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- 4c Hochlandflora der Karrasberge
- 5 Inneres Namaland
- 6 a Kalaharikalkflora
- 6b Südliches Sandfeld der Kalahari
- 6c Mittleres Sandfeld der Kalahari
- Revierbestände bes. mit Acacia horrida und Euclea pseudebenus
- Vorkommen von Naras

Im übrigen wolle man den Text vergleichen.

(Es folgt der spezielle Teil!)

XII. R. Knuth, Dioscoreaceae novae VI.

51. Dioscorea Macbrideana R. Knuth in Fedde, Rep. XXVIII (1930) 88 (forma \mathcal{Q}). — f. \mathcal{O} : Spicae 5—9 cm longae, in racemum aphyllum axillarem 10—30 cm longum compositae, usque 5—8 mm supra basin floribus destitutae; rachis ½ mm crassa, satis rigida, sicut flores glabra; flores solitarii, sessiles vel subsessiles, 2—5 mm inter se remoti. Perianthium usque ad ½ partitum, inferne crateriforme; lobi ovati vel rotundati, \pm patuli vel erecto-patuli. Stamina 6; antherae medium loborum perianthii attingentes, vix magnae; filamenta basi tubi adnata. Rudimentum stylinum satis magnum tricrenatum (Sect. Sphaerantha Uline).

Peru: Dept. Loreto, Caballo-Cocha am Amazonen-Strom (Williams a. 1929 n. 2460 & Typus). — Blüh. August.

52. Dioscorea Klugii R. Knuth, spec. nov. (Sect. Chondrocarpa Uline). — Glabra. Caulis ca. 5 m altus, saepe 2—2½ mm crassus, ± angulatus, profunde purpureus, glaber. Folia alterna, ca. 8 cm inter se remota; lamina exs. subcoriacea, glaberrima, saepe 13 cm longa et 7-9 cm lata, ambitu oblongo-ovata, basi retusa vel vix perspicue incisa, apice acuminata, acumine 15 mm longo et basi fere triquetro, 5-nervata, nervis 3 mediis aream oblongo- vel ovato-lanceolatam determinantibus; petiolus 3½ cm longus, 1½ mm crassus, quam lamina 4-plo brevior. Spicae solitariae in axillis foliorum, simplices, 16—21 cm longae, rhachi 1½ mm crassa, usque ad basin fere floribus obsitae. Flores solitarii, 2-3½ mm inter se remoti, sessiles. Bracteae e basi triquetro-lanceolata subulatae, 1½-1¾ mm longae. Corolla tubiformis, tubo 1½-2 mm longo; limbi lobi expansi vel reflexi, late ovati, obtusiusculi. Stamina parte superiore tubi vel fiere basi loborum affixa. Antherae medium loborum perianthii attingentes. Rudimentum stylinum satis magnum.

Peru: Dept. Loreto, Mishuyacu, bei Iquitos, 100 m (Klug a. 1929 n. 344 — Typus in Herb. Field Mus.!). — Blüh. November.

53. Dioscorea tequendamensis R. Knuth, spec. nov (Sect. Chondrocarpa Uline) — Volubilis, satis robusta, 5 m saltem alta. Caulis glaber, subsimplex, subalatus, 4 mm crassus. Folia 6—12 cm inter se distantia; lamina ambitu late vel rotundato-ovata, saepe 16 cm longa lataque, basi late cuneato-cordata, apice mucrone 1 cm longo inferne 5 mm lato terminata, exs. chartaceo-papyracea, integra, 9-nervata, nervis primariis et secundariis subtus valide prominentibus, nervis 3 mediis aneam oblongo-lanceolatam determinantibus, supra glabra, subtus ad nervos venulasque tomentoso-pubescens; petiolus usque 9 cm longus, 3 mm crassus, subglaber. — Racemi ♀ 14-24 cm longi, 2—3-ni in axilla folii, sicut perigonium tomentoso-puberuli, densiflori. — Species caule subalato et foliis magnis infra tomentoso-pubescentibus faciliter recognoscitur.

Colombia: Tequendama bei Bogota, im Bergwald, 2000—2400 m (Troll a. 1929 n. 3698 Q — Typus in herb. Berol.!). — Blühend März.

- 54. Dioscorea calcensis R. Knuth, spec. nov. (Sect. Centrostemon Griseb.) — Caulis 2-3 m altus, simplex, volubilis, exs. 2 mm crassus et profunde sulcatus; internodia saepe 10 cm longa. Folia alterna; lamina usque 8 cm longa et 51/2 cm lata, ambitu triquetro-cordata, apicem versus cuneata, apice summo acute apiculata, ad basin sinu obtuso (110°) usque 1½ cm profundo incisa, supra glabra, subtus pilis minutis ciliaribus in nervis venulisque manifeste scabriuscula, 9-nervata, nervis 3 mediis aream lanceolatam determinantibus; petiolus quam laminae dimidium manifeste longior, usque 5 cm longus, 11/4-11/2 mm crassus, sicut rachis dense minute puberulus. Spicae of 6-17 cm longae, plerumque solitariae in axillis; rachis 1—11/4 mm crassa, inferne usque 3 cm floribus denudata. Flores solitarii, 5-10 mm distantes. Pedicelli 4-5 mm longi, puberuli. Bracteae 2 mm longae, lineari-lanceolatae, acutae. Perianthium aperto-campanulatum, usque 4-5 mm latum, usque ad 4/5 partitum; segmenta oblongoovata vel oblonga, 3 mm longa, apice rotundata, brunnea. Staminum 6 filamenta brevissima, fere nulla. — Spicae Q ca. 12—15 cm longae, inferne ca. 3 cm floribus denudatae, floribus 6-10 cm inter se distantibus. Perianthium 6-7 mm diam.; segmenta oblonga, subviridia. — In sectione foliis subtus ad nervos puberulis insignis.
- Peru: Dept. Cuzco, Prov. Calca, Lares-Tal zwischen Calca und Pasto Grande, 1400—1500 m (Weberbauer a. 1929 n. 7928 a o in Exp. Marsh. Field Fund Typus in herb. Berol.!). An demselben Standort (Weberbauer a. 1929 n. 7928 Q!).
- 55. Dioscorea longirachis R. Knuth, spec. nov. (Sect. Monadelpha Uline) Glabra. Caulis ca. 5 m altus, saepe 2 mm crassus, perspicue sulcatus, glaber. Folia alterna, saepe 20 cm inter se remota; lamina exs. membranacea, glaberrima, saepe 13 cm longa et 4½ cm lata, ambitu oblongo-lanceolata, basi sinu obtusis-

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simo vel leviter semilunato-excavato excisa, apicem versus sensim angustata, acutissima, 7 (—9)-nervata, nervis 3 mediis aream oblanceolatam determinantibus; petiolus saepe 4 cm longus, 1½ mm crassus, quam lamina 3-plo brevior. Racemi simplices, solitarii in axillis foliorum, cum pedunculo 6 cm longo usque 12 cm longi; rachis fere filiformis; pedicelli usque 7 mm longi, 2—5 mm remoti. Perianthium membranaceum, viridulum, 8 mm diam.; segmenta exteriora ovata, interiora angustiora, basi contracta, patentissima, trinervia. Stamina 3; filamenta in columnam stamineam cylindricam perianthio tantum parum breviorem connata, partibus liberis brevibus erectis vel fere divaricatis.

Peru: Dept. Cuzco, Prov. Quispicanchi, Marcapata-Tal bei Chilechile (Weberbauer a. 1929 n. 7862 — Typus in Herb. Field Mus.!). — Blüh. Februar.

56. Dioscorea irupanensis R. Knuth, spec. nov. (Sect. Cincinnorhachis Uline) — Volubilis, 3—4 m alta. Caulis subsimplex, glaber, angulosus, 2½—3 mm crassus. Foliorum lamina elongato-cordata, usque 10 cm longa et 61/2 cm lata, basi cordata, tamen in petiolum brevissime contracta, apicem versus angustata, acutissima, exs. membranacea, facie utraque glabra, margine petiolum versus ciliis minutis sparsis obsita, integra, 7-nervata, nervis subtus prominulis, nervis 3 mediis aream ovato-lanceolatam vel lanceolatam determinantibus; petiolus usque 3 cm longus, 11/4—11/2 mm crassus. Racemi of 1-3-ni in axilla folii, simplices vel parte inferiore ± furcati; rachis 1 mm crassa, fere laxa, 3/4-2 cm supra basin floribus denudata, ciliis vitreis asperula. Flores solitarii, 3-4 mm inter se distantes, bractea satis magna 3-31/2 mm longa 2 mm lata ovato-lanceolata acutiuscula membranacea 1-nervata suffulti, rarius bibracteati. Perianthium usque ad 3/4 partitum, 21/2-3 mm diam.; lobi ovati, obtusi. Stamina fertilia 3, brevia, basi loborum insidentia, connectivo lato, cum 3 staminodiis anantheris lanceolato-filiformibus alternantia. Rudimentum stylinum satis parvum, manifeste 3-partitum. — Species bracteis sat magnis bene distincta est.

Bolivia: La Paz-Tal bei Irupana, im Trockenwald, 1200 m (Troll a. 1928 m. 1772 o — Typus in herb. Berol.!) — Blühend März.

57. Dioscorea putumayensis R. Knuth, spec. nov. (Sect. Hemidematostemon Griseb.) — Volubilis, tenera, 3 m alta, glaberrima. Caulis subsimplex, leviter angulosus, 1½—2 mm crassus. Folia usque 10 cm inter se distantia; lamina cordato-hastiformis, saepe 9 cm longa, inter auriculas rotundatas 4½ cm lata, basi semilunato-excisa et ad petiolum vix perspicue contracta, in apicem acutissimum sensissime angustata, acutissima, exs. membranaceo-papyracea, integra, 7-nervata, nervis subtus graciliter prominulis, nervorum duobus jugis exterioribus mox submarginalibus, nervis 3 mediis aream elongato-lanceolatam determinantibus; petiolus usque 3 cm longus, 1 mm crassus. Racemi of 4—6-ni in axilla folii,

simplices; rachis fere filiformis, usque ad basin fere florifera. Flores capitulati, 2—3-ni uniti, glomerulis 5—8 mm inter se distantibus. Bracteae minutae, filiformes. Perianthium usque ad ³/₄ partitum, 2 mm diam.; lobi late vel rotundato-ovati, obtusi. Stamina fertilia 3, brevissima, basi perianthii inserta, connectivo lato; staminodia nulla. Rudimentum stylinum minutum. — Species forma foliorum longe protractorum et staminum connectivis recognoscitur.

Colombia: Comisaria del Putumayo; Umbria, in Wäldern, 325 m (Klug a. 1930 n. 1713 o Typus in herb. Berol.!). — Blühend Oktober bis November.

58. Dioscorea chagllaensis R. Knuth in Fedde, Rep. XXVIII (1930), 88 (f. \circ). — forma \circ : Spicae 5—8 cm longae, in ramum multispicatum saepe 45 cm longum aphyllum compositae, usque ad basin floribus obsitae; rachis ½ mm crassa, dense puberula; flores solitarii, sessiles, 2—4 mm inter se remoti. Perianthium usque ad ¼ partitum; tubus 2 mm longus, superne 1 mm crassus; lobi \pm late ovati, obtusiusculi, patuli. Stamina 6, infra basin loborum tubo affixa; antherae basin loborum attingentes, satis parvae; filamenta libera satis brevia. Rudimentum stylinum perspicuum (Sect. Cryptantha Uline).

Peru: Dept. Loreto, Mishuyacu, bei Iquitos, 100 m (Klug a. 1929 n. 168 & Typus!). — Blüh. Oktober bis November.

59. Dioscorea nicolasensis R. Knuth in Fedde, Rep. XXIX (1931) 94 (f. ♂). — forma ♀: Spicae 8—12 cm longae, fructibus numerosis praeditae, in ramis saepe 30 cm longis multispicatis congestae. Capsulae 2 cm latae et 1 cm longae, brunneae, alis ± rotundatis. Semina 7 mm diam., pallide brunnea; semen proprium ca. 4 mm diam., profunde brunneum; ala 2 mm lata. (Sect. Strutantha Uline, non Triapodandra [ut olim indicatum]).

Peru: Dept. San Martin, Tarapoto, 750 m (Williams a. 1929 n. 6146 ♀ — Typus!). — Frucht. Dezember.

60. Dioscorea Trollii R. Knuth, spec. nov. (Subgen. Eudioscorea Pax) — Volubilis, 4—5 m alta. Caulis subsimplex, rotundatus, 2 mm crassus. Folia usque 10 cm inter se distantia; lamina lanceolata, usque 10 cm longa et 3 cm lata, basi rotundata vel latissime cuneato-contracta, apice acuta vel acutissima, exs. papyracea, integra, facie superione glabra, inferiore ad venas minute scabriuscula, integra, 5-nervata, nervis subtus prominulis, nervis exterioribus submarginalibus, nervis 3 mediis aream lanceolatam determinantibus; petiolus usque 2½—3 cm longus, 1—1¼ mm crassus. — Racemi ♀ ca. 18 cm longi, axillares vel ad apicem plantae in corymbum usque ½ m longum congesti; rachis 1 mm crassa, glabra, gracilis, satis dense floribus obsita. Capsulae (plane immaturae) 10 mm longae, 8 mm latae, glabrae. — Forma foliorum inter species americanas raro invenitur.

Bolivia: San Carlos (Mapiri), Regenwald, 800 m (Troll a. 1927 n. 2776 ♀ — Typus in herb. Berol.!). — Blühend Mai.