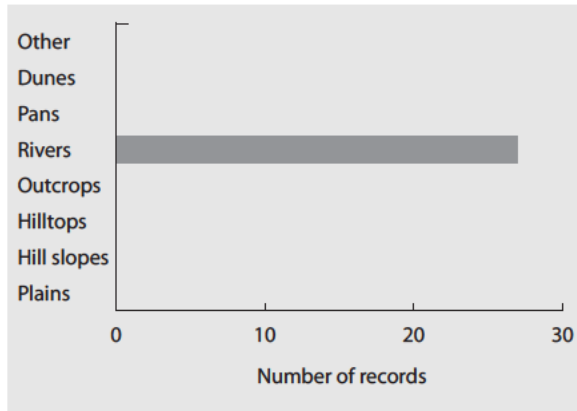


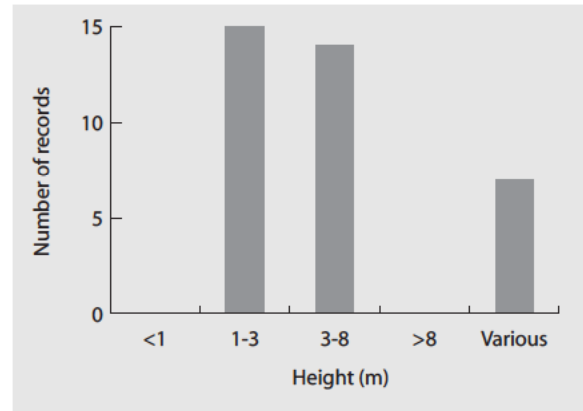
## HABITAT

Mostly found on river banks, also on floodplains in Caprivi; occasionally in dry watercourses.



## GROWTH FORM

A shrubby tree of up to 3 m high along the Kunene River and in the Caprivi. Mostly a tree in the 3–8-m height class along the Okavango River, but sometimes a shrub of less than 3 m.



## ANNUAL CYCLE

FLOWERS October to June, but never many records. FRUIT occasional records from October to June. LEAVES evergreen.

## CONSERVATION CONCERNS

None recorded.

# *Rhus undulata*

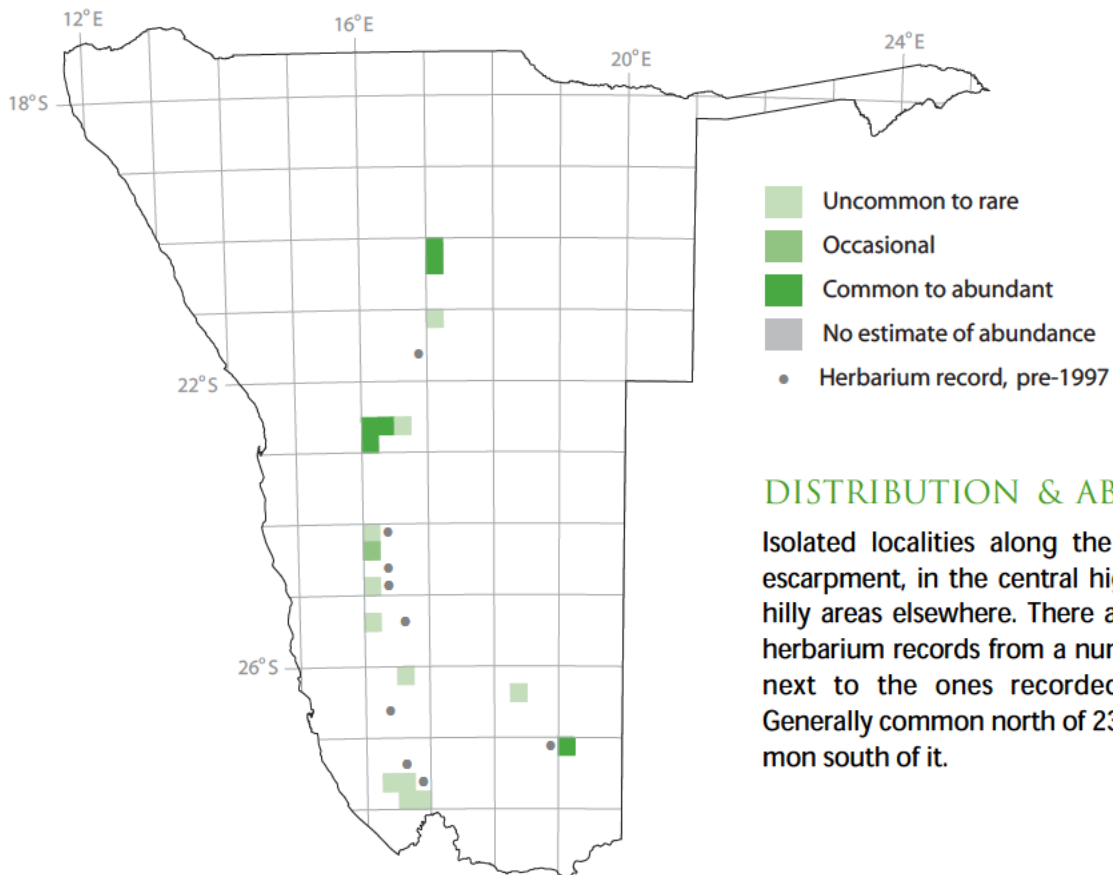
## Kuni Bush

Koeniebos (A); |kuni (K)

[25 records from 18 (2%) squares]

Evergreen, dense shrub. BARK grey-brown; **young branchlets covered in waxy scales; occasionally spiny, especially older branches.** LEAVES **with a shiny, lacquered appearance;** leaflets obovate, small, glandular, sticky; both surfaces dark green. FLOWERS small, star-like, greenish-yellow. FRUIT shiny, green to creamy yellow, but occasionally reddish when ripe.



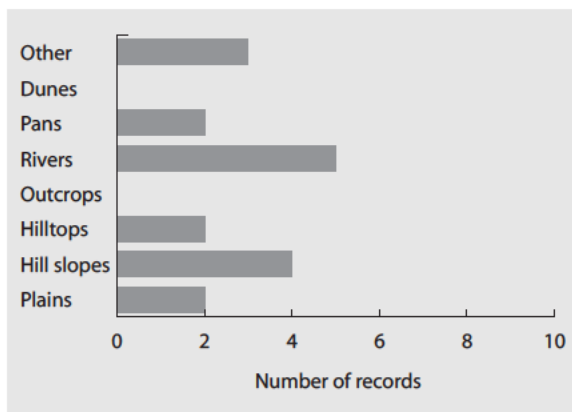


### DISTRIBUTION & ABUNDANCE

Isolated localities along the south-western escarpment, in the central highlands, and in hilly areas elsewhere. There are some earlier herbarium records from a number of squares next to the ones recorded by the TAP. Generally common north of 23° S and uncommon south of it.

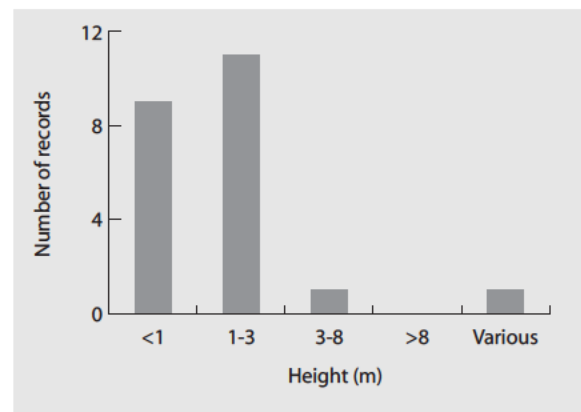
### HABITAT

Various habitats, but mainly found along dry watercourses and on hill slopes. Always on rocky terrain.



### GROWTH FORM

A shrub in the 1–3-m height class, often lower, occasionally higher.



### ANNUAL CYCLE

FLOWERS March, August and December. FRUIT August to November, with old fruit in April. LEAVES apparently evergreen.

### GENERAL

Used medicinally.

### CONSERVATION CONCERNS

Rare in Namibia, but more widespread in South Africa.