial forb, infrequent in lithoseral shrublands and woodlands, mainly Low Country, 810

TILIACEAE

## Corchorus L.

confusus *Wild*, rare forb in xeric thickets, Upper Foothills, 741 sp., infrequent forb in grassy field layer of open woodlands, Upper Foothills, 1903

Sparrmannia L. f.

ricinocarpa (Eckl & Zeyh.) Kuntze, infrequent undershrub in low thickets, Mountain Slopes, 1592

Grewia L.

- monticola Sond., small tree, localized in rocky woodlands of Low Country, 1697
- occidentalis L., common and widespread shrubby tree of forests, thickets and woodlands, Mistbelt and Low Country, 657

Triumfetta L

- pilosa Roth
  - var. effusa (E. Mey. ex Harv.) Wild, annual forb, scattered in Low Country thickets and fairly localized in woodlands of Humid Mistbelt, 627
  - var. pilosa, annual forb, widespread in Low Country woodlands and thickets, 733
  - var. tomentosa Szyszyl. ex Sprague & Hutch., annual forb, localized in xeric thickets of Upper Foothills, 1803
- rhomboidea Jacq., annual forb, widespread and infrequent in woodlands and thickets of Mistbelt and Low Country, 685
- welwitschii Mast. var. birsuta (Sprague & Hutch.) Wild, perennial forb, mainly localized in dolomite-soil grasslands of Plateau Interior, 1323

## MALVACEAE

Abutilon Mill.

sonneratianum (Cav.) Sweet, robust herb, infrequent in sheltered woodlands of Low Country, 835

Sida L.

dregei Burtt Davy, infrequent forb of xeric thickets, Lower Foothills, 871

Pavonia Cav.

columella *Cav.*, large shrubby forb in moist disturbed field layer of Low Country forests, *1925* 

Hibiscus L.

- aethiopicus L. var. ovatus Harv., subwoody forb, localized in Mistbelt grasslands, especially Plateau Interior, 1531
- surattensis L., subwoody forb, infrequent in disturbed woodlands of Upper Foothills, 607
- STERCULIACEAE
- Dombeya Cav.
  - rotundifolia (Hochst.) Planch. var. rotundifolia, small tree, frequent to abundant (often dominant) in Woodland and Xeric Thicket of Low Country, 424

- pulchra N.E.Br., widespread occasional shrub of forests, thickets
- and woodlands, Mistbelt and Low Country, 611 Hermannia L.
  - grandiflora N.E. Br., infrequent but widespread trailing forb of disturbed woodlands, especially Low Country, 617
- lancifolia Szyszyl, infrequent forb of Mistbelt grasslands, 1315 montana N.E. Br., localized forb of Mountain Slopes grasslands,
- *1490* Waltheria L.
- indica L., large shrubby forb of lithoseral woodlands, Low Country, 785

Sterculia L.

murex Hemsl., large canopy tree, widespread in woodlands and thickets of Low Country, 2033

OCHNACEAE

Ochna L

- arborea Burch. ex. DC. var. arborea, fairly large understorey tree, frequent (often dominant) in forests of Mountain Slopes. 2163
- gamostigmata Du Toit, small shrub, localized and common in mesic thickets of Transitional Mistbelt and Low Country, 632
- holstii Engl., medium-size understorey tree of forests and woodlands, Humid Mistbelt, 915
- natalitia (Meisn.) Walp., small shrub, widespread in grasslands, woodlands, thickets and forests of Mistbelt and Low Country, 778

CLUSIACEAE

- Hypericum L.
- aethiopicum Thunb. subsp. sonderi (Bred.) N.K.B. Robson, small subwoody forb, infrequent in Plateau Crest grasslands, 1642
- lalandii Choisy, small perennial herb, localized in moist grasslands, Summit Plateau, 2565
- revolutum Vahl, bushy shrub, locally abundant in riparian woodlands of forest margins, Summit, 2125
- sp., shrub of riparian woodlands, Summit Plateau, 2131

FLACOURTIACEAE

Rawsonia Harv. & Sond.

lucida Harv. & Sond., understorey tree, infrequent in forests of Escarpment and Mountain Slopes, 970

Kiggelaria L.

africana L., fairly large canopy tree, frequent in forests of Escarpment and Mountain Slopes, 989

Scolopia Schreb.

- mundii (Eckl. & Zeyh.) Warb., infrequent shrub of kloof forests, Mountain and Escarpment Slopes, 993
- zeyheri (Nees) Harv., small to large tree, apparently localized and infrequent in Low Country woodlands and thickets, 1720

Trimeria Harv.

grandifolia (Hochst.) Warb., understorey tree, common and abundant in Forest and Mesic Thicket of Mistbelt and Low Country, excluding Plateau Crest forests, 664

Flacourtia Comm. ex L'Hérit.

indica (Burm. f.) Merr., infrequent shrub in mesic woodlands of Low Country, 813

- Dovyalis E. Mey. ex Arn.
- lucida Sim, small tree or shrub, widespread in forests of Mountain Slopes, 1360
- zeyheri (Sond.) Warb., small tree or shrub, infrequent in Short (cliff) Forest of Lower Mountain Slopes, 1386

#### PASSIFLORACEAE

Adenia Forssk.

- digitata (Harv.) Engl, widespread and infrequent herbaceous twiner in forests, thickets and woodlands, mainly Low Country, 382
- gummifera (Harv.) Harms var. gummifera, occasional climber in Mistbelt and Low Country thickets, 1917

Passiflora L.

 edulis Sims, naturalized exotic climber, common in mesic thickets of Transitional Mistbelt and Low Country, 654

## BEGONIACEAE Begonia L.

sp., occasional perennial herb in moist shady rock crevices, Humid Mistbelt

# OLINIACEAE

#### Olinia Thunb.

emarginata Burtt Davy, fairly frequent understorey and canopy tree of Tall (often riparian) Forest, Upper Mountain and Summit Slopes, 2155

## THYMELAEACEAE

# Peddiea Harv.

- africana Harv., small localized tree, common in Forest and Mesic Thicket of Mistbelt and Low Country, 719
- Gnidia L.
- caffra *Meisn.*, infrequent subwoody forb in grasslands, shrublands and woodlands of Sub-Humid Mistbelt and Low Country, 634
- kraussiana Meisn. var. kraussiana, infrequent subwoody forb of Sub-Humid Mistbelt and Low Country woodlands, 1815
- microcephala Meisn., infrequent subwoody forb of moist Escarpment Plateau grasslands, 1653
- nodiflora Meisn., infrequent subwoody forb of shallow rocky sites, Summit Slopes shrublands, 2404
- sp., subwoody forb of Mistbelt grasslands, includes 976, 1461 Passerina L.
- montana Thoday, ericoid shrub, infrequent in rocky shrublands, Summit Plateau

# RHIZOPHORACEAE

#### Cassipourea Aubl

gerrardii (Schinz) Alston, frequent (sometimes dominant) understorey tree in forests of Mountain and Escarpment Upper Slopes, 1060

# COMBRETACEAE

Combretum Loefl.

- apiculatum Sond. subsp. apiculatum, medium-size canopy tree, occasional in woodlands of Low Country, 845
- collinum Fresen.
- subsp. gazense (Swynn. & Bak. f.) Okafor, medium-size canopy tree, localized in woodlands of Lower Foothills
- subsp. suluense (Engl & Diels) Okafor, localized canopy tree of Low Country woodlands and thickets, 829A
- kraussii Hochst., large canopy tree, common in Forest and Mesic Thicket of Mistbelt and Low Country, 861
- molle R. Br. ex G. Don, widespread small tree, especially common in Woodland and Xeric Thicket of Low Country, 631
- sp., large waterside tree of Low Country forests, 887
- zeyheri Sond., fairly small tree of Low Country woodlands and thickets, 843

Quisqualis L.

parviflora Gerr. ex Harv., occasional scandent shrub of High Forest, Upper Mountain Slopes, 2108

Terminalia L.

- phanerophlebia Engl. & Diels, small infrequent tree of sheltered xeric woodlands, Low Country, 862
- sericea Burch. ex DC., medium-size canopy tree, scattered in Low Country woodlands, 1758

#### MYRTACEAE

Psidium L.

- \*guajava L., small spreading exotic tree, widespread and naturalized from cultivation
- Eugenia L.
- natalitia Sond., small understorey tree, widespread and fairly common in forests and mesic thickets, especially Escarpment Slopes, 884

Syzygium Gaertn.

- cordatum Hochst., variable abundant tree, large in sheltered forests, thickets and woodlands below Escarpment Plateau; but stunted in rocky woodlands of Plateau Crest, 883
- gerrardii (Harv. ex Hook. f.) Burtt Davy, large canopy and emergent tree, mainly localized in forests of Humid Mistbelt, 909
- guineense (Willd.) DC., small tree associated with S. cordatum in rocky woodlands of Plateau Crest, 2721

Heteropyxis Harv.

natalensis Harv., widespread medium-size tree, mainly localized in forests, thickets and woodlands of Low Country, 608

MELASTOMATACEAE Dissotis *Benth*. phaeotricha (Hochst.) Hook. f. var. phaeotricha, large forb, infrequent in Transitional Mistbelt grasslands, 1967

# HALORAGACEAE

# Gunnera L.

- perpensa L., large perennial rhizomatous herb, abundant in marshy grasslands of Summit Plateau, 2576
- ARALIACEAE
- Schefflera J.R. & G. Forst.
- umbellifera (Sond.) Baill., localized canopy tree of Mistbelt forests; Plateau Crest and Escarpment Slopes, 1009

Cussonia Thunb.

spicata *Thunb.*, canopy and emergent tree, common and widespread in forests, thickets and woodlands of Mistbelt and Low Country, *Scheepers 392* 

#### APIACEAE

Sanicula L.

- elata Buch.-Ham., perennial herb of moist forest floor, Mountain and Escarpment Slopes, 1011
- Alepidea De la Roche
- amatymbica Eckl. & Zeyh. var. amatymbica, perennial herb, infrequent on Summit stream banks, 2739
- basinuda Pott var. basinuda, perennial herb, rare in Plateau Crest and Summit Plateau grasslands, 1203
- gracilis Duemmer var. major Weim., common perennial herb, localized in grasslands and woodlands of Humid Mistbelt, 1492
- longifolia E. Mey. subsp. longifolia, perennial herb confined to rocky woodlands, Summit, 2298
- sp., perennial herb in grasslands of Summit Slopes and Peaks, 2407

Heteromorpha Cham. & Schlechtd.

- pubescens Burtt Davy, widespread infrequent shrub of woodlands, Mistbelt and Low Country, 1808
- transvaalensis Schltr. & Wolff, infrequent subwoody forb in burnt woodlands, Escarpment Upper Slopes, 1645
- trifoliata (WendL) Eckl. & Zeyh., small infrequent tree of woodlands and forests, Humid Mistbelt, 991
- Pimpinella L.

transvaalensis Wolff, infrequent perennial herb of rocky woodlands, Lower Mountain Slopes, 1514A

Sium L.

repandum Welw. ex Hiern, robust aquatic herb in riparian woodlands, Summit Plateau, 2127

Annesorrhiza Cham. & Schlechtd.

flagellifolia Burtt Davy, perennial herb, infrequent in rocky shrublands, Summit Plateau, 2465

Peucedanum L.

- capense (Thunb.) Sond. var. capense, shrubby forb, infrequent in disturbed thickets of Mountain Slopes, 1604
- magalismontanum Sond., infrequent perennial herb, widespread in grasslands and woodlands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 1087
- sp., localized perennial herb of Summit Peak grasslands, 2408, 2472

# ERICACEAE

- Vaccinium L.
- exul H. Bol., small shrub, frequent amongst rocks, Summit, 2306

Erica L.

- atherstonei Diels ex Guth. & Bol, small shrub, common in rocky shrublands, Summit Peaks and Slopes, 2613
- caffrorum *H. Bol* var. caffrorum, localized shrub of rocky knolls, Summit Slopes and Peaks, 2304
- cerinthoides L., localized shrublet of exposed stoney slopes, Summit, Weisser 9037
- drakensbergensis Guth. & Bol, localized shrub, scattered in grasslands, shrublands and woodlands of Mistbelt, 1584
- sp., small shrub of Low Open (grassy) shrubland, Summit Slopes, 2362
- woodii H. Bol., infrequent shrub of Mountain Slopes and Summit grasslands, 1480

MYRSINACEAE

- Maesa Forssk.
- lanceolata Forssk. var. rufescens (A. DC.) Taton, small tree, common in understorey (or as pioneer) of Forest and Mesic Thicket of Mistbelt and Low Country, 923

# Bothalia 19.1 (1989)

# Myrsine L.

- africana L., small shrub, common in rocky shrublands, woodlands and forests of Mistbelt, 1193
- Rapanea Aubl.
- melanophloeos (L.) Mez, medium-size understorey tree of (mainly) Mistbelt forests, thickets and woodlands, 965
- SAPOTACEAE
- Bequaertiodendron De Wild.
- magalismontanum (Sond.) Heine & J.H. Hemsl., large tree-like shrub common in forests, thickets and woodlands below Escarpment Plateau, and especially localized in rocky woodlands of Plateau Crest, 2015

Mimusops L.

zeyheri Sond., fairly large tree, apparently confined to moist rocky thickets and forests of Low Country, 1712

EBENACEAE

- Euclea Murray
  - 'complex', widespread small understorey tree, mainly in woodlands and thickets of Transitional Mistbelt and Low Country:
  - crispa (Thunb.) Guerke subsp. crispa, 918
  - divinorum Hiern, 28

schimperi (A. DC.) Dandy var. schimperi, 633

- natalensis A. DC., infrequent small tree of Low Country forests, thickets and woodlands, 833
- Diospyros L.
- galpinii (Hiern) De Winter, low shrublet of Mistbelt grasslands and open woodlands, 1415
- lycioides Desf. subsp. sericea (Bernh.) De Winter, widespread small tree, abundant in less-shaded forests, thickets, woodlands and grasslands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 624
- mespiliformis *Hochst. ex A. DC.*, large localized tree, infrequent in low Country woodlands and thickets. often associated with diabase outcrops and termitaria, *1980C*
- whyteana (Hiern) F. White, frequent shrub, widespread (often dominant) in forests, thickets and woodlands of Mistbelt and Low Country, also as pioneer in broken lithosere, 612
- OLEACEAE
- Schrebera Roxb.
- alata (Hochst.) Welw., fairly large canopy tree, infrequent in forest of Escarpment Slopes, 1068
- Chionanthus L.
- foveolata (E. Mey.) Stearn
  - subsp. foveolata, fairly large tree, infrequent in forests of Mistbelt and Low Country, 1848
- subsp. major (Verdoorn) Stearn, large tree in Tall Forest, Mountain Slopes, 2283

Olea L.

- capensis L. subsp. macrocarpa (C.H. Wr.) Verdoorn, fairly large canopy tree, common (often dominant) in forests of Mountain Slopes, 1357
- europaea L. subsp. africana (Mill.) P.S. Green, small tree, localized in understorey of Short (cliff) Forest, Lower Mountains, 1393

Jasminum L.

angulare Vahl, fairly frequent shrub of High Forest, Lower Mountain Slopes, 2201

sp., twiner of Tall Forest, Escarpment Slopes, includes 962A

streptopus E. Mey., localized twiner of forests and thickets, Lower Mountain and Escarpment Slopes, 916

LOGANIACEAE

Strychnos L.

- madagascariensis Poir., small tree, mainly localized in woodlands of Lower Foothills, 1750
- spinosa Lam., small tree, fairly common in Low Country woodlands and thickets: occasionally in broken lithosere, Mistbelt, 1751

Anthocleista Afzel. ex R. Br.

grandiflora *Gilg*, tall canopy and emergent tree, common in forests and mesic thickets of Transitional Mistbelt and Low Country, *Scheepers* 797

Nuxia Comm. ex Lam.

congesta R. Br. ex Fresen, fairly small tree, infrequent in rocky woodlands of Plateau Crest, 1071

Buddleja L.

auriculata Benth., localized shrub of moist (often riparian)

forests, Mountain and Summit Slopes, 1373

salviifolia (L.) Lam., occasional shrub of rocky woodlands and moist (often riparian) forests, Mountain and Summit Slopes, 2067

GENTIANACEAE

Sebaea Soland. ex R. Br. leiostyla Gilg, infrequent perennial forb of Mountain and Summit grasslands, 1472

APOCYNACEAE

Carissa L.

bispinosa (L.) Desf. ex Brenan var. acuminata (E. Mey.) Codd, widespread and common shrub in undergrowth of Forest and Mesic Thicket of Mistbelt and Low Country, 92

Rauvolfia L.

caffra Sond., large canopy tree, infrequent in moist forests of Escarpment Slopes, 211

PERIPLOCACEAE

Cryptolepis R. Br.

oblongifolia Schltr., subwoody half-twining forb, common and widespread in Woodland and Xeric Thicket of Low Country, and fairly frequent in lithoseral grasslands and woodlands of Humid Mistbelt, 1032

Raphionacine Harv.

- elata N.E. Br., localized forb of dolomite-soil grasslands, Plateau Interior, 1343
- hirsuta (E. Mey.) R.A. Dyer ex Phill, widespread forb in grasslands of Humid Mistbelt, 1169

ASCLEPIADACEAE

- Xysmalobium R. Br.
- aceratoides (Schltr.) N.E. Br., prostrate perennial forb, widespread on Summit, 2384
- confusum Scott Elliott, robust perennnial forb, rare in grasslands of Lower Mountain Slopes, 1464

Asclepias L.

- crassinervis N.E. Br., succulent herb, scattered in woodlands and grasslands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 1351
- dregeana Schltr., rare herb of Mistbelt grasslands, 1352

Pentarrhinum E. Mey.

- insipidum E. Mey., vigorous climber, infrequent in xeric thickets of Low Country, 863
- Cynanchum L.
- ellipticum (Harv.) R.A. Dyer, rare twiner of Low Country xeric thickets, 1890

Sarcostemma R. Br.

viminale (L.) R. Br., leafless succulent twiner of sheet-rock shrublands, Transitional Mistbelt, 1955

Secamone R. Br.

- alpinii Schultes, vigorous slender liane, infrequent in forests and thickets of Escarpment and Mountain Lower Slopes, 917
- gerrardii Harv. ex Benth., slender climber, widespread and common in Forest and Mesic Thicket of Mistbelt and Low Country, 697
- parvifolia (Oliv.) Bullock, localized twiner of Transitional Mistbelt thickets, 931
- Ceropegia L.
- meyeri Decne., infrequent soft twiner of Plateau Crest woodlands, 1444
- racemosa N.E. Br. subsp. setifera (Schltr.) Huber, a twiner of Transitional Mistbelt mesic thickets, 995
- sp., rare twiner of Low Country xeric thickets, 1875

woodii Schltr., infrequent soft twiner, widespread in forests of Low Country and in rocky woodlands of Mistbelt, 1457

- Tylophora R. Br. anomala N.E. Br., widespread climber or creeper associated with Low Country lithoseral woodlands and apparently
- persisting in thickets and forests, 648 flanaganii Schltr., slender twining liane, occasional in Forests of Mountain Slopes, 1569

Pergularia L.

daemia (Forssk.) Chiov. var. daemia, infrequent creeper of disturbed thickets, Upper Foothills, 1810

CONVOLVULACEAE

#### Cuscuta L.

sp., twining parasitic forb, localized in Woodland and Xeric Thicket of Low Country Ipomoea L.

- bathycolpos Hallier f. var. bathycolpos, infrequent creeper of grasslands and rocky woodlands, Escarpment Plateau, 1178
- crassipes Hook., infrequent perennial forb, localized in woodlands and thickets of Upper Foothills, 640
- sp., scrambler or twiner in Low Country woodlands, includes 1745, 1904

# BORAGINACEAE

## Ehretia P. Br.

- amoena Klotzsch, infrequent shrub of Low Country xeric woodlands, 748A
- VERBENACEAE

#### Lantana L.

- \*camara L., fairly common naturalized shrub, especially in Low Country woodlands, 949
- mearnsii Moldenke var. latibracteolata Moldenke, small soft shrub, infrequent in mesic thickets of Transitional Mistbelt, 1072

Lippia L.

- javanica (Burm. f.) Spreng., widespread small shrub (possibly a forest prescursor), especially Mistbelt grasslands, 734
- wilmsii *H. Pearson*, infrequent forb of disturbance, localized in Upper Foothill woodlands and thickets, 742

Clerodendrum L.

- glabrum E. Mey. var. glabrum, widespread small tree, infrequent in woodlands and forests of Mistbelt and Low Country, 1442
- myricoides (Hochst.) Vatke, canopy tree in forests of Escarpment Slopes or understorey shrub in woodlands, thickets and forests of Foothills, 1137
- sp., infrequent shrub or forb in woodlands and thickets of Foothills, includes 1723, 1819
- suffruticosum Guerke var. suffruticosum, infrequent shrub associated with sheet-rock formations, Transitional Mistbelt, 1050
- triphyllum (Harv.) H. Pearson var. triphyllum, subwoody perennial forb, infrequent in Summit Plateau grasslands, 2537

LAMIACEAE

Acrotome Benth.

hispida *Benth.*, infrequent forb, localized mainly in dolomitesoil grasslands of Plateau Interior, 1307

Leonotis (Pers.) R. Br.

'complex', soft shrubby perennial, widespread in thickets, woodlands and grasslands of Mistbelt and Low Country: ocymifolia (Burm. f.) Iwarsson

var. ocymifolia, 2305

- var. raineriana (Visiani) Iwarsson, 739
- sp., rare herb of Transitional Mistbelt woodlands, 1053

Stachys L.

grandifolia E. Mey. ex Benth., soft undershrub, infrequent in moist shady thickets of Upper Foothills, 699

natalensis Hochst. var. galpinii (Briq.) Codd, infrequent forb of rocky woodlands, Lower Mountain Slopes, 1498

nigricans Benth, slender forb, localized in grasslands of Escarpment Plateau and Slopes, 1259

Tetradenia Benth.

'complex', small soft shrub, widespread as chasmophyte in early lithosere and persisting in lithoseral woodlands and thickets from Foothills to Plateau Crest:

brevispicata (N.E. Br.) Codd, 777

riparia (Hochst.) Codd, 397

Aeollanthus Mart. ex K. Spreng.

rehmannii *Guerke*, shrubby herb, localized in rocky woodlands of Escarpment Slopes and Plateau Crest, 1408

Endostemon N.E. Br.

obtusifolius' (E. Mey. ex Benth.) N.E. Br., infrequent soft shrub of mesic woodlands and thickets, Transitional Mistbelt, 929

Pycnostachys Hook.

- reticulata (E. Mey.) Benth., tall shrubby forb of retarded grasslands, Summit Plateau, 2726
- urticifolia Hook., soft shrub, widespread in lithoseral woodlands and thickets of Upper Foothills and Escarpment Lower Slopes, 614B

Plectranthus L'Hérit.

ciliatus E. Mey. ex Benth., infrequent shrub of High Forest, Mountain Slopes, 2208

- fruticosus L'Hérit., soft undershrub of rocky forests and woodlands, Plateau Crest, 1439
- grandidentatus *Guerke*, shaded understoreyshrub, infrequent in lithoseral woodlands and forests of Plateau Crest and Mountain Slopes, 1560
- hadiensis (Forssk.) Schweinf. ex Spreng. var. hadiensis, localized shrub (chasmophyte) of Plateau Crest open woodlands, 1425
- laxiflorus Benth., infrequent soft undershrub of Transitional Mistbelt forests, 1958
- rubropunctatus Codd, soft undershrub, sometimes forming pure stands in shrub layer of rocky forests and riparian woodlands of Escarpment and Summit Plateau, occasionally a pioneer in Mistbelt sheet-rock formations, 1508
- sp., widespread shrub of forests, thickets, woodlands and grasslands, includes 834, 1379
- spicatus E. Mey. ex Benth., succulent herb in soil pockets of sheet-rock formations, Low Country, 1880
- verticillatus (L. f.) Druce, usually a lax succulent herb covering rocks in shade of Low Country forests, 1714

Rabdosiella Codd

- calycina (Benth.) Codd, subwoody perennial forb, widespread in fire-protected shrublands and woodlands, Summit, 2318
- Hoslundia Vahl
- opposita Vahl, tall shrubby forb, rare in Low Country woodlands, 1869

Hemizygia (Benth.) Briq.

- albiflora (N.E. Br.) Ashby, low bush of rocky shrublands and grasslands, especially windy sites with shallow soil, Summit Slopes and Peaks, 2405
- canescens (Guerke) Ashby, variable forb of lithoseral woodlands, Plateau Crest and Foothills, 1764
- subvelutina (Guerke) Ashby, localized forb, common in grasslands of Escarpment Plateau and Slopes, 533
- transvaalensis (Schltr.) Ashby, widespread forb of woodlands and grasslands, Mistbelt and Low Country, 1290
- Ocimum L.
- urticifolium Roth., infrequent forb of xeric woodlands and thickets, Low Country, 791

Becium Lindl.

obovatum (E. Mey. ex Benth.) N.E. Br. var. obovatum, localized herb, common in grasslands of Escarpment Plateau and Slopes, 1083

## SOLANACEAE

Solanum L.

- \*mauritianum Scop., naturalized small tree, common as a weed of timber plantations and often encroaching on indigenous woodlands and forests, especially Mistbelt
- sp. cf. aculeastrum Dun., small shrub of sheet-rock formations and disturbed forest openings, Low Country
- terminale Forssk. subsp. terminale, subwoody climber of Tall (kloof) Forest, Upper Mountain Slopes, 2153

SCROPHULARIACEAE (Part A)

Nemesia Vent.

rupicola *ined.*, infrequent herb of riparian woodlands, Summit Plateau, 2706

Diclis Benth.

reptans Benth., small herb of riparian forests and woodlands, Summit Plateau and Slopes, 2121

Halleria L.

- lucida L., small tree, widespread from Low Country forests to Mistbelt forests, thickets and woodlands, 1404B
- Phygelius E. Mey. ex Benth. aequalis Harv. ex Hiern, waterside shrub of riparian woodlands, Summit Plateau, 2130

Bowkeria Harv.

cymosa Macowan, small tree, localized in rocky Mountain forests and woodlands, 1513A

Sutera Roth

grandiflora (Galpin) Hiern, infrequent forb of Low Country woodlands, 855

Zaluzianskya F.W. Schmidt

spathacea (Benth.) Walp., infrequent forb of moist grasslands, Summit Plateau, 2689

Ilysanthes Rafin.

wilmsii Engl. ex Diels, semi-aquatic herb in shallow pools of sheet-rock formations, Low Country, 1916

#### **SELAGINACEAE**

#### Hebenstretia L.

- comosa Hochst., occasional herb in Summit grasslands, 2377
- oatesii *Rolfe*, large herb, locally abundant in riparian woodlands, Summit Plateau, 2437
- Selago L.
- atherstonei Rolfe, infrequent subwoody forb of lithoseral grasslands and woodlands, Mistbelt, 536
- elata *Rolfe*, rare shrubby forb in grasslands of Transitional Mistbelt, 1964
- hyssopifolia E. Mey., infrequent subwoody forb, localized in lithoseral woodlands of Plateau Crest, 1424
- lydenburgensis *Rolfe*, subwoody forb, infrequent in grasslands of Summit Slopes, 2688
- muddii Rolfe, subwoody forb, localized mainly in Plateau Crest grasslands, 1098
- sp., infrequent subwoody forb of Protea woodland, Summit Slopes, 2417

Tetraselago Junell

- natalensis (*Rolfe) Junell*, subwoody forb, localized in lithoseral grasslands and woodlands of Plateau Crest and Escarpment Slopes, 1111
- wilmsii (Rolfe) Hilliard & Burtt, widespread subwoody forb of shallow rocky soils, Summit grasslands, shrublands and woodlands, 2301

# SCROPHULARIACEAE (Part B)

#### Alectra Thunb.

- sessiliflora (Vahl) Kuntze var. sessiliflora, apparently rare parasitic herb in grasslands of Mountain Slopes, 1486
- Sopubia Buch.-Ham. ex D. Don cana Harv. var. cana, frequent forb in grasslands of Summit and Mountain Slopes, 1470
- simplex (Hochst.) Hochst., infrequent forb of moist grasslands, Summit Plateau, 2568
- Buchnera L.
- dura Benth., infrequent forb in grasslands of Lower Mountain Slopes, 1491
- longispicata Schinz, rare forb of Low Country woodlands, 1763 Cycnium E. Mey. ex Benth.
- racemosum *Benth.*, subwoody forb, common on shallow rocky soils, Summit grasslands, shrublands and woodlands, 2378

tubulosum (L. f.) Engl., small rare herb of disturbed grasslands, Plateau Crest, 1293

Striga Lour.

bilabiata (Thunb.) Kuntze, small hemi-parasitic herb, rare in grasslands of Escarpment Slopes, 1346

# BIGNONIACEAE

Tecomaria Spach.

capensis (Thunb.) Spach., small scandent shrub or tree, infrequent in shrub layer and understorey of lithoseral woodlands, thickets and forests, Mistbelt and Low Country, 1404

Jacaranda Juss.

# PEDALIACEAE

Ceratotheca EndL

triloba (Bernh.) Hook. f., tall shrubby forb, common on sheetrock formations and early lithoseral grasslands and woodlands, Mistbelt and Low Country, 1282

# GESNERIACEAE

Streptocarpus LindL

- cyaneus S. Moore, perennial herb, apparently localized in Short (cliff) Forest, Lower Mountain Slopes, 1384
- dunnii Hook. f., localized herb of rocky open shrublands and woodlands, Mistbelt, 1423A
- pentherianus Fritsch, epiphyte on trees and rocks of Tall (kloof) Forest, Upper Mountain and Summit Slopes, 2160
- polyanthus Hook, subsp. dracomontanus Hilliard, infrequent herb of Escarpment Slopes forests, 1062B

## ACANTHACEAE

Thunbergia Retz.

atriplicifolia E. Mey. ex Nees, infrequent localized twiner in woodlands of Upper Foothills, 643

neglecta Sond., infrequent twiner of mesic thickets, Upper Foothills, 695

sp., herb in forests of Escarpment Lower Slopes, includes 986 Phaulopsis Willd.

imbricata (Forssk.) Sweet, small undershrub, common in forests, thickets and woodlands of Transitional Mistbelt and Low Country, 600

Dyschoriste Nees

- depressa (L.) Nees, infrequent forb in shrubby grassland of old-land successions, Upper Foothills, 725
- Chaeta canthus Nees
  - burchellii Nees, shrubby forb in field layer of thickets and woodlands, mainly Lower Foothills, 1737
- Ruellia L.
- sp., rare forb of closed woodlands, Lower Foothills, 1742
- Crabbea Harv.
- hirsuta Harv., low subwoody forb, scattered in Mistbelt grasslands and Low Country woodlands, 748
- Barleria L.
- gueinzii Sond., rare shrubby forb in rocky forests, Lower Foothills, 1711
- ovata E. Mey. ex Nees, widespread forb of Mistbelt grasslands and woodlands, 1523
- Sclerochiton Harv.
- harveyanus Nees, undershrub, often dominant and abundant in forests of Humid Mistbelt, 1062A
- Dicliptera Juss.
  - clinopodia Nees, undershrub, widespread in Forest and Mesic Thicket of Mistbelt and Low Country, 686

Hypoestes Soland. ex R. Br.

- aristata R. Br., localized undershrub of closed woodlands and xeric thickets, Low Country, 740
- triflora (Forssk.) Roem. & Schult., localized undershrub of Tall (riparian) Forest, Mountain Slopes, 1570
- Isoglossa Oerst.
- cckloniana (Nees) Lindau, lax subwoody forb, rare in rocky mesic thickets of Upper Foothills, 876

# PLANTAGINACEAE

Plantago L.

\*major L., waterside herb of Tall (riparian) Forest, Low Country, 901

#### RUBIACEAE

# Kohautia Cham. & Schlechtd.

amatymbica Eckl. & Zeyh., small forb, infrequent in Mistbelt grasslands, 1209

Conostomium Cuf.

- natalense (Hochst.) Brem. var. glabrum Brem., infrequent forb, scattered in rocky woodlands of Mistbelt and grasslands of Low Country, 1516
- Agathisanthemum Klotzsch
- bojeri Klotzsch var. bojeri, perennial herb, infrequent in grasslands and woodlands of old-land successions, Low Country, 726
- Pentas Benth.
- sp., rare forb of disturbed woodlands, Upper Foothills, 743 Breonadia *Ridsdale*
- salicina (Vahl) Hepper & Wood, large waterside tree, conspicuous in Tall (riparian) Forest of Low Country, Scheepers 606 Cephalanthus L.
- natalensis Oliv., woody liane and scrambler, occasional as chasmophyte in Mistbelt sheet-rock formations, persisting in rocky woodlands of Plateau Crest, and frequent in forests and mesic thickets of Mistbelt, 706
- Burchellia R. Br.
- bubalina (L. f.) Sims, occasional small tree of broken lithoseral woodlands, Mistbelt, 1494
- Coddia Verdc.
- rudis (E. Mey. ex Harv.) Verdc., occasional undershrub in xeric thickets of Low Country, 1783A

Rothmannia Thunb.

- capensis Thunb., canopy and understorey tree of elfin-like forests, Plateau Crest and Mountain Slopes, 1199
- globosa (Hochst.) Keay, infrequent shrub or small tree in understorey of mesic thickets, Transitional Mistbelt, 886
- Hyperacanthus E. Mey. ex Bridson amoenus /Sims) Bridson, shrub or small tree, fairly frequent in
- forests and thickets of Low Country, 885 Oxyanthus DC.

<sup>\*</sup>mimosifolia D. Don., occasional exotic tree, naturalized in mesic thickets of Low Country, 937

speciosus DC, subsp. gerrardii (Sond.) Bridson, large understorey tree, frequent in forests and mesic thickets of Escarpment and Mountain Slopes, 1014

Tricalysia A. Rich.

- 'complex', small understorey tree, common in Forest and Mesic Thicket of Mistbelt and Low Country, occasional in rocky woodlands of Plateau Crest:
  - capensis (Meisn.) Sim, 1136

lanceolata (Sond.) Burtt Davy, 1397

Kraussia Harv.

- floribunda Harv., localized undershrub of Low Country forests and sheltered thickets, 1721
- Pentanisia *Harv*.
- angustifolia (Hochst.) Hochst., perennial herb, infrequent in Mountain Slopes grasslands, 1473
- prunelloides (Eckl. & Zeyh.) Walp., low perennial herb, widespread and abundant in grasslands of Mistbelt, 676
- Vangueria Juss.
- infausta Burch. subsp. infausta, small tree of Mistbelt and Low Country lithosere, persisting in woodlands and thickets, 790
- Canthium Lam.
- ciliatum (Klotzsch) Kuntze, small understorey tree, localized in Tall forests of Escarpment and Mountain Slopes, 1057
- gilfillanii (N.E. Br.) O.B. Miller, shrub or small tree, rare in Low Country woodlands, 829
- gueinzii Sond, woody liane, common in forests and mesic thickets below Escarpment Plateau, 889
- inerme (L. f.) Kuntze, shrub or small tree, widespread in forests, thickets and woodlands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 613
- mundianum Cham. & Schlechtd., small tree, scattered in Foothill woodlands and xeric thickets and in Plateau Crest woodlands, 1407
- pauciflorum (Klotzsch) Kuntze, understorey tree in High Forest, Upper Mountain Slopes, 2148
- sp., infrequent shrub of Low Country woodlands, 841

Psydrax Gaertn.

- livida (Hiern) Bridson, shrub or small tree, localized in Short (cliff) Forest of Lower Mountain Slopes, 1371
- locuples (K. Schum.) Bridson, rare shrub or small tree in understorey of Mistbelt forests, 1224
- obovata (Eckl & Zeyh.) Bridson subsp. obovata, fairly large understorey tree, infrequent in tall forests of Mountain and Escarpment Slopes, 1168

Pachystigma Hochst.

- macrocalyx (Sond.) Robyns, infrequent shrub of rocky woodlands, Humid Mistbelt, 1190
- sp., infrequent shrub of early lithoseral woodlands, Lower Foothills, includes 1884
- Fadogia Schweinf.
- homblei De Wild., infrequent forb in broken lithoseral grasslands, Plateau Crest, 1419
- tetraquetra Krause, widepsread forb, common in grasslands and woodlands of Mistbelt, 1448
- Pavetta L.
- cooperi Harv. & Sond., shrub or small tree, infrequent in Mistbelt forests, 1956
- galpinii Brem., occasional shrub in forests and mesic thickets of Escarpment and Mountain Slopes, 997
- gardeniifolia A. Rich. var. gardeniifolia, infrequent shrub, chasmophyte in broken lithoseral woodlands of Transitional Mistbelt, 1632
- gardeniifolia A. Rich. var. subtomentosa K. Schum., infrequent shrub, chasmophyte on sheet-rock formations, Low Country, 806.
- schumanniana F. Hoffm. ex K. Schum., fairly frequent shrub or small tree, localized in partially sheltered woodlands and xeric thickets of Lower Foothills, 784
- sp., variable shrub of forests and thickets, Low Country, includes 1847

Psychotria L.

- capensis (Eckl.) Vatke, small tree, widespread and abundant in Forest and Mesic Thicket of Mistbelt and Low Country and in Humid Mistbelt woodlands, 971
- zombamontana (Kuntze) Petit, small understorey tree, frequent in Mistbelt forests, 2053

Galopina Thunb.

- aspera (Eckl. & Zeyh.) Walp., infrequent forb, scattered in grasslands and woodlands of Humid Mistbelt, 1540
- circaeoides Thunb., widespread perennial herb, common in un-

dergrowth of forests, thickets and woodlands, Mistbelt and Low Country, 691

- Anthospermum L.
- herbaceum L. f., herbaceous bushy perennial, scattered in Summit grasslands and woodlands, 2329
- welwitschii Hiern, ericoid shrub, occasional in woodlands of Plateau Crest and Escarpment Slopes, 1627

Richardia L.

\*brasiliensis Gomes, naturalized herb of old-land disturbance, Upper Foothills, 626

Spermacoce Gaertn.

natalensis Hochst., rare forb, chasmophyte in broken lithoseral woodlands of Plateau Crest, 1454

Rubia L.

- cordifolia L. subsp. conotricha (Gand.) Verdc., herbaceous perennial creeper, infrequent in xeric thickets of Low Country, 851
- petiolaris DC., herbaceous perennial climber, rare in Low Country woodlands, 1805

VALERIANACEAE

Valeriana L.

capensis *Thunb.*, localized perennial forb in association with Andropogon appendiculatus vleis, Summit, 2582

DIPSACACEAE

- Cephalaria Schrad.
  - pungens Szabo, fairly widespread herb, localized and common, mainly in grasslands of Humid Mistbelt, 1471

Scabiosa L.

- columbaria L., infrequent perennial herb of grasslands, Summit and Escarpment Plateau, 747
- CUCURBITACEAE

Momordica L.

- balsamina L., slender twiner, infrequent in sheltered xeric thickets of Low Country, 865
- boivinii Baill., infrequent soft twiner, localized in rocky (diabase) woodlands of Low Country, 1697A

Cucumis L.

- sp., occasional creeper in Low Country rocky thickets, 1368
- zcyheri Sond., infrequent creeper in dolomite-soil grasslands, Plateau Interior, 1368

Trochomeria Hook. f.

sagittata (Harv. ex Sond.) Cogn., infrequent slender twiner of rank grasslands, Upper Foothills, 1935 Coccinia Wight & Arn.

palmata (Sond.) Cogn., infrequent herbaceous climber, localized in mesic thickets of Transitional Mistbelt, 892

## CAMPANULACEAE

- Wahlenbergia (Schrad. ex Roth)
- huttonii (Sond.) Thulin, infrequent perennial herb of Mistbelt grasslands, 1308
- lycopodioides Schltr. & V. Brehm., infrequent herb of lithoseral grasslands, Plateau Crest, 1636
- undulata (L. f.) A. DC., subwoody herb, infrequent in lithoseral grasslands of Humid Mistbelt, 1550
- virgata Engl., subwoody herb, widespread in grasslands of Plateau Crest and Summit, 1175
- Craterocapsa Hilliard & Burtt
- tarsodes Hilliard & Burtt, widespread low perennial herb in grasslands of Summit Slopes and Plateau, 2515

LOBELIACEAE

Cyphia Berg.

elata Harv.

'complex', occasional forb, scattered in Mistbelt grasslands and woodlands:

var. elata Harv., 441

- var. glabra Harv., 1416
- stenopetala Diels, rare slender herb of retarded grasslands, Summit Plateau, 2532

Lobelia I..

- erinus L., rare herb of Summit Plateau grasslands, 2558
- flaccida (Presl) A. DC. subsp. flaccida, small herb of disturbed grasslands, Summit Peak, 2720
- Monopsis Salisb.
- decipiens (Sond.) Thulin, small infrequent herb in moist grasslands of Escarpment Slopes and Plateau Crest, 1092

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ASTERACEAE

- Vernonia Schreb.
- adoensis Sch. Bip. ex Walp., small infrequent shrub, widely scattered in Mistbelt grasslands and thickets, 942
- amygdalina Del, large herb, infrequent in field layer of mesic thickets, Upper Foothills, 703
- centaureoides Klatt, infrequent forb in rank grasslands of Upper Foothills, 1930
- colorata (Willd.) Drake, small shrub, localized in rocky (diabase) woodlands of Lower Foothills, 1700
- hirsuta (DC.) Sch. Bip., subwoody forb, widespread in Mistbelt grasslands and shrublands, 1477
- natalensis Sch. Bip., widespread subwoody forb of grasslands and woodlands, Mistbelt and Low Country, 1474
- neocorymbosa Hilliard, fairly common subwoody forb, localized in woodlands of Escarpment Slopes and Upper Foothills, 1624B
- oligocephala (DC.) Sch. Bip. ex Walp., shrubby forb, scattered in woodlands and thickets of Mistbelt and Low Country, 815
- poskeana Vatke & Hildebr. subsp. botswanica Pope, widespread forb of lithoseral woodlands and grasslands, Mistbelt and Low Country, 804
- stipulacea Klatt, widespread robust shrub of forests, thickets and woodlands, mainly Low Country, 1405
- thodei Phill., occasional forb of retarded grasslands, Summit Plateau, 2353
- wollastonii S. Moore, occasional undershrub in forests of Plateau Crest and Mountain Slopes, 1195
- Ageratum L.
- \*conyzoides L., forb of disturbed woodlands, Low Country, 864
- Stomatanthes R.M. King & H. Robinson
- africanus (Oliv. & Hiern) R.M. King & H. Robinson, subwoody forb of woodlands and grasslands, Escarpment Slopes, 1647
- Mikania Willd.
- natalensis DC., twining liane of forests and mesic thickets, especially below Escarpment Plateau, 898
- Aster L.
- comptonii Lippert, infrequent subwoody forb of Mistbelt grasslands and woodlands, 1594
- harveyanus Kuntze, rare forb of Foothill woodlands, 768
- lydenburgensis Lippert, rare forb of Mistbelt grasslands, 1338
- sp., forb of disturbed woodlands, Foothills, includes 649, 750 Felicia Cass.
- rosulata Yeo, rare forb in rocky shrublands of Summit Peak, 2503

Nidorella Cass

- auriculata DC., robust herbaceous bush in moist (often marshy) grasslands and thickets, Mistbelt, 605
- sp., infrequent forb of disturbed moist grasslands, Mistbelt, includes 1249, 2322

Conyza Less

sumatrensis (Retz.) E.H. Walker, widespread introduced weed of disturbance, Mistbelt and Low Country, 609

Brachylaena R. Br.

- discolor DC. subsp. transvaalensis (Phill. & Schweick.) J. Paiva, fairly large canopy and emergent tree in Forest and Mesic Thicket of Mistbelt and Low Country, 679
- Tarchonanthus L.

trilobus DC. var. galpinii (Hutch. & Phill.) J. Paiva, localized tree of rocky woodlands, Plateau Crest, 1433 Blumea DC.

alata (D. Don) DC., widespread herbaceous weed of disturbed woodlands and thickets, Low Country, 606

Gnaphalium L.

- sp., subwoody herb of retarded grasslands, Summit Plateau, 2327
- Tenrhynea Hilliard & Burtt
- phylicifolia (DC.) Hilliard & Burtt, widespread shrubby forb of woodlands and grasslands, Mistbelt and Low Country, 766
- Helichrysum Mill.
- acutatum DC., common subwoody forb of Summit woodlands, shrublands and grasslands, 2357
- adenocarpum DC., infrequent forb of broken lithoseral grasslands, Plateau Crest. 1179
- aureonitens Sch. Bip., small herb, common in grasslands of Mistbelt, 1100

- aureum (Houtt.) Merr. var. monocephalum (DC.) Hilliard, small subwoody forb, infrequent in Mistbelt grasslands, 1242
- cephaloideum DC., localized herb of Plateau Crest grasslands, 1205
- chionosphaerum DC., infrequent forb in Low Open Shrubland on exposed stoney slopes, Summit, Weisser 9036
- chrysargyrum Moeser, widespread, infrequent bushy forb of seral woodlands. Mistbelt and Low Country, 673
- 'complex', common subwoody forb, widespread in grasslands and woodlands of Humid Mistbelt:
- acutatum DC., 1099
- thapsus (Kuntze) Moeser, 1520
- cooperi Harv., localized forb of Plateau Crest woodlands, 1413 coriaceum Harv., subwoody herb, infrequent in Mistbelt grass-
- lands, 1656
- difficile Hilliard, large infrequent forb bordering marshy grasslands, Summit Plateau, 2737
- edwardsii Wild, large forb, infrequent in Summit grasslands, 2482
- glomeratum Klatt, infrequent forb of Summit Plateau grasslands, 2544
- harveyanum Wild, infrequent forb, localized in dolomite-soil grasslands of Plateau Interior, 1303
- homilochrysum S. Moore, shrubby bush in sheltered ravines, Summit Slopes, 2703
- kraussii Sch. Bip., shrubby ericoid forb, localized in lithoseral woodlands of Escarpment Slopes and Plateau Crest, 975
- mariepscopicum Hilliard, infrequent forb of Summit grasslands, 2680
- mimetes S. Moore, lax forb, widespread in lithoseral grasslands and woodlands of Mistbelt, 1607
- mixtum (Kuntze) Moeser, infrequent forb of woodlands and grasslands, Mistbelt, 1525
- nudifolium (L.) Less., widespread subwoody forb of thickets, woodlands and grasslands, Mistbelt and Low Country, 618
- odoratissimum (L.) Sweet, widespread bushy forb of open woodlands and grasslands, especially Mistbelt, 1932
- opacum Klatt, rare forb of Summit grasslands, 2692
- pallidum DC., subwoody herb, infrequent in lithoseral woodlands of Humid Mistbelt, 1558
- panduratum O. Hoffm. var. transvaalense Moeser, widespread forb of mesic thickets, woodlands and grasslands, especially Mistbelt, 712
- pilosellum (L. f.) Less., subwoody herb, common in Mistbelt grasslands, 1164
- platypterum DC., robust perennial forb, occasional in Mistbelt grasslands, 1585
- reflex um N.E. Br., infrequent shrubby forb, localized in broken lithoseral woodlands of Lower Mountain Slopes, 1497
- setosum Harv., rare forb of riparian woodlands, Summit Plateau, 2126
- sp., variable forb, widespread in Mistbelt grasslands and woodlands and in Low Country woodlands and thickets, includes 1157, 1253, 2299
- sp. nov. 1 (Werdermann & Oberdieck 2179), infrequent subwoody herb, widely scattered in Mistbelt grasslands, especially in broken lithosere of Lower Mountain Slopes, 1493
- sp. nov. 2 (Scheepers s.n.), infrequent subwoody forb of disturbed seepage thickets, Lower Mountain Slopes, 1590
- sp. nov. 3 (Van der Schüff 4335A), localized forb, rare in marshy grasslands of Escarpment Plateau, 1263
- spiralepis Hilliard & Burtt, large forb, fairly common in grasslands of Summit Plateau, 2536
- splendidum (Thunb.) Less., low dense bush invading moist fire-protected sites on Summit, 2641
- subluteum Burtt Davy, small forb, fairly common in grasslands of Summit Slopes and Plateau, 2393
- truncatum Burtt Davy, small tufted forb, infrequent in grasslands of Summit Plateau, 2562
- umbraculigerum Less, lax soft subwoody forb, infrequent in woodlands and grasslands of Humid Mistbelt, 1154
- wilmsii Moeser, low shrubby forb, widespread in Mistbelt grasslands and woodlands, 1106

Stoebe L.

vulgaris Levyns, scattered ericoid shrub of Summit Plateau and Slopes, 2390 Athrixia Ker-Gawl

phylicoides DC., widespread shrubby forb, localized mainly in

thickets and woodlands of Transitional Mistbelt and Low Country, 645

Inula L.

- glomerata Oliv. & Hiern, robust herb, localized mainly in more exposed woodlands and xeric thickets of Low Country, 635
- Geigeria Griesselich
- burkei Harv. subsp. burkei var. elata Merxm., infrequent forb, widely scattered in Low Country woodlands, 842
- burkei Harv. subsp. burkei var. hirtella Merxm., infrequent forb of rank grasslands, Mountain Slopes, 1515
- Anisopappus Hook. & Arn.
- latifolius (S. Moore) B.L. Burtt, trailing forb, infrequent in Summit grasslands, 2554
- Acanthospermum Schrank
  - \*australe (Loefl.) Kuntze, lax forb of disturbed grasslands and woodlands, especially from Plateau Crest to Upper Foothills, 596
- Bidens L.
- kirkii (Oliv. & Hiern) Sherff, infrequent forb of lithoseral woodlands, Plateau Crest, 1640
- \*pilosa L., widespread forb, characteristic weed of disturbance, Mistbelt and Low Country

Inulanthera Källersjö

- calva (Hutch.) Källersjö, herbaceous bush, localized in grasslands and rocky woodlands of Plateau Crest and Lower Mountain Slopes, 1976
- Phymaspermum Less. emend. Källersjö
- acerosum (DC.) Källersjö, herbaceous bush, localized in grasslands and rocky woodlands of Escarpment and Summit (Plateau and Slopes), 1111
- Inezia *Phill*.
- integrifolia (Klatt) Phill, perennial herb, widespread in grasslands and rocky woodlands of Mountain Slopes and Summit, 1462

Schistostephium Less.

- crataegifolium (DC.) Fenzl ex Harv., subwoody forb, infrequent in grasslands of Escarpment and Lower Mountain Slopes, 1530
- heptalobum (DC.) Oliv. & Hiern, subwoody perennial forb, widely scattered in undergrowth of forests and mesic thickets of Mistbelt, 928
- rotundifolium (DC.) Fenzl ex Harv., infrequent shrub of Closed Woodland on rocky knolls, Summit Slopes, 2294

Artemisia L.

afra Jacq. ex Willd., shrubby herb, localized in thickets and woodlands of Mountain Slopes, 1559

Lopholaena DC.

- disticha (N.E. Br.) S. Moore, subsucculent herb, infrequent in grasslands of Escarpment Slopes, 1947
- segmentata (Oliv.) S. Moore, perennial herb, infrequent in grasslands of Escarpment Plateau and Lower Mountain Slopes, 1532 Cineraria L.
- sp., field layer herb of moist bushy ravines, Summit Slopes, 2679
- Senecio L.
- affinis DC., infrequent subwoody forb of Mistbelt grasslands, 1546
- conrathii N.E. Br., infrequent subwoody forb of Mountain Slope grasslands, 1616
- coronatus (Thunb.) Harv., low forb, widely scattered in open woodlands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 1511
- deltoideus Less., infrequent climber in mesic thickets of Transitional Mistbelt, 920
- erubescens Ait. var. crepidifolius DC., localized forb of Plateau Crest grasslands, 1121
- erubescens Ait. var. dichotomus DC., infrequent forb of Humid Mistbelt grasslands, 1180
- gerrardii Harv., large herb, localized in Plateau Crest grasslands, 1214
- glaberrimus DC., widespread subwoody forb of grassslands and woodlands, Mistbelt and Low Country, 1274
- latifolius DC. (= S. sceleratus), localized forb, mainly in grasslands of Escarpment Plateau, 26
- lydenburgensis Hutch. & Burtt Davy, infrequent forb of Summit and Escarpment Plateau grasslands, 1314
- macrocephalus DC., rosette forb, infrequent in rocky grass-

lands of Escarpment Slopes, 1145

- mikanioides Otto ex Harv., slender liane, occasional in tall forests of Escarpment Slopes, 1142
- oxyriifolius DC., small subsucculent herb, often associated with rocks. widespread in grasslands and woodlands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 1038
- panduriformis *Hilliard*, infrequent tall herb of disturbed thickets, Escarpment Slopes, 1250
- polyodon DC. var. polyodon, infrequent forb in moist Mistbelt grasslands, 1105
- pterophorus DC., subwoody forb, infrequent in seral grasslands of Escarpment and Lower Mountain Slopes, 111
- scitus Hutch ex Burtt Davy, occasional subsucculent forb of Summit grasslands and shrublands, 2635
- serratuloides DC. var. serratuloides, robust forb, localized in disturbed woodlands of Upper Foothills, 1828
- sp., forb of Summit grasslands, 2555
- tamoides DC., succulent climber, in forests and mesic thickets of Mountain and Escarpment Slopes, 2059
- venosus *Harv.*, subwoody forb, infrequently scattered in woodlands of Escarpment Slopes and Foothills, 1545 Euryops *Cass*.
- pedunculatus N.E. Br., subwoody herb, localized in lithoseral grasslands and shrublands of Mistbelt, 1637
- transvaalensis Klatt subsp. setilobus (N.E. Br.) B. Nord., small subwoody herb, infrequent in Mistbelt grasslands, 1499 Haplocarpha Less.
- scaposa Harv., low perennial herb, widespread in woodlands, shrublands and grasslands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 669
- Berkheya Ehrh.
  - echinacea (Harv.) O. Hoffm. ex Burtt Davy subsp. echinacea, infrequent forb, widespread in Low Country woodlands and Mistbelt grasslands and shrublands, 769
- insignis (Harv.) Thell., small forb, widespread in woodlands, shrublands and grasslands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 641
- latifolia Wood & Evans, infrequent forb of Plateau Crest open woodlands, 1980
- radula (Harv.) De Wild., large forb associated with wooded knolls, Summit, 2302
- setifera DC., infrequent forb of Low Country woodlands, 1823 sp., variable forb in undergrowth of mesic thickets, Escarpment Lower Slopes, includes 1075

Dicoma Cass.

- anomala Sond. subsp. cirsioides (Harv.) Wild, perennial forb, infrequent in Summit and Mountain Slopes grasslands, 1459
- zeyheri Sond., perennial forb, widespread in woodlands and grasslands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 636

Gerbera L.

- ambigua (Cass.) Sch. Bip., widespread rosette forb of Plateau Crest and Summit grasslands and woodlands, Weisser 9031
- aurantiaca Sch. Bip., rosette forb, widespread in woodlands and grasslands of Mistbelt and Low Country, 656
- jamesonii *H. Bol. ex Adlam*, rosette forb, mainly localized in Woodland and Xeric Thicket of Low Country, 84
- piloselloides (L.) Cass., occasional rosette forb of Mistbelt grasslands, 1333
- viridifolia (DC.) Sch. Bip. subsp. viridifolia, small rosette forb, infrequent in Low Country woodlands, 1743 Tolpis Adans.
- capensis (L.) Sch. Bip., rosette forb, localized in Plateau Crest and Summit grasslands, 1210

Hypochoeris L.

\*microcephala (Sch. Bip.) Cabrera var. albiflora (Kuntze) Cabrera, rare rosette forb of dolomite-soil grasslands, Plateau Interior, 1367

\*radicata L., infrequent weed of disturbed rank grasslands, Summit Plateau, 2642 Sonchus L.

- integrifolius Harv., small herb with milky latex, localized in dolomite-soil grasslands of Plateau Interior, 1325
- sp., infrequent herb on termitaria, grasslands of Lower Mountain Slopes, 1543
- wilmsii R.E. Fries, herb with milky latex, infrequent in Mistbelt grasslands, 1537