

HARVESTING SABINA BERRIES (*Juniperus phoenicea turbinata*)



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Habitat: sandy soils, dunes.

This is a protected species in Andalusia.

Its leaves are scale-shaped, overlapping one another thus differentiating it from *Juniperus macrocarpa*. The scales are generally arranged in rows of four.

Harvesting the berries depends on the dune environment; as they do not all ripen at the same time. The technique is: slide your hand along the branch, from inside the bush outwards, taking the berries with you.

