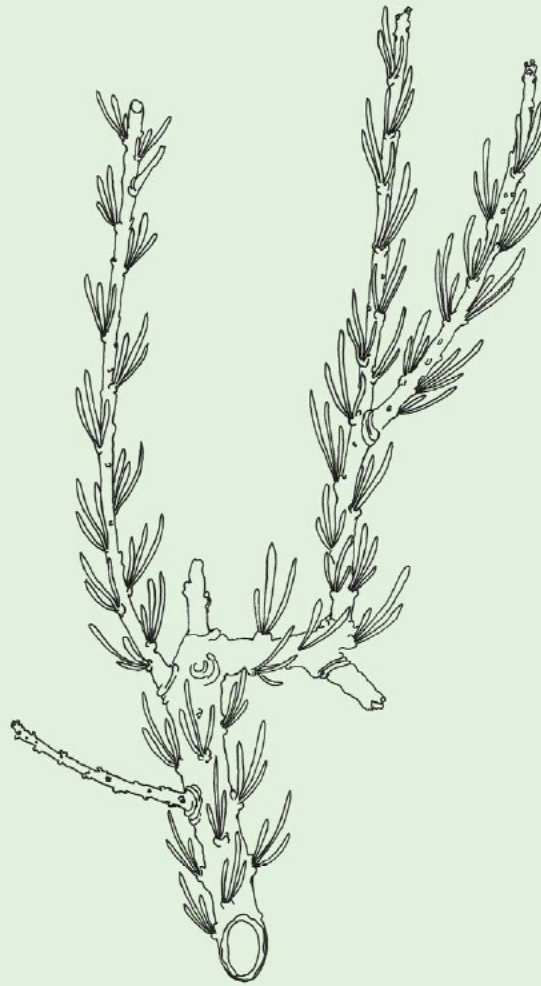


# *Ceraria longipedunculata*

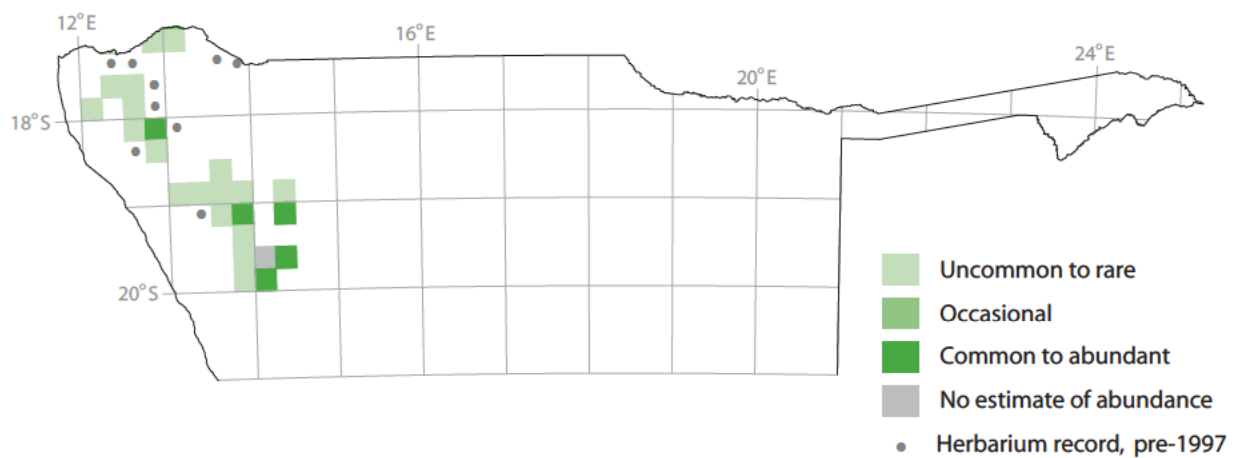
## Kaoko Ceraria

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[42 records from 27 (3%) squares]



Shrub or tree. BARK young branchlets with a reddish to pale brown, waxy covering. LEAVES simple, spirally arranged or clustered on dwarf shoots, sessile; blade linear, cylindrical, succulent, olive-green, hairless. FLOWERS small, pink, in sprays.

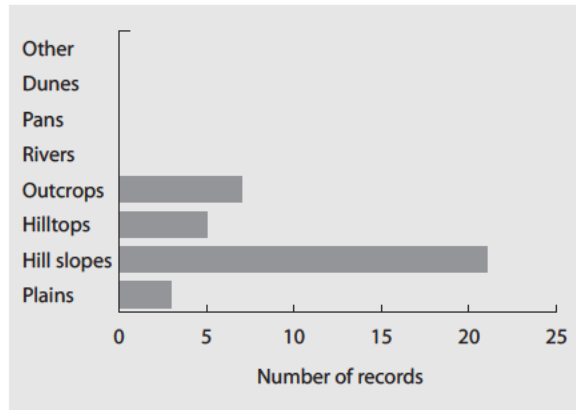


### DISTRIBUTION & ABUNDANCE

Scattered localities in north-western Namibia. Uncommon to rare, occasionally common, once locally abundant (1913BB).

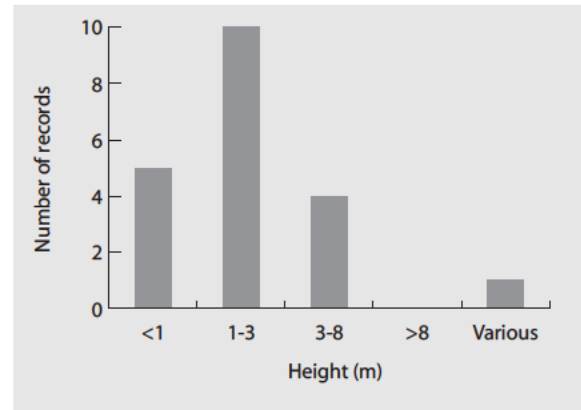
## HABITAT

Mainly stony or rocky hill slopes, but also hilltops and rocky outcrops; once recorded in a wash/drainage (1913BB).



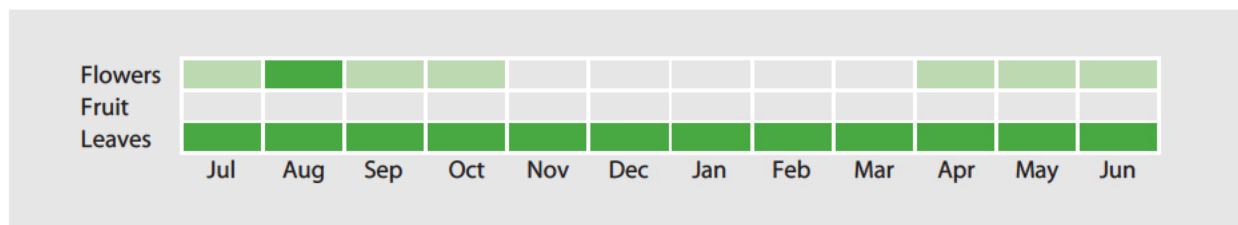
## GROWTH FORM

Usually a shrub or tree up to 3 m high; sometimes a tree over 3 m.



## ANNUAL CYCLE

FLOWERS mainly in August, occasionally April to October. FRUIT none recorded. LEAVES evergreen.



## GENERAL

Of horticultural potential for dry gardens due to its attractive waxy stems and masses of small, pink flowers.

## CONSERVATION CONCERNS

None recorded. Endemic to Namibia.



*Ceraria longipedunculata*, B. Curtis