



Fockea multiflora, twining stem, P.Tarr

Cordia

Saucer-berry

Namibia (Craven 1999). During the time data were collected for the TAP, the genus underwent a revision and numerous changes were made (Retief, in prep.). As the revision has not yet been completed and published, there is confusion as to which species really do occur in Namibia (Coates Palgrave 2002; Germishuizen & Meyer 2003).

When the TAP was launched, there were four species of *Cordia* listed for Namibia, namely *C. caffra*, *C. monoica*, *C. pilosissima* and *C. sinensis*, with *C. grandicalyx* listed as being of uncertain presence in

From TAP records and Windhoek herbarium specimens, it seems clear that there are three certain species in Namibia, namely *C. grandicalyx*, *C. pilosissima* and *C. sinensis*. All TAP records for *C. monoica* and *C. caffra* have been included under *Cordia* sp.

Cordia grandicalyx

Large-fruit Saucer-berry

[2 records from 2 squares]

A shrub with **large, almost circular, sandpapery** leaves and a **conspicuously large calyx** in the flowers and fruit.

Two TAP records from Kaokoveld reported a rare tree of 3–8 m on a hill slope (SWA3, specimen 122 from 1712BB), and a shrub of just over 1 m high, growing in a slight hollow on a rocky hill slope (CUR1 and HOF1). There are no earlier Windhoek herbarium records, but it is listed in Germishuizen & Meyer (2003) from a specimen housed in the National Herbarium, Pretoria.