



SABI RIVER
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RECOMMENDED PLANT LIST

TREES FOR GARDEN AREAS AND COMMON AREAS

Botanical Name	Common Name	Shape	Height	Flower colour	Flowering time	Growth rate
Acacia sieberiana	Paper Bark Tree	Spreading	4-10m	Yellow	10-2	Medium
Anthocleista grandiflora	Forest Fever Tree/ Boskoorsboom	Up right	6-30m	Cream	9-1	Fast
Antidesma venosum	Tassel Berry/ Voelsitboom	Rounded	15m	Red	10-1	Fast
Bridelia micrantha	Mitzeeri/ Miserie	Up right	20m	Cream-yellow	9-12	Fast
Pterocarpus rotundifolius	Round-leaved Kiaat/ Dopperkiaat	Rounded	8m	Yellow	9-11	Medium
Rauvolfia caffra	Quinine Tree/ Kinaboom	Up right	6-20m	White	7-10	Medium
Sterculia murex		Spreading	7-10m	Yellowish	7-10	Slow
Trichilia dregeana	Forest Mahogany/ Bosrooiesenhout	Up right	8-30m	Cream-green	10-11	Medium
Croton gratus	Lavender Fever Berry	Umbrella	6m	Cream	11-3	Medium
Heteropyxis natalensis	Lavender Tree/ Laventelboom	Rounded	4-7m	Green/Yellow	12-3	Medium
Nuxia floribunda	Forest Elder/ Bosvlier	Up right	3-10m	White	1-5	Medium
Terminalia sericea	Silver Cluster Leaf	Up right	4-6m	Cream	9-1	Medium
Vepris lanceolata	White Ironwood/ Witysterhout	Spreading	5-7m	Yellow	12-3	Medium

SCREENING TREES

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Ekebergia capensis	Cape Ash/ Essenhout	Spreading	7-20m	White	9-11	Medium
Ficus thonningii	Common Wild Fig/Gewone Wurgvy	Spreading	10-20m	Brown	7-1	Fast
Syzygium cordatum	Waterberry/ Waterbessie	Up right	5-15m	Cream	8-11	Fast
Trichilia emetica	Natal Mahogany/Rooi-essenhout	Spreading	9m	Yellow-Green	8-10	Medium

SCREENING SHRUBS LIST

Botanical Name	Common Name	Shape	Height	Flower colour	Flowering time	Growth rate
Apodytes dimidiata	White Pear/ Witpeer	Up right	4-10m	White	10-4	Medium
Bauhinia Galpinii	Pride of de Kaap	Shrublike		Red	11-6	Medium
Brachyleana	transvaalensis		4-10m	Cream-white	7-10	Fast
Buddleja auriculata	Weeping Sage/ Treursalie	Rounded	3-4m	White	4-8	Fast
Buddleja saligna	False Olive/ Witolien	Rounded	3-5m	White	8-1	Medium
Clerodendrum glabrum	Cat's Whiskas/ Tontelhout	Spreading	4-10m	White	12-4	Slow
Grewia hexamita	Giant Raisin/ Reusersyntjie		6m	Yellow	9-11	
Grewia sulcata						
Maytenus heterophylla	Common Spike-thorn	Rounded	2-4m	White	1-6	Medium
Noltea africana	Soap Dogwood/Seepblinkblaar					
Nuxia congesta	Common Wild Elder	Up right	3-10m	White	1-5	Medium
Phoenix reclinata	Wild Date Palm	Up right	3-10m	Cream	8-10	Medium
Rhus leptodictya	Mountain Karee/ Berg Karee	Spreading	4-8m	Green-yellow	1-4	Medium
Rhus longipina		Rounded	2-4m	Greenish	3-7	Medium
Rhus pentherii	Common Crow-berry		4m	Cream		
Tecomaria capensis		Scrambler	1-3m	Yellow/Red/Orange	11-5	Medium
Aloe marlothii	Mountain Aloe/ Bergalwyn	Up right	2-5m	Yellow/Orange	4-7	Slow
Aloe Spicata Annona senegalensis	Wild Custard-appel					
Barleria Guensii						
Ehretia amoena	Sandpaper Bush/ Skurwebblaarbos					
Fleugia virosa	White-berry Bush					
Gymnosporia buxifolia	Common Spike-thorn					
Jasminum fluminense		Creeper		White	7-6	Medium
Kraussia floribunda	Rhino-coffee					
Phyllanthus reticulatus	Potato Bush					
Tricalysia lanceolata	Jackal coffee-tree					
Turrea nolitica						
Vernonia colorata	Lowveld Bitter-tea					

Savanna ☐ Dry forest (bush) ☒ River forest ☒