

## New plant records for Khorassan province, Iran, III

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### Abstract

Sixty vascular plant taxa from 24 genera in eight families are recorded for the first time from Khorassan province, Iran. All taxa are angiosperms (36 dicotyledons and 24 monocotyledons). Three of these taxa are endemic to Iran. All specimens recorded here are deposited in FUMH<sup>1</sup>, and/or in W and FAR. This contribution is a continuation to the recently published papers on this province (GHAHREMANINEJAD & al. 2005; JOHARCHI & al. 2007). In these three papers 420 species are recorded for the first time from this province.

**Key Words:** Flora; Iran, Khorassan province, new records.

### Zusammenfassung

60 Taxa der Blütenpflanzen aus 24 Gattungen in 8 Familien werden das erste Mal für die Provinz Khorassan (Iran) angegeben. Drei dieser Taxa sind endemisch im Iran. Belege sind im Herbarium FUMH und/oder W und FAR deponiert. Diese Publikation ist eine Fortsetzung früherer floristischer Meldungen für die Provinz Khorassan (GHAHREMANINEJAD & al. 2005; JOHARCHI & al. 2007). Insgesamt wurden bisher 420 Arten für die Provinz neu festgestellt.

### Introduction

Khorassan province is located in NE Iran, covering an area of 313,335 km<sup>2</sup>. It extends from 30°21' to 38°17' N and from 55°28' to 61°20' E. Recently 360 plant taxa have been recorded for the first time from this province (GHAHREMANINEJAD & al. 2005; JOHARCHI & al. 2007). In this paper 60 further taxa are added to the flora of the province. They are based on recent field research and critical evaluation of existing specimens.

### Material and Methods

The study has been carried out mainly with material from the herbarium of the Ferdowsi University of Mashhad [FUMH<sup>1</sup>]. The new records are based on 181 critically evaluated specimens. In order to ensure the completeness the records have been re-checked in the herbarium of the Natural History Museum Vienna [W]. Thus some additional locali-

<sup>1</sup> All herbaria are named with their acronyms in Index Herbariorum <http://sweetgum.nybg.org/ih/>.

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ties could be added to the list. All recorded specimens are deposited in FUMH, and/or W and FAR. The specimen are cited in the same style as traditionally used in Flora Iranica (RECHINGER 1963–2010).

For each taxon the specimens of Khorassan province are cited, additionally the distribution in Iran (mostly based on the "Flora Iranica" and "Flora of Iran" treatments) and further comments are given. In the following list the order of entries is alphabetical for families and taxa within the families. For each taxon the locality, the altitude, the date and the collector's name are presented. Localities within Khorassan are sequenced from NW to SE, according to figure 1. The list consists of 60 specific, subspecific and varietal taxa, belonging to 25 genera and eight families. All the taxa are angiosperms (36 dicots and 24 monocots). Three of these taxa are endemic to Iran.

The families with the largest recorded numbers of new taxa are Poaceae (24), Brassicaceae (18), Tamaricaceae (7), and Rubiaceae (6).

For the 60 recorded taxa 178 plant specimens are cited. Among these specimens, 43 are recorded from NW, 45 from N, 41 from NE, seven from W, seven from C, three from E, 21 from SE, and 11 from SW of the province (fig. 1). The altitudes of the localities are between 300 m (N: Darrehgaz: Hatam-Ghala) to 2579 m (NW: Bojnord: Saluk Mt.). They have been collected during the years 1964–2008 (44 years) by 27 collectors. The collectors alphabetically are: A. Ajani, H. Akhani, M. Akramian, R. Alava, A.A. Arjmandi, M. Ayatollahi, M. Aydani, M. Bazargan, KH. Emadzadeh, GH. Faghihnia, F. Ghahremaninejad, J. Ghoralshialhoseini, S. Hojjat, M. Iranshahr, M. Joharchi, F. Khasanov, F. Memariani, Y. Nasseh, M. Puyan, A. Raafeei, K.H. Rechinger, M. Rejamand, H. Rezaei, A. Ruttner, H. Safavi, H. Zangooei, and A. Zargari.

This contribution is a continuation to two recently published papers on the flora of Khorassan (GHAREMANINEJAD & al. 2005; JOHARCHI & al. 2007). Including the present paper a total of 420 species are recorded for the first time from this province. This research is the first of its kind focusing on floristic details for a province in Iran; and at the moment there is no equivalent research for other provinces, which would help complete the knowledge on distribution of each taxon given in Flora Iranica (1963–2010) for Iran. Because plant collecting is now easier than in the past, this should be a priority for research.

There are now several local herbaria in Iran, like FUMH, which are useful for working on the flora in detail. They can take advantage of local collectors' knowledge of the roads, routes, villages, mountains, valleys, higher altitudes, and several unknown localities of their regions.

During history most botanists have been concentrated in Tehran and some capital cities of the provinces - attention to local herbaria and collections is critical, thus loosing or not making available existing information. The minimum benefits of intensive floristic research will be the finding of new species and new records of plants in areas difficult to access, thus contributing to better knowledge of the biodiversity.

## Results

### MONOCOTYLEDONES

#### **Poaceae BARNHART**

Ref.: BOR 1970; TSVELEV 1983.

*Avena barbata* POTT ex LINK in SCHRAD., Jour. für die Bot. 2: 315 (1799).  
Khorassan: NE: Mashhad, Ferdowsi University Campus, 1038 m, 26.4.2007, MEMARIANI 38737 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: S, E.

*Avena sativa* L., Sp. Pl.: 79 (1753).

Khorassan: N: S Chenaran, Freyzi, Darma, 1964 m, 28.6.2005, MEMARIANI & ZANGOOEI 36785 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: W, S, E.

*Avena sterilis* L., Sp. Pl., ed. 2: 118 (1762)

**subsp. *sterilis***

Khorassan: NW: NW Bojnord, Rein, Delove valley, 1650-1700 m, 3.7.2006, MEMARIANI & ZANGOOEI 38242 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: W, E.

*Avena wiestii* STEUD., Syn. Pl. Glum. 1: 231 (1854).

Khorassan: NE: N Torbat-e Jam, E Salehabad, between Saghar Cheshmeh and Garmab-e Olia, 523-550 m, 25.4.2007, JOHARCHI & NASSEH 38729-a [FUMH]; – SW: Ostrand der Großen Kawir, Ozbah-kuh (Ozbagu), 34° 40' N, 57° E, Kuh-e Sefid, 19.4.1964, RUTTNER 440 [W 1965-120].

Annotation: The last specimen was determined by the author of Flora Iranica, B.L. Bor in 1971, after the publication of the treatment (1970).

Distribution in Iran: N, S, E, C.

*Bromus fasciculata* PRESL, Cyp. et Gram. Sic. 39 (1820)

**var. *alexandrinus*** THELL., Feddes Repert. 5: 161 (1908).

Khorassan: E: SE Khaf, Mahabad, 1050 m, 5.5.1986, AYATOLLAHI & ZANGOOEI 14158 [FUMH]; – SW: N Tabas, Ozbagou, Alimorad mine, 22.4.1986, AYATOLLAHI & ZANGOOEI 13884 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: W, E.

*Bromus gracillimus* BUNGE, Mem. Acad. Petersb. Sav. Etrang. 7: 527 (1851).

Khorassan: C: N Kashmar, Chalpo, 1700 m, 29.5.1997, HOJJAT & ZANGOOEI 38912 [FUMH]; – N Kashmar, Chalpo, 1700 m, 13.5.2007, ZANGOOEI 38851 [FUMH]; – N Kashmar, Sar-e Godar-e Ili, 1857 m, 22.2.2007, ZANGOOEI 38913 [FUMH]; – SE: SE Ghayen, between Dezg and Ahangaran Mt., 1500 m, 15.5.1989, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 17358 [FUMH]; – SE Birjand, Makhunik, 1600 m, 28.4.1997, RAAFEI & ZANGOOEI 28269 [FUMH]; – SE Birjand, between Sarbisheh and Mokhtaran, Fall, 1700 m, 9.4.1991, FAGHIHNIA & ZANGOOEI 19300 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: W, S, E, C.

***Bromus lanceolatus*** ROTH, Calalecta Bot. 1: 18 (1797)

**var. *lanuginosus*** (POIR.) DINSM., Fl. Pal. ed. 2,2: 774 (1933).

Khorassan: SE: SE Birjand, Khorashad, 1900 m, 22.4.1985, AYATOLLAHI & ZANGOOEI 12161 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, W, S, E.

***Bromus rubens*** L., Cent. Plant. 1: 5 (1755)

**var. *glabriglumis*** MAIRE in EMBERGER & MAIRE, Cat. Pl. Maroc. 4: 943 (1941).

Khorassan: SW: Boshruyeh to Tabas, km 45, 22.4.1986, AYATOLLAHI & ZANGOOEI 13848-b [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, S, E.

***Bromus rubens*** L., Cent. Plant. 1: 5 (1755)

**var. *rubens***

Khorassan: SW: Tabas, Kalshaneh, 1000 m, 8.4.1985, AYATOLLAHI & REZAEI 11857 [FUMH]; – Boshruyeh to Tabas, km 45, 22.4.1986, AYATOLLAHI & ZANGOOEI 13848-a [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, W, S, E.

***Echinochloa crus-galli*** (L.) P.BEAUV., Ess. Agrost. 53, 161 (1812)

**var. *submutica*** NEILR., Fl. Nied. Oest. 31 (1859).

Khorassan: NE: Mashhad, Ferdowsi University Campus, 1035 m, 3.7.2006, AKRAMIAN 38209 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, W, S, E, C.

***Eleusine indica*** (L.) GAERTN., Fruct. Sem. Pl. 1: 8 (1789).

Khorassan: NE: Mashhad, Ferdowsi University Campus, 1070 m, 10.7.2006, AKRAMIAN 38316 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, E.

***Elymus caninus*** (L.) L., Fl. Suec., ed. 2: 39 (1755).

Khorassan: NE: Mashhad, Ferdowsi University Campus, 1064 m, 4.6.2006, AKRAMIAN 37869 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, E.

***Elymus elongatus*** (HOST) RUNEMARK, Hereditas (Lund) 70. 156 (1972)

**subsp. *elongatus***

Khorassan: NE: Mashhad, Ferdowsi University Campus, 1040 m, 5.5.2006 AKRAMIAN 37359 [FUMH]; – ibid. 1064 m, 17.8.2006, AKRAMIAN 38435 [FUMH]; – ibid. 1060 m, 9.6.2006, AKRAMIAN 38573 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, E.

***Elymus transhyrcanus*** (NEVSKI) TZVELEV, Novosti Sist. Vyssh. Rast. 9: 61 (1972)

**subsp. *transhyrcanus***

Khorassan: N: S Chenaran, Freyzi Mt., 1720-1810 m, 8.6.2005, MEMARIANI & ZANGOOEI 36586 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, W, E, C.

***Hordeum murinum*** L., Sp. Pl. 85 (1753)

**subsp. *leporinum*** (LINK) ARCAND., Comp. Fl. Ital.: 805 (1882).

Khorassan: N: S Chenaran, Freyzi region, 1721 m, 1.5.2005, MEMARIANI &

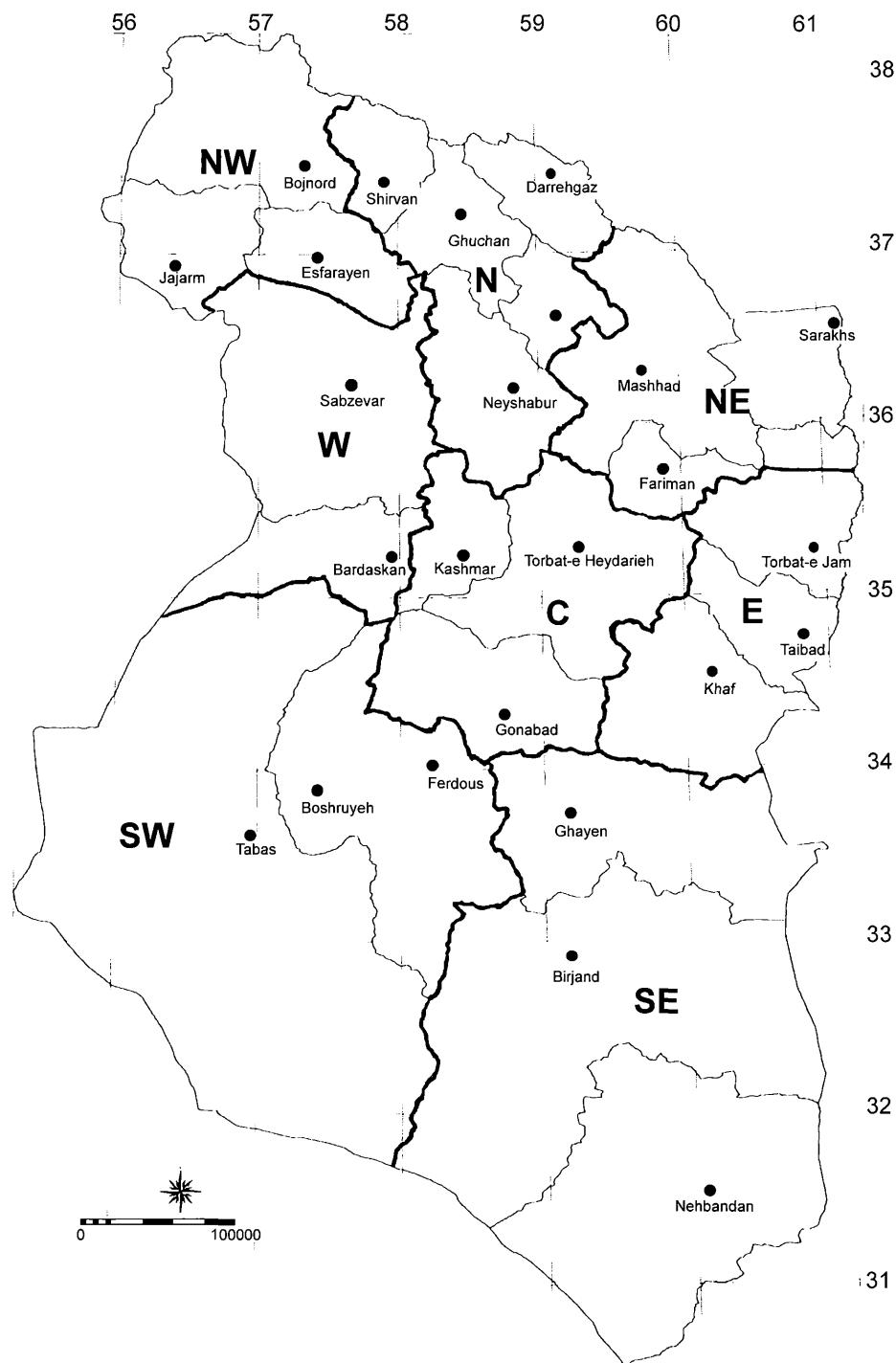


Fig. 1: Province of Khorassan. Localities in the catalogue are listed from NW to SE.

ZANGOOEI 36037 [FUMH]; – NE: Mashhad, Ferdowsi University Campus, 1064 m, 5.5.2006, AKRAMIAN 37346 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, W, E.

**Lolium multiflorum** LAM., Fl. Franc. 3: 621 (1778).

Khorassan: NE: Mashhad, Ferdowsi University Campus, 1064 m, 4.6.2006, AKRAMIAN 37358, 37873 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, W, E.

**Lolium persicum** BOISS. & HOHEN. ex BOISS., Diagn. Pl. Or. Nov. Ser. 1, 13: 66 (1853).

Khorassan: NW: NW Bojnord, Rein towards Garmak, 1650-1700 m, 20.6.2006, ZANGOOEI & ARJMANDI 38115 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, W, S, E, C. This species was recorded from Khorassan in Flora Iranica. But the locality (SHARIF 8026-E!) belongs to Sistan & Baluchestan province, not Khorassan. Now it is confirmed with a correct locality.

**Parapholis incurva** (L.) C.E.HUBB., Blumea, Suppl. 3, 14 (1946).

Khorassan: SW: In argillosis salsis ad radices montium 8 km NW Aliabad, 33°59' N, 56°54' E, versus Asfak, 34°05' N, 57°06' E, 800 m, 12.5.1975, RECHINGER 51686 [W 1980-3705]; – SE: Nehbandan towards Tabasin, Asbest mine, 900 m, 30.4.1991, FAGHIHNIA & ZANGOOEI 19827 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, S, E. This species is recorded from Khorassan in Flora Iranica. But the locality (SHARIF 8013-E!) belongs to Sistan & Baluchestan province, not to Khorassan. Now it is confirmed with a correct locality.

**Poa annua** L., Sp. Pl.: 68 (1753).

Khorassan: N: Chenaran, Golmakan, Cheshmeh-Sabz [green spring], 1560 m, 31.10.1985, AYATOLLAHI & JOHARCHI 13632 [FUMH]; – NE: Mashhad, Zoshk, 2100-2500 m, 2.6.1991, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 20598 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, W, E.

**Poa nemoralis** L., Sp. Pl.: 69 (1753).

Khorassan: NW: W Bojnord, between Haver and Barfandil, 1700-1900 m, 6.6.2004, JOHARCHI, AYDANI & GHAREMANINEJAD 35485 [FUMH, FAR]; – W Bojnord, S Darkash, Nargesli rangeland, 1590-1600 m, JOHARCHI, AYDANI & GHAREMANINEJAD 35697 [FUMH, FAR].

Distribution in Iran: N, W, E, C.

**Poa sterilis** M.BIEB., Fl. Taur.-Cauc. 1: 62 (1808).

Khorassan: NW: SW Bojnord, Hessar towards Shughan, 2502 m, 1.6.2008, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 40599 [FUMH]; – N: Chenaran, Golmakan, Cheshmeh-Sabz [green spring], 1560 m, 2.6.1985, AYATOLLAHI & ZANGOOEI 13274 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, S, E, C.

**Rostraria berythea** (BOISS. & BLANCHE) HOLUB, Folia Geobot. Phytotax. 9: 271 (1974).

Khorassan: NE: Mashhad, Ferdowsi University Campus, 1064 m, 11.6.2006, AKRAMIAN 38048 [FUMH]; – ibid. 1040 m, 5.5.2006, AKRAMIAN 37354 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: W, E.

**Setaria viridis** (L.) P.BEAUV., Ess. Agrost. 51, 171, 178 (1812).

Khorassan: N: S Chenaran, Freyzi region, Kandalan valley, 1414 m, 19.7.2005, MEMA-

RIANI & ZANGOOEI 36943 [FUMH]; – ibid. Gushkhar, 1620 m, 23.8.2005, MEMARIANI & EMADZADEH 36965 [FUMH]; – NE: Mashhad, Ferdowsi University Campus, 1035 m, 4.6.2006, AKRAMIAN 37883 [FUMH]; – Mashhad, Fallow fields and waste land at the Plant Pest and diseases Research Institute, 10.7.1972, ALAVA 10913 (with IRANSHAHR) [W 1974-22133].

Distribution in Iran: N, W, S, E, C.

*Trisetum flavescens* (L.) P.BEAUV., Ess. Agrost. 88, 153, 180 (1812).

Khorassan: NW: SW Bojnord, Rein towards Garmak, 1600-1650 m, 21.6.2006, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 38185 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, E. This species is recorded from Khorassan in Flora Iranica. But the locality (MERTON 3917!) belongs to Golestan (Gorgan) province, not to Khorassan. Now it is confirmed with a correct locality.

## DICOTYLEDONES

### Asteraceae DUMORT.

Ref.: DITTRICH & al. 1989.

*Iranecio elbrusensis* (BOISS.) B.NORD., Fl. Iranica 164: 55 (1989).

Khorassan: NW: SW Bojnord, between Hessar and Shughan, Saluk Mt., 2542 m, 1.6.2008, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 40637 [FUMH]; – ibid. Saluk Mt., 2579 m, 13.7.2008, MEMARIANI & ZANGOOEI 41023 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, E, C. (endemic to Iran).

### Brassicaceae BURNETT

Ref.: DUDLEY 1964; HEDGE & RECHINGER 1968; LEONARD 1983; KAVOUSI 2001.

*Alyssum argentum* ALL., Miscell. Taur. 5: 73 (1774).

Khorassan: SE: NW Ghayen, Boskabad dam Mt., 2000 m, 3.5.1999, HOJJAT & ZANGOOEI 32260 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, W, E.

*Alyssum contemptum* SCOTT & KOTSCHY, Oesterr. Bot. Wochensbl. 4: 177 (1854).

Khorassan: N: Neyshabur, Sarvalayat, Chakane-ye Olia Mt., 1750 m, 13.5.1990, JOHARCHI & FAGHIHNIA, 18520 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: S, E, C.

*Alyssum harputicum* DUDLEY, J. Arn. Arb. 45 (1): 76, t, 4, f. 1-12 (1964).

Khorassan: N: SW Darrehgaz, Tandureh National Park, Shekarab Mt., 2300 m, 27.5.1991, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 20451 [FUMH]; – NE Chenaran, 78 km from Boghmech to Hezar-masjed summit, 2400 m, 30.4.2000, HOJJAT & ZANGOOEI 32737 [FUMH]; – NE: S Mashhad, Maj Mt., 2300 m, 17.5.2001, JOHARCHI 33581-a [FUMH]; – S Kalat-e Naderi, Jarf, Sabzeh Meydan region, 1950-2100 m, 17.6.1996, RAAFEI & ZANGOOEI 27393 [FUMH]; – Mashhad, Zoshk Mt., 2500 m, 5.5.1985, JOHARCHI & SAFAVI 12557 [FUMH]; – S Mashhad, Pivejan, 1550 m, 29.4.1985, JOHARCHI & SAFAVI 12362 [FUMH]; – 75 km from Mashhad to Torbat-e Heydarieh in old road, near Assadabad, 29.4.1984, REZAEI & ZANGOOEI 10908 [FUMH]; – S

Mashhad, Robat-e Sefid Mt., 2000 m, 9.6.1991 JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 20663 [FUMH]; – C: 30 km SW Gonabad, Kalat Mt., 1700 m, 15.4.1985, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 11951 [FUMH]; – SE: NW Ghayen, Khezri, Pir-e Mardanshah, 1700 m, 19.5.1986, AYATOLLAHI & ZANGOOEI 14373, 14377 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: E, C.

***Alyssum hirsutum*** M.BIEB., Fl. Taur.-Cauc. 2: 106 (1808).

Khorassan: NW: 80 km west of Bojnord, between Jowzak and Chamanbid, 1300 m, 15.5.1988, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 16622 [FUMH]; – SW Bojnord, after Firuzeh, Zo-ye Garivan, 1450 m, 1.6.1998, HOJJAT & ZANGOOEI 31205 [FUMH]; – N: SW Shirvan, Zoeram, 1100 m, 18.4.2000, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 32673 [FUMH]; – NW Neyshabur, between Damanjan and Bar, 1450 m, 22.4.1997, FAGHIHNIA & ZANGOOEI 28215 [FUMH]; – NE: SW Sarakhs, Agh-Darband mine Mt., 1500 m, 14.4.1999, HOJJAT & ZANGOOEI 31925 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, W, E, C.

***Alyssum iranicum*** HAUSSKN. ex BAUMG., Jahresber. Kais.-Franz-Josef-Oberrealschule Baden b. Wien 48: 9 (1911).

Khorassan: NW: SW Bojnord, Rein, Bauli, 2370-2520 m, 28.5.2006, MEMARIANI & ZANGOOEI 37827 [FUMH]; – SE: Ghayen to Birjand, 30 km, 1900 m, 17.5.1986, AYATOLLAHI & ZANGOOEI 14218 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: W, E.

***Alyssum lanigerum*** DC., Reg. Veg. Syst. Nat. 2: 308 (1821).

Khorassan: N: SW Shirvan, Kalateh Sohrab Mt., 2100 m, 15.6.1998, RAAFEI & ZANGOOEI 31629 [FUMH]; – N Ghuchan, Kalateh Mollamohammad, 1500-1550 m, 17.6.1981 GHORASHIALHOSEINI 922-G [FUMH]; – N Ghuchan, 12 km after bifurcation, towards Darrehgaz, 1900 m, 21.6.1995, RAAFEI & ZANGOOEI 25912 [FUMH]; – S Darrehgaz, 9 km from Kalateh Gorni to Rishkhar, Aleza region, 2050 m, 9.6.1997, RAAFEI & ZANGOOEI 29144 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: W, E, C.

***Alyssum murale*** WALDST. & KIT., Pl. Rar. Hung. 1: 5 (1799).

Khorassan: NW: SW Bojnord, Arkan to Rein, Gharanghazo, 2050 m, 20.5.2006, MEMARIANI & ZANGOOEI 37598, 37599 [FUMH]; – ibid. Topal-Raye, 1961 m, 7.5.2006, MEMARIANI & ARJMANDI 37456 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: E, C.

***Alyssum obtusifolium*** STEV. ex DC., Syst. Nat. 2: 305 (1821).

Khorassan: NW: Between Bojnord and Esfarayen, Garivan, 1800 m, 13.5.1991, FAGHIHNIA & ZANGOOEI 20130 [FUMH]; – N: Chenaran to Boghmech, km 30, 1900 m, 29.4.2000, HOJJAT & ZANGOOEI 32720 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: E, C.

***Alyssum polycaldum*** RECH.f., Phyton 3: 55 (1951).

Khorassan: NW: W Bojnord, Ghorkhud, 1600 m, 31.5.1998, HOJJAT & ZANGOOEI 31183 [FUMH]; – N: SW Shirvan, Badamleh, Malek-Aman Mt., 1600 m, 8.6.1998, FAGHIHNIA & ZANGOOEI 31375 [FUMH]; – 27 km south of Darrehgaz, AllahoAkbar pass., 1750-1800 m, 4.6.1981, GHORASHIALHOSEINI 709-G [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, W, E, C.

*Alyssum repens* BAUMG., Enum. Strip. Transs. 2: 237 (1819)

**subsp. *trichostachyum*** (RUPR.) HAYEK, Prodr. Fl. Penins. Balcan. 1: 436 (1925).

Khorassan: N: N Ghuchan, between Emam-baad and Alibolagh, 2000 m, 13.6.1988, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 16900 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: W, E.

*Alyssum sibiricum* WILLD., Sp. Pl. 3 (1): 465 (1800).

Khorassan: NW: SW Bojnord, Shughan, Saluk Mt., 2250 m, 27.6.1995, RAAFEI & ZANGOOEI 26035 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: W, E.

*Alyssum singarensse* BOISS. & HAUSSKN., Buser, Suppl. Fl. Or. 49 (1888).

Khorassan: NW: 10 km from Bojnord to Esfarayen, 1450 m, 13.5.1991, FAGHIHNIA & ZANGOOEI 20111 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: W, E.

*Alyssum strictum* WILLD., Sp. Pl. 3 (1): 464 (1800).

Khorassan: NW: SW Bojnord, Rein, Delove valley, 1693 m, 22.4.2006, MEMARIANI & ZANGOOEI 37261 [FUMH]; – NW Bojnord, Emam Darreh, 1000 m, 17.4.2001, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 33297 [FUMH]; – N: Between Ghuchan and Darrehgaz, bifurcation of Darrehgaz, new road, 1750 m, 9.5.1999, HOJJAT & ZANGOOEI 32295 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, W, E.

*Alyssum strigosum* BANKS & SOLAND., in A. RUSSELL, Nat. Hist. Aleppo 2: 257 (1794).

Khorassan: NW: NW Bojnord, between Anabay and Gouinik, 1150 m, 22.4.2001, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 33484 [FUMH]; – NW Bojnord, Emam Darreh, 1000 m, 17.4.2001, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 33296 [FUMH]; – NW Bojnord, Gouinik, 1200 m, 22.4.2001, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 33506 [FUMH]; – SW Bojnord, Rein towards Garmak, 1560-1644 m, 15.4.2006 MEMARIANI & ZANGOOEI 37167 [FUMH]; – SW Bojnord, Rein, northen slopes of Shahneshan Mt., 1850-2010 m, 6.5.2006, MEMARIANI & ARJMANDI 37406 [FUMH]; – SW Bojnord, Rein, Delove valley, 1693 m, 22.4.2006, MEMARIANI & ZANGOOEI 37235 [FUMH]; – W Bojnord, Badranlou hills, 1920 m, 12.6.1996, RAAFEI & ZANGOOEI 27285 [FUMH]; – E Bojnord, Sisab, Recearches station, 1450 m, 16.5.1988, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 16646 [FUMH]; – N: SW Shirvan, Badamlegh, Shahvalad, 1600 m, 8.6.1998, FAGHIHNIA & ZANGOOEI 31406 [FUMH]; – NE Faruj, between Darbandi and Gharcheh, 1400 m, 6.6.1998, FAGHIHNIA & ZANGOOEI 31256 [FUMH]; – N Ghuchan, Aselma Mt., 1800 m, 15.4.2001, FAGHIHNIA & ZANGOOEI 33310 [FUMH]; – N Ghuchan, between Rahvard and Asibolagh, 1600 m, 10.6.1998, FAGHIHNIA & ZANGOOEI 31496 [FUMH]; – N Ghuchan, between Emam-baad and Alibolagh, 2000 m, 13.6.1988, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 16897 [FUMH]; – SW Darrehgaz, Tivan Mt., 2100 m, 5.6.2003, ZANGOOEI & AJANI 34677 [FUMH]; – SW Darrehgaz, Tandureh National Park, between Shekarab and Chelmir, 1650-2000 m, 8.6.1997, RAAFEI & ZANGOOEI 29089 [FUMH]; – ibid. 27.5.1991, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 20466 [FUMH]; – ibid. Babanestan, 1000 m, 10.5.1999, HOJJAT & ZANGOOEI 32325 [FUMH]; – ibid. Chelmir, 980 m, 11.5.1999, HOJJAT & ZANGOOEI 32381 [FUMH]; – W Darrehgaz, Zinadanlou 1000 m, 1.5.1988, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 16422 [FUMH]; – ibid. Gadakanlou, 1200 m, 1.5.1988, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 16335 [FUMH].

[FUMH]; – S Darrehgaz, Gherkghez stony hills, 450 m, 2.5.1988, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 16459 [FUMH]; – SW Darrehgaz, Kapkan, 1550 m, 30.4.1988, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 16301 [FUMH]; – NE Chenaran, Boghmech, Hezareh, 1900 m, 18.6.1997, HOJJAT & ZANGOOEI 29269 [FUMH]; – S Chenaran, Freyzi region, Heyte Osta-Ali, 1730 m, 12.6.2005, MEMARIANI & ZANGOOEI 36689 [FUMH]; – ibid. Heyte Shaaban, 1800 m, 15.6.1993, FAGHIHNIA & ZANGOOEI 23370 [FUMH]; – ibid. between Ab-ghad and Freyzi, 1480-1500 m, 23.4.2005, MEMARIANI & ZANGOOEI 35875 [FUMH]; – N Neyshabur, Mirabad Mt., 1650 m, 23.4.1997, FAGHIHNIA & ZANGOOEI 28232 [FUMH]; – Sarvelayat, Chakaneh-ye Olia, eastern Mt., 1750 m, 13.5.1990, JOHARCHI & FAGHINIA 18534 [FUMH]; – NW Neyshabur, between Damanjan and Bar, 1450 m, 22.1.1997, FAGHIHNIA & ZANGOOEI 28215 [FUMH]; – ibid. Bar, Abshar, 1850-1900 m, 20.5.1996, RAAFEEI & ZANGOOEI 27069 [FUMH]; – N Neyshabur, Baghrud, 1500 m, 12.5.1991, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 20091 [FUMH]; – NE: W Mashhad, Zoshk, 1900 m, 27.5.1983, REZAEI 10332 [FUMH]; – NE Mashhad, northern slopes of Ajdarkuh, Joghri, 1300 m, 30.5.1993, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 23236 [FUMH]; – N Mashhad, Kardeh Mt., 1500 m, 23.4.1995, FAGHIHNIA & ZANGOOEI 25023 [FUMH]; – ibid. N Kardeh, All, 1700 m, 23.4.1995, FAGHIHNIA & ZANGOOEI 24996 [FUMH]; – SW Mashhad, Pivajen, old cave Mt., 2000 m, 16.6.1993, FAGHIHNIA & ZANGOOEI 23398 [FUMH]; – ibid. Dizbad-e Olia, 1700-1800 m, 19.5.1996, RAAFEEI & ZANGOOEI 26931 [FUMH]; – Sarakhs, Bazangan Mt., 1500 m, 24.4.1985, JOHARCHI & SAFAVI 12232 [FUMH]; – N Mashhad, 65 km towards Kalat-e Naderi, 1550 m, 19.6.1991, FAGHIHNIA & ZANGOOEI 20897 [FUMH]; – SW Kalat-e Naderi, Jarf Mt., 2100 m, 19.5.1994, FAGHIHNIA & ZANGOOEI 23941 [FUMH]; – NW Kalat-e Naderi, Archangan, 830 m, 23.4.1989, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 17084 [FUMH]; – Fariman, Dam (Band), 1500 m, 24.4.1984 AYATOLLAHI & MAHVAN 10814 [FUMH]; – C: NW Torbat-e Heydarieh, 7 km from Fadiheh towards Rudmajan, 1610 m, 14.5.1996, RAAFEEI & ZANGOOEI 26821 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, W, S, E, C.

*Crambe orientalis* L., Sp. Pl. 671 (1753).

Khorassan: NW: N Bojnord, northern hills of Raz, 1474 m, 19.5.2008, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 40203 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, W, S, E, C.

*Hesperis kurdica* DVORAK & HADAC, Preslia 36: 307 (1964).

Khorassan: NW: E Jajarm, Sankhast, Ghelli, 1027 m, 23.4.2008, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 39573 [FUMH]; – NW Esfarayen, Saluk National Park, Darreh-e Jowz, 1789 m, 4.5.2008, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 39781 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: W, S, E.

*Neortorularia contortuplicata* (STEPHAN ex WILLD.) HEDGE & J. LEONARD, Bull. Jard. Bot. Natl. Belg. 56 (3-4): 393 (1986).

Khorassan: NW: NW Bojnord, between Garmab and Shahrabad, 634 m, 12.3.2005, Memariani & Zangooei 37085 [FUMH]

Distribution in Iran: N, E.

*Tetracme contorta* BOISS., Fl. Or. 1: 317 (1867).

Khorassan: SE: E Ghayen, Yazdan towards Afghanistan border, 500 m, 10.4.1988, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 16003 [FUMH]; – ibid. between Yazdan and Petergan, 450 m,

10.4.1988, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 16012 [FUMH].  
Distribution in Iran: E, C.

### **Caryophyllaceae JUSS.**

Ref.: RECHINGER & al. 1988.

***Acanthophyllum pachycephalum*** SCHIMAN-CZEIKA, Fl. Iranica 163: 269 (1988).  
Khorassan: NW: W Esfarayen, Chaharborj valley, 1200 m, 17.6.1998, RAAFEEI & ZANGOOEI 31677 [FUMH].  
Distribution in Iran: W, E, C. (endemic to Iran).

***Gypsophila linearifolia*** (FISCH. & C.A.MEY.) BOISS., Fl. Or. 1: 550 (1867).  
Khorassan: NE: SW Sarakhs, between Dorahi-ye Salehabad and Mazdavand (Mozdur), 600 m, 4.6.1988, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 16715 [FUMH].  
Distribution in Iran: W, S, E, C.

### **Plumbaginaceae LINDL.**

Ref.: RECHINGER & SCHIMAN-CZEIKA 1974.

***Acantholimon gilliati*** TURRL, Kew. Bull. 1930: 441 (1930).  
Khorassan: NW: NW Bojnord, between Gounik and Baghlegh, 11.6.2001, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 33696 [FUMH].  
Distribution in Iran: W, E.

### **Rosaceae JUSS.**

Ref.: BROWICZ & al. 1969, KHATAMSAZ 1992.

***Cydonia oblonga*** MILLER, Gard. Dict., ed. 8 (1768).  
Khorassan: NW: NW Bojnord, Shahtut, Wayway valley, 1274 m, 31.8.2008, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 41406 [FUMH].  
Distribution in Iran: N, W, S, E.

### **Rubiaceae JUSS.**

Ref.: EHRENDOFER & al. 2005.

***Asperula gorganica*** SCHÖNB.-TEM. & EHREND., Bot. Jahrb. 107: 80 (1985).  
Khorassan: NW: W Bojnord, Ghorkhud, 6 km from Kasetam to Chalbash, Solabach valley, 1325 m, 14.7.2008, MEMARIANI & ZANGOOEI 41090 [FUMH].  
Distribution in Iran: N, E. (endemic to Iran).

***Galium ghilanicum*** STAPF, Denkschr. Akad. Wiss. Wien, Math.-Nat. Kl. 50 (1885): 53 (1886).  
Khorassan: NW: NW Bojnord, between Ghorrimeydan and Dashtak, 650–700 m, 28.4.2001, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 33391 [FUMH].  
Distribution in Iran: N, W, E, C.

***Galium hyrcanicum*** C.A.MEY., Verz. Pfl. Cauc. 53 (1831).  
Khorassan: NW: SW Bojnord, Saluk Mt., 2400 m, 11.7.1994, ZANGOOEI 24468 [FUMH].  
Distribution in Iran: N, W, E, C.

***Galium nupercreatum*** M.POP., Bull. Appl. Bot. Pl. Breed. 17: 278 (1928).

Khorassan: NE: W Mashhad, Kang valley, 1500-1600 m, 1.6.2005, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 36513 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: S, E.

***Galium tenuissimum*** M.BIEB., Fl. Taur; – Cauc.1: 104 (1808)

**f. *trichophorum*** (KAR. & KIR.) EHREND. & SSCHÖNB.-TEM., Fl. Iranica 176: 247 (2005).

Khorassan: NW: SW Bojnord, between Darkesh and Havar, 1350 m, 13.6.2001, JOHARCHI 33774 [FUMH]; – SW Bojnord, Rein towards Garmak, 1600-1650 m, 21.6.2006, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 38146 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, E.

***Galium verum*** L., Sp. Pl.: 107 (1753)

**subsp. *glabrescens*** EHREND., Pl. Syst. Evol. 127: 302 (1977).

Khorassan: N: NW Neyshabur, Bar, 1650 m, 19.6.1988, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 16945 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, W, E, C.

### Tamaricaceae LINDL.

Ref.: SCHIMAN-CZEIKA 1964, ASSADI 1989.

***Tamarix arceuthoides*** BUNGE, Mem. Acad. St. Petersb. 7: 295 (1851).

Khorssan: NW: W Bojnord, 20 km from Ashkhaneh to Shahrabad, 700 m, 6.8.1987, ZANGOOEI 15770 [FUMH]; – NE: Sarakhs, Bazangan lake, 800 m, 18.8.1994, AKHANI & ZANGOOEI 24579 [FUMH]; – SE Kalat-e Naderi, 24 km from Chahchah-h to Kalat road, 700 m, 17.9.1994, AKHANI & ZANGOOEI 24542 [FUMH]; – W Kalat-e Naderi, 10 km from Layen to Kalat, 550 m, 30.5.1976 ZARGARI 6235 [FUMH]; – S Sarakhs, between Dowlatabad and Nowruzabad, 490 m, 31.5.1995, RAAFEEI & ZANGOOEI 25681 [FUMH]; – C: SE Gonabad, Kabutar Kuh, 1533 m, 12.5.2006, KHASSANOV & MEMARIANI 37461 [FUMH]; – SW: SW Tabas, Mezino mine, 1100 m, 16.4.1996, RAAFEEI & ZANGOOEI 26356 [FUMH]; – Tabas, Kharw, 1250 m, 9.4.1985, AYATOLLAHI & ZANGOOEI 11883 [FUMH]; – 23 km NE Deyhuk, 33°18' N, 57°30' E, "dasht", 1100 m, 10.5.1975, RECHINGER 57611 [W 1984-12138]; – SE: S Nehbandan, Khunik pass, 1200 m, 31.7.2001, FAGHIHNIA 33930 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: W, S, E, C.

***Tamarix aucheriana*** (DECNE.) BAUM, The Genus *Tamarix*: 148 (1978).

Khorassan: W: S Sabzevar, Harsabad, Kalshur, 923 m, 21.5.2007, JOHARCHI & NASSEH 38882 [FUMH]; – Yahyaabad, km 60 SE Sabzevar, 940 m, 29.4.1979, REJAMAND & BAZARGAN 31744 [W 1979-7486]; – ibid. REJAMAND & BAZARGAN 31743 [W 1979-7487]; – Km 75 Sabzevar, 20.4.1976, 940 m, REJAMAND & BAZARGAN 31789 [W 1979-7480]; – ibid. REJAMAND & BAZARGAN 31787 [W 1979-7489]; – Km 10 SW Sabzevar, 940 m, 6.4.1976, REJAMAND & BAZARGAN 31672 [W 1979-7483].

Distribution in Iran: S, E.

***Tamarix brachystachys*** BUNGE, Tentamen 26 (1852).

Khorassan: NW: NW Bojnord, 2 km from Eshghabad to Dashtak, 580 m, 15.4.2008, MEMARIANI & ZANGOOEI 39461-2 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: W, E.

***Tamarix dubia*** BUNGE, Tent. Gen. Tam. 18 (1852).

Khorassan: E: SW Khaf, Ebrahimi towards Keybarkuh, 995 m, 29.4.2007, JOHARCHI 38741 [FUMH]; – SE: SE Birjand, Doroh towards Afghanistan border, 1000 m, 30.4.1996, RAAFEEI & ZANGOOEI 26519 [FUMH]; – S Birjand, Taghiabad, 1600 m, 27.4.1998, FAGHIHNIA & ZANGOOEI 30141 [FUMH]; – W Birjand, Rakat, 1500 m, 14.4.1981, GHORASHIALHOSEINI 436-b [FUMH]; – W Birjand, 97 km towards Tabas, 1350 m, 1.5.1976, ZARGARI 6241 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: S, E, C.

***Tamarix karakalensis*** FREYN & SINT., Bull. Herb. Boiss. 2. Ser. 3: 1060 (1903).

Khorassan: NW: N Bojnord, 5 km from Ghezel-Ghala to Shahtut, 610 m, 31.8.2008, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 41381 [FUMH]; – W Bojnord, 20 km from Ashkhaneh to Shahabad, 700 m, 6.8.1987, ZANGOOEI 15771 [FUMH]; – N: SE Darrehgaz, Hatam-Ghala, 300 m, 16.5.1993, JOHARCHI & ZANGOOEI 23112 [FUMH]; – NE: Sarakhs, between Chahchaheh and Kal-Sorkh, pistachio forest, 14.6.1995, FAGHIHNIA & ZANGOOEI 25801 [FUMH]; – W Sarakhs, Bazangan lake, 800 m, 18.8.1994, AKHANI & ZANGOOEI 24580 [FUMH]; – W: S Sabzevar, Haresabad, Kal-Shur, 923 m, 21.5.2007, JOHARCHI & NASSEH 38884 [FUMH]; – C: SE Gonabad, Kabutarkuh, 1450 m, 2.5.1999, HOJJAT & ZANGOOEI 32236 [FUMH]; – E: E Torbat-e Jam, Harirud, Pol-e Abrisham [Silk bridge] in Iran-Afghanistan border, 670 m, 3.6.2002, JOHARCHI 34170 [FUMH]; – SW: SE Tabas, 134 km from Deyhuk to Ravar, Dig-e Rostam, 800 m, 28.2.1976, ZARGARI 6234, 6236 [FUMH]; – SE: W Birjand towards Rakat, Rech, 1690 m, 30.4.1984, PUYAN, 360 [FUMH]; – ibid. 1500 m, 14.4.1981, GHORASHIALHOSEINI 436-a [FUMH]; – ibid. between Kowr and Mazar-e Balanjir, Kalateh Bagh, 1400 m, 20.4.1999, FAGHIHNIA & ZANGOOEI 32134 [FUMH]; – NE Birjand, between Rezg and Piranag, 1800 m, FAGHIHNIA & ZANGOOEI 32044 [FUMH]; – Nehbandan, 20 km from Khan-Sharaf to Asbest mines, 1300 m, 13.4.1992, FAGHIHNIA & ZANGOOEI 21461 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: N, E, C.

***Tamarix mascatensis*** BUNGE, Tentamen 60 (1852).

Khorassan: SE: Nehbandan towards Chah-Chuchu, km 20, 1200 m, 10.4.1998, HOJJAT & ZANGOOEI 29953 [FUMH]; – SE Nehbandan, Bandan, 750 m, 10.4.1998, HOJJAT & ZANGOOEI 29958, 29964 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: S, E.

***Tamarix pycnocarpa*** DC., Prodr. 3: 97 (1828).

Khorassan: SW: SW Tabas, Mezino mine, 1100 m, 16.4.1996, RAAFEEI & ZANGOOEI 26357 [FUMH].

Distribution in Iran: E, C.

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