***Vachellia kirkii*** (Oliv.) Kyal. & Boatwr. *Bot. J. Linn. Soc.* 172:514 (2013)

**Name Status:** Accepted Name

**Distribution:** AFRICA [N]: Angola, Botswana, Democratic Republic of Congo, Kenya, Namibia, Rwanda, Tanzania, Uganda, Zambia, Zimbabwe

**Classification:** This species contains 4 infraspecific taxa (var.kirkii, subsp.kirkii, subsp.mildbraedii, var.sublaevis)

**Based On:** *Acacia kirkii* Oliv.

**Synonymy**

- *Acacia kirkii* Oliv. (1871)

 - *Acacia nilotica* var. *kirkii* (Oliv.) Roberty (1948)

- *Acacia kirkii* Harms (1903)

- *Acacia verrucifera* Harms (1903)

- *Acacia harmsiana* Dinter (1917)

- *Acacia kirkii* var. *intermedia* Brenan (1958)

- *Acacia mildbraedii* sens. Bogdan (1949)

***Acacia kirkii*** Oliv. *Fl. Trop. Afr.* 2:350 (1871)

**Name Status:** Non-Current Name

**Name Type** Basionym Source. Kyalangalilwa et al. (2013: 514)

**Accepted Name:** *Vachellia kirkii* (Oliv.) Kyal. & Boatwr.

**Type Designation:** Holotype: Zambia, Southern Province, Batoka country, Kirk s.n. (K) **Source:** Ross (1979: 110)

***Acacia nilotica* var. *kirkii*** (Oliv.) Roberty *Candollea* 11:151 (1948)

**Name Status:** Non-Current Name

**Name Type** Homotypic synonym Source. Ross (1979: 111)

**Accepted Name:** *Vachellia kirkii*  (Oliv.) Kyal. & Boatwr.

**Notes:** Full name path is: Acacia nilotica subsp. adstringens var. kirkii (Oliv.) Roberty.

**Based On:** *Acacia kirkii* Oliv.

***Acacia kirkii*** Harms *in O.Warburg, Kunene-Sambesi Exped.* :243 (1903)

**Name Status:** Non-Current Name

**Name Type** nom. illeg. (homonym) Source. Ross (1979: 111)

**Accepted Name:** *Vachellia kirkii* (Oliv.) Kyal. & Boatwr.

***Acacia verrucifera*** Harms *in O.Warburg, Kunene-Sambesi Exped.* :244 (1903)

**Name Status:** Non-Current Name

**Name Type** Nom. nudum Source. Ross (1979: 111)

**Accepted Name:** *Vachellia kirkii* (Oliv.) Kyal. & Boatwr.

***Acacia harmsiana*** Dinter *Repert. Spec. Nov. Regni Veg.* 15:80 (1917)

**Name Status:** Non-Current Name

**Name Type** Heterotypic synonym Source. Ross (1979: 111)

**Accepted Name:** *Vachellia kirkii* (Oliv.) Kyal. & Boatwr.

**Type Designation:** Isotype: South West Africa, Tsumeb Distr., Nagusib, 25 km S.E. of Namutoni, Dinter 2283 (SAM) **Source:** Ross (1979: 111)

***Acacia kirkii* var. *intermedia*** Brenan *Kew Bull.* 12:363 (1958)

**Name Status:** Non-Current Name

**Name Type** Heterotypic synonym Source. Ross (1979: 111)

**Accepted Name:** *Vachellia kirkii*  (Oliv.) Kyal. & Boatwr.

**Type Designation:** Holotype: Kenya, Athi Plains, Van Someren in C.M. 2700 (K) **Source:** Ross (1979: 111)

**Notes:** Full name path is Acacia kirkii subsp. kirkii var. intermedia Brenan.

***Acacia mildbraedii*** sens. Bogdan *Nat. E. Africa, Ser. 2* 1:14 (1949)

**Name Status:** Non-Current Name

**Name Type** Misapplied name Source. Ross (1979: 111)

**Accepted Name:** *Vachellia kirkii* (Oliv.) Kyal. & Boatwr.