

Adapting agriculture to climate change:
collecting, protecting and preparing crop wild relatives

Pakistan



Seed Collecting Guide

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Introduction

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Many individual scientists, herbaria, genebanks and specialist institutes are contributing advice and information to the Project and these guides. The Project aims to collect the wild relatives of 29 key crops, conserve them in genebanks, and prepare them for use in plant improvement programmes to breed new crop varieties adapted to future climates.



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This dataset will be made available for download. Please refer to the website for more information on this dataset.

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How to use this guide

This collecting guide consists of species profiles and information sheets contained within this folder, alongside a CD which contains localities of the taxa in an excel file.

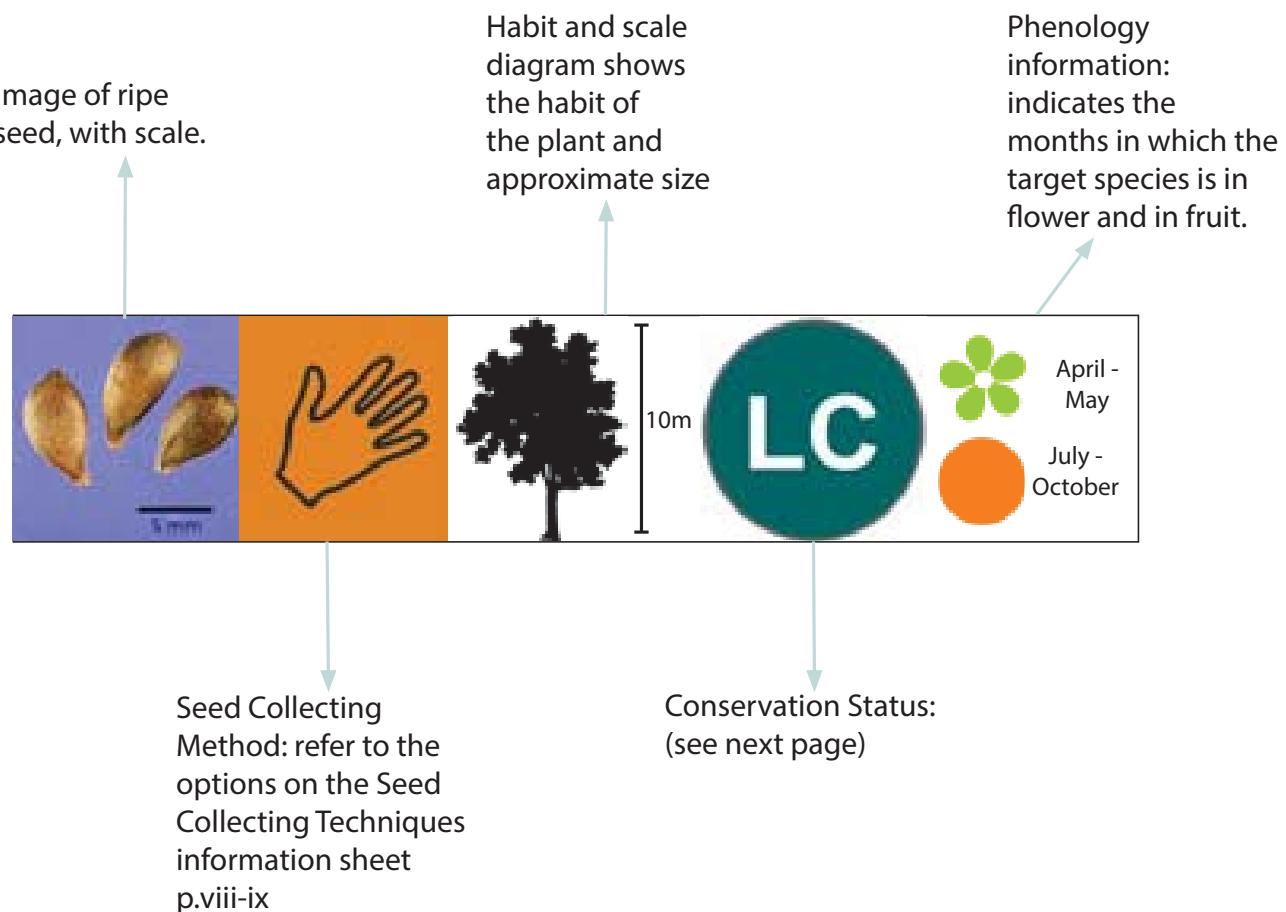
The species included in this guide are a selection of the wild relatives of the 29 key crops which this project covers (African Rice, Alfalfa, Apple, Aubergine, Bambara groundnut, Banana, Barley, Bread Wheat, Butter Bean, Carrot, Chickpea, Common Bean, Cowpea, Faba bean, Finger millet, Grasspea, Lentil, Oat, Pea, Pearl millet, Pigeon pea, Plantain, Potato, Rice, Rye, Sorghum, Sunflower, Sweet potato, Vetch). It is not a definitive guide to the Crop Wild Relatives in this country.

The guides are designed to be used both in the planning of a collecting trip, and also in the field.

At the front of this guide there is a phenology table showing the flowering and fruiting times of all the taxa to indicate which species may be found at a certain time of year, or when to collect target species.

Synonyms for each species are listed in the Appendix at the end of this guide.

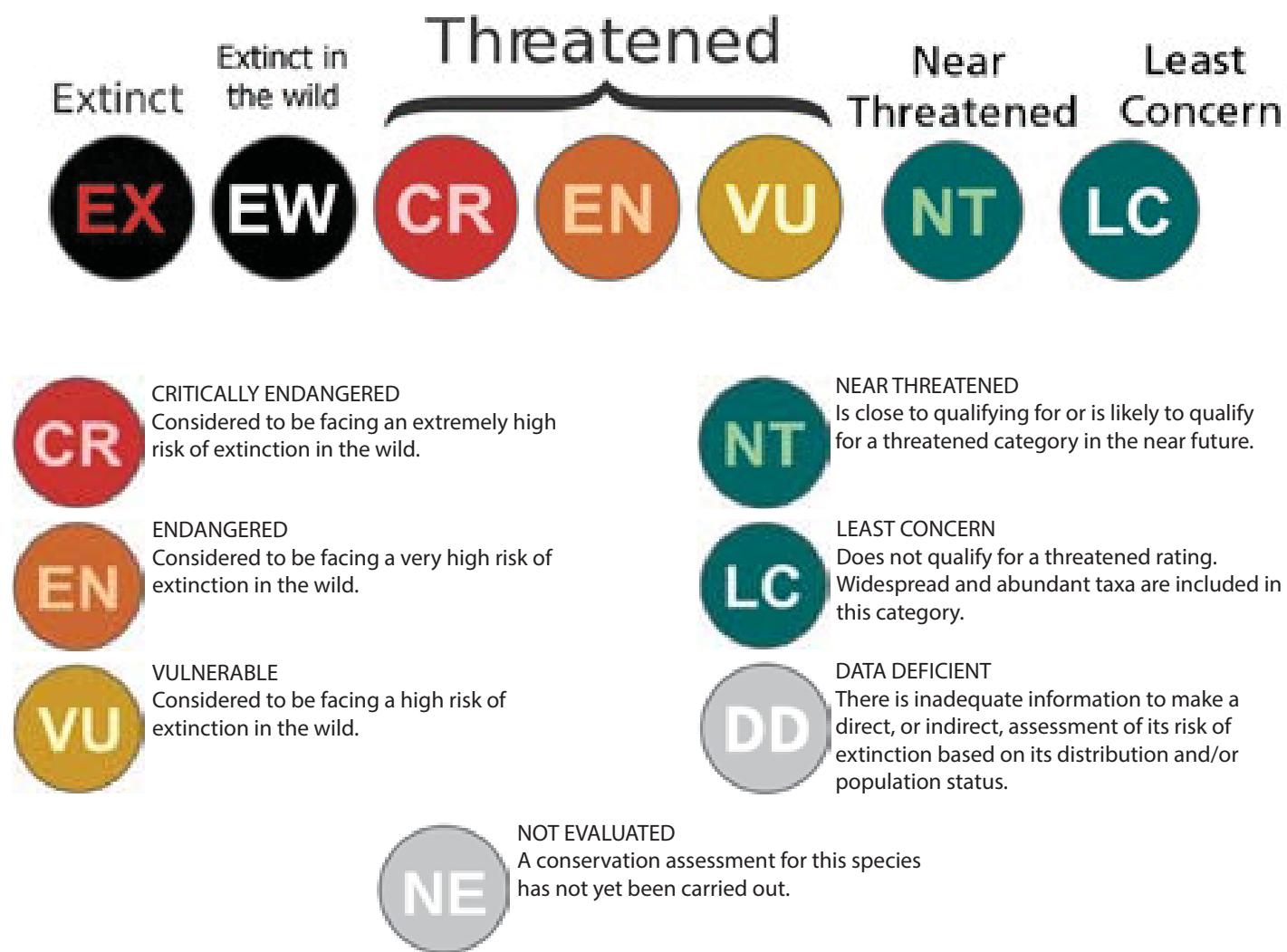
On each species profile, there is a collection of images to help identify the target species, accompanied by a series of symbols :



Conservation Assessments

Conservation Status:

Assessments are completed using 2001 IUCN Red List Categories and Criteria version 3.1 with the following categories:



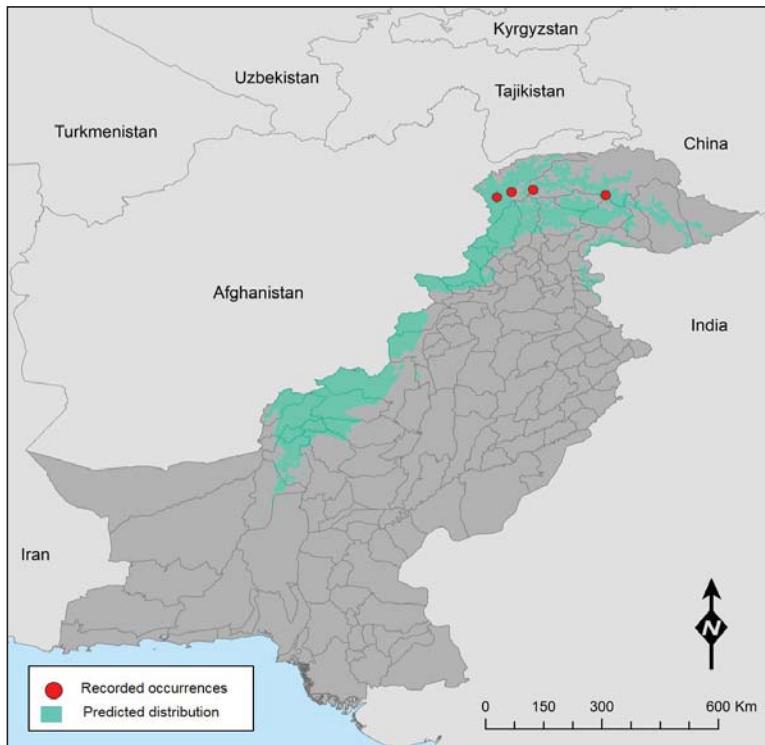
Where a full conservation assessment has not been completed, a preliminary conservation rating may be indicated. Preliminary assessments are produced using specimen locality data and GIS, which calculated two parameters accepted by IUCN as suitable measures of range: namely extent of occurrence (EOO) and area of occupancy (AOO). These values derived for each species are then compared with thresholds set out by IUCN under Criterion B.

Where a preliminary conservation assessment has been calculated this is indicated by the word PRELIM:

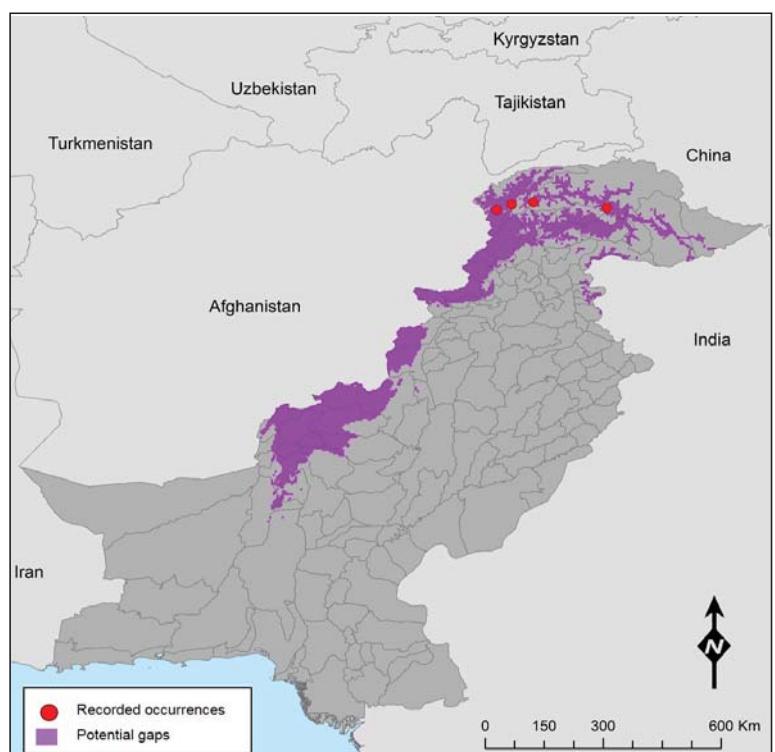


Maps

Two maps are provided for each target species. The first map shows a point distribution of all the known localities of this species based on herbarium specimen records and existing data-sets. The area shaded on this map shows the predicted distribution based on Maxent.



The second map shows the potential gaps in gene bank collections, where seed collections should be targeted.



Useful resources

The following resources are available online, or on the CD which accompanies this guide.

Kew technical information sheets

- Assessing a potential seed collection:

http://www.kew.org/ucm/groups/public/documents/document/ppcont_014343.pdf

- Post-harvest handling of seed collections:

http://www.kew.org/ucm/groups/public/documents/document/ppcont_014345.pdf

Other sheets covering the following topics are available from <http://www.kew.org/science-research-data/kew-in-depth/msbp/publications-data-resources/technical-resources/technical-information-sheets/index.htm>

- Protocol for comparative seed longevity testing
- Measuring seed moisture status using a hygrometer
- Selecting containers for long-term seed storage
- Low-cost monitors of seed moisture status
- Small-scale seed drying methods
- Equilibrating seeds to specific moisture levels
- Identifying desiccation-sensitive seeds
- Seed bank design: seed drying rooms
- Seed bank design: cold rooms for seed storage
- Cleaning seed collections for long-term conservation

ENSCONET seed collecting manual

http://ensconet.maich.gr/PDF/Collecting_protocol_English.pdf

Seed Conservation: turning science into practice

<http://www.kew.org/science-research-data/kew-in-depth/msbp/publications-data-resources/technical-resources/seed-conservation-science-practice/index.htm>

Collecting plant genetic diversity: Technical guidelines (Bioversity)

http://cropgenebank.sgrp.cgiar.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=390&Itemid=557

FAO - Commission on Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture

<http://www.fao.org/nr/cgrfa/en/>

IUCN Red List Categories and Criteria version 3.1

http://www.iucnredlist.org/documents/redlist_cats_crit_en.pdf

e-monocot.org

An online resource for monocot plants.

For more information about the Crop Wild Relatives Project, and to access the Harlan and de Wet Crop Wild Relatives checklist, please visit the website:

www.cwrdiversity.org

Seed Collecting Techniques

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Seed collecting from wild plants requires care, resourcefulness and determination. There are many different collecting techniques. The most appropriate technique will depend on the species, particularly the type of dispersal unit (fleshy fruit, dry fruit, individual seeds etc). This information sheet outlines the manual techniques most commonly used to make seed collections of adequate quality and quantity, for long term conservation.

Hand picking of whole fruits

The most basic and flexible of techniques, hand picking or plucking, has many benefits. Consider though, if you can use a more efficient technique.



Plucking is particularly suitable when:

- target fruits can easily be selected by eye (e.g. due to colour or texture change of fruit coat, or swelling of fruit);
- non-target (e.g. immature or damaged) fruit cannot be excluded from the collection by more efficient techniques;
- fruits are easily accessible and collectors can tie buckets or similar containers around the waist, releasing both hands for collecting;
- collecting many-seeded fleshy or dry indehiscent fruits; and
- making small seed collections.

Pruning clusters of fruit

This technique is typically used to collect tree seeds. Cut groups or clusters of fruits using secateurs or tree pruners. Assess for ripeness and damage before adding seeds to the collection.

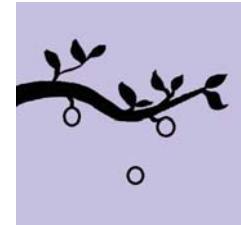


This is a very effective technique when:

- seed is clustered at the distal (terminal) parts of branches;
- the species is abundant and a small associated loss of branch and foliage is acceptable;
- seed is beyond reach of the collectors and has to be obtained using tree pruners.

Shaking branches

Careful shaking of branches will sometimes dislodge the best available seed, which can be collected in buckets or on a tarpaulin held or spread out beneath the plant. Start with gentle taps, and carefully check each sample of seed dislodged. Light shaking will often dislodge fully ripe fruits and seeds, leaving immature, poorly developed and damaged seeds to be retained on the parent plant. Too-heavy beating of branches may cause damage to the tree, and may also dislodge other plant material and associated insects, necessitating additional cleaning of the collection.



Shaking branches may be useful when collecting:

- dehiscent fruits with medium large seeds;
- seeds with irritant plumes (e.g. Cercocarpus of the Rosaceae);
- spiny trees such as Prosopis (Fabaceae);
- on level, open terrain suitable for tarpaulin use.

This technique may not be suitable for light, plumed seed from Bombacaceae and Asclepiadaceae, which may be carried away by air currents.



ABOVE: Stripping seed heads may be appropriate for grasses
Credit: Global Crop Diversity Trust/Brittia Skagerfalt

Stripping entire seed-heads

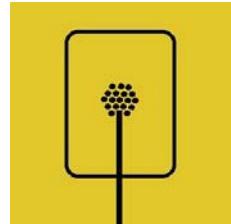
This is a popular technique for collecting seed from grasses and may be suitable for other species with erect infructescences (seedheads). Grasp the seedheads at the base with a gloved hand and slide the hand upwards, dislodging many or all of the seeds. This technique may introduce a proportion of immature seeds into the collection. Such seeds might need further postharvest ripening which can be time consuming and is best avoided.

The stripping technique is most suitable for:

- dense, mono-specific stands of target species with no weed or other species present; and
- infructescences which are completely and consistently at the natural dispersal stage.

Bagging seed-heads

If there is frequent access to the collecting site, and if seeds would otherwise be lost, fix a well-tied mesh bag loosely over pre-dispersal seed heads. Seeds are captured as soon as they are shed, and can be periodically removed. This has been successfully used on a small scale, e.g. for collecting *Fouquieria* sp.



Collecting from the ground

You will frequently find seeds on the ground below trees or shrubs, but they will often be damaged by pests or pathogens. The seeds may have been on the ground for several months, and could even date from the previous year. Such seed will have aged and life-span in storage will be reduced. Inspect the seed carefully, noting any variation in the fruit, seed coat and internal tissues.



In general, only collect from the ground when:

- the parent tree(s) can be determined without doubt;
- you are certain that you are collecting recently dispersed seeds;
- seeds have not suffered significant damage from pests or pathogens; and
- other techniques or collecting options are unsuitable.



Collecting fleshy fruits

- Collect fleshy fruits directly into strong plastic bags or tubs with as much air as possible.
- Pack the bags in a rigid plastic container to ensure that the fruits are not squashed and help prevent them getting too hot and fermenting during transit.
- You may need to remove the seeds from fleshy fruits either during or immediately after the field trip.



ABOVE Collecting small seeds into paper bags
Credit: Ruth Harker/ RBG Kew

Containers

Collect into buckets, cloth or paper bags, and check each person's sample carefully before combining into a single population collection.

Using buckets has the advantage of allowing you to monitor the quality of the collection whilst associated insects disperse freely.

Place collections of dry, ripe seed into cloth or paper bags for transit. Store any awned seed or hooked fruit, that would damage or get stuck in cotton bags, in cardboard boxes or strong paper bags. Never collect or store seeds in plastic bags.

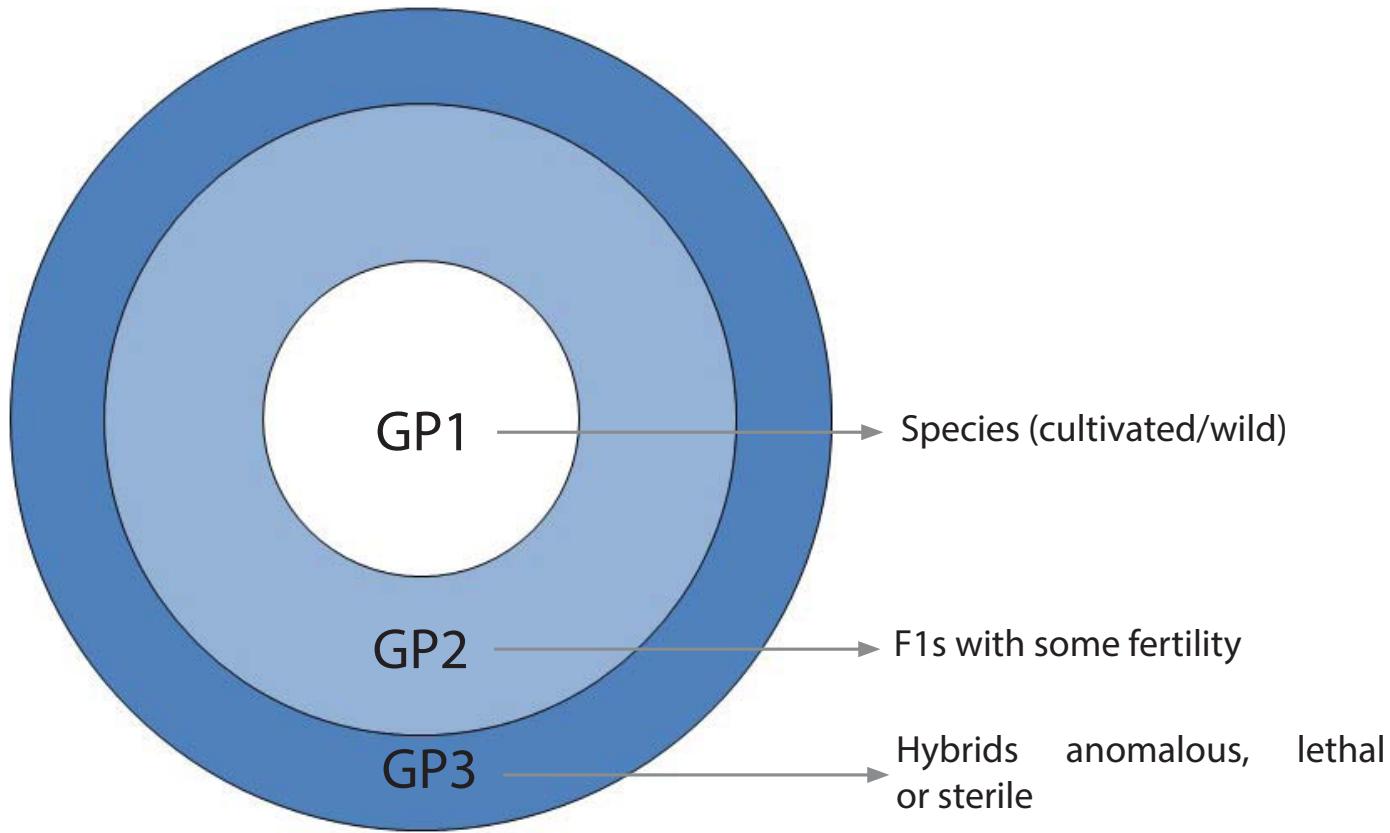
Label all seed containers inside and out with a unique collection number, and seal them securely. It is best to prepare sufficient labels before filling the containers.

How we define crop wild relatives

Each target species in this guide is a wild relative of a crop. On each species profile it is indicated how closely related the target species is to the crop using either the Gene Pool concept or the Taxon Group concept. Species more closely related to the crop are higher priorities for collecting.

Gene Pool Concept

Harlan and de Wet, 1971



Taxon Group Concept

Maxted et al. 2006

Taxon Group 1 – cultivated/wild form of the crop

Taxon Group 2 – species in same series/section as crop

Taxon Group 3 – species in same subgenus as crop

Harlan, J. and J. de Wet (1971). Towards a rational classification of cultivated plants. *Taxon* 20: 509-517.

Maxted, N., B.V. Ford-Lloyd, S.L. Jury, S.P. Kell and M.A. Scholten (2006). Towards a definition of a crop wild relative. *Biodiversity and Conservation* 14: 1-13.

Identification Keys

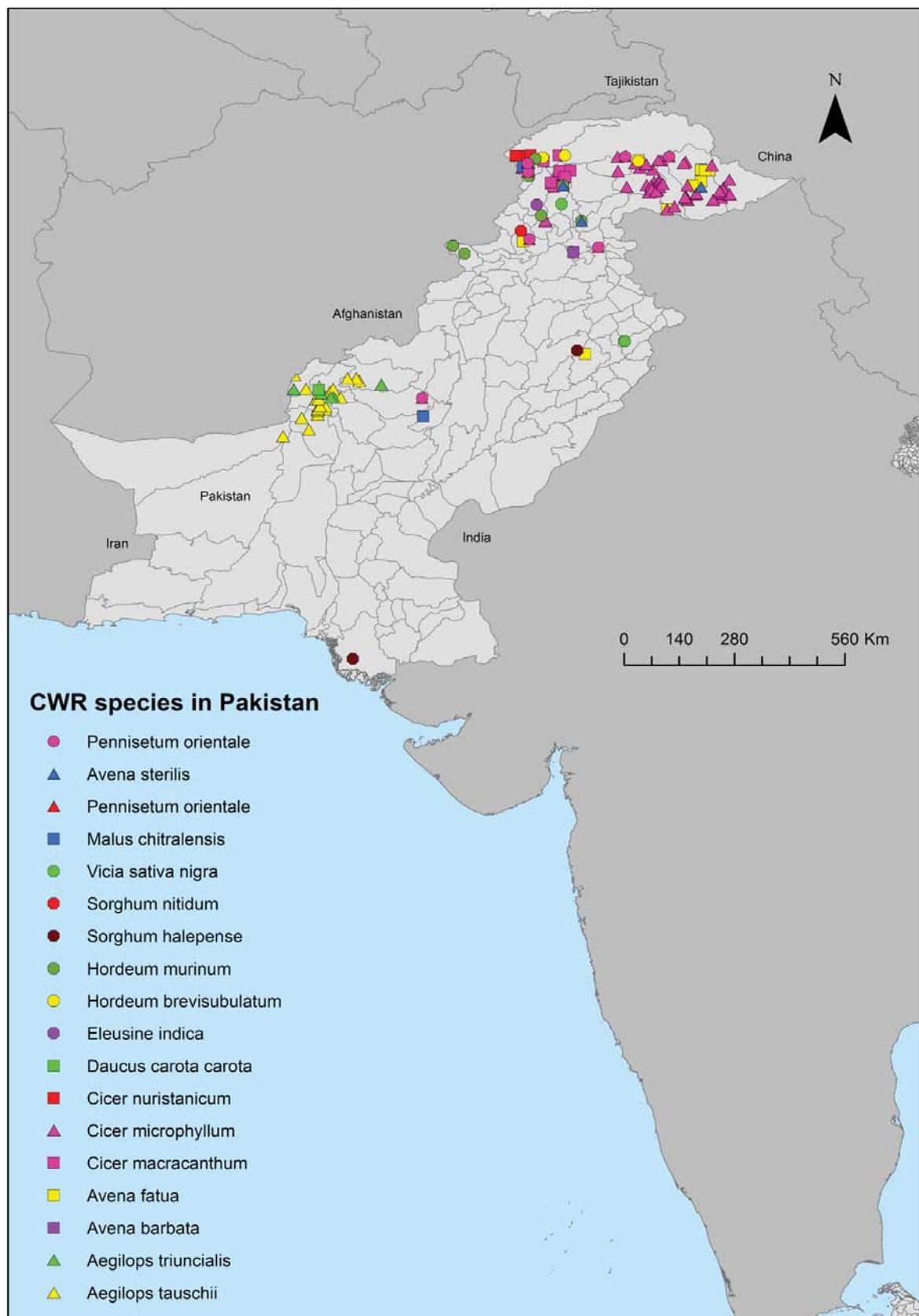
Interactive identification keys can be accessed using the links below.

Kew Grassbase interactive identification key

<http://www.kew.org/data/grasses-db/ident.htm>

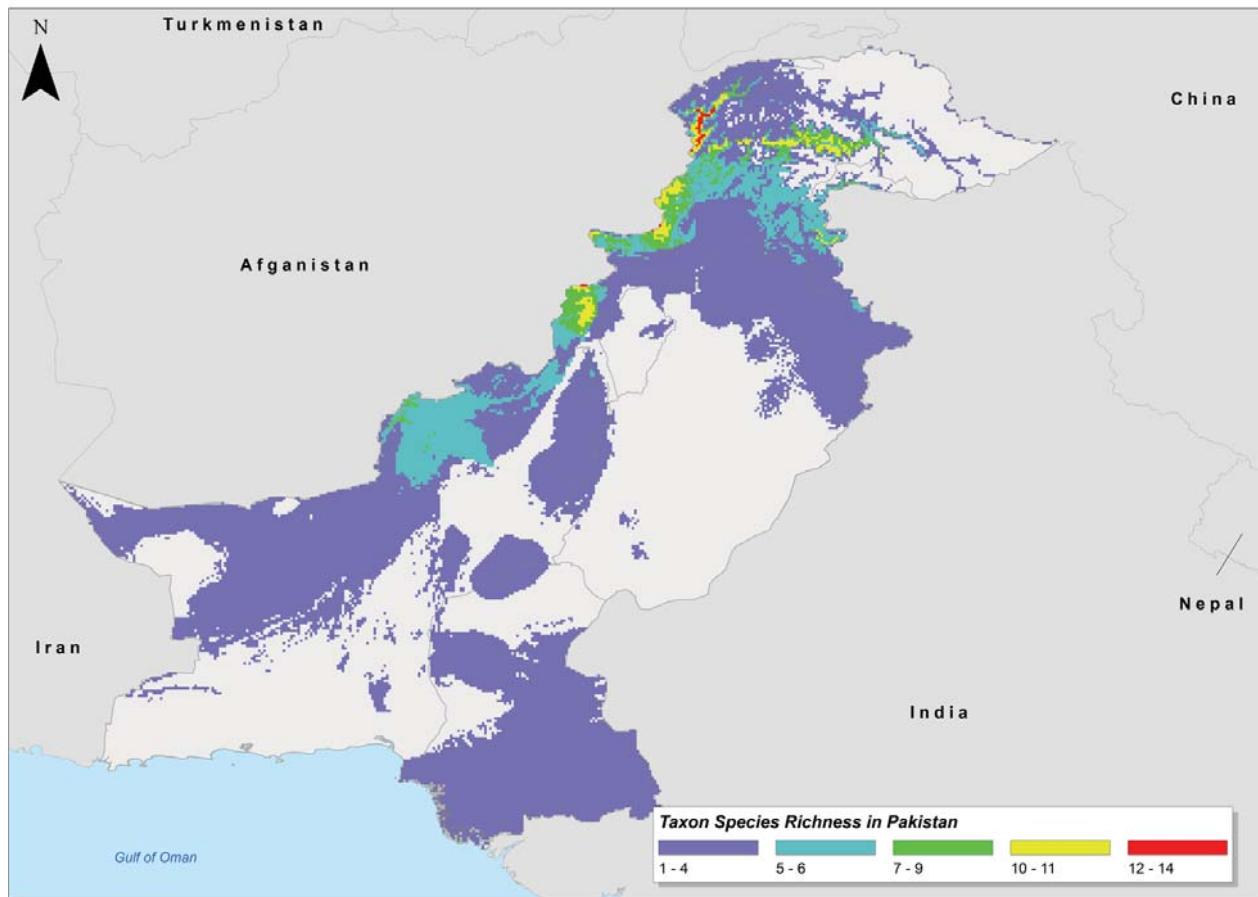
Country Maps

Occurrences of all taxa in this guide, as a point distribution

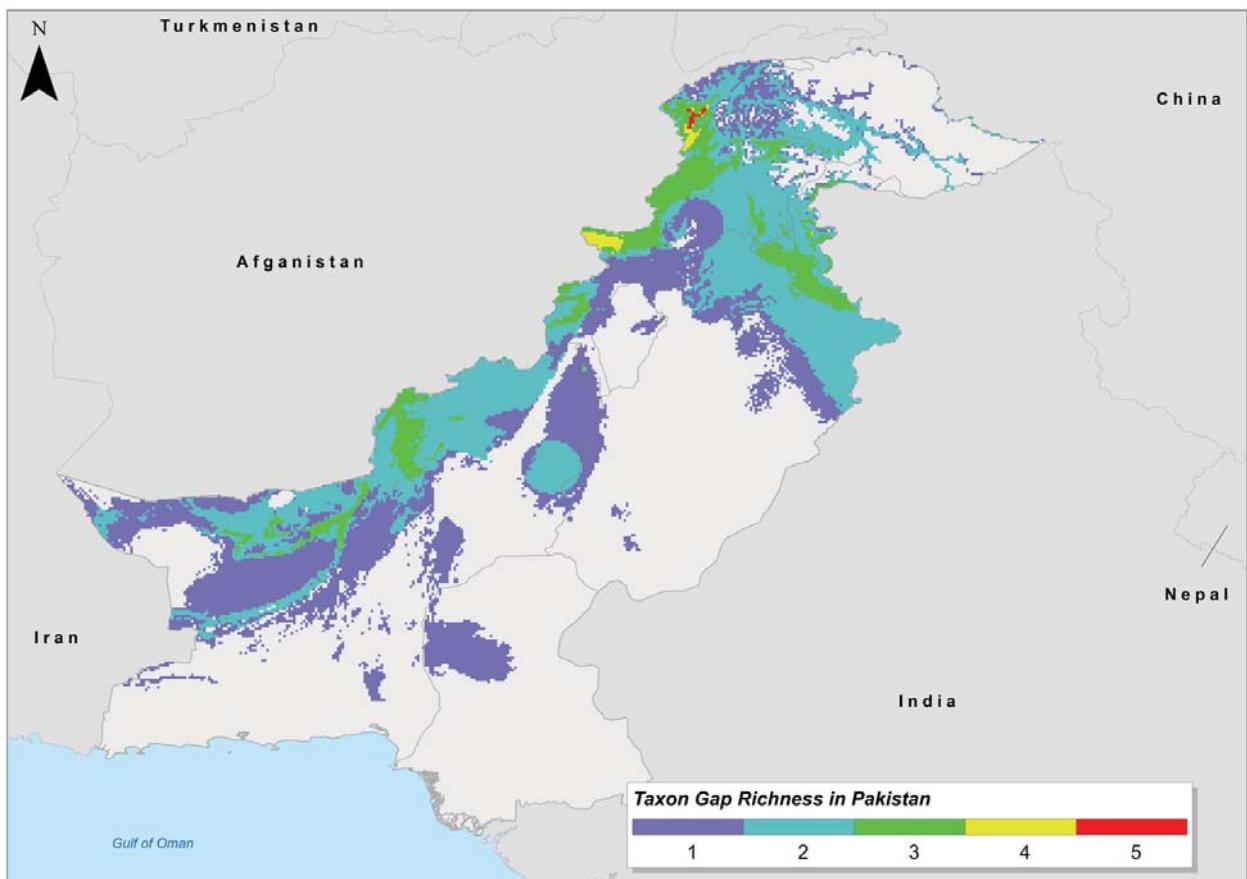


Country maps

Species richness



Gap richness



Species in this guide

Species profiles are arranged alphabetically by family and taxon.

Family	Taxon	Genepool	Collection Priority	Sheet
Apiaceae	<i>Daucus carota</i> subsp. <i>carota</i>	Carrot	Low	1
Convolvulaceae	<i>Ipomoea cairica</i>	Sweet Potato	Low	2
Leguminosae	<i>Cajanus crassus</i>	Pigeon pea	Low	3
Leguminosae	<i>Cajanus mollis</i>	Pigeon pea	Low	4
Leguminosae	<i>Cajanus platycarpus</i>	Pigeon pea	Low	5
Leguminosae	<i>Cajanus scarabaeoides</i>	Pigeon pea	Low	6
Leguminosae	<i>Cicer acanthophyllum</i>	Chickpea	Low	7
Leguminosae	<i>Cicer macracanthum</i>	Chickpea	Low	8
Leguminosae	<i>Cicer microphyllum</i>	Chickpea	Low	9
Leguminosae	<i>Cicer nuristanicum</i>	Chickpea	Low	10
Leguminosae	<i>Lathyrus hirsutus</i>	Grasspea	Low	11
Leguminosae	<i>Lens culinaris</i> subsp. <i>orientalis</i>	Lentil	Low	12
Leguminosae	<i>Medicago sativa</i> subsp. <i>falcata</i>	Alfalfa	High	13
Leguminosae	<i>Vicia sativa</i> subsp. <i>nigra</i>	Vetch	Low	14
Poaceae	<i>Aegilops cylindrica</i>	Wheat	Low	15
Poaceae	<i>Aegilops tauschii</i>	Wheat	Low	16
Poaceae	<i>Aegilops triuncialis</i> var. <i>triuncialis</i>	Wheat	Low	17
Poaceae	<i>Avena barbata</i>	Oat	Low	18

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Poaceae	<i>Avena fatua</i>	Oat	Low	19
Poaceae	<i>Avena hybrida</i>	Oat	Low	20
Poaceae	<i>Avena sterilis</i>	Oat	Low	21
Poaceae	<i>Avena trichophylla</i>	Oat	Low	22
Poaceae	<i>Eleusine indica</i>	Finger millet	High	23
Poaceae	<i>Hordeum bogdanii</i>	Barley	Low	24
Poaceae	<i>Hordeum brevisubultum</i>	Barley	High	25
Poaceae	<i>Hordeum marinum</i>	Barley	Low	26
Poaceae	<i>Hordeum murinum</i>	Barley	Low	27
Poaceae	<i>Ochthochloa compressa</i>	Finger millet	Low	28
Poaceae	<i>Oryza coarctata</i>	Rice	Low	29
Poaceae	<i>Pennisetum orientale</i>	Pearl millet	High	30
Poaceae	<i>Secale cereale</i> subsp.	Rye	High	31
Poaceae	<i>Sorghum halepense</i>	Sorghum	High	32
Poaceae	<i>Sorghum nitidum</i>	Sorghum	High	33
Poaceae	<i>Thinopyrum intermedium</i>	Wheat	Low	34
Rosaceae	<i>Malus chitralensis</i>	Apple	High	35
Solanaceae	<i>Solanum insanum</i>	Eggplant	Low	36
Solanaceae	<i>Solanum virginianum</i>	Eggplant	Low	37

Phenology table

The figure displays a phylogenetic tree with a grid overlay. The columns represent months from JAN to DEC. The rows represent different plant taxa. Colored bars indicate specific periods for each taxon:

- Daucus carota subsp. carota**: Green bar (JAN-MAR), orange bar (APR-JUN).
- Ipomoea cairica**: Green bar (JAN-MAR), orange bar (APR-JUN).
- Cajanus coryza**: Green bar (JAN-MAR), orange bar (APR-JUN).
- Cajanus mollis**: Green bar (JAN-MAR), orange bar (APR-JUN).
- Cajanus platycarpus**: Green bar (JAN-MAR), orange bar (APR-JUN).
- Cajanus scarabaeoides**: Green bar (JAN-MAR), orange bar (APR-JUN).
- Cicer acanthophyllum**: Light blue bar (JUL-DEC).
- Cicer macracanthum**: Light blue bar (JUL-DEC).
- Cicer microphyllum**: Light blue bar (JUL-DEC).
- Cicer nuristanicum**: Light blue bar (JUL-DEC).
- Lathyrus hirsutus**: Light blue bar (JUL-DEC).
- Lens culinaris subsp. orientalis**: Light blue bar (JUL-DEC).
- Medicago sativa subsp. falcata**: Light blue bar (JUL-DEC).

Phenology table

Taxon	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
<i>Vicia sativa</i> subsp. <i>nigra</i>	Green	Orange	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
<i>Aegilops cylindrica</i>			Green	Orange	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
<i>Aegilops tauschii</i>			Green	Orange	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
<i>Aegilops triuncialis</i> var. <i>triuncialis</i>			Green	Orange	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
<i>Avena barbata</i>			Green	Orange	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
<i>Avena fatua</i>			Green	Orange	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
<i>Avena hybrida</i>			Green	Orange	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
<i>Avena sterilis</i>			Green	Orange	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
<i>Avena trichophylla</i>						Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
<i>Eleusine indica</i>						Green	Orange	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
<i>Hordeum bogdani</i>						Green	Orange	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
<i>Hordeum brevisubulatum</i>						Green	Orange	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
<i>Hordeum marinum</i>						Green	Orange	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green

Phenology table

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<i>Hordeum murinum</i>												
<i>Ochthochloa compressa</i>												
<i>Oryza coarctata</i>												
<i>Pennisetum orientale</i>												
<i>Secale cereale</i> subsp. <i>afghanicum</i>												
<i>Sorghum halepense</i>												
<i>Sorghum nitidum</i>												
<i>Thinopyrum intermedium</i>												
<i>Malus chitralensis</i>												
<i>Solanum insanum</i>												
<i>Solanum virginianum</i>												

KEY



Data gathered from literature and herbarium specimens

HABIT: Biennial, 1st year plants composed of a rosette of leaves, 2nd year plants bolting to 120 cm.

LEAVES: Basal leaves oblong, 2-3-pinnate/pinnatisect, ultimate segments linear to lanceolate, 2-15 × 0.5-4 mm, glabrous to hispid especially on the veins and margins, apex acute, mucronate.

INFLORESCENCE: Solitary, compound umbels on long peduncle, flat-topped or slightly domed. Each inflorescence has 20-90 umbelllets, each umbelllet has 15-60 flowers. Peduncles 10-55 cm, retrorsely hispid, bracts foliaceous, pinnate, rarely entire, lobes linear, 3-30 mm, margins scarious, rays 2-7.5 cm, unequal, bracteoles 5-7, linear, entire or 2-3-lobed, more or less scarious and ciliate, equalling or exceeding flowers.

FLOWER: 2-3 mm across, petals white, sometimes yellow or pinkish.

FRUIT: 2-seeded schizocarps, about 3-4 mm long by 2 mm wide, ellipsoid, slightly flattened, bristly. At fruiting stage umbel folds inwards into a more-or-less spheroid shape.

Habitat:

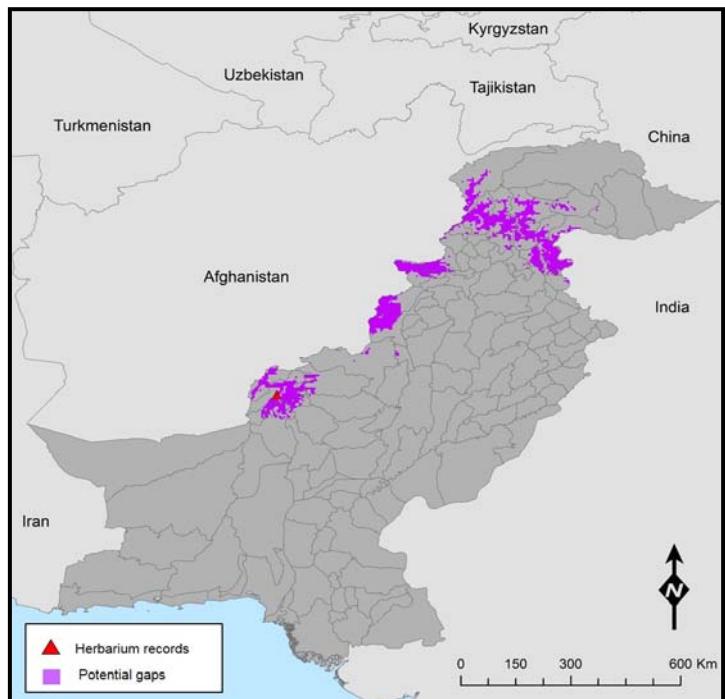
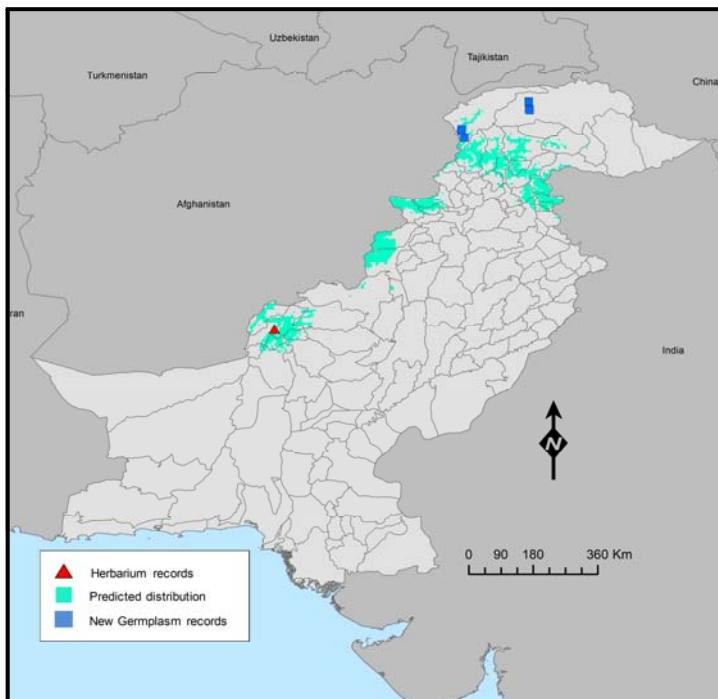
Mountain slopes, ruderal areas.

Distribution:

Worldwide in temperate regions.

Altitude: 0 - 3000 m

<i>Daucus carota subsp. carota</i>	May be confused with: <i>Daucus carota subsp. sativa</i>
Taproot slender, branched, woody, not fleshy, usually brown. Wild carrots often have one dark purplish sterile flower at the centre of the umbel.	Taproot thickened, elongate terete or clavate, fleshy, reddish, reddish-yellow, or yellow.



References: Flora of China, Volume 14, p205 via www.efloras.org
http://www.efloras.org/florataxon.aspx?flora_id=2&taxon_id=200015518

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Primary Gene Pool relative of *Daucus carota* L.

Daucus carota subsp. *carota* L.

Queen Anne's Lace



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Wild relative of sweet potato

Morning glory, Mile-a-minute vine

HABIT: Perennial herb with twining and trailing stems, reaching up to 5 m. Roots tuberous and plant rooting at nodes. Plants hairless.

LEAVES: Round in outline, 3-10 cm long and wide, deeply 5-segmented with basal segments often lobed; leaf stalk 2-6 cm long.

INFLORESCENCE: Axillary, 1-3 flowered.

FLOWER: Corolla fused, funnel-shaped, 3.5-6 cm long, 6-8 cm wide, violet (rarely white), with darker violet hairless mid-petal bands, throat usually darker. Stamens and style included in flower tube. Calyx 0.4-0.8 cm long.

FRUIT: An almost globe-shaped capsule, 9-12 mm wide, with 2 chambers, splitting into 4 valves, contains up to 4 seeds.

SEEDS: Dark brown to black, 5-6 mm long, flattened ovoid, hairy with pale brown long hairs on outer ridges.

Habitat:

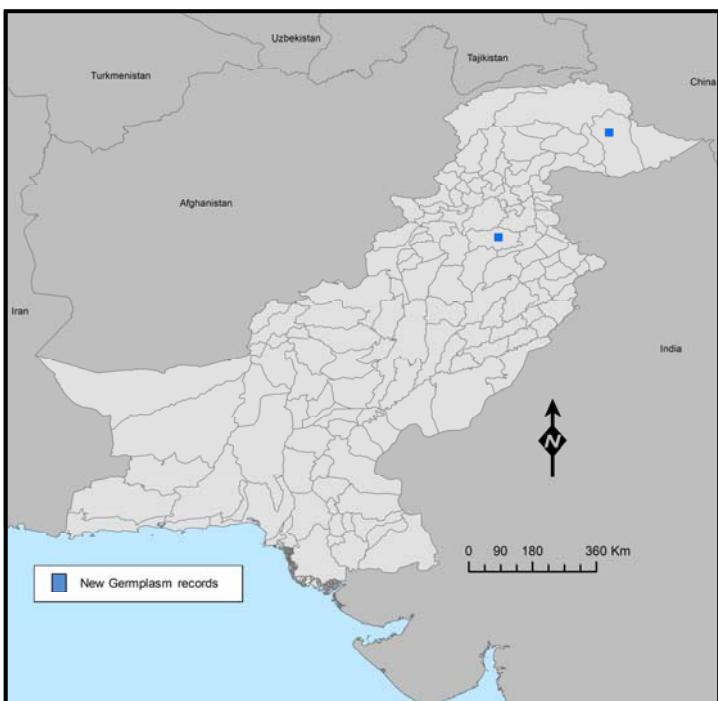
A common inhabitant of swampy grassland, riverine edges and roadsides, where it may cover extensive areas.

Distribution:

Throughout tropical Africa; also from the eastern Mediterranean region through Asia to Taiwan.

Altitude: Up to 1650 m

<i>Ipomoea cairica</i>	May be confused with: <i>Ipomoea batatas</i>
Deeply 5(-7)-lobed leaves. 	Leaves entire. 



All populations priority for collection

References: Hyde, M.A., Wursten, B.T., Ballings, P. & Dondeyne, S. (2013). Flora of Mozambique: Species information: *Ipomoea cairica* var. *cairica*. http://www.mozambiqueflora.com/speciesdata/species.php?species_id=147580, retrieved 22 May 2013; Thorp, J.R., Wilson, M, Weeds Australia - www.weeds.org.au

CONVOLVULACEAE

Wild relative of sweet potato

Ipomoea cairica (L.) Sweet

Morning glory, Mile-a-minute vine



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BT Wursten/ Flora of Mozambique website



BT Wursten/ Flora of Mozambique website

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PLANTS Database



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Tertiary Gene Pool relative of *Cajanus cajan* (L.) Millsp.

HABIT: Perennial climbers, supported by trees. Branches brownish pubescent (hairs very short), terete, firm, length up to 10 m. Stipules minute, ca 1 mm, triangular, caducous.

LEAVES: Pinnately trifoliolate, petiole 4-11 cm, rachis 0.3-1 cm. Leaflets coriaceous, thick, lower surface brownish pubescent, also on the thick prominent ribs, glandular-punctate, upper surface dark green, thinly puberulous especially on the veins; top leaflet subtrapezoid, acuminate, 3.5-10 cm long, 3-9.5 cm wide, below the middle narrowing to the rounded or cordate base, apex acuminate-cuspidate, side leaflets obliquely so, 3.5-10 cm long, 2.5-7.5 cm wide, petiolules 2-3 mm.

INFLORESCENCE: Racemes crowded, 3-6 cm, up to ca 20 flowers, 1-2 flowers per node.

FLOWER: Corolla yellow, marcescent, pedicels 4-10 mm, in fruit firm. Bracts large, elliptic-ovate, apex obtuse, fringed or acute, 10-15 mm long, 6-12 mm wide, thinly pubescent, caducous. Calyx pubescent (interior also), tube 4-6 mm, teeth triangular, shorter than the tube.

FRUIT: Pods sturdy, oblong, ends rounded acuminate, 2.5-5 cm long, 0.8-1.4 cm wide, (4)-5-6 seeds, shortly puberulous, sticky, transverse depressions oblique or straight, deep when fully developed.

SEEDS: Rectangular-rounded, ca. 4-5 mm long and wide, 3 mm thick, black with cream mosaic, or cream, strophiole 1 x 2.5 mm, divided, yellowish white.

Habitat:

Climber in trees of dry forests (sal, teak, pine) or shrub vegetation, along streams or on dry soils, on alluvium, loam schists, granite rocks.

Distribution:

China, Papua New Guinea, Southcentral and Southeastern Asia.

Altitude: 0 - 800 m

<i>Cajanus crassus</i>	May be confused with: <i>Cajanus goensis</i>
End of pod rounded acuminate.	Apex of pod beaked. 

Reported from Pakistan
but no localities known

All populations priority for
collection

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Tertiary Gene Pool relative of *Cajanus cajan* (L.) Millsp.



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HABIT: Vines, woody, twining, densely villous. Stems longitudinally ribbed.

LEAVES: Pinnately 3-foliate, stipules lanceolate, 2-3 mm, deciduous; petiole 1-2.5(-5) cm, petiolules extremely short; leaflets papery to thickly papery, both surfaces pubescent, denser abaxially and with rosin-like glands. Terminal leaflet obovate-rhomboid, 4-7 × 2-4.5 cm, base rounded to obtuse, apex acuminate, basal veins 3. Lateral leaflets slightly smaller, obliquely ovate, 4-7 × 2-4.5 cm.

INFLORESCENCE: Raceme axillary, robust, 3.5-6 cm, bracts large, ovate, to 1.7 cm, membranous, exterior with several longitudinal striae and rosin-like glands, clothed with micro-villous hairs, deciduous, pedicels 3-7 mm, hairy.

FLOWER: Calyx campanulate, 5-lobed, lobes lanceolate, unequal, upper 2 nearly connate, sparsely pubescent. Corolla yellow, ca. 1.5 cm, persistent, standard obovate-circular, with inflexed auricles on each side, wings oblong, slightly shorter than standard, keels subequal to wings, with auricles, apex curved. Ovary densely pubescent, style filiform, apex curved.

FRUIT: Pod oblong, inflated, 4-7 × 0.8-1 cm, hairy, transversely constricted between seeds.

SEEDS: 8-10, ellipsoidal to oblong, ca. 3 mm in diameter, strophiole thick and succulent.

Habitat:

Climbing in pine or broadleaf forest, scrub vegetation.

Distribution:

Himalaya foothills from Pakistan to Sikkim and Bhutan.

Altitude: 700 - 2100 m

<i>Cajanus mollis</i>	May be confused with: <i>Cajanus crassus</i>
Grey downy non reticulate leaves beneath, top leaflet longer than broad, and 8-10 seeded pods.	More sparsely brown pubescent reticulate leaves beneath, top leaflet almost as long as broad, and 3-5 seeded pods.

Reported from Pakistan
but no localities known

All populations priority for collection

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Tertiary Gene Pool relative of *Cajanus cajan* (L.) Millsp.

HABIT: Usually annual, creeping or trailing, stems 0.2-1 m long. Branches sparsely pubescent, internodes 1-15 cm long. Stipules lanceolate, caducous, 3-6 mm long.

LEAVES: Pinnately trifoliolate, petiole up to 10 cm long, petiolules 2-3 mm long, terminal leaflet often reduced in size. Leaflets membranous, thinly pubescent above, faintly glandular below. Terminal leaflet ovate to obicular, other leaflets ovate, 3-8 cm long, 3-7.5 cm wide, base truncate to subcordate, apex acuminate.

INFLORESCENCE: Racemes lax, up to 5-flowered, peduncle 0.5-8 cm long, pedicels 8-12 mm, recurved.

FLOWER: Calyx pubescent with yellow hairs, tube 3-5 mm long; corolla yellow, sometimes with purple veins or dots, standard clawed at the base, biauriculate, 12-15 mm long; lateral petals auriculate at base, 11-13 mm long; stamens fused for 3/4 of their length, curved upwards; ovary densely covered with long hairs, ovules 5-7.

FRUIT: Pod flat-oblong, 2-4.5 cm long by 1-1.5 cm wide, when young speckled and reddish, with sparse, caducous, pale hairs, tip of style persistent.

SEEDS: 4-6 mm long, 2.5 mm thick, rectangular-rounded, brown to almost black, strophiole large, 1 mm by 3 mm, horseshoe-shaped.

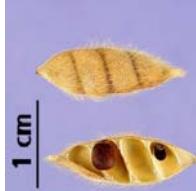
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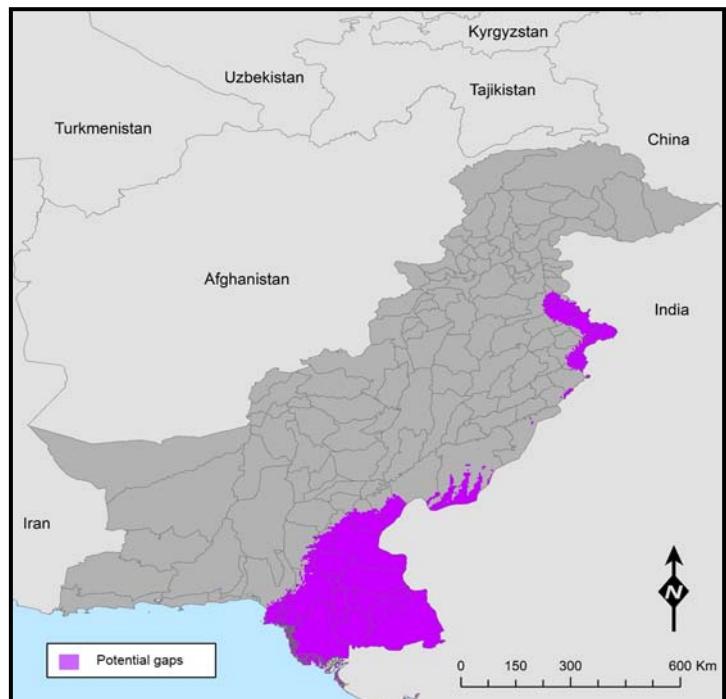
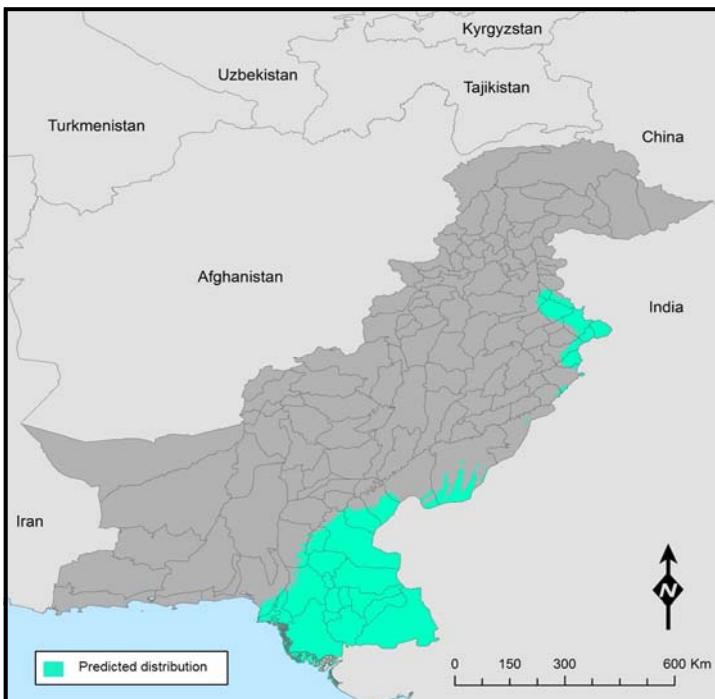
Usually associated with grasses, in grasslands, roadsides, pine forests and in crops.

Distribution:

Northwest and central India, Nepal, Pakistan, Java.

Altitude: 50 - 2600 m

<i>Cajanus platycarpus</i>	May be confused with: <i>Cajanus scarabaeoides</i>
Annual creepers; leaflets larger (3-8 cm long), ovate; pods broad (1-1.5 cm wide), flattened in cross section, papery. 	Perennial creepers or twiners; leaflets small (1.2-4 cm long), elliptic to obovate; pods narrow (0.4-0.6 cm wide), slightly rounded in cross-section. 



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Tertiary Gene Pool relative of *Cajanus cajan* (L.) Millsp.



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Secondary Gene Pool relative of *Cajanus cajan* (L.) Millsp.

HABIT: Perennial, woody, creepers or twiners, stems to 2 m. Stems slender, ± pubescent.

LEAVES: Pinnately 3-foliolate; stipules small, ovate, hairy, usually deciduous; petiole 1-2 cm; stipels absent; petiolules extremely short; leaflets papery or nearly leathery, with glandular spots, sparsely pubescent on both surfaces, denser abaxially, basal veins 3, obviously convex below; terminal leaflet elliptic or obovate-elliptic to obovate, 1.2-4 × 0.8-1.5(-3) cm, apex obtuse or rounded; lateral leaflets smaller, obliquely elliptic to obliquely obovate.

INFLORESCENCE: Raceme axillary, usually less than 2 cm, 1-5-flowered; peduncle 2-5 mm, densely brown to dull brown villous.

FLOWER: Calyx campanulate, 5-lobed, or 4-lobed with upper 2 incompletely connate, lobes linear-lanceolate. Corolla yellow, ca. 1 cm, usually deciduous, standard obovate, with emarginate auricle and claw at base, wings narrowly elliptic, slightly curved, base auriculate, keels curved at apex, densely very pale brown villous. Ovules several.

FRUIT: Pod oblong, 1.5-2.5 × 0.4-0.6 cm, leathery, densely villous, transversely constricted between seeds.

SEEDS: 2-7, dark brown, ellipsoidal, ca. 4 mm, strophiole convex.

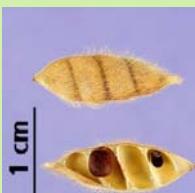
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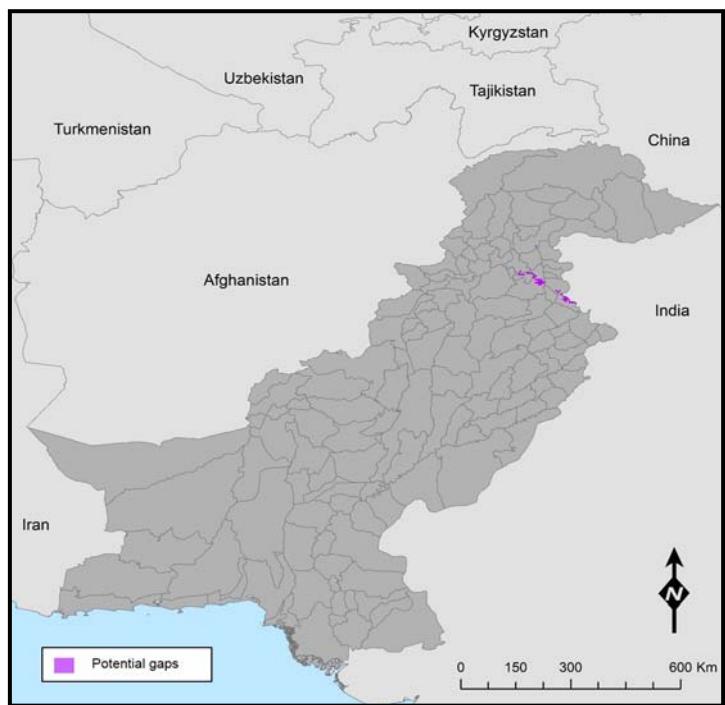
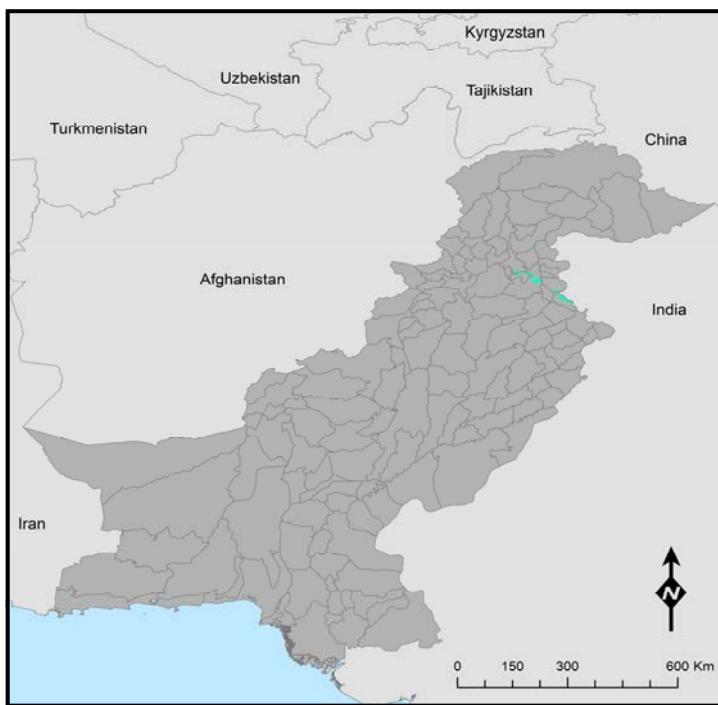
Fields, roadsides, grassy slopes, coastal areas.

Distribution:

China, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Cambodia, India, Indonesia, Japan, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, Nepal, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Vietnam; Africa, Oceania.

Altitude: 100 - 1500 m

<i>Cajanus scarabaeoides</i>	May be confused with: <i>Cajanus platycarpus</i>
Perennial creepers or twiners; leaflets small (1.2-4 cm long), elliptic to obovate; pods narrow (0.4-0.6 cm wide), slightly rounded in cross-section. 	Annual creepers; leaflets larger (3-8 cm long), ovate; pods broad (1-1.5 cm wide), flattened in cross section, papery. 



References: Flora of China, Volume 10, p232 via www.efloras.org http://www.efloras.org/florataxon.aspx?flora_id=2&taxon_id=242309519

Secondary Gene Pool relative of *Cajanus cajan* (L.) Millsp.up to 2
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Sep - Nov

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Wild relative of *Cicer arietinum* L.

HABIT: Perennial shrublet branched from the base, pubescent. Stems straight, sometimes flexuous, faintly ribbed, 20-35 cm long. Stipules spinose, 2-6(-15) mm, often a second spinelet at the base, 1-2 mm.

LEAVES: Paripinnate, rachis 2-4.5 cm, grooved above, ending in a spine. Leaflets 10-16, rather remote, obovate-truncate, base rounded, top truncate acuminate, sometimes incised, toothed, 2-5 mm long, 1-3 mm wide, both sudes prominently veined, teeth 5-7(-9), midrib often prolonged.

INFLORESCENCE: Flowers axillary, solitary or paired, peduncle (15-)20-40(-60) mm long with a spiny arista, bracts minute, triangular-lanceolate, pedicels 7-15 mm, recurved when bearing fruits.

FLOWER: Calyx strongly dorsally gibbous at the base, tube 3-4 mm, teeth triangular-lanceolate, acuminate, 4-6 mm long. Corolla veined, purplish blue, apex emarginate-mucronulate, base spoon-shaped, 16-22 mm long, 10-14 mm wide, alae oblong-ovate, base shortly auriculate. Stamens 9 +1, persistent, filaments ca. 15 mm long (fused for 12 mm). Ovary ovate -elongate, ovules 10, style ca. 11 mm, upturned, stigma broadened.

FRUIT: Pods elliptic-rhomboid, elongated, 18-26 mm long, 7-8 mm wide.

SEEDS: Obovate, beaked, 5 mm long, 2.5 mm wide (not fully mature), seed coat brown, irregularly greyish tuberculated.

Habitat:

Rubble slopes, dry valleys, near lakes.

Distribution:

Afghanistan, Pakistan, Tajikistan.

Altitude: 2500 - 4000 m

<i>Cicer acanthophyllum</i>	May be confused with: <i>Cicer macracanthum</i>
Simple stipules, mostly not exceeding 8 mm and sometimes up to 15 mm long.	Paired secondary stipules, sometimes up to 3 pairs, the largest up to 4 mm.



Reported from Pakistan
but no localities known

All populations priority for collection

References: L.J.G. van Der Maesen. *Cicer* L., A monograph of the genus, with special reference to the chickpea (*Cicer arietinum* L.), its ecology and cultivation.

LEGUMINOSAE

Cicer acanthophyllum Boriss.

Wild relative of *Cicer arietinum* L.



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Wild relative of *Cicer arietinum* L.

HABIT: Perennial, much branched, glandular pubescent. Stipules spiny, c. 8-25 mm long, bifid, one arm longer than the other, secondary spiny stipules often present.

LEAVES: Rachis (up to the tip) c. 20-65 mm long, leaflets 9-19, opposite to sub-opposite, 3-10 mm long, c. (2-)4-6 mm broad, serrate towards the tip, glabrous above, pilose below, tip apiculate.

INFLORESCENCE: 1(-3) -flowered, ending in a spine, peduncle (up to the tip) c. 1.5-5 cm long. Flower pedicellate, pedicel 5-13 mm long.

FLOWER: Calyx c. 9-13 mm long, pilose, tube oblique, teeth 5-6 mm long. Corolla veined, dark blue or violet, vexillum c. 16-22 mm long. Stamens 9 + 1, fused part 9 mm, free part 4 mm, incurved, anthers dorsifix. Ovary lanceolate-ovate, 9mm, 2 mm wide, 8 ovules.

FRUIT: Pods ovate-oblong to rhomboid-oblong, 18-25 mm long, 5-7 mm broad, beaked, pilose, many-seeded.

SEEDS: Elongated-ovate, beaked, 4-5 mm long, 3 mm wide, seed coat brown.

Habitat:

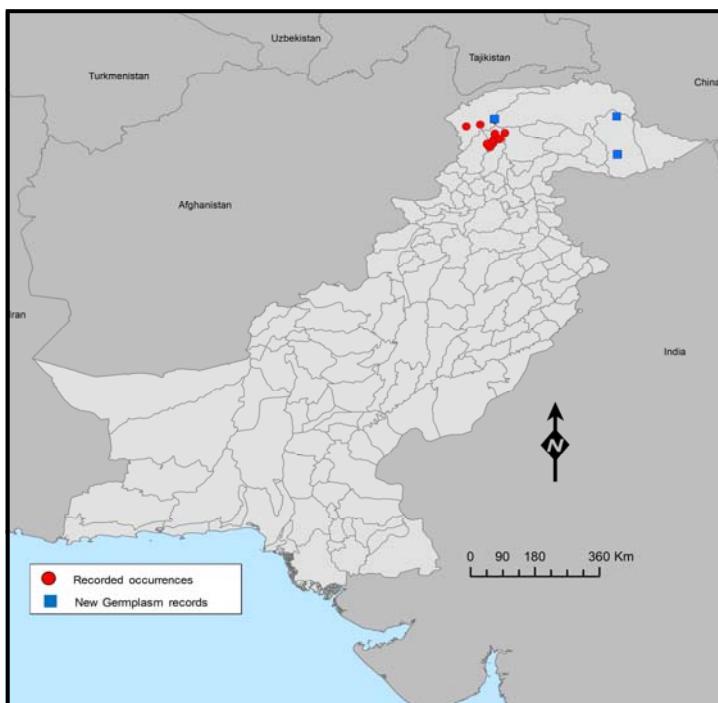
Dry stream-beds, valleys, dry stony and rubble slopes.

Distribution:

Pakistan; Afghanistan; Russia, Uzbekistan, Tajikistan.

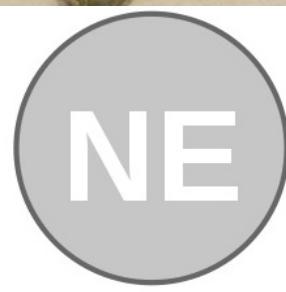
Altitude: 2200 - 3600 m

<i>Cicer macracanthum</i>	May be confused with: <i>Cicer nuristanicum</i>
Leaf rachis ending in a mucro; leaflet margin dentate only in upper half; pod 18-25 mm long. 	Leaf rachis ending in a tendril; more than half leaflet margin dentate; pod 20-35 mm long. 



All populations priority for collection

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Wild relative of *Cicer arietinum* L.0.25 -
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Wild relative of *Cicer arietinum* L.

HABIT: Herbs annual, 0.15-0.4 m tall. Stem much branched, erect, glandular hairy. Stipules 3-12 mm long, foliaceous, glandular hairy, margin 5-7-toothed.

LEAVES: Paripinnate with a terminal tendril, leaflets 6-15-paired, obovate-cuneate, 4-12 mm long by 3-7 mm wide, both surfaces glandular pilose, base cuneate, margin dentate only in distal half, apex rounded or truncate, often mucronate.

INFLORESCENCE: 1(-2)-flowered, peduncle 2-10 cm long, ending in a spine.

FLOWER: Flower solitary, pedicel 5-25 mm, glandular hairy. Calyx ca. 12 mm, deeply toothed, densely glandular hairy. Corolla veined, blue-purple, white or light blue, ca. 25 mm, vexillum 20-25 mm long, ovary elongate-elliptic, 6 mm long, stamens 9 + 1, loose filaments 14-16 mm.

FRUIT: Pod elliptic in outline, 2.5-3.5 cm, densely white pubescent, beaked, many seeded.

SEEDS: Subglobular to obovate, beaked, 4-5 mm long, 3-4 mm wide, seed coat blackish brown, irregularly greyish regulate.

Habitat:

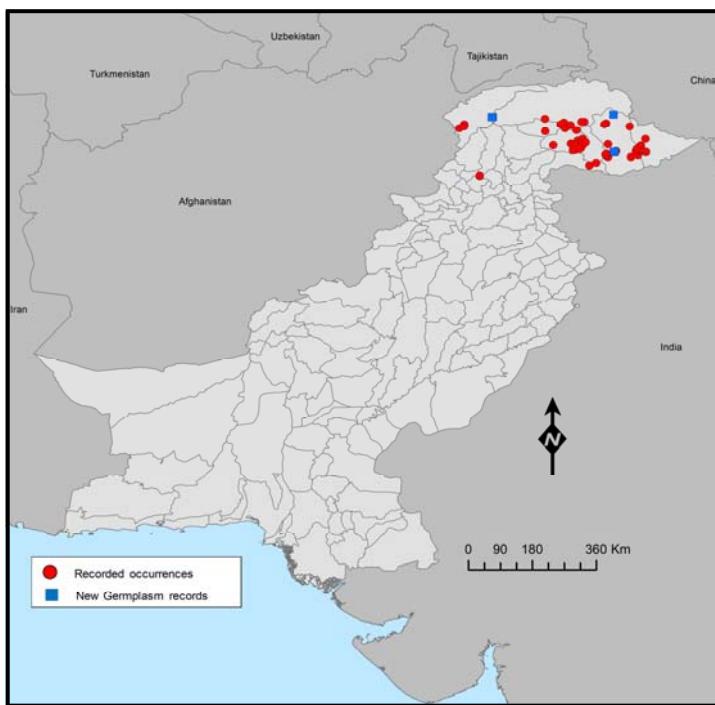
Hill slopes, meadows on sunny slopes, riverbanks, gravels, sands.

Distribution:

Central Asia, Afghanistan, Himalaya (Kashmir to W. Nepal), Tibet.

Altitude: 1600 - 4600 m

<i>Cicer microphyllum</i>	May be confused with: <i>Cicer arietinum</i>
Leaves with a terminal tendril, leaflets 6-15-paired, obovate-cuneate; corolla ca. 25 mm; seeds ca. 2.5 mm. 	Leaves with a terminal leaflet, leaflets 3-8-paired, elliptic; corolla 8-10 mm; seeds 5-15 mm. 



All populations priority for collection

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Wild relative of *Cicer arietinum* L.

HABIT: Perennial, woody rootstock, branching from the base, multistemmed, glandular puberulous, stems straight or slender, faintly ribbed, 25-40 cm long.

LEAVES: (9)16-26(28) leaflets, paripinnate or imparipinnate, rachis (3)6-14 cm, ending in a tendril or an end leaflet. Leaflets not very close, opposite or nearly so, obovate or obovate-elliptic, base cuneate, top rounded, 10-26, 5-15 mm long, 4-10 mm wide, margin dentate except near the base, pubescent.

INFLORESCENCE: 1-2-flowered, peduncle ending in a spine, 15-35 mm long. Flower pedicellate, pedicel 5-10 mm long.

FLOWER: Calyx 8-16 mm long, glandular pubescent, teeth 5-10 mm long. Corolla veined, bluish violet, vexillum 18-23 mm long. Stamens 9 + 1, filaments 14 mm, ovary ovate-acuminata, 8 mm long, style 10 mm long, upturned.

FRUIT: Pod 20-35 mm long, 9-12 mm wide, glandular pubescent.

SEEDS: Ovate-cordate, beaked, 5.5 mm long, 5.5 mm wide, testa black with whitish tubercles.

Habitat:

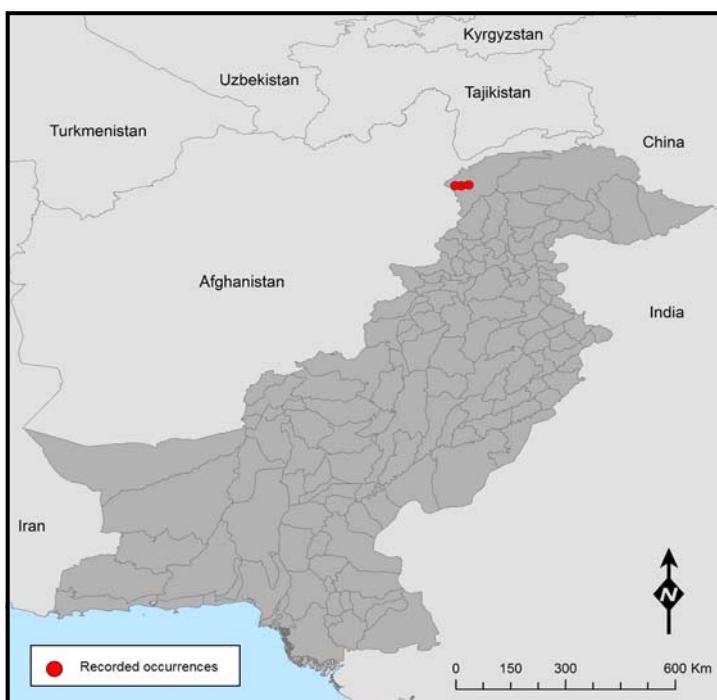
Abies forest, pastures, shady humid, limestone rocks.

Distribution:

Pakistan, Chitral; Afghanistan.

Altitude: 2300 - 4600 m

<i>Cicer nuristanicum</i>	May be confused with: <i>Cicer macracanthum</i>
Leaf rachis ending in a tendril; more than half leaflet margin dentate; pod 20-35 mm long.	



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Wild relative of *Cicer arietinum* L.

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Tertiary Gene Pool relative of *Lathyrus sativus* L.Caley Pea, Winterpea,
Rough Pea, Hairy V

HABIT: Scrambling annual, sparsely pubescent, 40-60 cm tall. Stems branching from the base, ascending or erect, winged. Stipules 10-18 mm long, linear, semi-sagittate, shorter than petioles.

LEAVES: Petioles shorter than leaflets. Leaflets usually 1-paired, 30-60 mm long, 3-11 mm wide, linear-elliptic, apex abruptly tapering, mucronate. Rachis ending in 3-sect or pinnately branched tendrils.

INFLORESCENCE: Raceme 1-3-flowered, peduncle much longer than leaf.

FLOWER: 10-13 mm long, blue-violet or occasionally reddish; calyx 4.5-5.5 mm long, teeth subequal, as long as or slightly longer than the tube, standard much longer than keel, wings approximately equaling keel, limb broadly auricled at base.

FRUIT: Pods 20-50 mm long by 5-8 mm wide, oblong-linear, tuberculate, densely beset with white hairs on tubercles when young, glabrescent when ripe, 5-10-seeded.

Habitat:

Usually found in grasslands and on cultivated land, sometimes on sand dunes and in marshy areas.

Distribution:

Southern and Central Europe, Lebanon, Crimea, Caucasus, North Africa and Iran. Introduced in the USA and East Africa, Afghanistan, India.

Altitude: 0 - 1000 m

<i>Lathyrus hirsutus</i>	May be confused with: <i>Lathyrus laxiflorus</i>
Annual plants, stem winged; stipules usually narrower than leaflets; leaflets linear-elliptic.	Perennial with tuberous rootstock, stem angled but not winged; stipules at least as broad as leaflets, often broader; leaflets ovate.

Reported from Pakistan
but no localities known

All populations priority for collection

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Tertiary Gene Pool relative of *Lathyrus sativus* L.

Lathyrus hirsutus L.

Caley Pea, Winterpea,
Rough Pea, Hairy V



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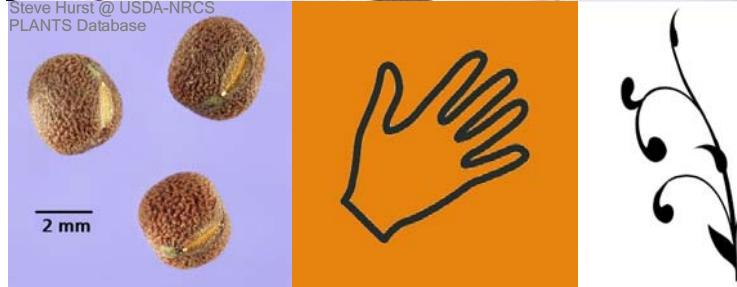
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Sven Landrein/RBGKew
Steve Hurst @ USDA-NRCS
PLANTS Database



Sven Landrein/RBGKew



HABIT: Erect, pale green annual herb up to 60(-75) cm tall. Stem square, much-branched, taproot slender. Stipules entire, 2.5-6 mm long.

LEAVES: Alternate, pinnately compound, with 5-16 leaflets, rachis (1)-2.5-3.5(-5) cm long, usually ending in a tendril or bristle. Leaflets opposite or alternate, sessile, oblong or elliptical, (3)-10-15(-20) mm long, (1.5)-2-5(-8) mm wide, margins entire.

INFLORESCENCE: 1-4(-7)-flowered, axillary, racemose, peduncle slender, (2)-3-4(-5.5) cm long, pedicel short.

FLOWER: Calyx campanulate, narrowly 5-lobed, tube c. 1.5 mm long, lobes c. 3 mm long. Corolla pale blue, white or pink, standard 5-7 mm × 4-5 mm, wings c. 4.5 mm × 1.5 mm, keel c. 4.5 mm × 2 mm, stamens 10, 9 united and 1 free, anthers uniform; ovary superior, 1-celled, style inflexed, inner surface bearded.

FRUIT: A rhomboid, laterally compressed pod, 6-20 mm long by 3.5-12 mm wide, glabrous, short-beaked, 1-2(-3)-seeded.

SEEDS: Lens-shaped, 2-9 mm × 2-3 mm, grey, green, brownish green, pale red speckled with black, or black, hilum minute.

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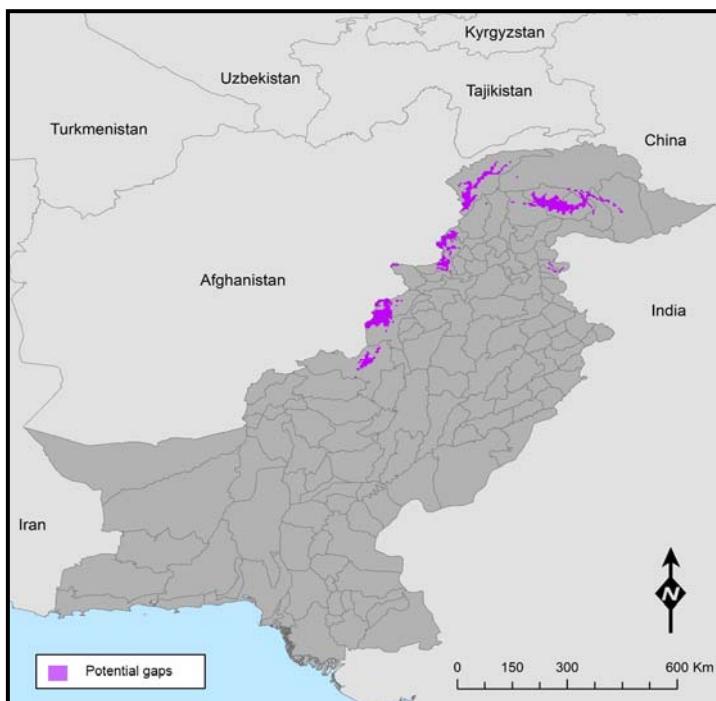
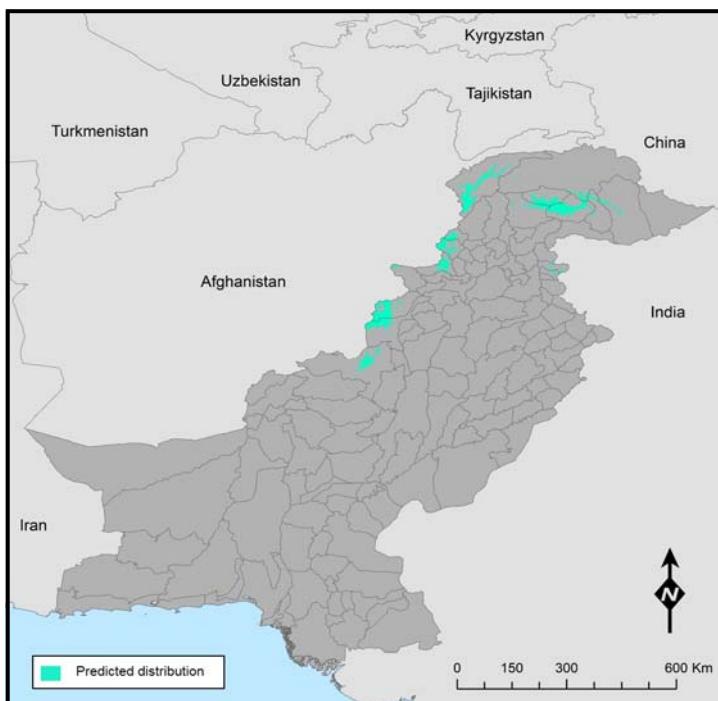
Inland habitats, often grasslands but sometimes associated with woodland, often occurs on limestone.

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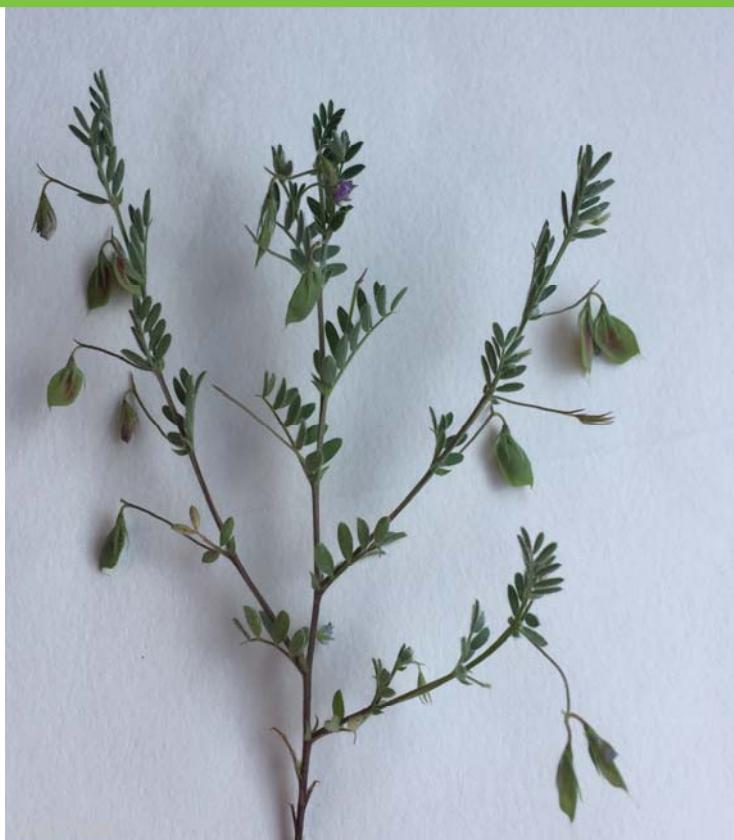
From Greece eastwards to Uzbekistan, and from the Crimean Peninsula southwards to Jordan.

Altitude: 250 - 800 m

<i>Lens culinaris</i> subsp. <i>orientalis</i>	May be confused with: <i>Lens culinaris</i> ssp. <i>culinaris</i>
Stipules obliquely lanceolate; fruit dehiscent.	Stipules lanceolate; fruit indehiscent.



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HABIT: Perennial herbs, (20)-40-100(-120) cm. Stems erect or ascending, terete, branched. Stipules lanceolate to linear-lanceolate, base hastate, apex acuminate.

LEAVES: Leaflets obovate to linear, (5)-8-15(-20) × (1)-2-5(-10) mm, pubescent abaxially, glabrous or appressed puberulent adaxially, margin serrulate in apical 1/4 or margin 2- or 3-serrate, lateral veins 5-15 pairs, base cuneate, apex rounded, obtuse, or acute, mucronate.

INFLORESCENCE: Racemes 10-20(-40) mm, with 6-25 flowers, crowded, peduncles axillary, straight, equal to or slightly longer than leaves, bracts ca. 1 mm, pedicels 2-3 mm.

FLOWER: Corolla yellow, 6-9(-11) mm, standard long obovate. Ovary linear, ovules 2-5.

FRUIT: Pod falcate or straight, (8)-10-15 × 2.5-3.5(-4) mm, appressed puberulent, veins oblique and thin.

SEEDS: 2-4, brown, ovate-elliptic, ca. 2×1.5 mm.

Habitat:

Grassy places, slopes, ravines, dry sandy fields.

Distribution:

Throughout Asia and Europe, Morocco, South Africa, Canada and USA.

Altitude: 0 - 2500 m

<i>Medicago sativa</i> subsp. <i>falcata</i> var. <i>falcata</i>	May be confused with: <i>Medicago sativa</i> subsp. <i>caerulea</i>
Corolla yellow; fruit falcate or straight.	Corolla purple; fruit with at least 1.5 coils. 

Reported from
Pakistan but no
localities known

All populations priority for
collection

References: Small, E. (2011) Alfalfa and Relatives: Evolution and classification of *Medicago*. NRC Research Press, Ottawa.

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*Medicago sativa L. subsp. *falcata* (L.) Arcang. var. *falcata* (L.) Arcang.*

Primary relative of *Medicago sativa* L., Secondary relative of *Medicago sativa* L.

Sickle Medick, Yellow alfalfa



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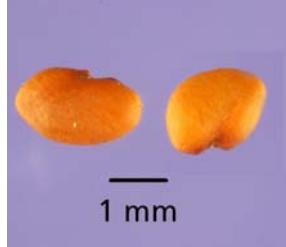


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RBG Kew

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Jun - Aug

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HABIT: Annual with scrambling and climbing growth habit, 10-70 cm long. Stems arising from the base hollow, squarish in cross-section. Slender taproot system with numerous lateral branches.

LEAVES: Compound pinnate with 3-8 pairs of opposite leaflets and 2-3 terminal tendrils. Leaflets narrowly oblong, square at the apex and with a small projecting mid rib, usually less than 10 mm broad. Stipules small and divided.

INFLORESCENCE: Flowers solitary or paired, on short peduncles arising at the base of the leaves, mainly blue to purple but sometimes white.

FLOWER: Calyx 7-12 mm, teeth c. 2.5-8 mm. Corolla 10-20 mm.

FRUIT: Pods narrow.

SEEDS: 4-12 per fruit, flattened, black to greyish in colour, sometimes marbled, 2.5-4 mm.

Habitat:

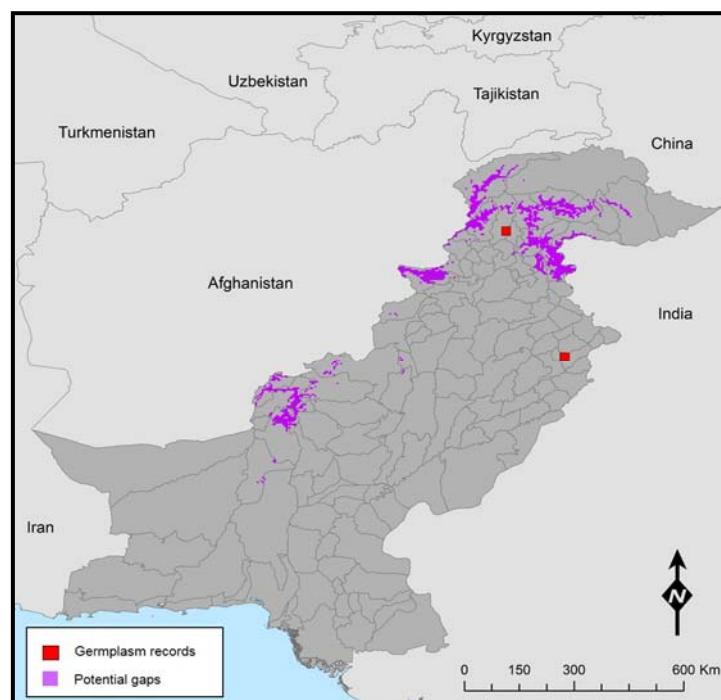
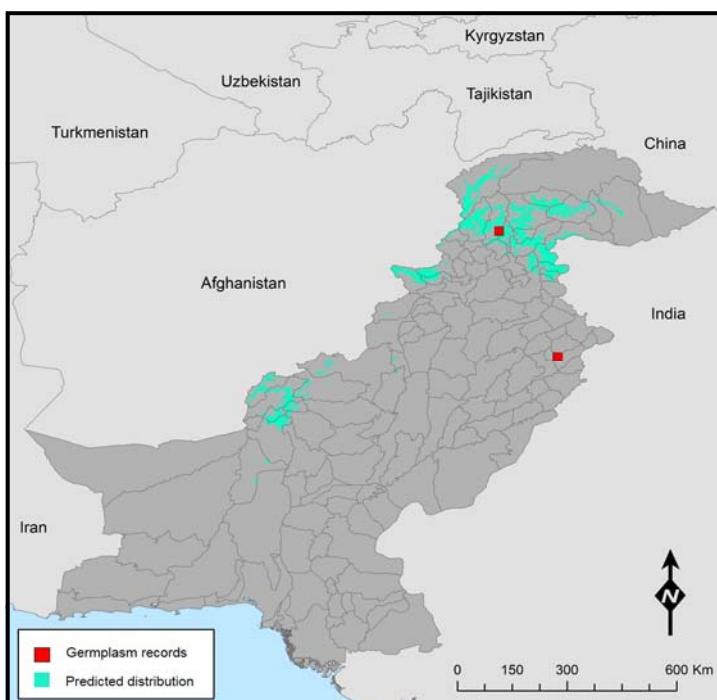
Agricultural and disturbed land, margins of woodland.

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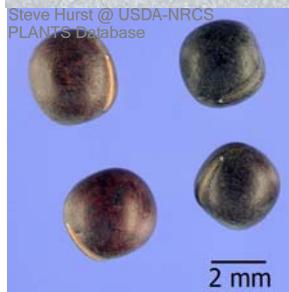
Common pan-temperate and semi-tropical weed.

Altitude: 0 - 2900 m

<i>Vicia sativa subsp. nigra</i>	May be confused with: <i>Vicia sativa subsp. sativa</i>
Pod black or brownish black, not contracted between seeds, 25-55 × (2.5-)3-6 mm; usually glabrous.	Pod brown or yellow-brown, contracted between seeds, 35-70 × 6-11 mm, usually hairy.



References: Maxted, N. (1995) An ecogeographical Study of *Vicia* subgenus *Vicia*; FAO Grassland Species Profiles <http://www.fao.org/AG/agp/agpc/doc/Gbase/>; Davis, P.H. Flora of Turkey (3) p139



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Feb - Nov

Feb - Nov

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HABIT: Clump-forming annuals. Culms often densely tufted, 20-40(-80) cm long high, erect or geniculately ascending. Leaf-sheath auricles falcate. Ligule an eciliate membrane.

LEAVES: Leaf-blades glabrous or sparsely hairy, up to 12 cm long, 0.2-0.5 cm wide.

INFLORESCENCE: Spikes 6-11 cm long (excluding the awns), cylindrical with 1-2 vestigial spikelets at the base; rachis breaking up at internodes at maturity. Basal sterile spikelets rudimentary, 1-2 in number. Fertile spikelets 4-6, glumes of lateral spikelets 7-9 mm long (to the base of the apical sinus), 2-toothed, 1 of the teeth short and blunt, the other produced as an awn up to 18 mm long, awns of terminal spikelet shorter than the spike.

GLUMES: Equal, shorter than spikelet, oblong, asymmetrical, 7-9 mm long, ribbed, coriaceous, apex bifid, with a terminal awn 9-18 mm long. Fertile lemma oblong, 9-11 mm long, coriaceous, not keeled 5 -veined, apex truncate, awned only on distal spikelets. Principal lemma awn shorter than raceme. Palea 2 -veined. Palea keels scabrous.

FRUIT: Caryopsis with adherent pericarp, hairy at apex.

Habitat:

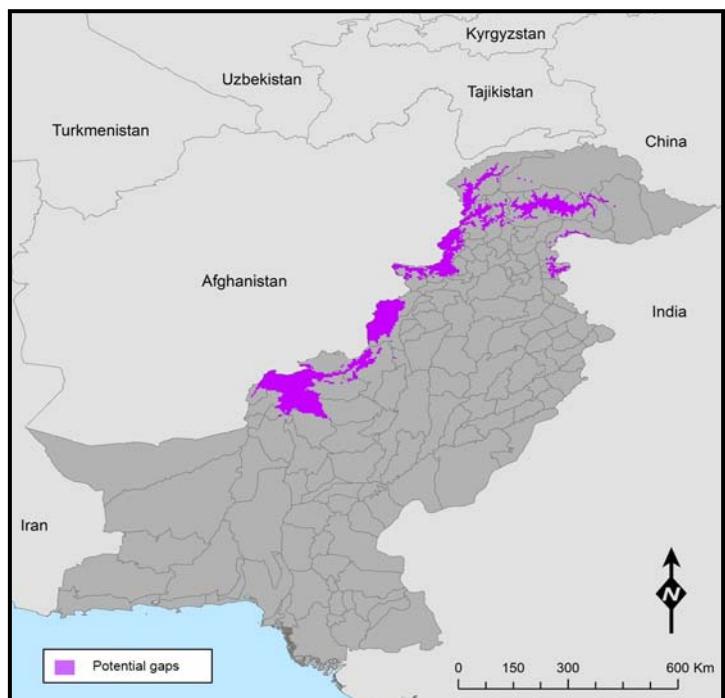
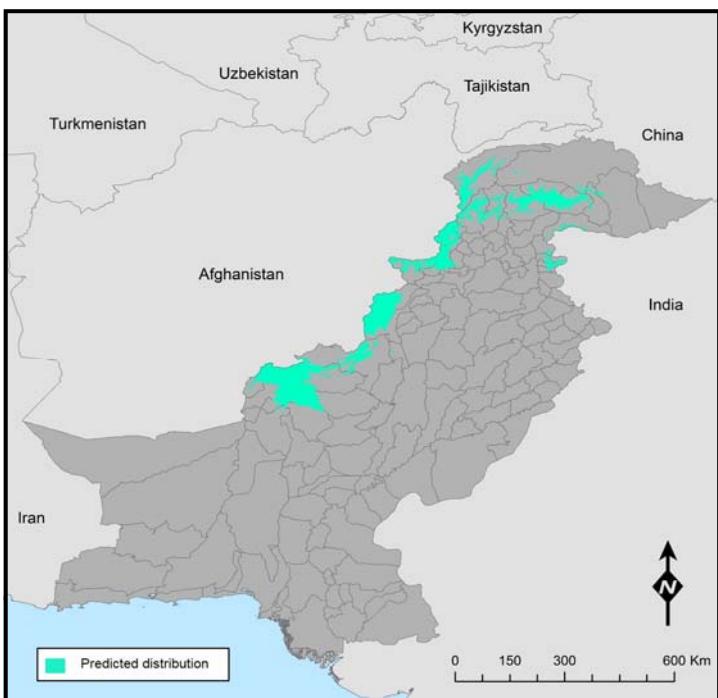
Ruderal and disturbed sites, e.g. waste ground, cultivated areas, roadsides, dry slopes, grasslands.

Distribution:

Europe: central, southeastern and eastern. Asia-temperate: Soviet far east, Soviet Middle Asia, Caucasus and western Asia. Asia-tropical: India. Throughout USA.

Altitude: 100 - 1750 m

<i>Aegilops cylindrica</i>	May be confused with: <i>Aegilops caudata</i>
Glumes on apical spikelets about 3-6 cm long (shorter than length of spikelet); lemmas with 4-8 cm long awns.	Awns on glumes of apical spikelet 4.5-12 cm long (longer than entire spike); lemmas without awns (mucronate at most).



References: Slageren, M.W. van (1994) Wild Wheats: A Monograph of *Aegilops* L. and *Amblyopyrum* (Jaub. & Spach) Eig. Wageningen Agricultural University Papers; GrassBase - The Online World Grass Flora. <http://www.kew.org/data/grasses-db.html>.



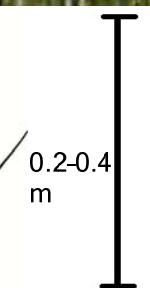
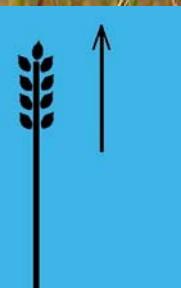
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HABIT: Culms often densely tufted, 18-30(-60) cm high, erect or geniculately ascending. Leaf-sheath oral hairs ciliate, auricles falcate. Ligule an eciliate membrane.

LEAVES: Leaf-blades glabrous or sparsely hairy, up to 17 cm long, 2-6 mm wide.

INFLORESCENCE: Spikes 5-10 cm long (excluding the awns), cylindrical, with 0(-2) vestigial spikelets at the base rhachis breaking up at internodes at maturity. Fertile spikelets 5-13, glumes of lateral spikelets 5-7.5 mm long, truncate, with a short, very blunt tooth on the upper margin, awns of terminal spikelet shorter than the spike.

GLUMES: Equal, shorter than spikelet, oblong, 5-6 mm long, coriaceous, not keeled, 7-9 -veined, venation ribbed, apex with a unilateral tooth, truncate. Fertile lemma oblong, or ovate, 6-7 mm long, coriaceous, not keeled, 5 -veined, apex entire, truncate, sometimes awned. Principal lemma awn 30-40 mm long, those of lower spikelets if present up to 18 mm. Palea 2 -veined, keels scaberulous.

FRUIT: Caryopsis with adherent pericarp; hairy at apex.

Habitat:

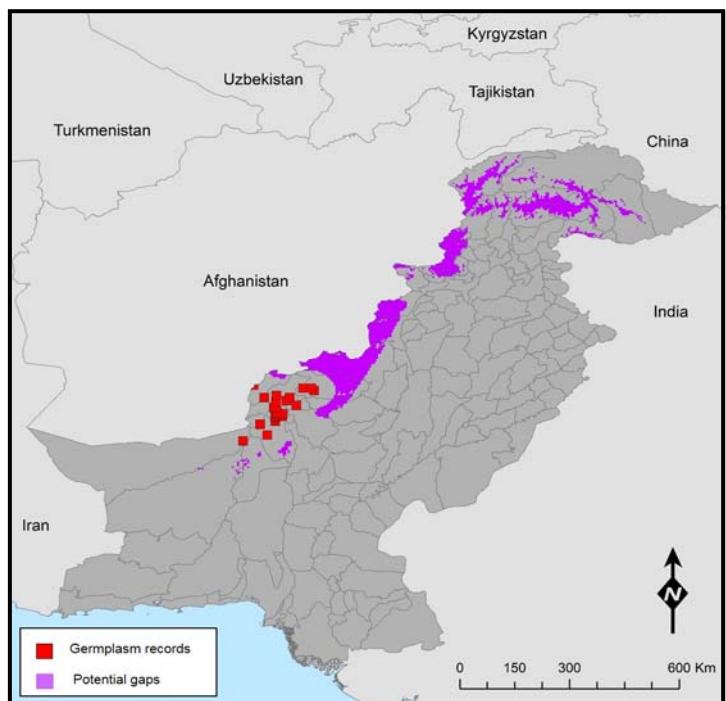
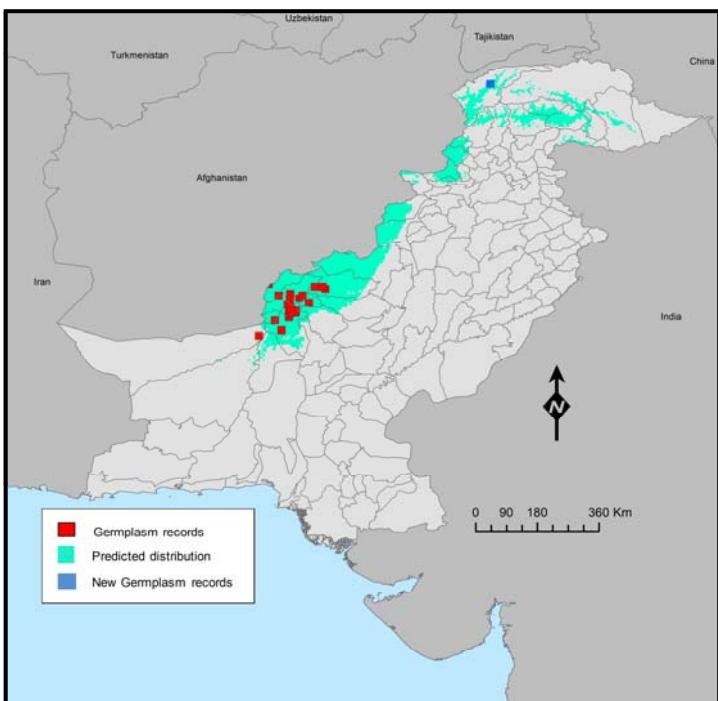
A wide range of habitats including: grasslands, fallow ground, steppes, wastelands, roadsides, within cultivation, forests, stony slopes.

Distribution:

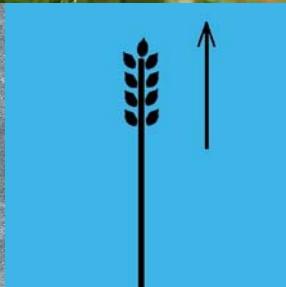
Eastern Europe, Central and Western Asia, from the Caucasus to India and China.

Altitude: 1300 - 2700 m

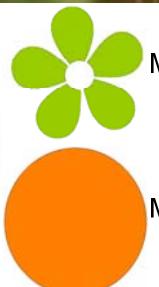
<i>Aegilops tauschii</i>	May be confused with: <i>Aegilops vavilovii</i>
Inflorescence 4-8 cm, barely tapering towards apex.	Inflorescence 10-15 cm long, tapering towards apex.



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May - Jul

May - Jul

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Secondary Gene Pool relative of *Triticum aestivum* subsp. *compactum*

HABIT: Annual herbs, caespitose. Culms erect, or geniculately ascending, 15–45 cm long. Leaf-sheath oral hairs ciliate. Leaf-sheath auricles falcate. Ligule an eciliolate membrane.

LEAVES: Leaf-blades flat, or involute, 5–10 cm long, 1–2 mm wide, glabrous, or pilose.

INFLORESCENCE: Racemes single, lanceolate, bilateral, 3–6 cm long, bearing (3)–4–6 fertile spikelets on each. Rhachis tough or fragile at the nodes. Spikelet packing broadside to rhachis. Basal sterile spikelets rudimentary, 2–3 in number. Spikelets oblong, laterally compressed, 7–10 mm long, when rachis fragile falling entire, with interodes.

GLUMES: Equal, shorter than spikelet, oblong, 7–10 mm long, coriaceous, not keeled, 7–9 -veined, venation ribbed, surface smooth, or scabrous, apex dentate, 3-fid, awned, 2–3 -awned, awn 10–60 mm long. Fertile lemma oblong, 7–10 mm long, coriaceous, not keeled, 5-veined, apex dentate, bifid, 3-awned on distal spikelets. Principal lemma awn 5–6 mm long overall. Palea 2-veined, keels scaberulous.

FRUIT: Caryopsis with adherent pericarp, hairy at apex. Disseminule comprising a rhachis internode, or inflorescence.

Habitat:

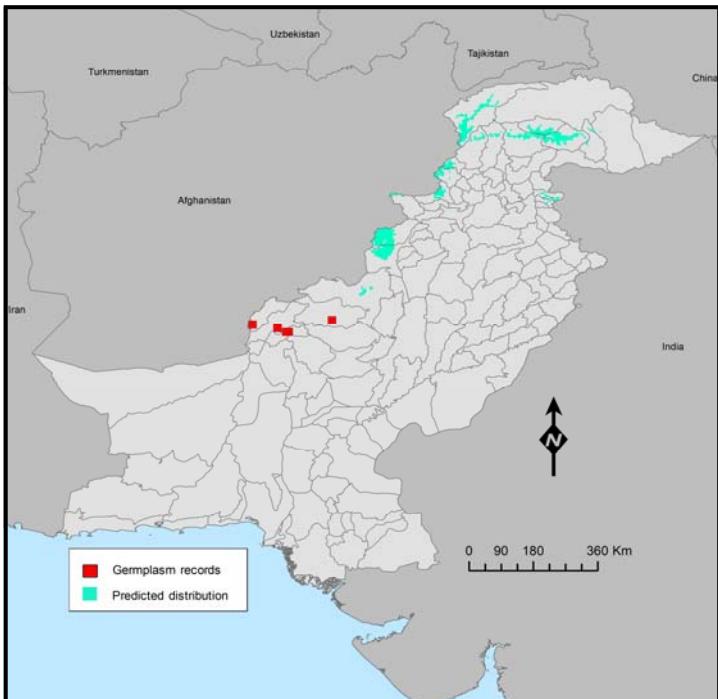
Dry, disturbed habitats e.g. wastelands, on the edges of and within cultivation, roadsides, dry rocky slopes, field edges, woodland, forest and scrub, dry riverbeds.

Distribution:

Mediterranean, Turkey, Iran, Crimea, Caucasus, Asia as far east as Pakistan, in Africa only in the Atlas mountains.

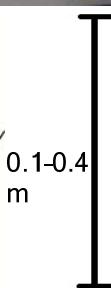
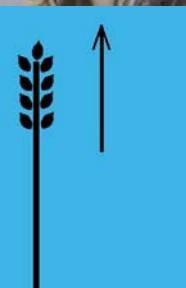
Altitude: 500 - 1200 m

<i>Aegilops triuncialis</i> var. <i>triuncialis</i>	May be confused with: <i>Aegilops neglecta</i>
Inflorescence subcylindrical, 2.5–6 cm long; glumes of apical spikelets with 3 awns.	Inflorescence ovoid to oblong, 1.5–4.5(–6) cm long; glumes of apical spikelets with 2–3 awns.



All populations priority for collection

References: Slageren, M.W. van (1994) Wild Wheats: A Monograph of *Aegilops* L. and *Amblyopyrum* (Jaub. & Spach) Eig. Wageningen Agricultural University Papers
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Secondary Gene Pool relative of *Triticum aestivum* subsp. *compactum*

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Tertiary Gene Pool relative of *Avena sativa* L.

HABIT: Annual, culms 30-100 cm high, erect or ascending, slender to rather stout, simple.

LEAVES: Leaf-blades up to 30 cm long, 3-8 mm wide, sparsely hairy to ciliate, ligules 2-5 mm long.

INFLORESCENCE: Panicle subsecund, up to 30(-50) cm long and 12 cm wide, loose with smooth or faintly scaberulous branches. Spikelets 18-30 mm long, 2-3-flowered, the rhachilla articulated beneath each floret and with a barren extension.

GLUMES: Persistent, lanceolate, 16-26 mm long, apex acuminate, exceeding apex of florets, thinner than fertile lemma. Lemmas 12-20 mm long, upper surface scabrous, with long stiff hairs up to the insertion of the awn, lower surface densely hairy, apex bifid, with an awn 3-6 cm long, geniculate. Palea 10-18 mm long.

FLOWER: Anthers 3. Ovary pubescent.

FRUIT: Caryopsis with adherent pericarp, sulcate on hilar side, hairy all over. Hilum linear.

Habitat:

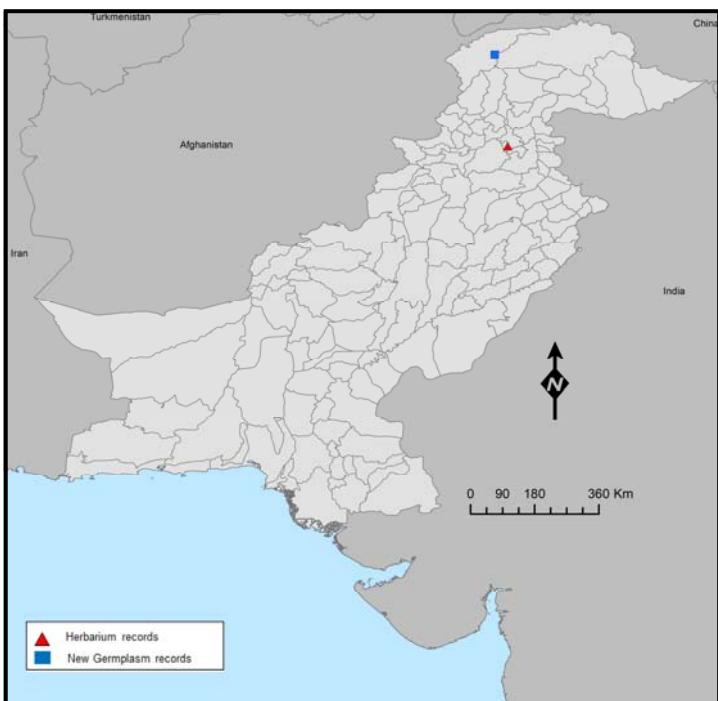
Disturbed sites, hillsides on shallow soils, shrublands, open grasslands, salt marshes, edges of paddy fields.

Distribution:

Circum-Mediterranean, northern Middle East, Central and Eastern Asia.

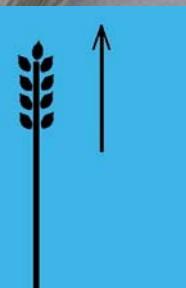
Altitude: 0 - 240 m

<i>Avena barbata</i>	May be confused with: <i>Avena fatua</i>
Ligule obtuse; lemma tip biaristulate; epiblast 0.3-0.4 mm wide. 	Ligule acute; lemma tip bidenticulate; epiblast 0.45-0.7 mm wide. 



All populations priority for collection

References: Baum, B.R. (1971). Oats: Wild and Cultivated. A Monograph of the Genus *Avena* L. (Poaceae). Biosystematics Research Institute Monograph No. 14. Supply and Services Canada, Ottawa.

Tertiary Gene Pool relative of *Avena sativa* L.0.3-1
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Feb - May

Feb - May

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HABIT: Annual. Relatively tall plants, 80-160 cm high. Culms 30-150 cm long, erect or geniculately ascending, stout, simple.

LEAVES: Leaves caudate. Leaf blades 10-45 cm long, 3-15 mm wide, glabrous, surface rough, ligules up to 6 mm long.

INFLORESCENCE: Panicles nodding (sometimes one-sided), narrowly to broadly pyramidal, 10-40 cm long and up to 20 cm wide, loose with scaberulous branches. Spikelets cuneate, pendulous, 18-30 mm long, 2-3-flowered, the rhachilla disarticulating below each floret.

GLUMES: Persistent, exceeding florets, 18-28 mm long, lanceolate, apex finely acute. Fertile lemma 12-25 mm long, with a basal callus, densely bearded around the callus with hairs up to 4 mm long, brown and densely hispid in lower two thirds, green and rough towards the tip, unequally and shortly 2-4-toothed at the apex, awn 2.5-4 cm long, geniculate.

FLOWER: Ovary pubescent. Anthers 3 mm long.

FRUIT: Caryopsis with adherent pericarp, 6-8 mm long, hairy all over. Hilum linear.

Habitat:

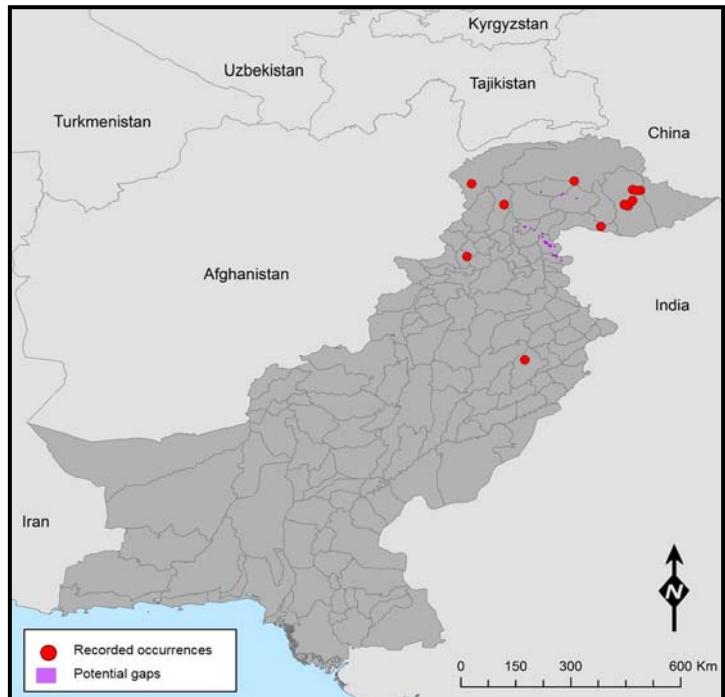
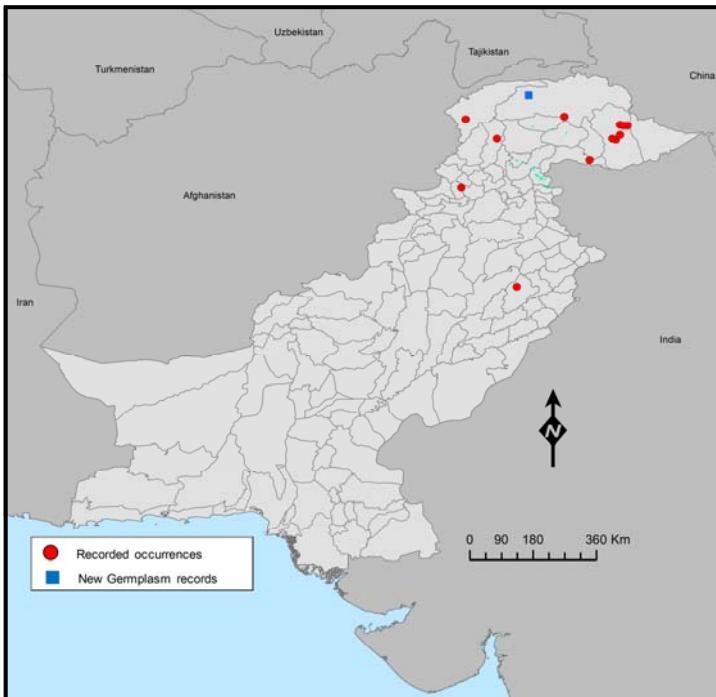
Roadside weed or weed of arable land.

Distribution:

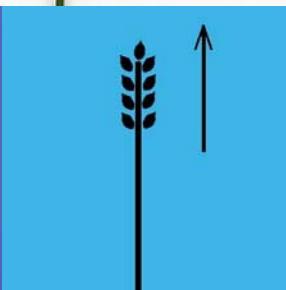
Distributed globally.

Altitude: 0 - 2400 m

<i>Avena fatua</i>	May be confused with: <i>Avena sterilis</i>
Rhachilla disarticulating between each floret; every lemma with a basal callus.	Rhachilla disarticulating only below lowest floret; only lowest lemma with a basal callus.



References: GrassBase - The Online World Grass Flora. <http://www.kew.org/data/grasses-db.html>; Phillips, S. (1995) Poaceae. In: Flora of Ethiopia and Eritrea. Volume 7, pp 37



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Mar - Jul

Mar - Jul

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Primary Gene Pool relative of *Avena sativa* L.

HABIT: Annual 0.8-1 m tall, culms erect, nodes often hairy. Ligules acute or obtuse with a point.

INFLORESCENCE: Panicle equilateral. Spikelets 1.5-2.4 cm long excluding awn, each spikelet with 2-4 florets (usually 3).

GLUMES: Usually equal in length, 16-22 mm long with 7-9(11) nerves. All florets disarticulating at maturity, scars elliptic to circular, scars on 3rd (and sometimes 2nd) florets heart-shaped. Scar with a peripheral ring comprising 1/3 to 1/2 of the scar. Awns inserted centrally on lemma. Lemmas tough in texture, apex irregularly bidentate to bisubulate, macrohairs present or absent. Paleas usually with 2 rows of cilia along edges of keels, underside prickly.

Habitat:

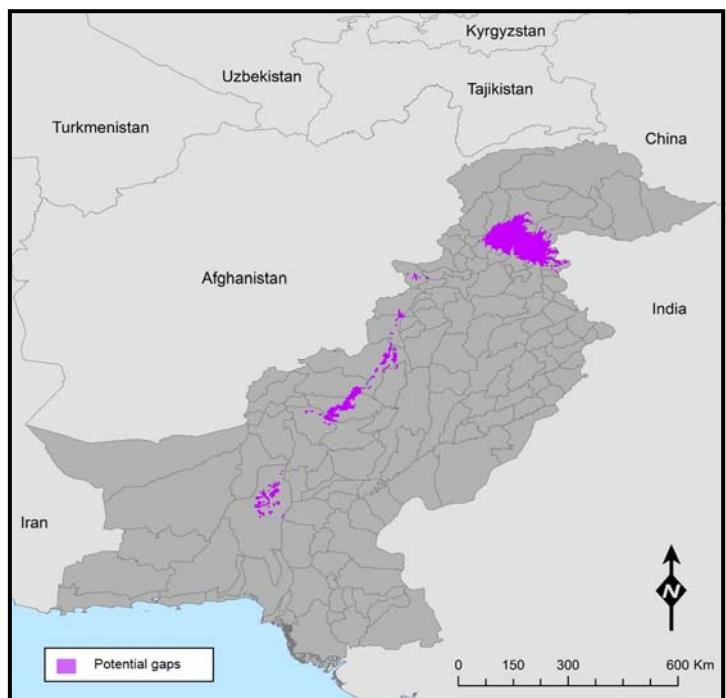
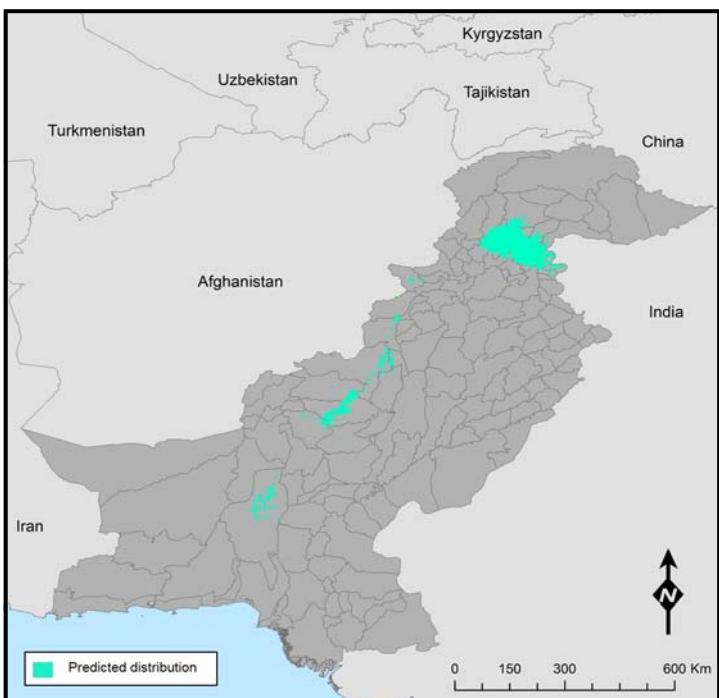
Mountain slopes, hills, valleys, clearings in Quercus forests, roadsides, as a weed in crops.

Distribution:

Europe, Middle East, central Asia, Indo-China and the Himalayas.

Altitude: unknown

<i>Avena hybrida</i>	May be confused with: <i>Avena occidentalis</i>
Glumes 15-22 mm long.	Glumes 30-40 mm long.

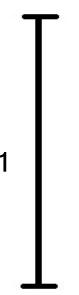
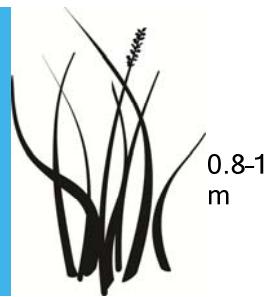


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Primary Gene Pool relative of *Avena sativa* L.

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No seed
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HABIT: Annual. Culms 30-180 cm long, geniculately ascending, or decumbent, 2-5-noded.

LEAVES: Cauline, blades 10-60 cm long, 4-18 mm wide, surface rough.

INFLORESCENCE: Panicle, nodding, pyramidal, 10-45 cm long, 5-25 cm wide. Spikelets 23-50 mm long, breaking up at maturity, disarticulating above glumes but not between florets. Fertile spikelets comprising 2-5 fertile florets, with a sterile rhachilla extension.

GLUMES: Persistent, exceeding apex of florets. Fertile lemma lanceolate, 15-40 mm long, coriaceous, much thinner above, apex dentate, bifid, with a dorsal awn, arising 0.5 way up back of lemma, geniculate, 30-80 mm long, with twisted column. Column of lemma awn hispidulous to pubescent. Palea keel ciliate.

FLOWER: Ovary pubescent all over. Floret callus evident, bearded, obtuse, disarticulating obliquely.

FRUIT: Caryopsis with adherent pericarp, 11-12 mm long, hairy all over. Hilum linear.

Habitat:

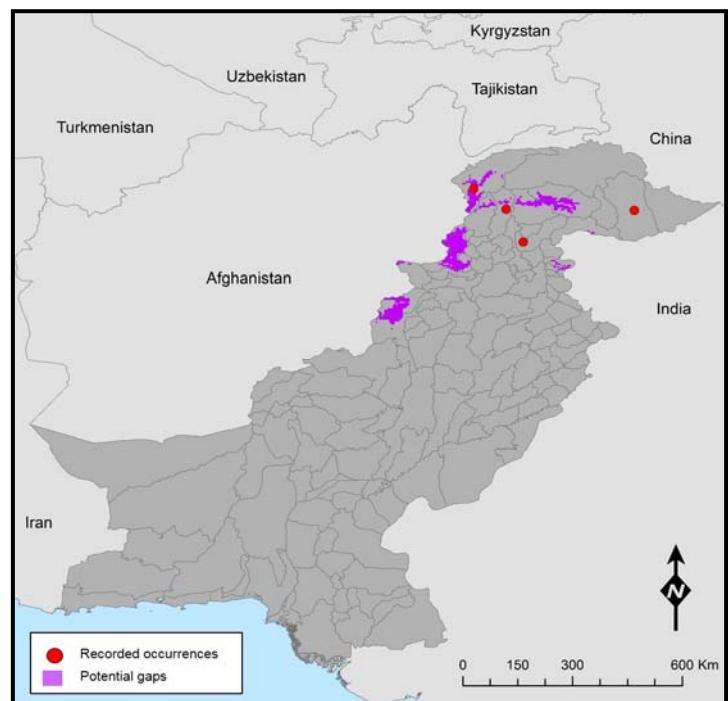
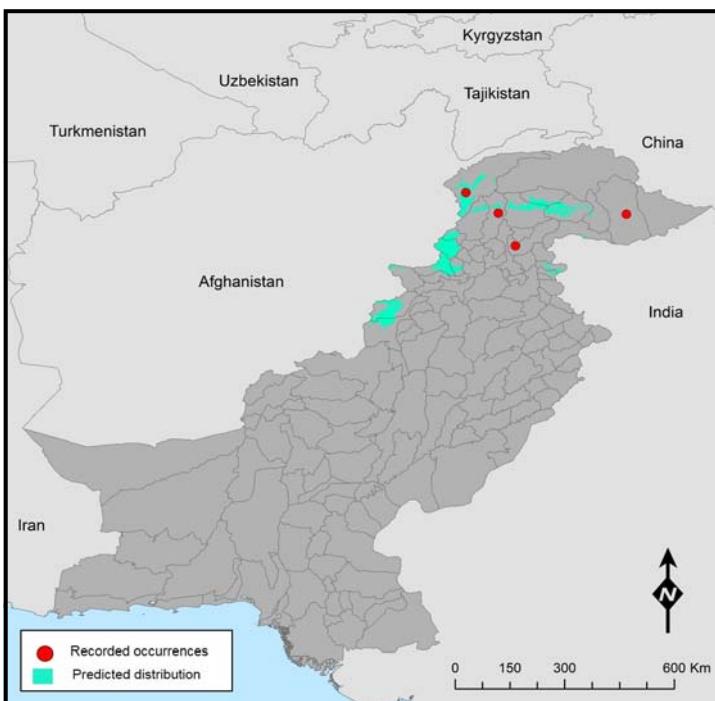
Arable land, especially fields of cereals, disturbed open ground, roadsides and field edges.

Distribution:

Distributed globally.

Altitude: 2100 - 2400 m

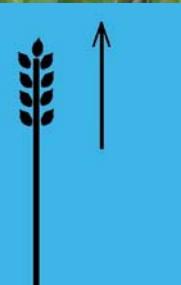
<i>Avena sterilis</i>	May be confused with: <i>Avena fatua</i>
Rhachilla disarticulating only below lowest floret, only lowest lemma with a basal callus.	Rhachilla disarticulating between each floret, every lemma with a basal callus.



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Feb - May

Feb - May

Primary Gene Pool relative of *Avena sativa* L.

HABIT: Annual herbs. Juvenile growth prostrate to erect, becoming erect, 30-120 cm tall.

LEAVES: Ligule acute.

INFLORESCENCE: Panicles equilateral, at maturity only lowermost floret disarticulating. Spikelets 2-3.5 cm long excluding awns, 3-4 florets per spikelet.

GLUMES: Approximately equal in length, 25-45 mm long, each with 9-11 veins. Only lowermost floret disarticulating at maturity, scars broadly elliptic, periphery ring comprising 1/3 of scar. Awns inserted about lower 1/3 of lemma.

Lemmas densely beset with macrohairs below awn insertion point, or sometimes only a few hairs present, apex bisubulate, sometimes bidenticulate. Paleas with 1-2(3) rows of cilia along edges of keels, underside beset with prickles or hairs. Lodicule sativa type.

Habitat:

Fields, arid places, rocky slopes, river banks, steppes, farmland, in hedges and disturbed habitats.

Distribution:

Northern Europe, Mediterranean, western Asia, northern Middle East, Pakistan and India, Canary Islands. Introduced in Brazil.

Altitude: unknown

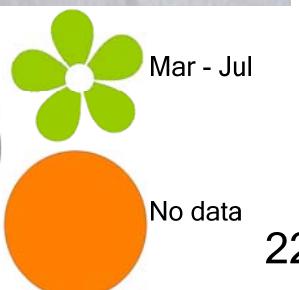
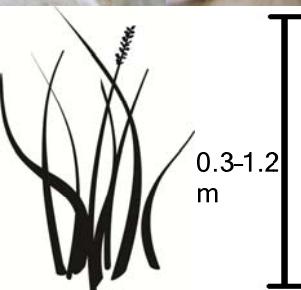
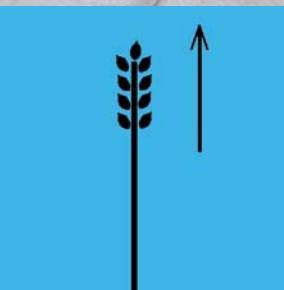
<i>Avena trichophylla</i>	May be confused with: <i>Avena sterilis</i>
Lemma tip bisubulate.	Lemma tip bidenticulate. 

Reported from
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localities known

All populations priority for
collection

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Primary Gene Pool relative of *Avena sativa* L.



Confirmed use in breeding for *Pennisetum glaucum* (L.) R. Br.

Oriental fountain grass

HABIT: Clump-forming perennial. Rhizomes short. Culms erect, or geniculately ascending, 20-200 cm long, woody. Lateral branches fastigiate. Ligule a fringe of hairs.

LEAVES: Leaf-blades flat, or convolute, 30-60 cm long, 7-15 mm wide. Leaf-blade surface smooth, or scaberulous, glabrous, or pubescent.

INFLORESCENCE: Panicle spiciform, linear, continuous, or interrupted, 8-30 cm long. Primary panicle branches accrescent to a central axis, axis with sessile scars, angular, puberulous, or pubescent, bearing deciduous spikelet clusters. Fertile spikelets 1-3-(5) in the cluster, 1 sessile. Spikelets subtended by an involucre composed of bristles, 15-30 mm long, base bluntly stipitate 0.5-1.5 mm long. Involucral bristles deciduous with the fertile spikelets, numerous, 15-30 mm long.

GLUMES: Dissimilar, shorter than spikelet, thinner than fertile lemma. Basal floret sterile, other floret fertile, without rhachilla extension. Basal sterile florets male, with palea. Lemma of lower sterile floret elliptic, 1 length of spikelet, chartaceous, setaceously attenuate. Fertile lemma lanceolate, 4.5-6.5 mm long, chartaceous, without keel. Lemma margins flat, apex setaceously attenuate. Palea chartaceous.

FLOWER: Soft, pink. Anthers 3, anther tip apiculate.

Habitat:

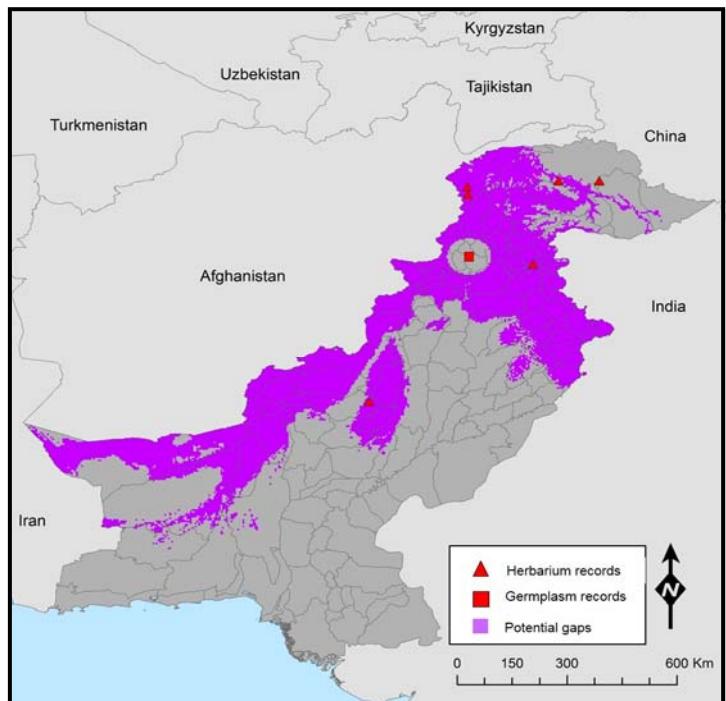
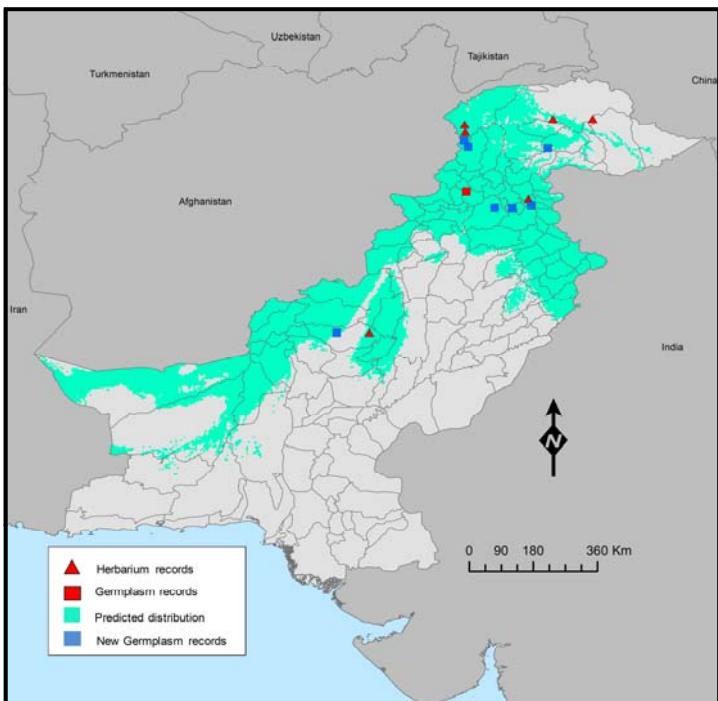
Well drained soil, sandy loams with good drainage.

Distribution:

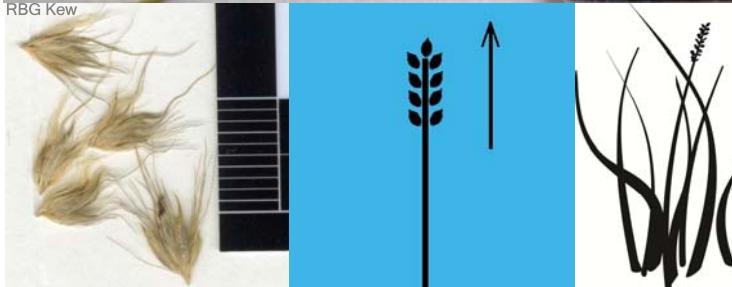
Native to Asia and North Africa.

Altitude: unknown

<i>Cenchrus orientalis</i>	May be confused with: <i>Pennisetum glaucum</i>
Panicle 8-30 cm long; 1-3 fertile spikelets per cluster, spikelets lanceolate, involucral bristles 15-30 mm long; glumes 2, dissimilar, apex acute or acuminate.	 



References: Clayton, W.D., Vorontsova, M.S., Harman, K.T. and Williamson, H. (2013). GrassBase - The Online World Grass Flora. <http://www.kew.org/data/grasses-db.html>.



Tertiary Gene Pool relative of *Eleusine coracana* (L.) Gaertn.

HABIT Perennial. Stolons present. Culms decumbent, 10-30(-90) cm long. Ligule a ciliate membrane.

LEAVES: Leaf-blades conduplicate, (1-)2.5-15 cm long by 2-3 mm wide, glaucous.

INFLORESCENCE: Racemes (2-)3-5, digitate, unilateral, 1.5-4.5 cm long. Rhachis deciduous from axis, angular, glabrous on margins. Spikelet packing broadside to rhachis, crowded. Spikelets appressed, solitary. Fertile spikelets sessile, comprising 4-8 fertile florets, with diminished florets at the apex. Spikelets elliptic, or oblong, laterally compressed, breaking up at maturity, disarticulating above glumes but not between florets.

GLUMES: Persistent, similar, shorter than spikelet, thinner than fertile lemma. Lower glume oblong, 0.5 length of upper glume, 1-keeled, 1-veined. Lower glume lateral veins absent, apex acute. Upper glume oblong, 0.7 length of adjacent fertile lemma, membranous, 1-keeled, 3-veined (all in keel). Upper glume apex acute. Fertile lemma ovate, 3.8-5.5 mm long, chartaceous, 1-keeled, 3-veined. Lemma surface glabrous, or pilose, hairy above, margins pubescent, hairy below, apex acute, muticous, or mucronate. Palea keels ciliate. Apical sterile florets resembling fertile though underdeveloped.

FRUIT: Caryopsis with free soft pericarp.

Habitat:

Desert and Xeric Shrubland.

Distribution:

Northeast Tropical Africa, Arabian Peninsula, Western Asia and Tropical Asia.

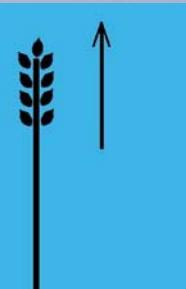
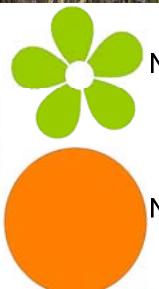
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<i>Chloris flagellifera</i>	May be confused with:

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Pakistan but no
localities known

All populations priority for
collection

References: <http://e-monocot.org/taxon/urn:kew.org:wcs:taxon:426104>

Tertiary Gene Pool relative of *Eleusine coracana* (L.) Gaertn.0.1-0.9
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HABIT: Clump-forming annuals. Culms geniculately ascending, or decumbent, slender, 15-90 cm long.

LEAVES: Mostly basal. Leaf-sheaths keeled, outer margin hairy. Leaf-blades conduplicate, 5-35 cm long, 2.5-6 mm wide.

INFLORESCENCE: Racemes 1-10(-17), single (rarely), or digitate, unilateral, 3.5-15.5 cm long, 3-3.5 mm wide. Spikelets comprising 3-9 fertile florets, with diminished florets at the apex. Spikelets elliptic, laterally compressed, 3-5 mm long, breaking up at maturity.

GLUMES: Persistent, similar, shorter than spikelet. Fertile lemma lanceolate in profile, 2.1-3.6 mm long, membranous, 3-veined (excluding subsidiaries). Lodicules 2, cuneate, fleshy.

FRUIT: Caryopsis with free soft pericarp, ellipsoid, isodiametric, trigonous, concealed by floret, 1-1.3 mm long, black, striate.

Habitat:

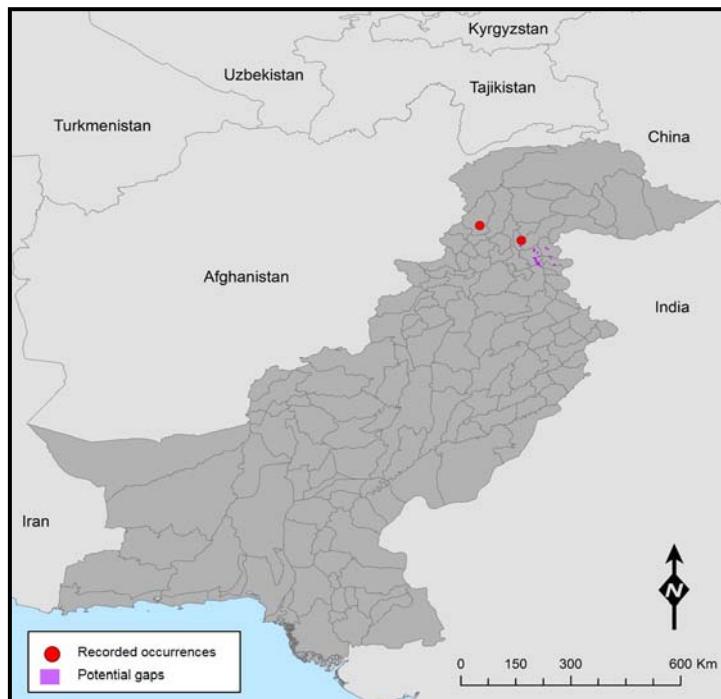
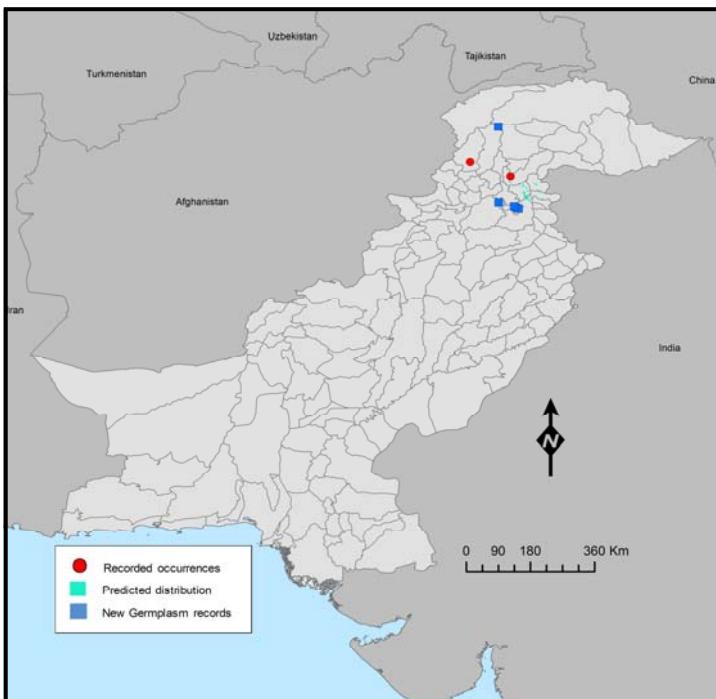
In open anthropic areas, grasslands and savannas in the Amazon Rainforest, Caatinga, Cerrado, Atlantic Rainforest and Pampa phytogeographic domains.

Distribution:

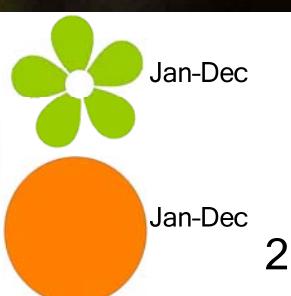
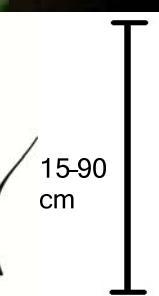
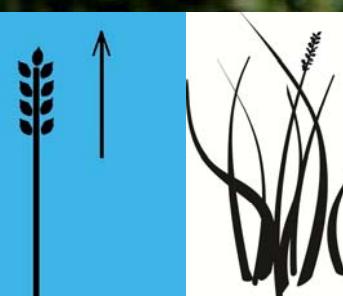
Widespread throughout Africa, the Americas, Southern Europe, Asia and Australasia. In Brazil in the North (AC, AM, AP, PA, RO, RR, TO); Northeast (AL, BA, CE, MA, PB, PE, PI, RN, SE); Central West (DF, GO, MS, MT); Southeast (ES, MG, RJ, SP), and South (PR, RS, SC).

Altitude: 0 - 1200 m

<i>Eleusine indica</i>	May be confused with: <i>Eleusine tristachya</i>
Spikes usually more than 3 cm long, usually less than 7 mm broad; backs of lemmas usually straight or very slightly curved towards apex.	Spikes less than 3 cm, 7-10 mm broad; backs curved inward towards lemma.



References: GrassBase - The Online World Grass Flora. <http://www.kew.org/data/grasses-db.html>
Eleusine in Flora do Brasil 2020. JBRJ. <http://floradobrasil.jbrj.gov.br/reflora/floradobrasil/FB13192>



Tertiary Gene Pool relative of *Hordeum vulgare* L.

HABIT: Plants perennial, tufted. Culms 40-80(-100) cm tall, ca. 2 mm in diam., (2)-3-5(-6)-noded, densely appressed hairy at nodes.

LEAVES: Leaf sheath membranous or fibrous, smooth, but those of lower leaves sometimes hairy, ligule 0.2-0.6 mm, membranous, auricles usually absent; leaf blade glaucous green, flat, 6-15 × 0.3-0.8(-1) cm, stiff, both surfaces scabrous or adaxial surface pilose.

INFLORESCENCE: Spike pale whitish glaucous or greenish violet to somewhat dark violet, 4-10 × (0.3)-0.5-0.7 cm, rachis usually tough except apically, margin scabrous hairy. Lateral spikelets pedicellate, male or perfect and setting seeds, glumes setaceous, rarely somewhat flattened at base, equal or proximal one slightly shorter (6-10 mm), lemma 5-7 mm, pubescent, awn 4-9 mm, palea usually equaling lemma. Central spikelet: sessile, lanceolate, glumes setaceous, 5-10 mm, lemma 5-7 mm, densely shortly hairy, awn 5-10 mm, palea subequaling lemma, apex truncate or acute.

FLOWER: Anthers 3, 1.4-2.4 mm long. Ovary pubescent on apex.

FRUIT: Caryopsis with adherent pericarp; sulcate on hilar side; hairy at apex. Hilum linear.

Habitat:

Alkaline or saline moist meadows, riverside sands, pebbles.

Distribution:

Afghanistan, China, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Mongolia, Pakistan, Russia (W Siberia), Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan.

Altitude: 1000 - 4000 m

<i>Hordeum bogdanii</i>	May be confused with: <i>Hordeum brevisubulatum</i>
Anthers 1.5 - 2.5 mm long.	Anthers 2.5-4 mm long.

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References: <http://www.kew.org/data/grasses-db/www/imp05421.htm>

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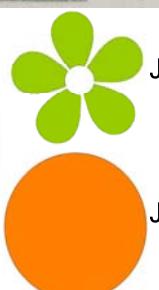
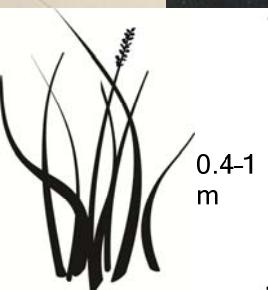
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Hordeum species



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Tertiary Gene Pool relative of *Hordeum vulgare* L.

HABIT: Perennial, tufted or with short rhizomes. Culms usually erect, glabrous or densely pubescent at nodes.

LEAVES: Leaf sheath usually fibrous at base, sometimes membranous, ± pubescent; ligule 0.2-0.7 mm, auricles present or absent; leaf blade flat or sometimes involute, (3-) 5-150 (-175) × (0.2-)0.6-5 (-7.1) cm, abaxial surface glabrous to scabrous or densely pilose, epidermis with straight or sinuous long cells, with or without silica cells, adaxial surface scabrous or densely pubescent or pilose.

INFLORESCENCE: Spike pale glaucous to greenish or grayish violet, (2.3-) 3-8.5 (-9.6) × 0.4-0.8 cm, rachis brittle. Lateral spikelets: usually developed, sometimes rudimentary, pedicellate; pedicel 0.9-2.3 mm. Central spikelet: sessile or subsessile, lanceolate; glumes setaceous, equal, 5.5-6.5 (-7) mm, lemma glabrous, subglabrous, pubescent, or densely pinkish violet pilose or long spinulose, apex acute-acuminate to shortly awned, awn usually shorter than lemma body, palea apex ± acute. Lodicules (0.6-)0.8-1.4 (-1.6) mm, ± pubescent distally and at margin, apex acute to acuminate.

FLOWER: Anthers yellow to violet, (2-) 2.5-4 mm.

FRUIT: Caryopsis yellow-brown to dark violet.

Habitat:

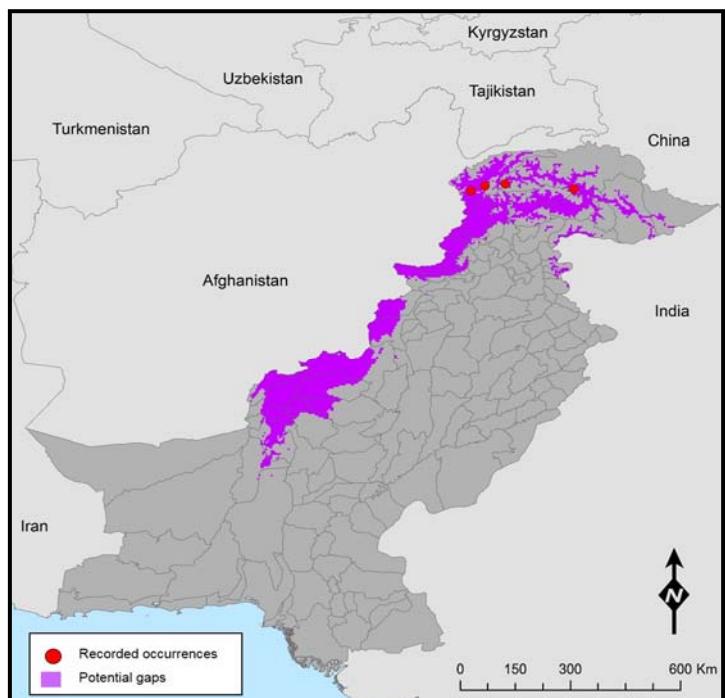
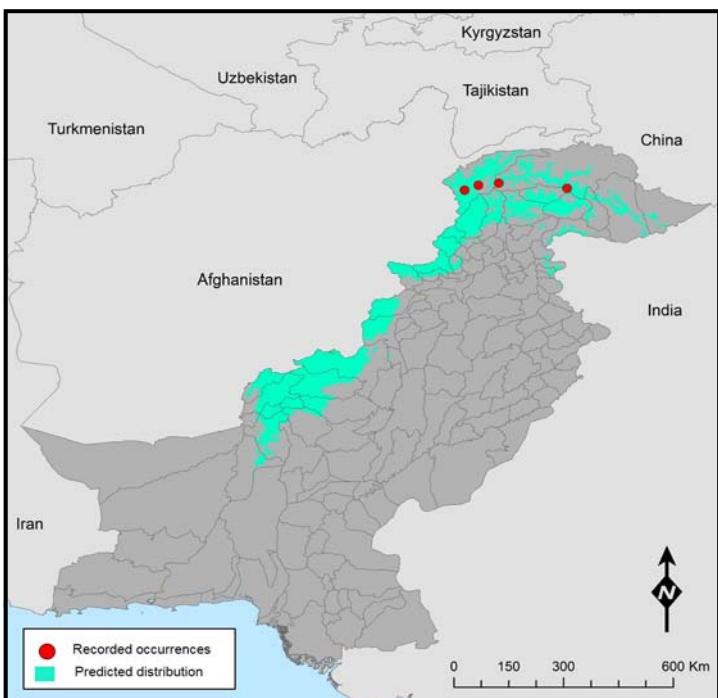
Steppe valleys at timberline, wet meadows, saline meadows, stream banks, salt steppes, dry valleys, dry stony slopes and other dry habitats, rarely as a weed.

Distribution:

Throughout Eastern Europe and Asia.

Altitude: 1400 - 5000 m

<i>Hordeum brevisubulatum</i>	May be confused with: <i>Hordeum bogdanii</i>
Anthers 2.5-4 mm long.	Anthers 1.5-2.5 mm long.



References: Flora of China, Volume 22, p396 via www.efloras.org
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Tertiary Gene Pool relative of *Hordeum vulgare* L.

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HABIT: Annual, culms solitary, or caespitose. Culms 10-40 cm long, 3-4-noded.

LEAVES: Leaf-sheath auricles absent, or falcate. Ligule an eciliate membrane, 0.5-1 mm long. Leaf-blades 1.5-8 cm long, 1-3.5 mm wide.

INFLORESCENCE: Racemes single, oblong, or ovate, bilateral, 2-6 cm long. Rhachis fragile at the nodes, flattened.

Spikelet packing broadside to rhachis, internodes oblong, falling with spikelet above. Spikelets in threes. Fertile spikelets sessile, 1 per cluster. Companion sterile spikelets pedicelled, 2 per cluster, well-developed, containing empty lemmas, lanceolate, dorsally compressed, 3-5 mm long, shorter than fertile, deciduous with the fertile. Companion sterile spikelet glumes markedly unequal in width, subulate, 8-26 mm long, winged on margins (upper glume), lemmas 1, exserted from glumes, 3-5 mm long, 1-awned. Fertile spikelets comprising 1 fertile florets, without rhachilla extension.

GLUMES: Collateral, similar; gaping. Florets Fertile lemma ovate, 6-8 mm long, coriaceous, 5 -veined.

FLOWER: Ovary apex pubescent.

FRUIT: Caryopsis with adherent pericarp; ellipsoid, sulcate on hilar side; hairy at apex. Embryo 0.2 length of caryopsis.

Hilum linear, 1 length of caryopsis.

Habitat:

Inland or coastal marshes, meadows and river beds, as a weed in pastures and on waste ground.

Distribution:

Distributed globally.

Altitude: 0 - 130 m

<i>Hordeum marinum</i>	May be confused with: <i>Hordeum depressum</i>
Awns of lateral spikelet 5-10 mm long.	Awns of lateral spikelet absent or no more than 1-2 mm long.

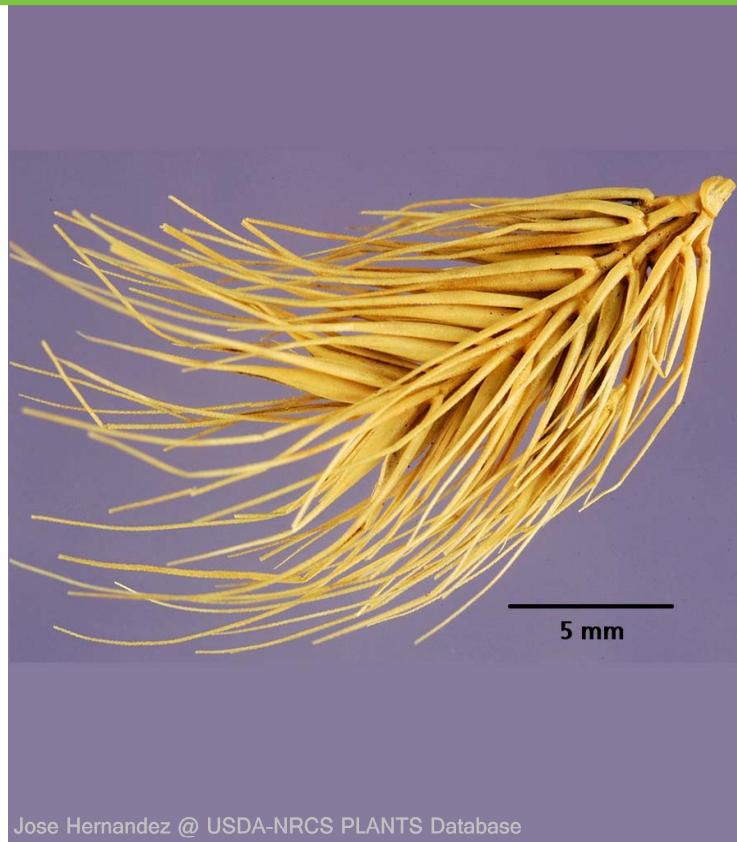
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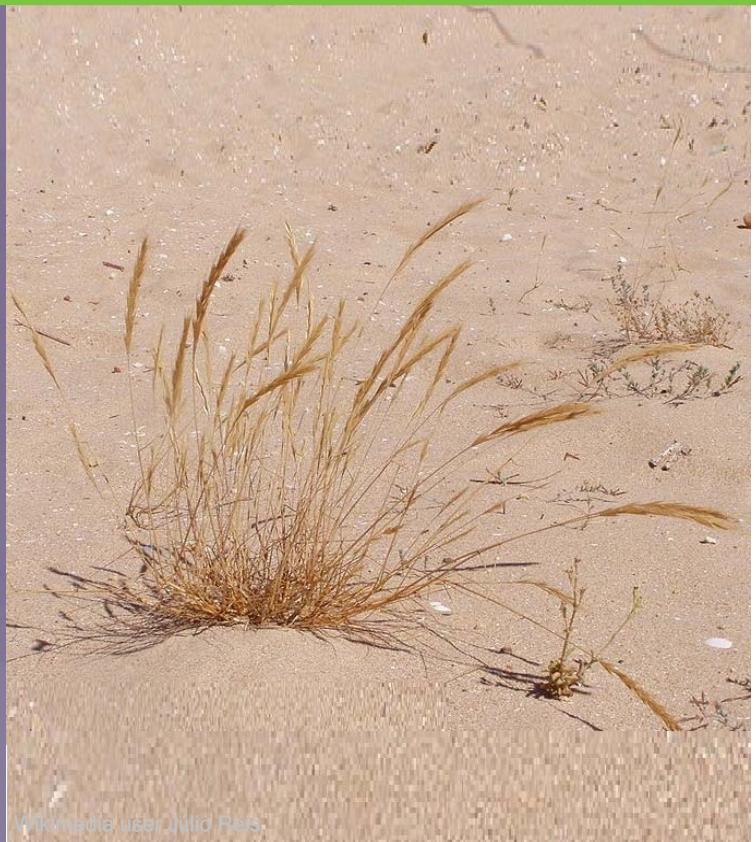
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Tertiary Gene Pool relative of *Hordeum vulgare* L.*Hordeum marinum* Huds.

Sea barley



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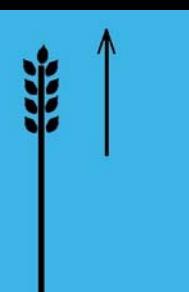
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HABIT: Annual, culms 5-50 cm high, tufted or solitary, erect or geniculately ascending.

LEAVES: Leaf-blades up to 20 cm long, 2-8 mm wide, glabrous or sparsely pubescent.

INFLORESCENCE: Spike oblong, strongly compressed, 2-7(-12) cm long, green or tinged with purple, rhachis sparsely ciliate on the margins, fragile. Central spikelet sessile or with a pedicel up to 1.8 mm long.

GLUMES: Lanceolate, long-awned, up to 26 mm long including the awn, fringed with hairs below, lemma lanceolate, 7-12 mm long, scabrid towards the tip, awn 18-50 torn long, anthers 0.2-1.4 mm long. Lateral spikelets well-developed, male or barren, pedicellate, glumes slightly dissimilar, the inner lanceolate, ciliate below, the outer setaceous, both long-awned, 16-30 mm long including the awn, lemma 7-11 mm long, with an awn 10-40 mm long, rhachilla extension slender or stout.

FRUIT: Caryopsis with adherent pericarp, ellipsoid, sulcate on hilar side, hairy at apex. Hilum linear, equalling length of caryopsis.

Habitat:

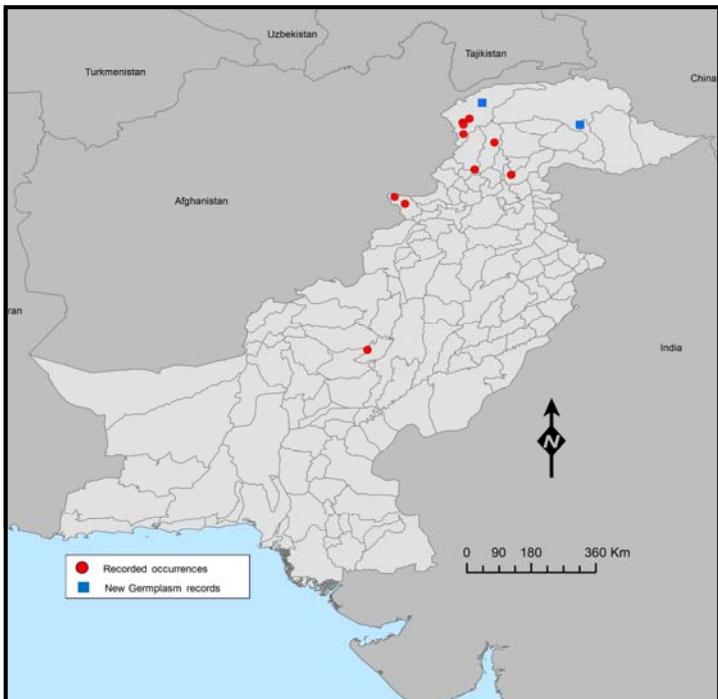
Found as a weed in disturbed habitats and cultivated land, but probably originally native to coastal areas, sandy riversides and grazed areas in wetlands.

Distribution:

Distributed globally.

Altitude: 0 - 1700 m

<i>Hordeum murinum</i>	May be confused with: <i>Hordeum vulgare</i>
Central spikelet pedicellate to subsessile, less than 2 mm wide; awn 2-4 cm long.	Central spikelet sessile, at least 3 mm wide; awn if present 5-15 cm long.



All populations priority for collection

References: Bothmer, R. von et al. (1991) An Ecogeographical Study of the Genus *Hordeum*. IBPGR, Rome.; Flora of Pakistan p635 via efloras.org



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Tertiary Gene Pool relative of *Oryza sativa* L. and *Oryza glaberrima* Steud.

HABIT: Perennial, sturdy, 1.2-1.8 m tall with sturdy, creeping, smooth, branching rhizome. Stalks erect, branching, round, glabrous (at nodes also), smooth at lower nodes, sometimes with adventitious roots.

LEAVES: Leaf sheaths open, somewhat longer than internodes, leathery, glabrous, smooth, shiny, with distinct reticulate venation as in aquatic plants. Leaves widely linear, long and thinly tapered, up to 45 cm long and 12 mm wide, flat, leathery, erect, with both sides glabrous, hard thorn like indentations along edge. Ligules very short, blunt, ciliated.

INFLORESCENCE : Panicle 10-17 cm long, erect, compressed, narrowly lanceolate. Axis ribbed. Spikelets erect, oblique-oblong, somewhat compressed from sides, thin, leathery, 11-17 mm long and 3-3.5 mm wide, placed somewhat imbricate on branches.

GLUMES: Flowering glumes about 10-15 mm and 0.25-2.5 mm wide (in folded form), leathery.

FRUIT: Oblong-lanceolate, dark brown, more or less orbicular in section.

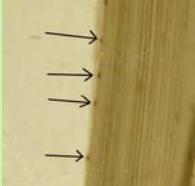
Habitat:

Riverbanks, sometimes brackish water.

Distribution:

Bangladesh, India, Pakistan and Myanmar.

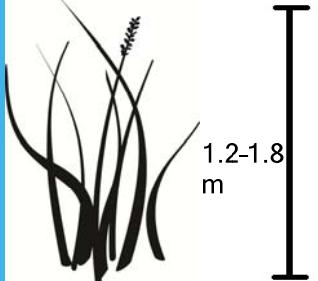
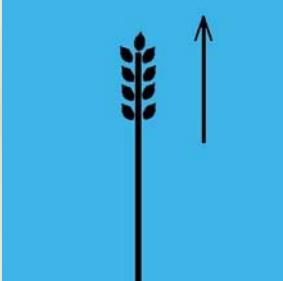
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<i>Oryza coarctata</i>	May be confused with: <i>Other wild Oryza species</i>
Branched stalk, +- leathery leaves with small thorn like teeth, non flattened fruit.	



All populations priority for collection

References: http://archive.gramene.org/species/oriza_species/o_coarctata.html

Tertiary Gene Pool relative of *Oryza sativa* L. and *Oryza glaberrima* Steud.

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HABIT: Annuals, Stems tufted,, erect or ascending, 50-120 cm tall, smooth, completely glabrous or sparsely to densely pilose below spike.

LEAVES: Leaf sheaths glabrous or villous. Leaf blades (3-)4-12 mm wide, flat or rolled, glaucous, glabrous or sparsely pilose, scabrid.

INFLORESCENCE: Spike simple, laterally compressed, erect, 4.5-13 cm long. Rachis fragile, sometimes tough basally, shortly ciliate along margins. Spikelets solitary at each node, 2-(3)-flowered.

GLUMES: Linear-subulate, 9-12 mm long, keels shortly scabrid-ciliate, acuminate or awned, awn if present up to 5 mm long, lemmas lanceolate, 8-12 mm long, keeled, rigid spines on the keel, awned, awn 2-7 cm long.

Habitat:

A common weed of grain crops.

Distribution:

Caucasus: Armenia, Western Asia: Afghanistan, Iraq, Iran, Indian Subcontinent: Pakistan.

Altitude: 1700 - 2700 m

<i>Secale cereale subsp. afghanicum</i>	May be confused with: <i>Secale montanum</i>
Annuals, usually glabrous; awns of lemmas much longer than lemma length.	Perennials, stems pilose below spike; awns of lemmas shorter than or equally lemma length.

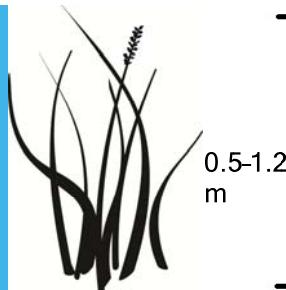
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HABIT: Perennial with vigorous spreading rhizomes. Culms 0.5-1.5 m long, 4-6 mm in diameter, nodes puberulous.
LEAVES: Leaf sheaths glabrous, blades linear or linear-lanceolate, 25-80 × 1-4 cm, glabrous, ligule 0.5-1 mm, glabrous.
INFLORESCENCE: Panicle lanceolate to pyramidal in outline, 20-40 cm, soft white hairs in basal axil; primary branches solitary or whorled, spreading, lower part bare, upper part branched, the secondary branches tipped by racemes, racemes fragile, composed of 2-5 spikelet pairs. Sessile spikelet elliptic, 4-5 mm, callus obtuse, bearded, lower glume sub-leathery, often pale yellow or yellowish brown at maturity, shortly pubescent or glabrescent, 5-7-veined, veins distinct in upper part, apex 3-denticulate, upper lemma acute and mucronate or 2-lobed and awned, awn 1-1.6 cm. Pedicelled spikelet staminate, narrowly lanceolate, 4.5-7 mm, often violet-purple.

Habitat:

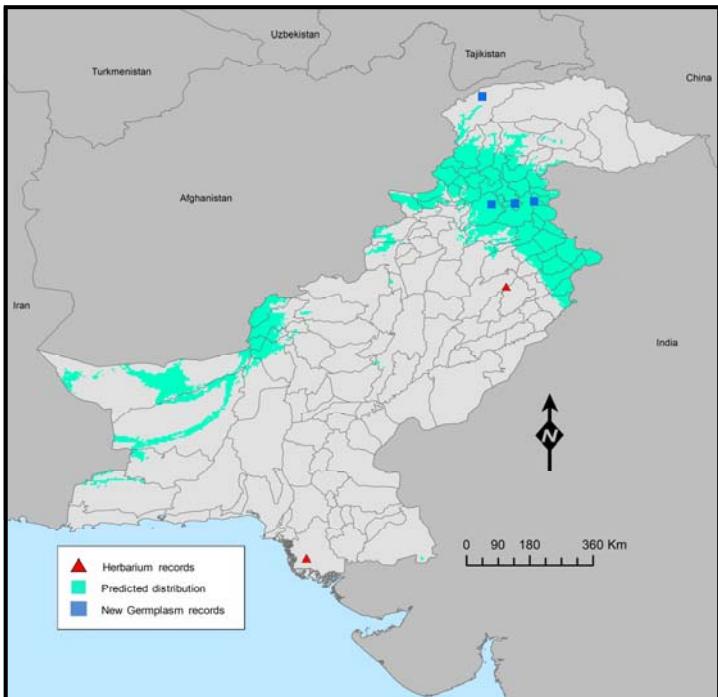
Streams, valleys, waste ground, and as a weed in fields.

Distribution:

Native to North Africa, South-central and Western Asia.

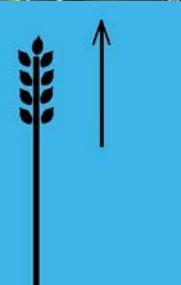
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<i>Sorghum halepense</i>	May be confused with: <i>Sorghum arundinaceum</i>
Leaves 1 to 4 cm wide.	Leaves narrower, 0.5 to 0.7 mm wide.



All populations priority for collection

References: Flora of China, Volume 22, pp 600-601.



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May - Oct

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Tertiary Gene Pool relative of *Sorghum bicolor* (L.) Moench

HABIT: Perennial forming loose tufts. Culms erect, 0.6–2 m tall; nodes bearded with pale spreading hairs. Leaf sheaths glabrous or pilose.

LEAVES: Leaf blades linear, 10–40(–50) × 0.4–1 cm, glabrous to hispid, bearded at base; ligule 1–1.5 mm.

INFLORESCENCE: Panicle lanceolate in outline, 15–30 cm, glabrous but with soft hairs at the nodes; primary branches whorled, simple, flexuous, 2–5 cm, lower part bare; racemes borne at branch ends, fragile, composed of 2–4 spikelet pairs; internodes and pedicels brown-ciliate. Sessile spikelet ovate-lanceolate, 3.5–5 mm; lower glume leathery, black-brown at maturity, glossy, glabrous below middle, upper part and margins hispid with brown hairs; upper lemma awnless or awned; awn 1–1.5 cm. Pedicelled spikelet usually staminate, elliptic, 3–3.7 mm, papery, light brown.

Habitat:

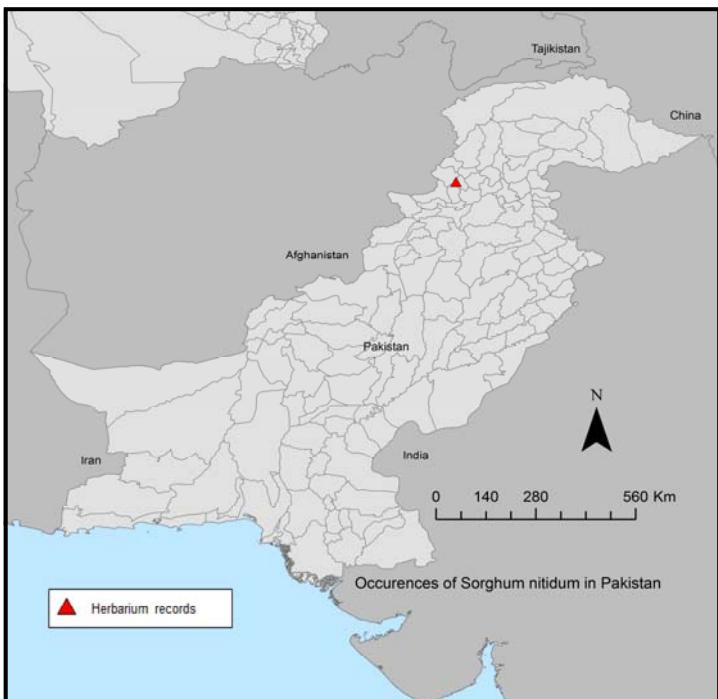
Meadows, grassy hillsides.

Distribution:

Native to Australia & New Zealand, Eastern Asia, Melanesia, Southcentral Asia and Southeastern Asia.

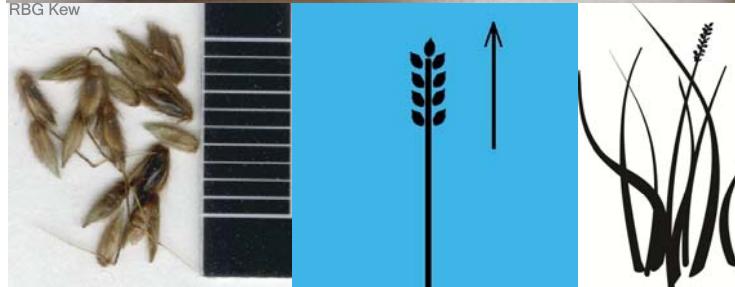
Altitude: 300–1400 m

<i>Sorghum nitidum</i>	May be confused with: <i>Sorghum bicolor</i>
Up to 2 m tall.	3–5 m tall.



References: Flora of China, Volume 22, p600.

All populations priority for collection

Tertiary Gene Pool relative of *Sorghum bicolor* (L.) Moench

HABIT: Perennials, often with creeping rhizomes. Stems 40-80 cm, usually glabrous, sometimes minutely pubescent on nodes.

LEAVES: Usually flat, somewhat glaucous, 2-6 mm wide, scabrid, often sparsely long-pilose on upper surface, glabrous below, closely and prominently veined, sheaths long-ciliate.

INFLORESCENCE: Spicate, 10-20 cm, erect, dense or lax, rachis spinulose-ciliate on angles. Spikelets with 4-6 florets, compressed laterally. Glumes 5-8.5 mm, subequal, oblong or lanceolate-oblong, usually 5-veined, scabrid on keel towards apex, apex usually obtuse or truncate, sometimes with a small mucro. Lemma 8-11 mm, keeled at apex, apex obtuse or mucronate. Palea ciliate on keels.

GILUMES: Oblong, weakly keeled distally, glabrous and mostly smooth or strigose with 1-1.5 mm hairs, hairs usually evenly distributed, keels scabrous, at least distally, midvein usually more prominent and longer than the lateral veins, margins not hyaline or hyaline near the apices.

FLOWER: Anthers 5-7 mm.

Habitat:

Temperate mixed forest.

Distribution:

Native to central Europe, the Balkans, and Asia Minor.

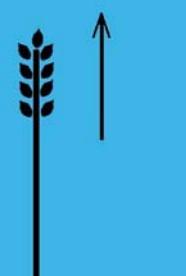
Altitude: 500 - 3000 m

<i>Thinopyrum intermedium</i>	May be confused with:

Reported from Pakistan
but no localities known

All populations priority for collection

References: Davis, P.H. (ed.) (1985). Flora of Turkey and the East Aegean Islands 9: 222-224. [as *Elymus hispidus*]; <http://swbiodiversity.org/seinet/imagerlib/imgdetails.php?imgid=233200>



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Secondary relative of *Malus domestica* Borkh.

HABIT: Shrub or tree, up to 10(-15) m tall, unarmed. Branches purplish brown, densely tomentose becoming glabrescent. Stipules linear, 3-5(-10) mm, tomentose, usually caducous. Petioles 1.5-3 cm, tomentose.

LEAVES: Leaf blade usually elliptic to ovate, 2.5-10 x 2-5.5 cm, base rounded to broadly cuneate, apex obtuse or acute to acuminate, margin crenate to serate, tomentose on both surfaces becoming glabrescent adaxially.

INFLORESCENCE: Corymbose or umbellate, 3-7 flowered, pedicels (0.5)-1-2.5 cm long, tomentose, bracts caducous, linear-lanceolate, tomentose.

FLOWER: White or tinged pink, deep pink abaxially, hypanthium 4-5(-8) mm, densely tomentose, campanulate. Sepals triangular-ovate to lanceolate, 5-8 mm, densely tomentose to glabrescent on both surfaces, apex acuminate. Petals obovate to elliptic, 1-2 x 0.7-1.2 cm, shortly clawed. Stamens 20(-30), ca. half as long as petals. Stylodia 5, slightly longer than stamens, tomentose at base. Pomes sublobose to ovate-ellipsoid or obovate-ellipsoid, usually impressed at apex and base, (2)-3-8 x 2.5-7 cm, red, yellow or green at maturity, thickly fleshy, floral parts persistent.

Habitat:

Growing among cedars in no way cultivated, owned or near land cultivated in the past.

Distribution:

Native to Pakistan, SW Asia and Europe.

Altitude: 2200 - 2500 m

<i>Malus chitralensis</i>	May be confused with:

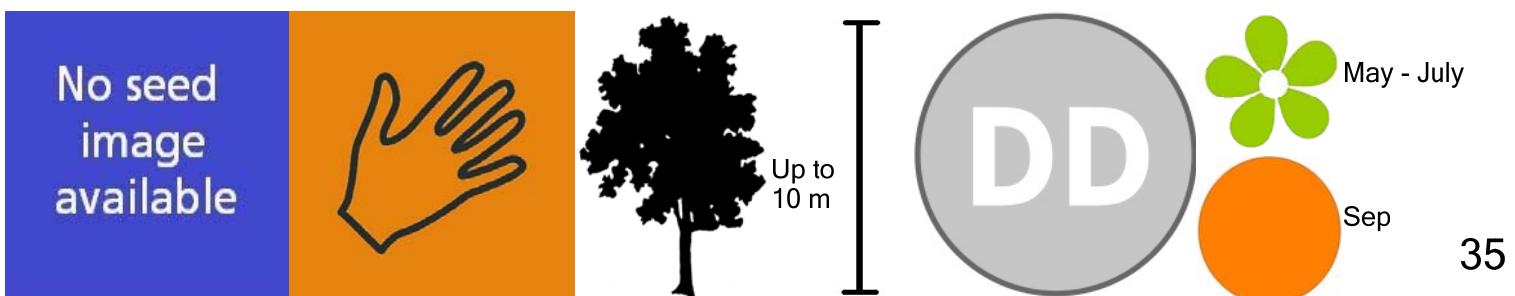


All populations priority for collection

References:

Secondary relative of *Malus domestica* Borkh.

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Primary Gene Pool relative of *Solanum melongena*

HABIT: Erect, rhizomatous perennial shrub, 0.5-1.5 m high. Branchlets brown or green. Branchlet prickles curved, broad-based, 3-7 mm long.

LEAVES: Ovate or broadly ovate, shallowly lobed throughout. Leaves 3.5-8.5 cm long, 2.3-5 cm wide, Upper leaf surface grey-green; Lower leaf surface green or greenish-white or white, grey.

INFLORESCENCE: Supra-axillary, solitary or sessile (rachis very short or absent). 1-3-flowered, with one bisexual flower, the rest male.

FLOWER: 5-merous, markedly dimorphic, with larger pricklier basal flower(s). Corolla purple, 9-12 mm long, rotate, inner surface sparsely stellate-hairy.

FRUIT: Fruit a spherical berry, 1 per infructescence, 1.5-3 cm in diameter, the pericarp smooth, dark green with pale green and cream markings when young, yellow at maturity, glabrous; fruiting pedicels 1.5-2.2 cm long, 1.5-3 mm in diameter at base, woody, pendulous, with 0-5 prickles; fruiting calyx lobes elongating to 9-15 mm long, 1/4-1/3 the length of the mature fruit, reflexed, with 2-30 prickles.

SEEDS: ca. 50-150 per berry, 2.4-2.8 mm long, 1.8-2.2 mm wide, flattened-reniform, orange-brown.

Habitat:

Usually found in moist habitats, sometimes associated with disturbance, degraded scrubland and secondary vegetation.

Distribution:

Native to Southcentral Asia: Afghanistan, India and Pakistan.

Altitude: 0 - 500 m

<i>Solanum insanum</i>	May be confused with: <i>Solanum incanum</i>
Prickles 0.5-5 mm at the base; leaves 2.5-12 cm long by 1.3-8 cm wide.	Prickles 1.5-6 mm at the base; leaves 6-22 cm long by 4-15 cm wide.

Reported from Pakistan
but no localities known

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References: Bean, A.R. 2012 onwards. Solanum species of eastern and northern Australia. Version: 23rd June 2012. <http://delta-intkey.com>
Accessed 6/11/2012



RBG Kew



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HABIT: Herbs erect or creeping, sometimes woody at base, 0.5-0.7 m tall, copiously armed with sturdy, needlelike, broad-based prickles 0.5-2 cm × 0.5-1.5 mm, pubescent with 7-9-rayed stellate hairs, overall glabrescent.

LEAVES: Unequal paired; petiole 2-3.5 cm, prickly, with sessile stellate hairs; leaf blade ovate-oblong, 4-9 × 2-4.5 cm, pubescent and prickly along veins, glabrescent, base subcordate or unequal, margin usually 5-9-lobed or pinnately parted, lobes unequal, sinuate, apex acute.

INFLORESCENCE: Elongate racemes 4-7 cm, peduncle unbranched, copiously armed. Pedicel ca. 1 cm.

FLOWER: Calyx campanulate, ca. 1 cm in diam.; lobes oblong, pubescent, prickly. Corolla blue-purple, rotate, 1.4-1.6 × 2.5 cm; lobes ovate-deltate, 6-8 mm, densely pubescent with stellate hairs. Filaments ca. 1 mm; anthers ca. 8 mm. Style ca. 1 cm.

FRUIT: Fruiting pedicel 2-3.6 cm, with prickles and sparse stellate hairs. Fruiting calyx prickly, sparsely pubescent. Berry pale yellow, 1.3-2.2 cm in diam.

SEEDS: Subreniform, ca. 1.5 mm in diam.

Habitat:

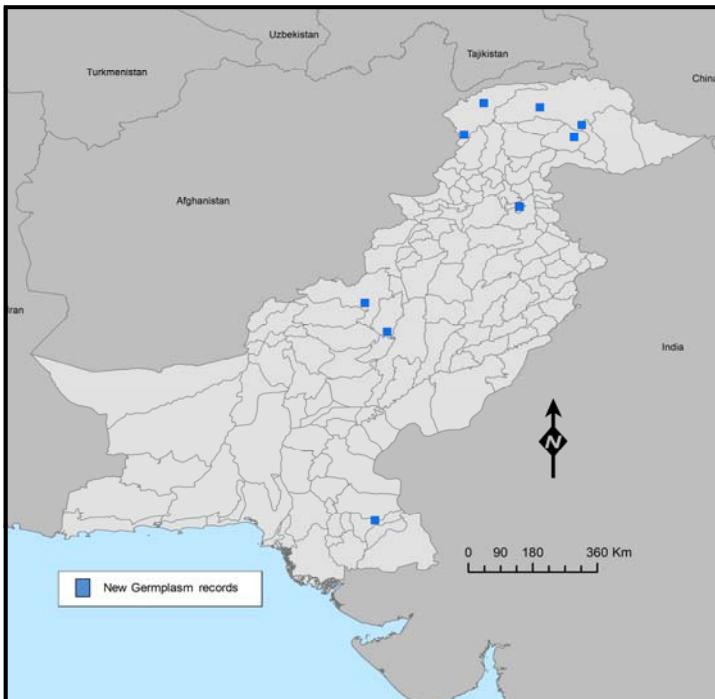
Sandy river beaches.

Distribution:

China, Afghanistan, India, S Japan, Malaysia, Nepal, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Vietnam; Africa, SW Asia, Pacific Islands.

Altitude: 100 -1300 m

<i>Solanum virginianum</i>	May be confused with: <i>Solanum violaceum</i>
Prickles straight and needle-like. Berry pale yellow.	Prickles recurved. Berry orange.



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References: Flora of China http://www.efloras.org/florataxon.aspx?flora_id=2&taxon_id=200020613

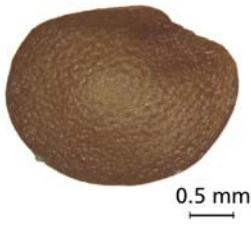


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<i>Daucus carota</i> subsp. <i>carota</i>	1	No Synonyms
<i>Ipomoea caracea</i>	2	<i>Batatas cavanillesii</i> (Roem. & Schult.) G. Don; <i>Batatas senegalensis</i> G. Don; <i>Convolvulus cairicus</i> L.; <i>Convolvulus cavanillesii</i> (Roem. & Schult.) Spreng.; <i>Convolvulus limphanticus</i> Vell.; <i>Ipomoea cavanillesii</i> Roem. & Schult.; <i>Ipomoea funaria</i> Larrañaga; <i>Ipomoea heptaphylla</i> Griseb.; <i>Ipomoea pentaphylla</i> Cav.; <i>Ipomoea rosea</i> var. <i>pluripartita</i> Hassl.; <i>Ipomoea senegalensi</i> Lam.; <i>Ipomoea vesiculosa</i> P. Beauv.
<i>Cajanus crassus</i>	3	<i>Atylosia crassa</i> Prain ex King; <i>Atylosia volubilis</i> (Blanco) Gamble; <i>Cantharospermum volabile</i> (Blanco) Merr.; <i>Cantharospermum volubilis</i> (Blanco) Merr.
<i>Cajanus mollis</i>	4	<i>Atylosia mollis</i> "Benth., p.p. B"; <i>Cantharospermum molle</i> (Benth.) Taub.; <i>Cantharospermum molle</i> (Benth.) Taub. ; <i>Collaea mollis</i> Wall.
<i>Cajanus platycarpus</i>	5	<i>Atylosia geminiflora</i> Dalz.; <i>Atylosia platycarpa</i> Benth.; <i>Cantharospermum distans</i> Royle ex Baker; <i>Cantharospermum geminiflorum</i> (Dalz.) Raiz.; <i>Cantharospermum platycarpum</i> (Benth.) Raiz.
<i>Cajanus scarabaeoides</i>	6	<i>Dolichos scarabaeoides</i> L.; <i>Atylosia pauciflora</i> (Wight & Arnott) Druce; <i>Atylosia scarabaeoides</i> (Linnaeus) Bentham; <i>Atylosia scarabaeoides</i> var. <i>argyrophyllus</i> Y. T. Wei & S. K. Lee; <i>Cajanus scarabaeoides</i> var. <i>argyrophyllus</i> (Y. T. Wei & S. K. Lee) Y. T. Wei & S. K. Lee; <i>Cantharospermum pauciflorum</i> Wight & Arnott; <i>Cantharospermum scarabaeoides</i> (Linnaeus) Baillon; <i>Dolichos medicagineus</i> Roxburgh; <i>Dolichos minutus</i> Wight & Arnott; <i>Rhynchosia biflora</i> Candolle; <i>Rhynchosia scarabaeoides</i> (Linnaeus) Candolle; <i>Stizolobium scarabaeoides</i> (Linnaeus) Sprengel
<i>Cicer acanthophyllum</i>	7	<i>Cicer garanicum</i> Boriss.
<i>Cicer macracanthum</i>	8	<i>Cicer songaricum</i> (DC.) Bunge var. <i>spinosum</i> Aitch.
<i>Cicer microphyllum</i>	9	No Synonyms
<i>Cicer nuristanicum</i>	10	No Synonyms
<i>Lathyrus hirsutus</i>	11	No Synonyms
<i>Lens culinaris</i> subsp. <i>orientalis</i>	12	<i>Ervum orientale</i> Boiss.; <i>Lens orientalis</i> (Boiss.) Hand. Mazz.
<i>Medicago sativa</i> L. subsp. <i>falcata</i>	13	<i>Medicago falcata</i> L.

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Vicia sativa L. subsp. nigra	14	Vicia angustifolia L.; Vicia angustifolia subsp. angustifolia L.; Vicia angustifolia subsp. pusilla Boiss.; Vicia angustifolia var. segetalis (Thuill.) Arcang.; Vicia angustifolia subsp. segetalis (Thuill.) Arcang.; Vicia angustifolia var. uncinata (Desv.) Rouy; Vicia bobartii E.Forst.; Vicia bobartii Koch; Vicia canadensis Zuccagni; Vicia cuneata Guss.; Vicia debilis Perez Lara; Vicia heterophylla C.Presl; Vicia lanciformis Lange; Vicia maculata C.Presl; Vicia pilosa M.Bieb.; Vicia sativa var. angustifolia (L.) Wahlb.; Vicia sativa var. angustifolia L.; Vicia sativa subsp. angustifolia (L.) Gaudin; Vicia sativa subsp. angustifolia (L.) Batt.; Vicia sativa subsp. consobrina (Pomel) Quezel & Santa; Vicia sativa subsp. cordata (Hoppe) Batt.; Vicia sativa subsp. cuneata (Guss.) Maire; Vicia sativa subsp. heterophylla (C.Presl) J.Duvign.; Vicia sativa var. minor (Bertol.) Ohwi; Vicia sativa var. nigra L.; Vicia segatalis Thuill.
Aegilops cylindrica	15	Aegilops cylindrica Host subsp. pauciaristata Eig; Cylindropyrum cylindricum (Host) A. Love; Cylindropyrum cylindricum (Host) A. Love subsp. pauciaristatum (Eig) A. Love; Triticum cylindricum (Host) Ces.
Aegilops tauschii	16	Aegilops squarrosa L. misapplied by Cav.; Aegilops squarrosa L. var. anathera Eig; Aegilops squarrosa L. var. meyeri Griseb.; Aegilops squarrosa L. subsp. salinum Zhuk.; Aegilops squarrosa L. subsp. strangulata Eig; Aegilops tauschii Coss. var. anathera (Eig) K. Hammer; Aegilops tauschii Coss. var. meyerii (Griseb.) Tzvelev; Aegilops tauschii Coss. subsp. strangulata (Eig) Tzvelev; Aegilops tauschii Coss. subsp. tauschii; Patropyrum tauschii (Coss.) A.Love; Patropyrum tauschii (Coss.) A. Love subsp. salinum (Zhuk.) A.Love; Patropyrum tauschii (Coss.) A. Love subsp. strangulata (Eig) A.Love; Triticum tauschii (Coss.) Schmalh.
Aegilops triuncialis var. triuncialis	17	Aegilopodes triuncialis (L.) A.Love; Aegilops elongata Lam.; Aegilops squarrosa L.; Aegilops triuncialis L. var. assyriaca Eig; Aegilops triuncialis L. subsp. triuncialis; Triticum triunciale (L.) Raspail
Avena barbata	18	Avena agadiriana B.R.Baum & G.Fedak; Avena alba var. barbata (Link) Maire & Weiller; Avena almeriensis Gand.; Avena atheranthera C.Presl; Avena atlantica B.R.Baum & G.Fedak; Avena canariensis B.R.Baum, Rajhathy & D.R.Sampson; Avena cypria Sibth.; Avena damascena Rajhathy & B.R.Baum; Avena hirsuta Roth; Avena hirtula Lag.; Avena hoppeana Scheele; Avena lagascae Sennen; Avena lusitanica (Tab.Morais) B.R.Baum; Avena malzevii Tzvelev; Avena matritensis B.R.Baum; Avena maxima C.Presl; Avena sallentiana Pau; Avena sativa var. barbata (Pott ex Link) Fiori; Avena serrulatiglumis Sennen & Mauricio; Avena wiestii Steud; Avena matritensis B.R.Baum; Avena lusitanica (Tab. Morais) B.R.Baum

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Avena fatua	19	Anelytrum avenaceum Hack.; Avena ambigua Schoenb.; Avena cultiformis (Malzev) Malzev; Avena fatua subsp. brevipilosa Kiec; Avena fatua subsp. cultiformis Malzev; Avena fatua subsp. glabrata (Peterm.) Piper & Beattie; Avena fatua subsp. meridionalis Malzev; Avena fatua subsp. septentrionalis (Malzev) Malzev; Avena fatua subvar. naniformis Yamag.; Avena fatua subvar. pseudonana Yamag.; Avena fatua subvar. pumila Yamag.; Avena fatua subvar. zine Yamag.; Avena fatua var. acidophila Kiec; Avena fatua var. alcaliphila Kiec; Avena fatua var. alta Kiec; Avena fatua var. altissima Kiec; Avena fatua var. elongata Malzev; Avena fatua var. glabrata Peterm.; Avena fatua var. glabrescens Coss. & Durieu; Avena fatua var. gravis Kiec; Avena fatua var. hyugaensis Yamag.; Avena fatua var. intermedia (T.Lestib.) Lej. & Courtois; Avena fatua var. leiocarpa Malzev; Avena fatua var. levigata Kiec; Avena fatua var. longiflora Malzev; Avena fatua var. longispiculata Malzev; Avena fatua var. mollis Keng; Avena fatua var. nipponica Yamag.; Avena fatua var. pilosa Syme; Avena fatua var. pilosiformis Yamag.; Avena fatua var. pilosissima Gray; Avena fatua var. pseudoculta Malzev; Avena fatua var. vilis (Wallr.) Hausskn.; Avena hybrida Peterm.; Avena intermedia Lindgr.; Avena intermedia T.Lestib.; Avena japonica Steud.; Avena lanuginosa Gilib.; Avena ludoviciana subvar. glabrescens (Durieu ex Godr.) Husn.; Avena ludoviciana var. glabrescens Durieu ex Godr.; Avena meridionalis (Malzev) Roshev.; Avena meridionalis var. grandis Roshev.; Avena nigra Wallr.; Avena occidentalis Durieu; Avena patens St.-Lag.; Avena pilosa Scop.; Avena sativa subsp. fatua (L.) Fiori; Avena sativa var. fatua (L.) Fiori; Avena sativa var. sericea Hook.f.; Avena septentrionalis Malzev; Avena sterilis Delile ex Boiss.; Avena sterilis subvar. glabrescens (Durieu ex Godr.) Husn.; Avena sterilis var. glabrescens (Durieu ex Godr.) Malzev; Avena vilis Wallr.
Avena hybrida	20	Avena fatua var. hybrida (Peterm.) Aschers.; Avena intermedia Lestib.; Avena fatua var. intermedia (Lestib.) Lej. et Court; Avena vilis Wallr.; Avena intermedia Lindgr.; Avena japonica Steud.; Avena fatua var. glabra Ducomm.; Avena fatua var. intermedia (Lindgr.) Ducomm.; Avena fatua var. contracta Hausskn.; Avena fatua var. villis (Wallr.) Hausskn.; Avena fatua var. intermedia (Lindgr.) Husnot; Avena fatua var. glabrescens Tourlet; Avena septentrionalis Malz.; Avena fatua ssp. fatua f. hybrida (Peterm.) Thell.; Avena fatua ssp. fatua f. intermedia (Lestib.) Thell.; Avena fatua ssp. meridionalis Malz.; Avena fatua ssp. septentalis (Malz.) Malz.; Avena fatua ssp. fatua var. vilis (Wallr.) Malz.; Avena fatua ssp. meridionalis var. elongata Malz.; Avena fatua ssp. meridionalis var. grandis Malz.; Avena fatua ssp. meridionalis var. grandis subv. scabriuscula Malz.; Avena fatua ssp. meridionalis var. longiflora Malz.; Avena fatua ssp. meridionalis var. longispiculata Malz.; Avena fatua ssp. septentrionalis var. glabellula Malz.; Avena fatua ssp. septentrionalis var. glabripaleata Malz.; Avena fatua ssp. septentrionalis var. sparsepilosa Malz.; Avena fatua ssp. septentrionalis var. valdepilosa Malz. Avena meridionalis (Malz.) Roshev. [Synonymy from Baum (1977); The Plant List considers this species to be a synonym of Avena fatua L.]

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<i>Avena sterilis</i>	21	<i>Avena fatua</i> var. <i>sterilis</i> (L.) Fiori & Paol.; <i>Avena macrocarpa</i> Moench; <i>Avena nutans</i> St.-Lag.; <i>Avena sativa</i> var. <i>sterilis</i> (L.) Fiori; <i>Avena sterilis</i> subsp. <i>macrocarpa</i> Briq.
<i>Avena trichophylla</i>	22	Most sources consider this name to be a synonym of <i>Avena sterilis</i> subsp. <i>ludoviciana</i> (Durieu) Gillet & Magne
<i>Cenchrus orientalis</i>	23	<i>Pennisetum orientale</i> (Rich.) Willd.; <i>Alopecurus hordeiformis</i> Willd. ex Steud.; <i>Cenchrus orientalis</i> (Pers.) Willd. ex Kunth; <i>Cenchrus orientalis</i> (Rich.) Morrone; <i>Panicum orientale</i> (Rich.) Willd.; <i>Pennisetum fasciculatum</i> Trin.; <i>Pennisetum griffithii</i> Munro ex Hook.f.; <i>Pennisetum orientale</i> var. <i>fasciculatum</i> (Trin.) Leeke; <i>Pennisetum orientale</i> var. <i>triflorum</i> (Nees ex Steud.); <i>Pennisetum persicum</i> Boiss. & Buhse; <i>Pennisetum phalariforme</i> Steud.; <i>Pennisetum setaceum</i> subsp. <i>orientale</i> (Rich.) Maire; <i>Pennisetum setaceum</i> var. <i>orientale</i> (Rich.) Maire; <i>Pennisetum sphaericum</i> Decne.; <i>Pennisetum tenuifolium</i> Fig. & De Not.; <i>Pennisetum triflorum</i> Nees ex Steud.; <i>Pennisetum variabile</i> Fig. & De Not.
<i>Chloris flagellifera</i>	24	<i>Eleusine arabica</i> Hochst. ex Steud.; <i>Eleusine caespitosa</i> A.Rich.; <i>Eleusine compressa</i> (Forssk.) Asch. & Schweinf. ex C.Chr.; <i>Eleusine flagellifera</i> Nees; <i>Eleusine stolonifera</i> R.Br.; <i>Ochthochloa dactyloides</i> Edgew.; <i>Panicum compressum</i> Forssk.; <i>Ochthochloa compressa</i> (Forssk.) Hilu
<i>Eleusine indica</i>	25	<i>Agropyron geminatum</i> Schult. & Schult.f.; <i>Chloris repens</i> Steud.; <i>Cynodon indicus</i> (L.) Raspail; <i>Cynosurus arachnoides</i> Buch.-Ham. ex Wall.; <i>Cynosurus indicus</i> L.; <i>Cynosurus pectinatus</i> Lam.; <i>Eleusine distachya</i> Trin. ex Steud.; <i>Eleusine distans</i> Link; <i>Eleusine distans</i> Moench; <i>Eleusine dominicensis</i> Sieber ex Schult.; <i>Eleusine glabra</i> Schumach.; <i>Eleusine gonantha</i> Schrank; <i>Eleusine gouinii</i> E.Fourn.; <i>Eleusine inaequalis</i> E.Fourn.; <i>Eleusine indica</i> var. <i>major</i> E.Fourn.; <i>Eleusine indica</i> var. <i>monostachya</i> F.M.Bailey; <i>Eleusine indica</i> var. <i>oligostachya</i> Honda; <i>Eleusine indica</i> var. <i>sandaensis</i> Vanderyst; <i>Eleusine japonica</i> Steud.; <i>Eleusine macrosperma</i> Stokes; <i>Eleusine marginata</i> Lindl.; <i>Eleusine polydactyla</i> Steud.; <i>Eleusine rigidifolia</i> E.Fourn.; <i>Eleusine scabra</i> E.Fourn.; <i>Eleusine textilis</i> Welw.; <i>Juncus luteo-aroana</i> Schult. & Schult.f.; <i>Leptochloa pectinata</i> (Lam.) Kunth; <i>Paspalum dissectum</i> Kniph.; <i>Poa spicata</i> Willd. ex Steud.; <i>Triticum geminatum</i> Spreng.
<i>Hordeum bogdanii</i>	26	<i>Critesion bogdanii</i> (Wilensky) Á.Löve; <i>Hordeum secalinum</i> var. <i>bogdanii</i> (Wilensky) Roshev.

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Hordeum brevisubulatum		Critesion brevisubulatum (Trin.) Á.Löve; Critesion brevisubulatum subsp. nevskianum (Bowden) Á.Löve; Critesion brevisubulatum subsp. turkestanicum (Nevski) Á.Löve; Critesion iranicum (Bothmer) Á.Löve; Critesion nevskianum (Bowden) Tzvelev; Critesion turkestanicum (Nevski) Tzvelev; Critesion violaceum (Boiss. & Hohenacker) Á.Löve; Hordeum brevisubulatum var. hirtellum Z.S.Qin & S.D.Zhao; Hordeum brevisubulatum subsp. iranicum Bothmer; Hordeum brevisubulatum subsp. nevskianum (Bowden) Tzvelev; Hordeum brevisubulatum var. nevskianum (Bowden) Tzvelevonym; Hordeum brevisubulatum var. nevskianum (Bowden) C. Yen & J.L. Yang; Hordeum brevisubulatum var. puberulum (Krylov) Melderis; Hordeum brevisubulatum subsp. turkestanicum (Nevski) Tzvelev; Hordeum brevisubulatum var. turkestanicum (Nevski) P.C.Kuo; Hordeum brevisubulatum subsp. violaceum (Boiss. & Huet) Tzvelev; Hordeum iranicum (Bothmer) Tzvelev; Hordeum macilentum Steud.; Hordeum nevskianum Bowden; Hordeum secalinum subsp. brevisubulatum (Trin.) Krylov; Hordeum secalinum var. brevisubulatum Trin.; Hordeum secalinum f. puberulum Krylov; Hordeum turkestanicum Nevski; Hordeum turkestanicum var. iranicum (Bothmer) C. Yen & J.L. Yang; Hordeum violaceum Boiss. & Hohen.
Hordeum marinum	28	Hordeum berteroanum É.Desv.; Hordeum caudatum V.Jirásek; Hordeum marinum subsp. marinum; Hordeum marinum var. pubescens (Guss.) Nevski; Hordeum maritimum Stokes [Illegitimate]; Hordeum maritimum var. annuum (Lange) Maire & Weiller; Hordeum maritimum var. pubescens (Guss.) Woods; Hordeum pratense var. annuum Lange; Hordeum pubescens Guss.; Hordeum rigidum Roth; Hordeum winkleri Hack.; Zeocriton rigidum (Roth) P.Beauv.
Hordeum murinum	29	Critesion murinum (L.) Á.Löve; Critesion murinum subsp. murinum; Hordeum boreale Gand.; Hordeum coleophorum Phil.; Hordeum delphicum Gand.; Hordeum depilatum Gand.; Hordeum dilatatum Gand.; Hordeum elongatum Gand.; Hordeum flexicaule Gand.; Hordeum hohenackeri Gand.; Hordeum microcladum Gand.; Hordeum murinum var. glaucescens Zapal.; Hordeum murinum var. leptostachys Trab.; Hordeum murinum var. majus Godr.; Hordeum murinum f. montanum Hack.; Hordeum murinum subsp. montanum (Hack.) H.Scholz & Raus; Hordeum murinum subsp. murinum ; Hordeum murinum subsp. setariurum H.Scholz & Raus; Hordeum murinum var. simulans Bowden; Hordeum neglectum Gand.; Hordeum pseudomurinum Tapp. ex W.D.J.Koch; Hordeum rubens Willk.; Hordeum vaginatum K.Koch; Triticum murale Salisb. [Illegitimate]; Zeocriton murinum (L.) P.Beauv.
Oryza coarctata	30	Indoryza coarctata (Roxb.) A.N.Henry & B.Roy; Oryza triticoides Griff.; Porteresia coarctata (Roxb.) Tateoka; Sclerophyllum coarctatum (Roxb.) Griff.

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<i>Secale cereale</i> subsp. <i>afghanicum</i>	31	<i>Secale afghanicum</i> (Vavilov) Roshev.; <i>Secale ancestrale</i> var. <i>afghanicum</i> (Vavilov) IVAN & Yakovlev; <i>Secale segetale</i> subsp. <i>afghanicum</i> (Vavilov) Bondar ex Korovina; <i>Secale segetale</i> var. <i>afghanicum</i> (Vavilov) Tzvelev
<i>Sorghum halepense</i>	32	<i>Andropogon controversus</i> Steud.; <i>Andropogon halepensis</i> (L.) Brot.; <i>Andropogon miliformis</i> Schult.; <i>Andropogon miliaceus</i> Roxb.; <i>Holcus sorghum</i> L. var. <i>exiguus</i> (Forssk.) Hitchc.; <i>Holcus exiguus</i> Forssk.; <i>Andropogon halepensis</i> (L.) Brot. var. <i>anatherus</i> Piper; <i>Holcus halepensis</i> L.; <i>Holcus halepensis</i> L. var. <i>miliformis</i> (Schult.) Hitchc.; <i>Sorghum miliaceum</i> (Roxb.) Snowden; <i>Sorghum miliaceum</i> (Roxb.) Snowden var. <i>parvispicula</i> Snowden; <i>Sorghum controversum</i> (Steud.) Snowden
<i>Sorghum nitidum</i>	33	<i>Andropogon serratus</i> Thunb.; <i>Holcus fulvus</i> R. Br.; <i>Holcus nitidus</i> Vahl; <i>Sorghum fulvum</i> (R. Br.) P. Beauv. ex Rendle.
<i>Thinopyrum intermedium</i>	34	<i>Agropyron aucheri</i> Boiss., <i>Agropyron barbulatum</i> Schur, <i>Agropyron glaucum</i> (Desf.) Roem. & Schult., <i>Agropyron intermedium</i> (Host) Beauv., <i>Agropyron intermedium</i> (Host) Beauv. var. <i>trichophorum</i> (Link) Halac., <i>Agropyron intermedium</i> (Host) P. Beauv., <i>Agropyron intermedium</i> var. <i>trichophorum</i> (Link) Hal., <i>Agropyron trichophorum</i> (Link) K. Richt., <i>Agropyron trichophorum</i> (Link) Richter, <i>Elymus hispidus</i> (Opiz) Melderis, <i>Elymus hispidus</i> (Opiz) Melderis ssp. <i>barbulatus</i> (Schur) Melderis, <i>Elymus hispidus</i> (Opiz) Melderis var. <i>ruthenicus</i> (Griseb.) Dorn, <i>Elymus hispidus</i> subsp. <i>barbulatus</i> (Schur) Melderis, <i>Elymus hispidus</i> subsp. <i>hispidus</i> , <i>Elytrigia intermedia</i> (Host) Nevski, <i>Elytrigia intermedia</i> (Host) Nevski ssp. <i>barbulata</i> (Schur) A. L?ve, <i>Elytrigia intermedia</i> (Host) Nevski ssp. <i>trichophora</i> (Link) Tvzel, <i>Elytrigia intermedia</i> (Host) Nevski subsp. <i>intermedia</i> , <i>Elytrigia intermedia</i> subsp. <i>barbulata</i> (Schur). Love, <i>Elytrigia trichophora</i> (Link) Nevski, <i>Thinopyrum intermedium</i> (Host) Barkworth & D. R. Dewey, <i>Thinopyrum intermedium</i> (Host) Barkworth & D.R. Dewey ssp. <i>barbulatum</i> (Schur) Barkworth & D.R. Dewey, <i>Thinopyrum intermedium</i> subsp. <i>barbulatum</i> (Schur) Barkworth & D. R. Dewey, <i>Triticum intermedium</i> Host [basionym], <i>Triticum trichophorum</i> Link
<i>Malus chitralensis</i>	35	<i>Malus pumila</i>
<i>Solanum insanum</i>	36	No Synonyms
<i>Solanum virginianum</i>	37	<i>Solanum xanthocarpum</i> Schrad.; <i>Solanum surattense</i> Burm. f.