

Spain – Birds and Wines of Navarra

Naturetrek Tour Report

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Alpine Marmot



Black Woodpecker



Ortolan Bunting



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Day 1

Monday 16th May

London – Zaragoza – Villafranca

The flight arrived at Zaragoza in the late evening. Julen and I were waiting for the group at the baggage gate. We sorted out our vehicles, and drove to our hotel in Villafranca, Hospederia de Alesves. We checked in and later retired to bed.

Day 2

Tuesday 17th May

Bardenas Reales National Park & Bodegas Marques de Montecierzo

After a relaxing breakfast, we drove up out from Villafranca heading south to Las Bardenas Reales Natural Park. Many birds such as Griffon Vulture, Black Kite, Spotless Starling and European Swifts were spotted on the way. The weather looked promising - very sunny with a pleasant breeze. Our first few stops produced Black-eared Wheatear, Short-toed Eagle, Crested Lark, Tawny Pipit, and others such as Cattle Egret and White Stork at the entrance of the reserve. Later on, and already in the park, we arrived at the Castil de Tierra, an impressive natural dome formation caused by decades of soil erosion and wind. The impressive and dramatic landscape produced good birds such as Black-eared Wheatear, Black Redstart, Griffon Vulture, Short-toed Eagle, Short-toed and Lesser Short-toed Larks, European Bee-eater, Thekla Lark, Northern Wheatear, Red-billed Chough, Corn Bunting, Tawny Pipit, and Dartford Warbler, amongst others. We walked down the track until we got to a marshy area - Great Reed Warbler, White Wagtail, Northern Wheatear, Montague's and Marsh Harriers, Black Kites, Griffon Vulture, more European Bee-eaters, Corn Bunting, Honey Buzzard, Little Ringed Plover and Crested Lark were seen.

After the birding morning we headed north in order to visit our first winery, Marques de Montecierzo - a family-owned and 100% organic 30-hectare vineyard located in the outskirts of Castejon.

Joaquin, the owner and head of the vineyard, together with his son Roberto put all this wine project together ten years ago, refurbishing a 100-year-old building (formerly used as a wheat mill and even as a jail during the civil war). Roberto himself took us on a tour through the cellars and the production areas whilst sharing the history of the place as well as the whole process of their wine-making industry. After the tour, the wine testing began with one Chardonnay White, a red Crianza, Moscatel and Rose...superb! The tasting included some delicious finger food 'tapas'. After enjoying their tasty wines, some of us even ordered a few bottles to be delivered to our homes!

After this break, we drove back to Las Bardenas to explore some of the southern areas, getting some Black-backed Stilts and Avocets along the rice pools. Eventually, a flying Hoopoe and a Western Orphean Warbler came, along with our delicious picnic lunch, fully loaded with local products and flavours, in the hands of our local helper Susana. A Woodchat Shrike and a Short-toed Eagle came along during pudding time...gorgeous birds!

After lunch, the hot weather became a bit of a problem for birding, in spite of that, we managed to see Calandra Larks, more Black-eared and Northern Wheatears, Tawny Pipit, Corn Bunting, amongst others. As the afternoon went by, we decided to drive back to our hotel and later enjoyed a tasty multi-starter supper.

Day 3

Wednesday 19th May

Pitillas Lake and Bodegas Pagos de Araiz

After breakfast, we headed north to Pitillas Lake. The weather was perfect, sunny and no wind, just a very refreshing breeze at times, ideal for birding! On the way we spotted some birds such as Melodious Warbler, Linnet, Goldfinch, Spotless Starling, Black Kite, White Stork, Crested Lark, and Corn Bunting, amongst others. We arrived at the southern boundary of the lake following the dirt track, where we found a high spot which overlooked part of the marshes. Here, some birds such as Little and Great Crested Grebes, Mallard, Grey Heron, Spanish Yellow Wagtail, Yellow-legged Gull, Whiskered Tern, Coot and Marsh Harrier, Skylark, Thekla Lark and Tawny Pipit were spotted. We continued down the track until we arrived at an old barn and continued our walk around the dirt banks where dozens of European Bee-eaters nest, together with some Rock Sparrows. We also had good views of Little Owl, Black-eared and Northern Wheatears, Common Buzzard, Thekla Lark, and more.

By the mid morning, we went to explore a nice rocky hill with shrub vegetation, perfect habitat for some specialized birds – we saw Rufous-tailed Rock Thrush, Black-eared Wheatear, Subalpine Warbler and Ortolan Bunting, (which showed off himself beautifully)! Other birds such as Spectacled Warbler, Southern Grey Shrike, Booted Eagle, and Thekla Lark were seen here too. We were expecting to see Black Wheatear here but we had no luck with this elusive species. We tried again at a different spot but all we got were a pair of Red-billed Choughs, Black-eared Wheatear and close views of a gorgeous Short-toed Eagle. We continued driving along the various dirt tracks and towards the visitor centre which overlooks the main marshes; from here we spotted some birds such as Great Reed and Fan-tailed Warblers, a fairly large group of Bearded Tits, as well as Great Crested Grebe, Coot, Grey Heron, and Marsh Harrier, amongst others.

Shortly after that we drove up out of Pitillas marshes heading onto tracks surrounded by hundreds of hectares of grapes, until we arrived at Pagos de Araiz, a very fine and beautiful winery laid right in the heart of their grape fields.

The glamorous 'bodega' (which displays a very impressive art collection in every corner of its premises) was built ten years ago to enhance the local wine of Navarra by taking the best produce grown in organic soils, which will be reflected in their grapes and hence their final product. The testing focused on young Crianza and Rose, plus some old-oaked Crianza, Merlot and Cabernet. After this delightful visit, we went back to the marshes in Pitillas in order to have some 'extra' lunch and to explore more of this nice marsh. We saw Purple Herons, Marsh Harrier, Bearded Tits, Fan-tailed Warbler, Black and Whiskered Terns, Gadwall, and Great-crested Grebe, amongst others. We then drove back to our hotel in Villafranca in order to have a short break and to enjoy supper.

Day 4

Thursday 19th May

Bardenas Reales, Lumbier, Foz de Arbayún and Isaba

We started very early today exploring the depths of Las Bardenas Reales Natural Park checking some potential sites for Dupont's Lark. Despite our efforts there was no sign of the species around the usual territories - this species has been recently reported, but we were unlucky this time. We did comfort ourselves with other larks such as Crested, Calandra, Lesser Short-toed, Thekla and Sky. We also checked some other hotspots which produced very interesting species such as Black Wheatear, Egyptian Vulture, Tawny Pipit, Montague's Harrier, Black-eared and Northern Wheatears, European Bee-eater, Pin-tailed Sandgrouse, Spectacle Warbler and brief views of a Little Bustard which took off from the roadside, flying right in front of our vehicles.

We drove back to the hotel to have breakfast and checked out in order to start our journey heading north to the Navarran Pyrenees, passing by the town of Olite, one of Spain's wine capitals and the cradle of amazing history of medieval wars, kingdoms and history. After an hours drive, we arrived at Lumbier, where many Crag Martins, Griffon Vultures, Red-billed Choughs, Black Kites, Black Redstart and Nightingales were seen. We also had great views of a pair of Blue Rock Thrushes and Rock Sparrows at the walls of the gorge, including two Bonelli's Eagles in flight. We walked back to the car park in order to get on our vans and drive up to our lunch spot, La Foz de Arbayún. The impressive canyon gave us a great appreciation of the River Salazar basin trapped within a massive rock formation, where we managed to see nesting Griffon Vultures, Alpine Swifts, Red-billed Choughs, Raven, Bonelli's Eagle, Firecrest, and Common Kestrel, amongst others.

After enjoying our picnic lunch at the Foz de Arbayun, amused by the dramatic landscape of the area, the weather suddenly changed into a light rain, as a storm was coming in our direction from the mountains, so we continued heading north admiring the lush mountainous landscape, with the thick green screen of the impressive Pyrenees in the background. As the rain continued, we arrived in Isaba, making a quick coffee stop while our baggage was dropped off at Metsola, our lush apartment hotel for the next three nights. In the evening, we enjoyed drinks, nibbles, and a superb supper and wines at Meson de Tapia restaurant.

Day 5

Friday 20th May

Belagua Valley, La Contienda trail & Ernaz (French border)

We woke to the peaceful sounds of the little village of Isaba and its breathtaking surroundings. We had breakfast and soon we were on the way to the north portion of the Belagua Valley, right in the heart of the Pyrenees, a perfect habitat for some alpine endemics.

The bendy roads took us right up to 1,700m where we made our first stop in order to walk along La Contineda trail by a mountain refuge. It was a nice surprise when we spotted two lovely Ringed Ouzels and a pair of Citril Finches right at the car park! We saw many more individuals of these two lovely species once we hit the trail, plus Crested Tit, Firecrest, Red Crossbill, Mistle Thrush Coal Tit, Chiffchaff, Alpine Chough and a flock of migrating Honey Buzzards. Our walk was suddenly interrupted as we spotted an Alpine Marmot running across the path and towards the rocky limestone crags. After walking several metres up the trail, we saw a group of at least six of these lovely animals.

We walked back to the car park and drove a short distance, crossing 100 metres over the French border to a good spot for Alpine Accentor, having great views of this important bird. Alpine Choughs were also flying around. Then we moved back into Navarre territory and found a great spot by the road to set up our picnic lunch, while Alpine Choughs and Ringed Ouzel showed off themselves by the crags and fir trees.

After lunch, we drove down the valley heading south, diverting onto a dirt track which took us to Maze, a pristine fir and beech forest, a perfect habitat for the elusive and shy Black Woodpecker. Serious rain was coming from the south and shortly hit the forest but we kept going with our trekking plans! The hike was a bit tricky but we all made it to the site, unfortunately we were a bit unlucky as we could not see this beautiful woody although we tried very hard to get a signal from him. The rain started even heavier so we decided to walk back to the vehicles. Wet and a bit cold, we decided that a hot drink would be great, so we drove down to the main road where we found a very cosy mountain cafe, which suited us well!

As the late afternoon arrived, we started to make our way back to Isaba, doing some birding en route which produced great views of an Egyptian Vulture feeding in one of the fields by the main road. We had a break and gathered together again to do our checklist and to enjoy local supper, and of course, a superb local wine!

Day 6

Saturday 21st May

Zuriza Valley – Fago (via Anso)

This morning we drove to one of the most beautiful valleys on the area, Zuriza. This hotspot, located right along the border between Navarra and Aragón, offered a pristine beech forest surrounded by an impressive landscape of rock formations and high cliff which easily takes your breath away! On our first stop, we managed to see a group of several Chamois grazing in the high patches of grass on the rocky and steep cliff sides. After this, we drove ten minutes down the road and towards the other end of the valley where we walked along a beautiful track built along the pristine beech forest. It was fairly quiet and we started trying very hard for some woodpecker species (Black and white-backed) but with no response at all. Our 'alarm-squeaky' call brought down some species such as Coal Tit and Nuthatch, with the always-present Chaffinch. We continued until we walked into a clearing which overlooked the two rocky crests of the valley where several Griffon Vultures and Red-billed Choughs were soaring around. As we walked through these lush meadows, we tried to find a sign of a Black Woodpecker and were lucky enough to have a beautiful male which flew over the forest and perched in a leafless tree right in front of us!! What a treat, what a bird; we had the best views ever!! After this exciting sighting, we walked back to the car park walking through the meadows and part of the forest, where some interesting birds such as Northern Treecreeper, Chiffchaff, Eurasian Jay and Bullfinch were seen.

We moved to our lunch spot located down the road and towards the village of Anso, from where we were able to check the main cliffs and gorges in order to keep spotting for birds of prey. Griffon and Egyptian Vultures were soaring around and we also spotted a Lammergeier soaring high along the skyline of the summit. After enjoying our delicious picnic lunch, and the best wines of the area – and local ‘sidra’, we drove for another thirty minutes to another good spot for raptors. As soon as we pulled up the vehicles, a magnificent Golden Eagle flew right in front of us, giving us a show for nearly one hour, displaying, diving in the sky and perching on top of bushes, what a treat! We also saw Sparrowhawk, Egyptian and Griffon Vultures, Subalpine Warbler, and Coal Tit, amongst others. We scanned the hills very hard for Lammergeier once again but with no luck. We eventually drove back to Isaba in order to have a break and a special supper (celebrating Shirley’s birthday!), after having a wonderful and very productive day!

Day 7

Sunday 22nd May

El Rocal Valley - Zaragoza - London

We took it easy this morning as it was going to be a long day heading back home. We drove half an hour down to el Roncal Valley in order to check a beautiful riparian forest area surrounded by high crags. We enjoyed trekking along the limestone trails and walking around the fields and meadows catching up with some species such as Egyptian and Griffon Vultures, Common Buzzard, Black Kite, Short-toed Eagle, Raven, Woodchat and Shrike, amongst others. We were expecting to get better views of Lammergeier from this point but we were very unlucky as it seemed that this lovely Bearded Vulture was hidden from us...! We kept trying very hard by scanning the blue skies constantly, but in the end we didn’t see it today. We drove further down the valley to check other crags while having our very last picnic lunch. A mysterious Black Woodpecker flew across the road and some of us saw it very quickly; nevertheless, there was no sign of him when we tried to bring him back using the tape.

We enjoyed a very nice lunch and after that, we drove back to Isaba in order to take a break and pack our belongings, as the time to drive back to Zaragoza’s airport was about to come. We loaded up our luggage in our vans and off we went, leaving ‘El Reyno de Navarra’ behind, admiring and enjoying the lush and breathtaking landscape, especially when we went through the Mallos de Gállego (impressive Pleistocene rocky formations) while cruising the Kingdom of Aragon. After a smooth drive, we arrived at the airport in time to gather together for a last drink and snack at the airport’s cafeteria, and later on boarded our flight to London Stansted.

WINES TASTED DURING THE TOUR

- EMERGENTE (Crianza 2005, Marques de Montecierzo – Navarra)
- SELECCION (Merlot 2006, Marques de Montecierzo – Navarra)
- PRINCIPE DE VIANA 1423 (Tempranillo & Cabernet 2001, 1423 – Navarra)
- ALZANIA (Crianza 2003, Alzania – Navarra)
- ARISTU (Crianza 2006, Lumbier – Navarra)

- RAZO DE LARRAINZAR (Tempranillo, Merlot & Cabernet 2007)
- ALMARA: (Cabernet Reserva 2005)
- SENORIO DE ARTAZU (Garnacha 2005, Sotes - Navarra)
- TXAKOLI DE GETARIA (White 2007, Hondarrabi Zuri & Beltza)
- ORQUIDEA (Sauvignon Blanc 2008, Inurrieta – Navarra)
- MAS FERRANT MOSCATO D’ASTI (Moscato Bianco)

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Species Lists

Birds (✓ = recorded but not counted; h = heard only)

	Common name	Scientific name	May						
			16	17	18	19	20	21	22
1	Great Crested Grebe	<i>Podiceps cristatus</i>			✓				
2	Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>			✓				
3	Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>		✓		✓			
4	Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>		✓	✓			✓	✓
5	Purple Heron	<i>Ardea purpurea</i>			✓				
6	White Stork	<i>Ciconia ciconia</i>		✓	✓	✓			✓
7	Mallard	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>		✓	✓				
8	Gadwall	<i>Anas strepera</i>			✓				
9	Common Pochard	<i>Aythya ferina</i>			✓				
10	Coot	<i>Fulica atra</i>			✓				
11	Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>			✓				
12	Black Kite	<i>Milvus migrans</i>		✓	✓	✓			✓
13	Red Kite	<i>Milvus milvus</i>				✓		✓	✓
14	Short-toed Eagle	<i>Circaetus gallicus</i>		✓	✓	✓			✓
15	Egyptian Vulture	<i>Neophron percnopterus</i>				✓	✓	✓	✓
16	Lammergeier	<i>Gypaetus barbatus</i>						✓	
17	Griffon Vulture	<i>Gyps fulvus</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
18	Eurasian Marsh Harrier	<i>Circus aeruginosus</i>		✓	✓	✓			
19	Montagu's Harrier	<i>Circus pygargus</i>		✓		✓			
20	Northern Sparrowhawk	<i>Accipiter nisus</i>						✓	✓
21	Goshawk	<i>Accipiter gentilis</i>						✓	
22	Common Buzzard	<i>Buteo buteo</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
23	Honey Buzzard	<i>Pernis apivorus</i>		✓			✓		
24	Bonelli's Eagle	<i>Aquila fasciata</i>				✓			
25	Booted Eagle	<i>Hieraaetus pennatus</i>			✓				
26	Golden Eagle	<i>Aquila chrysaetos</i>						✓	
27	Peregrine Falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>				✓			
28	Common Kestrel	<i>Falco tinnunculus</i>		✓		✓		✓	✓
29	Pin-tailed Sandgrouse	<i>Pterocles alchata</i>				✓			
30	Red-legged Partridge	<i>Alectoris rufa</i>			✓	✓			
31	Little Bustard	<i>Tetrax tetrax</i>				✓			
32	Avocet	<i>Recurvirostra avosetta</i>		✓					
33	Little Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius dubius</i>		✓					
34	Greenshank	<i>Tringa nebul</i>			✓				
35	Black-winged Stilt	<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>			✓				
36	Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>							✓
37	Yellow-legged Herring Gull	<i>Larus cachinnans</i>			✓				
38	Lesse Black-backed Gull	<i>Larus fuscus</i>			✓				
39	Black-headed Gull	<i>Chroicocephalus ridibundus</i>			✓				
40	Black Tern	<i>Chlidonias niger</i>			✓				
41	Whiskered Tern	<i>Chlidonias hybridus</i>			✓				
42	Great Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>			✓				
43	Rock Dove	<i>Columba livia</i>		✓	✓	✓			✓
44	Wood Pigeon	<i>Columba palumbus</i>		✓	✓	✓		✓	✓
45	Eurasian Collared Dove	<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>		✓	✓	✓			✓
46	Turtle Dove	<i>Streptopelia turtur</i>		h					
47	Cuckoo	<i>Cuculus canorus</i>					h		

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			16	17	18	19	20	21	22
48	Tawny Owl	<i>Strix aluco</i>					h	h	
49	Little Owl	<i>Athene noctua</i>			✓				
50	Scops Owl	<i>Otus scops</i>		h	h				
51	Barn Owl	<i>Tyto alba</i>	✓						
52	Alpine Swift	<i>Apus melba</i>				✓		✓	
53	European Swift	<i>Apus apus</i>		✓	✓	✓		✓	✓
54	Common Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo atthis</i>				✓			
55	Hoopoe	<i>Upupa epops</i>		✓	✓				
56	European Bee-eater	<i>Merops apiaster</i>		✓	✓	✓			
57	Black Woodpecker	<i>Dryocopus martius</i>						✓	✓
58	Green Woodpecker	<i>Picus viridis</i>						h	
59	Skylark	<i>Alauda arvensis</i>		h	✓	✓			
60	Lesser Short-toed Lark	<i>Calandrella rufescens</i>		✓		x			
61	Short-toed Lark	<i>Calandrella brachydactyla</i>		✓					
62	Crested Lark	<i>Galerida cristata</i>		✓	✓	✓			✓
63	Thekla Lark	<i>Galerida Theklae</i>		✓	✓	✓			
64	Calandra Lark	<i>Melanocorypha calandra</i>		✓	✓	✓			
65	Crag Martin	<i>Ptyonoprogne rupestris</i>				✓		✓	✓
66	House Martin	<i>Delichon urbica</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
67	Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
68	Tree Pipit	<i>Anthus trivialis</i>					✓		
69	Tawny Pipit	<i>Anthus campestris</i>		✓	✓	✓			
70	White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>		✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
71	Grey Wagtail	<i>Motacilla cinerea</i>						✓	✓
72	Spanish (Yellow) Wagtail	<i>Motacilla flava iberiae</i>			✓				
73	Nightingale	<i>Luscinia megarhynchos</i>	h	h	✓	✓			h
74	Dunnock	<i>Prunella modularis</i>					✓	✓	✓
75	Robin	<i>Erithacus rubecula</i>				h	✓		
76	Stonechat	<i>Saxicola torquata</i>				✓			
77	Black Redstart	<i>Phoenicurus ochruros</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
78	Common Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe oenanthe</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓
79	Black-eared Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe hispanica</i>		✓	✓	✓			
80	Black Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe leucura</i>				✓			
81	Rufous-tailed Rock Thrush	<i>Monticola saxatilis</i>			✓				
82	Blue Rock Thrush	<i>Monticola solitarius</i>				✓			
83	Blackbird	<i>Turdus merula</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
84	Ring Ouzel	<i>Turdus torquatus</i>					✓		
85	Mistle Thrush	<i>Turdus viscivorus</i>					✓		
86	Great Reed Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus arundinaceus</i>		✓	✓				
87	Cetti's Warbler	<i>Cettia cetti</i>		h	h	h			
88	Fan-tailed Warbler	<i>Cisticola juncidis</i>			✓				
89	Melodious Warbler	<i>Hippolais polyglotta</i>			✓				
90	Garden warbler	<i>Sylvia borin</i>						h	h
91	Orphean Warbler	<i>Sylvia hortensis</i>		✓					
92	Blackcap	<i>Sylvia atricapilla</i>				✓	h	h	✓
93	Sardinian Warbler	<i>Sylvia melanocephala</i>				✓			
94	Dartford Warbler	<i>Sylvia undata</i>		✓	✓				
95	Subalpine Warbler	<i>Sylvia cantillans</i>			✓			✓	
96	Spectacled Warbler	<i>Sylvia conspicillata</i>			✓	✓			
97	Western Bonelli's Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus bonelli</i>		h		h		h	
98	Chiffchaff	<i>Phylloscopus collybita</i>					✓	✓	

	Common name	Scientific name	May						
			16	17	18	19	20	21	22
99	Firecrest	<i>Regulus ignicapillus</i>				✓	✓		
100	Spotted Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa striata</i>		✓					
101	Crested Tit	<i>Parus cristatus</i>					✓		✓
102	Marsh Tit	<i>Parus palustris</i>					✓		
103	Coal Tit	<i>Parus ater</i>					✓	✓	✓
104	Great Tit	<i>Parus major</i>				h	✓	✓	✓
105	Blue Tit	<i>Parus caeruleus</i>				✓	✓		✓
106	Bearded Tit	<i>Panurus biarmicus</i>			✓				
107	Nuthatch	<i>Sitta europaea</i>						✓	
108	Eurasian Treecreeper	<i>Certhia familiaris</i>						✓	
109	Wren	<i>Troglodytes troglodytes</i>				✓	h	h	h
110	Dipper	<i>Cinclus cinclus</i>				✓	✓	✓	
111	Alpine Accentor	<i>Prunella collaris</i>					✓		
112	Southern Grey Shrike	<i>Lanius meridionalis</i>			✓				
113	Woodchat Shrike	<i>Lanius senator</i>		✓					✓
114	Magpie	<i>Pica pica</i>		✓	✓	✓			✓
115	Eurasian Jay	<i>Garrulus glandarius</i>						✓	✓
116	Red-billed Chough	<i>Pyrrhocorax Pyrrhocorax</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
117	Alpine Chough	<i>Pyrrhocorax graculus</i>					✓		
118	Carrion Crow	<i>Corvus corone</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
119	Raven	<i>Corvus corax</i>			✓			✓	✓
120	Spotless Starling	<i>Sturnus unicolor</i>		✓	✓	✓			✓
121	Rock Sparrow	<i>Petronia petronia</i>			✓	✓			
122	House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
123	Chaffinch	<i>Fringilla coelebs</i>				✓	✓	✓	✓
124	Citril Finch	<i>Serinus citrinella</i>					✓		
125	Serin	<i>Serinus serinus</i>		✓			✓	✓	✓
126	Linnet	<i>Acanthis cannabina</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
127	Goldfinch	<i>Carduelis carduelis</i>		✓	✓	✓			
128	Greenfinch	<i>Carduelis chloris</i>		✓		✓	✓		✓
129	Bullfinch	<i>Pyrrhula pyrrhula</i>						✓	
130	Crossbill	<i>Loxia curvirostra</i>					✓		
131	Corn Bunting	<i>Miliaria calandra</i>		✓	✓	✓			✓
132	Ortolan Bunting	<i>Emberiza hortulana</i>			✓				

Butterflies

Swallowtail *Papilio machaon*

Black-veined White *Aporia cratargi*

Small White *Artogeia rapae*

Bath White *Pontia daplidiae*

Clouded Yellow *Colias crocea*

Wood White *Leptidea sinapis*

Holly Blue *Celastrina argiolus*

Adonis Blue *Lysandra bellargus*

Camberwell Beauty *Nymphalis antiopa*

Spanish Marbled White *Melanargia ines*

Wall Brown *Lasiommata megera*

Scarce (Spanish) Swallowtail *Iphiclides podalirius*

Large White *Pieris brassicae*

Green-veined White *Artogeia napi*

Orange Tip *Anthocharis cardamines*

Brimstone *Gonepteryx rhamni*

Small Copper *Lycaena phlaeas*

Mazarine Blue *Cyaniris semiargus*

South White Admiral *Limentitis reducta*

Large Tortoiseshell *Nymphalis polychloros*

Speckled Wood *Pararge aegeria*

Grizzled Skipper *Pyrgus malvae*

Reptiles & amphibians

Rock Lizard

Fired Salamander

Mammals

Chamois

Alpine Marmot

Invertebrates

Dung Beetle

Southern Hawker

Lesser Emperor Dragonfly

Orchids

Bee Orchid

Butterfly Orchid

Early Purple Orchid

Lady Orchid