

# Corsica – The Scented Isle

Naturetrek Tour Report

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Corsican Nuthatch



Corsican Swallowtail



Alpine Chough



Corsican Crocus

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## Day 1

Sunday 1st May

Sunny, breezy, 18°C

David and the group arrived on time at Bastia airport and, once in the buses, we were soon on the road. Having made a welcome coffee stop at Ponte Leccia, we headed for the coast and were soon enjoying amazing views over the craggy coast and Mediterranean Sea. Our next brief stop was at a farmers market in the town of L'île Rousse where the wonderful display of fresh produce had a number of the group capturing proceedings with their cameras, while others botanised in the car park.

Loaded with fresh fruit and veg for lunch, a final stop was made in Calvi for a few other items including some fresh bread; the boulangerie had the most tempting patisseries on show, testing our will-power to the limit!

Lunch was taken just beyond the town of Galeria, with breath-taking views across a small bay. With the picnic laid out on a conveniently placed wall, two small birds made a short flight before landing close by on an adjacent wall: a pair of Corsican Finches shone pristine in the sun as the group scrambled for their optics. It was an all-too-brief encounter but fortunately it proved to be the first of many sightings. Tucking into the spread, we became aware that swifts and hirundines were streaming through overhead; this 'visible migration' became a feature of the day and brought with it some real surprises. On this occasion, the group were treated to outstanding views of dozens of Alpine Swifts flying with their commoner relatives; often passing so close that the narrow breast band which divides the chin from the rest of the underparts could be discerned with the naked eye. Well fed, David took us on a short walk of the surrounding area to point out some key plants species. The delicate Corsican Stork's-bill was a real favourite but the rather tactile Corsican Sea Lavender with its fascinating spiky structure came a close second.

Continuing down the west coast, we made a final stop to enjoy the view near Porto, when suddenly a large raptor swept up the cliff face and not one, but two Ospreys gave amazing views. Moments later, a Peregrine zipped by and a Roller perched on a wire high above. Moving on, we soon arrived at our hotel where a roaring fire and delicious meal made us feel very at home.

## Day 2

Monday 2nd May

Sunny start, wet middle part of day and late sun, 20°C

Leaving the hotel, a short drive took us into a Chestnut woodland in search Corsican Nuthatch. The weather was cool and became progressively less clement as the morning advanced but this didn't stop us seeing some fascinating species: Corsican Mint, Corsican Bog Asphodel along with good views of Firecrest and Goldcrest. Heading back to the vehicles, a small flock of Water Pipits, complete with a delicate pink flush to their breasts, landed out in the open.

En route to the coast we made a brief stop at Col de Sevi in search of Marmora's Warbler, we weren't in luck but we did get great views of Corsican Finch, Gird Bunting and two Wood Larks which were creeping along a rough track in a manner typical of the species. As we made our way back to the vehicles we noticed that the local semi-

feral pigs were making a bolt for the car park; quickly it became clear why: a tourist coach had arrived and, by sounding his horn, the pigs were sent running down to the coach in hope of some scraps.

Down at the Liamone Estuary, a lone Audouin's Gull caused excitement for some; although this rare and attractive species has increased in recent years, it's still a very good find. However, for most, a flock of Bee-eaters hawking over and perching close to the river stole the show hands down. Other species present included a number of waders: Greenshank, Ringed Plover, Dunlin and Common Sandpiper. A short walk on the dunes turned up Yellow-horned Poppy, Sea Rocket and the pretty pink Sea Bindweed.

Our last stop of the day was at a 'recycling centre' on our way back to the hotel, where 50 or more Red Kites were circling overhead in the company of dozens of Ravens and proved a great way of finishing off the day.

## Day 3

Tuesday 3rd May

Sunny, 21°C

A gentle stroll down through Evisa brought us to the cemetery and the start of a track which runs down through the Spelunca Gorge and onto Ota where we would end our day's walk. Firstly we took a look in the cemetery where good numbers of Pink Butterfly Orchid stood proud amongst the grasses. Leaving the tarmac behind, we started the slow decent into the gorge. Firecrests were common and glimpsed briefly as they sang above our heads in the canopy of Tree Heather and Strawberry Trees. Botanical highlights, of which there were many, included the endemic Long-leaved Snowflake and Illyrian Sea Daffodil. Birds were hard to find in the dense canopy but a Blue Rock Thrush sang from a rocky pinnacle and Ravens called overhead.

Lunch was taken next to a clear stream, crossed by the Genoese-restored Zaglia Bridge, where wagtails darted over the water in search of flies. Refreshed and well-fed, we continued along the old mule trail which now tracked the course of the stream. Lizards were much in evidence but seldom stayed put long enough to allow good views; however, we eventually came upon a particularly confiding Tyrrhenian Wall Lizard basking in the open.

Eventually at the bottom, some opted to take a lift up to the village while others made the last few kilometres on foot and, for their pains, enjoyed views of Brown Argus butterfly and the rather large Egyptian Grasshopper. Reunited at a café in the charming village of Ota, we all enjoyed a beverage before heading back up the switch-back road to the hotel.

## Day 4

Wednesday 4th May

Sunny, 23°C

With farewells bid, we left our first hotel and headed east. We decided to try again for Corsican Nuthatch above Evisa; once more the forest was alive with tits and finches but, sadly, no Nuthatch. A distant Wryneck gave its alarm call and a Firecrest posed on a low branch, allowing great views for everyone.

Driving up along twisting roads, we arrived at Col de Vergio where a rough path took us up to the ski station. Climbing the trail, we encountered a small flock of Corsican Finch; these confiding individuals fed on the

ground, enabling us to pick out the brown mantle and bright yellow underparts which help separate this species from the closely related Citril Finch. At the ski station, a brief search turned up some splendid Bedriaga's Rock Lizards basking in sheltered spots out of the wind, and these were briefly joined by a stunning Corsican Swallowtail butterfly which alighted on flowers nearby.

Further down the valley, we stopped at the lower edge of the pine forest for lunch where Queen of Spain Fritillary put in a brief appearance. Moving on, we soon entered the Santa Regina Gorge. Parking up, we followed the road downstream, studying the plants as we went. The road is perched a long way up the side of the gorge, giving a unique opportunity to see plants normally out of reach, like the endemic white Thrift *Armeria leucocephala*. Grey Wagtail were calling energetically in the gorge below, where we spied a newly fledged bird waiting patiently to be fed, and a Wheatear sang briefly in a gulley high above the road.

Just before Francardo, we made our final stop of the day; a fruitful one at that. The maquis here was burnt about ten years ago and it has now recovered to form low, dense cover, perfect for *Sylvia* warblers. On leaving the vehicles, we heard both Sardinian and Moltoni's Warblers and these were soon joined by the very similar Dartford and Marmora's warblers. All four species clung to cover, a habit so typical of this intriguing family of birds but, with patience, we managed brief views of the latter two species. We all marvelled at the ability of the Marmora's Warbler to move through the vegetation at barely three metres without breaking cover! Plants, orchids in particular, were also a feature with six species making it onto the day's list. New species for the tour included Man Orchid, Provence Orchid and the dark *Ophrys incubacea*.

Arriving at the new hotel, we soon gathered on the terrace to enjoy a drink ahead of dinner, while marvelling at the aquatic habits of a Dipper which was hunting its aquatic prey in the river just metres away.

## Day 5

Thursday 5th May

Sunny, late shower 22°C

After breakfast we headed out, stopping off briefly in Venaco for provisions. Shortly after, we arrived at Ponte Veccio, a most impressive railway bridge designed by Eiffel himself. On leaving the buses, a Cirl Bunting started to sing from an adjacent pine and was soon being 'scoped' by the group; a Spotted Flycatcher was also inspected in detail, while a less cooperative pair of Moltoni's Warblers gave fleeting views. In stages the group were shuttled up the valley, part by bus and with sections on foot, allowing us to compare the wealth of plants at different elevations. Orchids were well-represented, with our first Heart-shaped Tongue-orchids of the tour being spotted; a particularly impressive species with their attractive, deep velvet purple appearance. The attractive and well-named Spotted Rockrose was another species new to the group.

Eventually we arrived at our lunch stop, a helipad with magnificent views over the valley below and to distant mountains beyond. Soon a shout of 'eagle' alerted the group to a large raptor overhead; closer inspection proved it to be the 'golden type' and this was shortly joined by a second bird, most likely its mate. With lunch only just underway, we were once more looking skywards at the distinctive and huge silhouette of a Lammergeier as it soared overhead. Great excitement followed, as we marvelled at this emblematic species of vulture which has made a great return to the island. Refuelled, the group started on a short walk to discover the plants along the woodland edge. In places Cyclamens were abundant, giving a pink hue to the forest floor. Once more orchids were numerous with Barton's, Pink Butterfly and Violet Bird's-nest Orchids dotted here and there.

Next we moved to a completely different area where Beech woodland dominates the mountainside. The Vizzavona Forest is a fine example of coppice woodland; however, the trees were last cut more than 100 years ago and the resultant trees now form a cathedral like canopy towering high above. A thick mulch of Beech leaves and the dense canopy makes for a denuded ground flora but their magnificence more than makes up for this. With the first rain of the tour threatening, we retired to the quirky Vizzavona Railway Station café to warm up before heading home.

## Day 6

Friday 6th May

Sunny 17°C

Set in the Restonica Valley, the hotel gives immediate access to some wonderful habitat. So, barely a mile from the hotel, we stopped in a prime area for what was fast becoming the tour's 'bogey bird', the elusive Corsican Nuthatch. We quietly explored while listening for the species' distinctive, repetitive call, but the forest was silent. A small flock of Corsican Finch delighted the group as they crept on the ground, feeding a short distance away. A hushed voice suddenly beckoned others to view 'a promising bird'; indeed, feeding overhead was our target species. We looked on in great excitement (and relief) at this Corsican endemic and couldn't believe our luck when it began repeated flights to what was clearly its nest site. Joined by a second bird, we were able to observe as both male and female birds popped in and out of a hole in a large, dead pine tree. After 30 minutes, we decided we should leave the birds in peace and headed further up the valley, feeling rather triumphant.

Stopping at a bridge to take in the wonderful view of Corte in the valley below, a careful search soon led us to several endemic Pasque Flowers, most were starting to go over but one of these handsome white flowers was in prime condition. Less attractive, but equally interesting, was the extremely spikey Etna Barberry, a species of *Berberis*.

Continuing up the valley, we arrived at the carpark and clients enjoyed a coffee in a small café while lunch was prepared. A welcome visitor to a Cherry tree alongside the terrace came in the form of a stunning Corsican Swallowtail butterfly, which posed nicely for the cameras.

Following lunch, the group started on the walk up to Lac de Melo; although only a few kilometres, the ground conditions were difficult and therefore progress was slow. However, this gave ample time to enjoy the wildlife and breath-taking views in all directions. As we passed through stands of Corsican Alder, with their near-prostrate stems, the surrounding turf held such exciting species as the delicate Corsican Violet and in one place the stream side was host to a patch of Corsican Butterwort, an insectivorous plant found nowhere else in the world. Following a challenging but exhilarating walk, we arrived at the lake where time was taken to enjoy the beautiful surroundings and the very friendly Alpine Choughs before once more making our slow and steady return to the buses ahead of another fine dinner.

## Day 7

Saturday 7th May

Sunny, cloud later 21°C

The morning was spent visiting the old town of Corte on what was another gloriously sunny morning. This ancient town, once the capital of Corsica, is quite typical of the pretty towns dotted over the island but its citadel

is something quite special. A viewpoint at the top allows wide views over the surrounding mountainous countryside. Most explored the network of small streets, followed by a coffee in the main square. After completing the food shopping, David and I did the same and we couldn't believe our eyes when a Lammergeier was spotted flying over the town!

Once back at the bus we headed west to the coast at Aleria. A brief stop allowed us to relax and enjoy a drink with the gentle sound of waves lapping on the shore before moving onto our lunch stop a little further along the coast at Etang d'Urbino.

Refuelled, we started to explore the area and there was plenty to look at for, during a memorable 20 or so minutes, there seemed to be migrant birds everywhere. While both Woodchat and Red-backed Shrikes put in a brief appearance, it was a group of Bee-eaters perched on nearby telephone wires that stole the show again. However, a supporting cast of Whinchat and two Stone-curlews were more than noteworthy, not to mention Moltoni's and Sardinian Warblers skulking in bushes close by. Moving down to the edge of the lake, we explored an area of tall grass which harboured several *Odonata* species, including the striking, bright-red Broad Scarlet and the more cryptic Island Bluetail. With time running out, we headed for our last stop of the day.

Arriving at the Ville Antique near Aleria, we were too late to visit the ruins but this didn't stop us enjoying an ice cream before the hour-long drive back to the hotel ahead of our last dinner together.

## Day 8

Sunday 8th May

Sunny, 20°C

Airport bound, we left the hotel for the last time; 30 minutes into the journey and having made good time, we made a brief stop to admire a model village at the road side. A rather humorous public notice warranted a few photos before we made our final leg to the airport. Arriving at the Bastia, we bid our farewells ahead of our flights back to the UK and France.

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## Species Lists

Plants (• = endemic to Corsica or Balearic Region; ‡ = cultivated or naturalised)

*Plant classification largely follows the familiar 'old' system, likely to be encountered in current floras of the region.*

*Recent taxonomic changes have been incorporated, where relevant.*

*For ease of reference, families, genera and species are presented in alphabetic order*

Scientific name	Common name	Notes
<b>LYCOPODIOPSIDA</b>		
<b>CLUBMOSESSES</b>		
<b>Selaginellaceae</b>		
<i>Selaginella denticulata</i>	Toothed Clubmoss	Damp earth. Common
<b>EQUISETOPSIDA</b>		
<b>HORSETAILS</b>		
<b>Equisetaceae</b>		
<i>Equisetum arvense</i>	Field Horsetail	Occasional in pasture
<i>Equisetum ramosissimum</i>	Branched Horsetail	Hedges
<i>Equisetum telmateia</i>	Giant Horsetail	Occasional in ditches
<b>PTEROPSIDA</b>		
<b>FERNS</b>		
<b>Aspleniaceae</b>		
<i>Asplenium ceterach</i>	Rustyback	Rocks
<i>Asplenium obovatum</i>	Lanceolate Spleenwort	Shaded rocks. Spelunca
<i>Asplenium onopteris</i>	Sharp-leaved Spleenwort	Walls
<i>Asplenium ruta-muraria</i>	Wall-rue	Foret d'Aitone, Restonica
<i>Asplenium septentrionale</i>	Forked Spleenwort	Shaded mountain rocks
<i>Asplenium trichomanes</i>	Maidenhair Spleenwort	Shaded rocks
<b>Blechnaceae</b>		
<i>Blechnum spicant</i>	Hard-fern	Foret d'Aitone
<b>Dennstaedtiaceae</b>		
<i>Pteridium aquilinum</i>	Bracken	Common
<b>Dryopteridaceae</b>		
<i>Dryopteris cambrensis</i>	Narrow Male-fern	Common
<i>Dryopteris dilatata</i>	Broad Buckler-fern	Forests
<i>Dryopteris expansa</i>	Northern Buckler-fern	Mountain rocks and scrub
<i>Dryopteris oreades</i>	Mountain Male-fern	Common
<i>Polystichum setiferum</i>	Soft Shield-fern	Foret d'Aitone
<b>Osmundaceae</b>		
<i>Osmunda regalis</i>	Royal Fern	Common by rivers
<b>Polypodiaceae</b>		
<i>Polypodium cambricum</i>	Southern Polypody	Occasional on rocks
<i>Polypodium vulgare</i>	Common Polypody	Occasional on rocks

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<b>Pteridaceae</b>	<b>Maidenhair Fern Family</b>	
<i>Adiantum capillus-veneris</i>	Maidenhair Fern	Wet rocks. Spelunca
<i>Anogramma leptophylla</i>	Jersey Fern	Damp places. Spelunca
<i>Cryptogramma crista</i>	Parsley Fern	Mountain rocks. Restonica
<b>Woodsiaceae</b>	<b>Lady-fern Family</b>	
<i>Athyrium distentifolium</i>	Alpine Lady-fern	Above Lac de Melo
<i>Athyrium felix-femina</i>	Lady-fern	Foret d'Aitone
<i>Cystopteris fragilis</i>	Brittle Bladder-fern	Shaded rocks
<b>PINOPSIDA</b>	<b>CONIFERS</b>	
<b>Cupressaceae</b>	<b>Cypress Family</b>	
<i>Cupressus sempervirens</i> ‡	Italian Cypress	Cultivated
<i>Juniperus communis</i> subsp. <i>alpina</i>	Juniper	Common in mountains
<i>Juniperus oxycedrus</i> subsp. <i>oxycedrus</i>	Prickly Juniper	Common in maquis
<b>Pinaceae</b>	<b>Pine Family</b>	
<i>Abies alba</i>	European Silver-fir	Foret d'Aitone, Vizzavona
<i>Larix decidua</i> ‡	Larch	Occasional. Foret d'Aitone
<i>Pinus halepensis</i> ‡	Aleppo Pine	Planted
<i>Pinus nigra</i> subsp. <i>laricio</i> •	Corsican Pine	Forests
<i>Pinus pinaster</i>	Maritime Pine	Common in lower forests
<i>Pinus pinea</i> ‡	Umbrella Pine	Planted near coasts
<i>Pseudotsuga menziesii</i> ‡	Douglas Fir	Planted. Foret d'Aitone
<b>MAGNOLIOPSIDA</b>	<b>FLOWERING PLANTS</b>	
<b>MAGNOLIIDA</b>	<b>DICOTYLEDONS</b>	
<b>Aceraceae</b>	<b>Maple Family</b>	
<i>Acer monspessulanum</i>	Montpelier Maple	Spelunca
<i>Acer pseudoplatanus</i>	Sycamore	Restonica
<b>Aizoaceae</b>	<b>Dewplant Family</b>	
<i>Carpobrotus acinaciformis</i> ‡	Red Hottentot-fig	Coastal alien
<i>Carpobrotus edulis</i> ‡	Yellow Hottentot-fig	Coastal alien
<b>Anacardiaceae</b>	<b>Sumach Family</b>	
<i>Pistacia lentiscus</i>	Mastic Tree	Common in maquis
<b>Apiaceae</b>	<b>Carrot Family</b>	
<i>Bunium alpinum</i> subsp. <i>corydalinum</i> •	A Pignut	Mountain pasture
<i>Bupleurum fruticosum</i>	Shrubby Hare's-ear	Rocky places in maquis
<i>Bupleurum stellatum</i>	Starry Hare's-ear	Rocks
<i>Chaerophyllum temulum</i>	Rough Chervil	Roadsides
<i>Conopodium majus</i>	Pignut	Frequent
<i>Crithmum maritimum</i>	Rock Samphire	Coastal rocks
<i>Daucus carota</i>	Wild Carrot	Common
<i>Eryngium campestre</i>	Field Eryngo	Frequent
<i>Eryngium maritimum</i>	Sea Holly	Coast
<i>Ferula communis</i>	Giant Fennel	Frequent



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<i>Foeniculum vulgare</i> subsp. <i>vulgare</i>	Fennel	Common
<i>Imperatoria ostruthium</i>	Masterwort	Mountain streamsides
<i>Mutellina corsica</i> var. <i>corsica</i> •	A Lovage	Restonica
<i>Oenanthe crocata</i>	Hemlock Water-dropwort	Occasional. Riversides
<i>Oenanthe fistulosa</i>	Tubular Water-dropwort	Watermeadows. Liamone
<i>Oenanthe pimpinelloides</i>	Corky-fruited Water-dropwort	Damp pasture
<i>Peucedanum paniculatum</i> •	Paniced Hog's Fennel	Maquis and forests
<i>Pseudorhiza pumila</i>	Dune Carrot	Coastal sands
<i>Sanicula europaea</i>	Sanicle	Occasional in forests
<i>Scandix pecten-veneris</i>	Shepherd's-needle	Dry rocky places
<i>Seseli praecox</i> •	Seseli	Cliffs. Porto
<i>Smyrnium olusatrum</i>	Alexanders	Weedy places
<i>Tordylium apulum</i>	Tordylium	Occasional
<i>Tordylium maximum</i>	Hartwort	Occasional
<i>Torilis arvensis</i>	Spreading Hedge-parsley	Weedy places
<i>Torilis nodosa</i>	Knotted Hedge-parsley	Dry sandy places
<b>Apocynaceae</b>	<b>Oleander Family</b>	
<i>Nerium oleander</i>	Oleander	By streams in maquis
<i>Vinca difformis</i>	Intermediate Periwinkle	Evisa
<b>Aquifoliaceae</b>	<b>Holly Family</b>	
<i>Ilex aquifolium</i>	Holly	Common in forests
<b>Araliaceae</b>	<b>Ivy Family</b>	
<i>Hedera helix</i>	Ivy	Common
<b>Aristolochiaceae</b>	<b>Birthwort Family</b>	
<i>Aristolochia tyrrhena</i> •	Tyrrhenian Birthwort	Spelunca
<b>Asclepiadaceae</b>	<b>Milkweed Family</b>	
<i>Gomphocarpus fruticosus</i> †	Bristle-fruited Silkweed	Occasional. Roadsides
<i>Vincetoxicum hirundinaria</i>	Swallow-wort	Restonica. Verghello
<b>Asteraceae</b>	<b>Daisy Family</b>	
<i>Achillea ligustica</i>	Southern Yarrow	Common
<i>Achillea millefolium</i> †	Yarrow	Weedy places
<i>Adenostyles briquetii</i> •	Briquet's Adenostyles	Restonica
<i>Andryala integrifolia</i>	Andryala	Weedy places
<i>Anthemis arvensis</i>	Corn Chamomile	Ruderal
<i>Anthemis maritimus</i>	Sea Chamomile	Sand dunes. East coast
<i>Aster tripolium</i>	Sea Aster	Saltmarsh. East coast
<i>Bellis perennis</i>	Daisy	Occasional
<i>Bellis sylvestris</i>	Southern Daisy	Frequent
<i>Bellium bellidioides</i> •	False Daisy	Common
<i>Calendula arvensis</i>	Field Marigold	Frequent
<i>Carduus pycnocephalus</i>	Plymouth Thistle	Common. Waste ground
<i>Carduus tenuiflorus</i>	Slender Thistle	Coast
<i>Carlina corymbosa</i>	A Carline Thistle	Common to 1000 metres
<i>Carlina macrocephala</i> subsp. <i>macrocephala</i> •	Large-headed Carline Thistle	Occasional above 1000 metres
<i>Chondrilla juncea</i>	Rush Skeletonweed	Waste places
<i>Cichorium intybus</i>	Chicory	Roadsides
<i>Cirsium vulgare</i>	Spears Thistle	Grassy and waste places

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<i>Crupina crupinastrum</i>	Crupina	Weedy places
<i>Dittrichia viscosa</i>	Stink Aster	Roadsides . Common
<i>Doronicum corsicum</i> •	Corsican Leopard's-bane	Wet rocks
<i>Eupatorium cannabinum</i> subsp. <i>corsicum</i> •	A Hemp-agrimony	Wet forests
<i>Filago gallica</i>	Narrow-leaved Cudweed	Dry places
<i>Filago minima</i>	Small Cudweed	Rocky places
<i>Filago pygmaea</i>	Pygmy Cudweed	Dry places
<i>Galactites tomentosa</i>	Galactites	Waste places
<i>Geropogon glaber</i> ‡	Slender Salsify	Rare ruderal
<i>Glebionis coronaria</i> var. <i>coronaria</i>	Crown Daisy	Waste places
<i>Glebionis coronaria</i> var. <i>discolor</i>	Crown Daisy	Waste places
<i>Glebionis segetum</i>	Corn Marigold	Liamone beach
<i>Gnaphalium luteoalbum</i>	Jersey Cudweed	Waste places
<i>Helichrysum frigidum</i> •	An Everlastingflower	Mountain rocks
<i>Helichrysum italicum</i> subsp. <i>italicum</i>	A Curry Plant	Rocky places
<i>Hyoseris radiata</i>	Hyoseris	Ruderal
<i>Hypochaeris achyrophorus</i>	Mediterranean Cat's-ear	Frequent
<i>Hypochaeris glabra</i>	Smooth Cat's-ear	Frequent
<i>Hypochaeris radicata</i>	Common Cat's-ear	Sand dunes
<i>Inula crithmoides</i>	Golden Samphire	Etang d'Urbino
<i>Jacobaea maritima</i>	Cineraria	Coastal cliffs
<i>Lapsana communis</i>	Nipplewort	Waste places
<i>Mycelis muralis</i>	Wall Lettuce	Walls
<i>Pallenis spinosa</i>	Spiny Golden-star	Frequent
<i>Phagnalon saxatile</i>	A Shrubby Cudweed	Rocks at low altitude
<i>Pilosella lactucella</i>		Common
<i>Pilosella officinarum</i>	Mouse-ear Hawkweed	Frequent
<i>Ptilostemon casabonae</i> •	A Ptilostemon	Verghello. Restonica
<i>Pulicaria dysenterica</i>	Common Fleabane	Damp places. Roadsides
<i>Pulicaria odora</i>	Mediterranean Fleabane	Common in maquis
<i>Rhagadiolus edulis</i>	A Star Hawkbit	Common
<i>Robertia taraxacoides</i> •		Widespread
<i>Scolymus hispanicus</i>	Spanish Oyster Plant	Roadsides
<i>Senecio lividus</i>		Ruderal
<i>Senecio transiens</i> •	A Sea Groundsel	Sand dunes. Liamone
<i>Senecio vulgaris</i>	Grounsel	Waste places
<i>Silybum marianum</i>	Milk Thistle	Waste places and fields
<i>Solidago virgaurea</i>	Goldenrod	Mountains
<i>Sonchus asper</i>	Prickly Sow-thistle	Waste places
<i>Sonchus oleraceus</i>	Smooth Sow-thistle	Waste places
<i>Taraxacum</i> sp.	A Dandelion	Occasional
<i>Tragopogon porrifolius</i>	Salsify	Frequent
<i>Urospermum dalechampii</i>	Urospermum	Locally common
<i>Urospermum picroides</i>	Prickly Golden-fleece	Weedy places
<i>Xanthium italicum</i> ‡	A Cocklebur	Coasts. Alien
<b>Berberidaceae</b>	<b>Barberry Family</b>	
<i>Berberis aetnensis</i> •	Etna Barberry	Mountains
<b>Betulaceae</b>	<b>Birch Family</b>	
<i>Alnus alnobetula</i> subsp. <i>suaveolens</i> •	Corsican Alder	Restonica
<i>Alnus cordata</i> •	Italian Alder	Occasional
<i>Alnus glutinosa</i>	Common Alder	Common by rivers

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<i>Betula pendula</i>	Silver Birch	Forests to treeline
<b>Boraginaceae</b>	<b>Borage Family</b>	
<i>Anchusa italica</i>	Large Blue Alkanet	Occasional
<i>Borago officinalis</i>	Borage	Common
<i>Cynoglossum creticum</i>	Blue Hound's-tongue	Frequent
<i>Echium italicum</i>	Italian Viper's-bugloss	Roadsides
<i>Echium plantagineum</i>	Purple Viper's-bugloss	Common
<i>Myosotis discolor</i>	Changing Forget-me-not	Damp places
<i>Myosotis ramosissima</i>	Early Forget-me-not	Frequent
<b>Brassicaceae</b>	<b>Cabbage Family</b>	
<i>Alliaria petiolata</i>	Garlic Mustard	Ruderal
<i>Arabidopsis thaliana</i>	Thale Cress	Frequent
<i>Arabis alpina</i> subsp. <i>alpina</i>	Alpine Rock-cress	Restonica
<i>Arabis hirsuta</i>	Hairy Rock-cress	Rocky places
<i>Arabis verna</i>	Spring Rock-cress	Frequent
<i>Barbarea rupicola</i> •	Rock Winter-cress	Damp rocks
<i>Cakile maritima</i>	Sea Rocket	Coasts
<i>Capsella bursa-pastoris</i>	Shepherd's-purse	Widespread
<i>Capsella rubella</i>	Pink Shepherd's-purse	Occasional
<i>Cardamine flexuosa</i>	Wavy Bitter-cress	Frequent
<i>Cardamine hirsuta</i>	Hairy Bitter-cress	Widespread
<i>Cardamine impatiens</i>	Narrow-leaved Bitter-cress	Occasional
<i>Cardamine resedifolia</i>	Mignonette-leaved Bitter-cress	Mountain rocks
<i>Coincya monensis</i> subsp. <i>cheiranthos</i>		Mountain rocks
<i>Draba muralis</i>	Wall Whitlowgrass	Rocks
<i>Erophila verna</i>	Common Whitlowgrass	Rocks
<i>Hirschfeldia incana</i>	Hoary Mustard	Waste places
<i>Isatis tinctoria</i>	Woad	Roadsides
<i>Lepidium graminifolium</i>	Tall Pepperwort	Ruderal
<i>Lepidium hirtum</i> subsp. <i>oxyotum</i>	A Pepperwort	Mountains
<i>Lobularia maritima</i>	Sweet Alison	Coastal sands and rocks
<i>Lunaria annua</i> ‡	Honesty	Near habitation
<i>Matthiola tricuspidata</i>	Three-horned Stock	Coastal
<i>Nasturtium officinale</i>	Water-cress	Wet ditches
<i>Raphanus raphanistrum</i> subsp. <i>maritimum</i>	Sea Radish	Liamone beach
<i>Sinapis alba</i>	White Mustard	Waste places
<i>Sinapis arvensis</i>	Charlock	Waste places
<i>Sisymbrium officinale</i>	Hedge Mustard	Waste places
<i>Teesdalia coronopifolia</i>	A Shepherd's Cress	Occasional
<i>Turritis glabra</i>	Tower Mustard	Occasional
<b>Buddlejaceae</b>	<b>Butterfly-bush Family</b>	
<i>Buddleja davidii</i> ‡	Butterfly-bush	Near habitation
<b>Buxaceae</b>	<b>Box Family</b>	
<i>Buxus sempervirens</i>	Box	Spelunca
<b>Cactaceae</b>	<b>Cactus Family</b>	
<i>Opuntia ficus-indica</i> ‡	Prickly Pear	Widely planted

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<b>Campanulaceae</b>		
<i>Campanula erinus</i>	Annual bellflower	Rocks and walls
<i>Campanula rapunculus</i>	Rampion Bellflower	Frequent
<i>Jasione montana</i>	Sheep's-bit	Mountain rocks and sand dunes
<i>Phyteuma serratum</i> •	Toothed Rampion	Mountain rocks. Restonica
<b>Caprifoliaceae</b>		
<i>Lonicera implexa</i>	A Honeysuckle	Frequent in maquis
<i>Sambucus ebulus</i>	Danewort	Foret d'Aitone. Vizzavona
<i>Sambucus nigra</i>	Elderberry	Occasional
<i>Viburnum tinus</i>	Laurustinus	Shaded maquis
<b>Caryophyllaceae</b>		
<i>Arenaria balearica</i> •	Balearic Sandwort	Shaded rocks
<i>Arenaria serpyllifolia</i>	Thyme-leaved Sandwort	Rocky places
<i>Cerastium boissierianum</i>	A Mouse-ear	Mountains
<i>Cerastium diffusum</i>	Sea Mouse-ear	Frequent
<i>Cerastium fontanum</i>	Mouse-ear Chickweed	Frequent
<i>Cerastium glomeratum</i>	Sticky Mouse-ear	Waste places
<i>Cerastium soleirolii</i> •	A Mouse-ear	Common. Mountains
<i>Corrigiola litoralis</i>	Strapwort	Borders of lagoons
<i>Corrigiopa telephiifolia</i>	A Strapwort	Sand dunes. Liamone
<i>Dianthus sylvestris</i> subsp. <i>longicaulis</i> •	A Wood Pink	Rocks and cliffs
<i>Minuartia verna</i>	Vernal Sandwort	Mountains
<i>Moehringia trinervia</i>	Three-nerved Sandwort	Frequent
<i>Moenchia erecta</i>	Upright Chickweed	Frequent
<i>Paronychia argentea</i>	Silvery Paronychia	Sandy coasts
<i>Paronychia polygonifolia</i>	A Paronychia	Mountains
<i>Petrorhagia saxifraga</i> subsp. <i>gasparrinii</i> •	A Tunic Flower	Frequent on rocks
<i>Petrorhagia prolifera</i>	Proliferous Pink	Rocky places
<i>Petrorhagia velutina</i>	Kohlrauschia	Rocky places
<i>Polycarpon tetraphyllum</i> subsp. <i>diphyllum</i>	Four-leaved Allseed	Ruderal
<i>Sagina pilifera</i> •	A Pearlwort	Mountains. Common
<i>Sagina procumbens</i>	Procumbent Pearlwort	Common
<i>Saponaria ocymoides</i> subsp. <i>alsinoides</i> •	A Soapwort	Col de Vergio. Verghello
<i>Saponaria officinalis</i>	Soapwort	Occasional. Roadsides
<i>Scleranthus annuus</i>	Annual Knawel	Rocky places
<i>Silene gallica</i>	Small-flowered Catchfly	Common
<i>Silene latifolia</i>	White Campion	Occasional
<i>Silene sericea</i> •		Sand dunes. Liamone
<i>Silene vulgaris</i>	Bladder Campion	Frequent
<i>Spergularia salina</i>	Lesser Sea Spurrey	Coastal
<i>Spergularia rubra</i>	Sand Spurrey	Rocky places
<i>Stellaria media</i>	Common Chickweed	Waste places
<i>Stellaria nemoreum</i>	Wood Stitchwort	Shaded habitats
<i>Stellaria neglecta</i>	Greater Stitchwort	Frequent
<b>Chenopodiaceae</b>		
<i>Beta vulgaris</i> subsp. <i>maritima</i>	Sea Beet	Liamone beach
<i>Chenopodium album</i>	Fat-hen	Occasional weed
<i>Chenopodium bonus-henricus</i>	Good-King-Henry	Animal pens
<i>Halimione portulacoides</i>	Sea Purslane	Beaches
<i>Salsola kali</i>	Prickly Saltwort	Sandy beaches
<b>Honeysuckle Family</b>		
<b>Pink Family</b>		
<b>Goosefoot Family</b>		

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<i>Sarcocornia fruticosa</i>	A Perennial Glasswort	Salt marsh. Etang d'Urbino
<b>Cistaceae</b>	<b>Rockrose Family</b>	
<i>Cistus creticus</i>	Cretan Cistus	Common in maquis
<i>Cistus monspeliensis</i>	Narrow-leaved Cistus	Common in maquis
<i>Cistus salvifolius</i>	Sage-leaved Cistus	Common in maquis
<i>Tuberaria guttata</i>	Spotted Rockrose	Occasional. Open places
<b>Convolvulaceae</b>	<b>Bindweed Family</b>	
<i>Calystegia sepium</i>	Hedge Bindweed	Occasional weed
<i>Calystegia soldanella</i>	Sea Bindweed	Liamone dunes
<i>Convolvulus altheoides</i>	Mallow-leaved Bindweed	Frequent
<i>Convolvulus arvensis</i>	Field Bindweed	Occasional weed
<i>Cuscuta epithimum</i> subsp. <i>corsicana</i> •	A Dodder	Frequent
<b>Corylaceae</b>	<b>Hazel Family</b>	
<i>Corylus avellana</i>	Hazel	Frequent
<b>Crassulaceae</b>	<b>Stonecrop family</b>	
<i>Crassula tillaea</i>	Mossy Stonecrop	Seasonally wet rocks
<i>Sedum album</i>	White Stonecrop	Rocks. Frequent
<i>Sedum brevifolium</i>	Short-leaved Stonecrop	Rocks. Common
<i>Sedum caeruleum</i> •	Blue Stonecrop	Spelunca
<i>Sedum cepaea</i>		Frequent
<i>Sedum dasyphyllum</i>	Thick-leaved Stonecrop	Rocks and walls
<i>Sedum rubens</i>	Red Stonecrop	Rocks. Common
<i>Sedum rupestre</i>	Large Rock Stonecrop	Rocks. Occasional
<i>Sedum stellatum</i>	Starry Stonecrop	Occasional
<i>Umbilicus rupestris</i>	Wall Pennywort	Rocks. Common
<b>Cucurbitaceae</b>	<b>Cucumber Family</b>	
<i>Ecballium elaterium</i>	Squirting Cucumber	Waste places
<b>Cytinaceae</b>	<b>Cytinus Family</b>	
<i>Cytinus hypocistis</i> subsp. <i>hypocistis</i>	Cytinus	Parastic on white Cistus
<b>Dipsacaceae</b>	<b>Teasel Family</b>	
<i>Dipsacus fullonum</i>	Teasel	Occasional. Roadsides
<i>Knautia integrifolia</i>	Entire-leaved Scabious	Waste places
<b>Ericaceae</b>	<b>Heather Family</b>	
<i>Arbutus unedo</i>	Strawberry Tree	Maquis
<i>Erica arborea</i>	Tree Heather	Maquis
<i>Vaccinium myrtillus</i>	Bilberry	Restonica
<b>Euphorbiaceae</b>	<b>Spurge Family</b>	
<i>Euphorbia amygdaloides</i> subsp. <i>semiperfoliata</i> •	A Wood Spurge	Frequent. Forests
<i>Euphorbia characias</i> subsp. <i>characias</i>	Large Mediterranean Spurge	Widespread
<i>Euphorbia dendroides</i>	Tree Spurge	Coastal cliffs
<i>Euphorbia exigua</i>	Dwarf Spurge	Occasional
<i>Euphorbia helioscopia</i>	Sun Spurge	Waste ground
<i>Euphorbia hirsuta</i>	Hairy Spurge	Damp places. Liamone

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<i>Euphorbia hyberna</i> subsp. <i>insularis</i> •	An Irish Spurge	Aitone Forest
<i>Euphorbia lathyris</i>	Caper Spurge	Evisa
<i>Euphorbia paralias</i>	Sea Spurge	Sand dunes
<i>Euphorbia pepplus</i>	Petty Spurge	Ruderal
<i>Euphorbia pithyusa</i> subsp. <i>pithyusa</i>	A Spurge	Coast. Galeria
<i>Mercurialis annua</i>	Annual Mercury	Common
<b>Fabaceae</b>	<b>Pea Family</b>	
<i>Anthyllis hermanniae</i>	Herman's Kidney Vetch	Common
<i>Anthyllis vulneraria</i> subsp. <i>rubriflora</i>	Mediterranean Kidney Vetch	Occasional
<i>Bituminaria bituminosa</i>	Pitch Trefoil	Common
<i>Calycotome infesta</i>	Thorny Broom	Maquis
<i>Calycotome villosa</i>	Hairy Thorny Broom	Maquis
<i>Ceratonia siliqua</i>	Carob	Occasional
<i>Cercis siliquastrum</i> ‡	Judas Tree	Frequent
<i>Cytisus villosus</i>	Hairy Broom	Occasional
<i>Dorycnium hirsutum</i>	Dorycnium	Locally common
<i>Genista corsica</i> •	Corsican Broom	Maquis
<i>Genista monspessulana</i>	Montpellier Broom	Maquis
<i>Genista salzmannii</i> var. <i>lobelioides</i> •		Mountains
<i>Genista salzmannii</i> var. <i>salzmannii</i> •		Lower altitudes than var. <i>lobelioides</i>
<i>Laburnum anagyroides</i> ‡	Laburnum	Vizzavona
<i>Lathyrus aphaca</i>	Yellow Vetchling	Occasional
<i>Lathyrus clymenum</i>	Crimson Pea	Waste places
<i>Lathyrus cicera</i>	Red Vetchling	Frequent
<i>Lathyrus hirsutus</i>	Hairy Vetchling	Brackish reedbeds
<i>Lathyrus latifolius</i>	Broad-leaved Everlasting-pea	Open forest
<i>Lathyrus setifolius</i>	Red Pea	Frequent
<i>Lathyrus sphaericus</i>	Round Pea	Widespread
<i>Lathyrus venetus</i>		Forests
<i>Lotus conimbricensis</i>		Open places
<i>Lotus corniculatus</i>	Bird's-foot Trefoil	Frequent
<i>Lotus cytisoides</i>	Grey Bird's-foot Trefoil	Coastal rocks
<i>Lotus edulis</i>	Edible Lotus	Common
<i>Lupinus angustifolius</i>	Narrow-leaved Lupin	Occasional
<i>Medicago arabica</i>	Spotted Medick	Common
<i>Medicago littoralis</i>	Shore Medick	Sand dunes
<i>Medicago lupulina</i>	Black Medick	Frequent
<i>Medicago marina</i>	Sea Medick	Sand dunes
<i>Medicago orbicularis</i>	Large Disc-medick	Occasional
<i>Medicago polymorpha</i>	Toothed Medick	Waste places
<i>Medicago sativa</i> ‡	Lucerne	Open places. Liamone
<i>Melilotus albus</i> ‡	White Melilot	Ruderal
<i>Melilotus elegans</i>	Elegant Melilot	Occasional. Coastal
<i>Melilotus indicus</i>	Small Melilot	Occasional
<i>Onobrychis viciifolia</i> ‡	Sainfoin	Waste places. Roadsides
<i>Ononis reclinata</i>	Small Restharrow	Coastal sands
<i>Ononis variegata</i>	Spiny Restharrow	Garrigue. Calacuccia
<i>Ornithopus compressus</i>	Compressed Bird's-foot	Dry places
<i>Ornithopus perpusillus</i>	Common Bird's-foot	Rocky places
<i>Ornithopus pinnatus</i>	Orange Bird's-foot	Rocky places
<i>Pisum sativum</i> subsp. <i>elatius</i>	Wild Pea	Restonica
<i>Robinia pseudoacacia</i> ‡	False-acacia	Cultivated

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<i>Scopiurus muricatus</i>	Scorpion-vetch	Frequent
<i>Spartium junceum</i>	Spanish Broom	Roadsides
<i>Trifolium angustifolium</i>	Narrow-leaved Crimson Clover	Open places
<i>Trifolium arvense</i>	Hare's-foot Clover	Occasional
<i>Trifolium bocconeii</i>	Twin-headed Clover	Frequent
<i>Trifolium campestre</i>	Hop Trefoil	Occasional
<i>Trifolium incarnatum</i> ‡	Crimson Clover	Field crop
<i>Trifolium pratense</i>	Red Clover	Common
<i>Trifolium repens</i>	White Clover	Common
<i>Trifolium resupinatum</i>	Reversed Clover	Waste places
<i>Trifolium scabrum</i>	Rough Clover	Common. Tracksides
<i>Trifolium stellatum</i>	Star Clover	Common
<i>Trifolium striatum</i>	Soft Clover	Frequent
<i>Trifolium subterraneum</i>	Burrowing Clover	Open places
<i>Trifolium tomentosum</i>	Woolly Trefoil	Occasional
<i>Vicia benghalensis</i>	Bengal Vetch	Widespread
<i>Vicia bithynica</i>	Bithynican Vetch	Frequent
<i>Vicia cracca</i> subsp. <i>tenuifolia</i>	A Tufted Vetch	Common
<i>Vicia hirsuta</i>	Hairy Tare	Waste places
<i>Vicia lathyroides</i>	Spring Vetch	Widespread
<i>Vicia lutea</i>	Yellow Vetchling	Frequent
<i>Vicia sativa</i> subsp. <i>nigra</i>	Narrow-leaved Common Vetch	Frequent
<i>Vicia sativa</i> subsp. <i>sativa</i>	Common Vetch	Common
<i>Vicia villosa</i>	Fodder Vetch	Waste places
<b>Fagaceae</b>	<b>Oak Family</b>	
<i>Castanea sativa</i> ‡	Sweet Chestnut	Widely planted
<i>Fagus sylvatica</i>	Beech	Forests to tree-line
<i>Quercus coccifera</i>	Kermes Oak	Maquis
<i>Quercus ilex</i>	Holm Oak	Maquis
<i>Quercus pubescens</i>	Downy Oak	Venaco
<i>Quercus suber</i>	Cork Oak	Lowland maquis
<b>Fumariaceae</b>	<b>Fumitory Family</b>	
<i>Fumaria bastardii</i>	Tall Ramping Fumitory	Ruderal
<i>Fumaria capreolata</i>	White Ramping Fumitory	Common
<i>Fumaria officinalis</i>	Common Fumitory	Verges
<b>Gentianaceae</b>	<b>Gentian Family</b>	
<i>Blackstonia perfoliata</i>	Yellow-wort	Frequent
<i>Centaureum erythraea</i>	Common Centaury	Dry places
<i>Centaureum tenuiflorum</i> subsp. <i>acutiflorum</i>	Slender Centaury	Coastal
<i>Gentiana asclepiadea</i>	Willow-leaved Gentian	Foret d'Aitone. Restonica
<b>Geraniaceae</b>	<b>Crane's-bill Family</b>	
<i>Erodium cicutarium</i>	Common Stork's-bill	Coast and waste places
<i>Erodium botrys</i>	Mediterranean Stork's-bill	Weedy places
<i>Erodium corsicum</i> •	Corsican Stork's-bill	Coastal rocks. Galeria
<i>Erodium malacoides</i>	Mallow-leaved Stork's-bill	Open places
<i>Erodium moschatum</i>	Musk Stork's-bill	Open places
<i>Geranium columbinum</i>	Long-stalked Crane's-bill	Verges. Waste places
<i>Geranium dissectum</i>	Cut-leaved Crane's-bill	Waste places
<i>Geranium lucidum</i>	Shining Crane's-bill	Spelunca

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<i>Geranium molle</i>	Dove's-foot Crane's-bill	Frequent
<i>Geranium pyrenaicum</i>	Hedgerow Crane's-bill	Frequent
<i>Geranium robertianum</i>	Herb Robert	Widespread
<i>Geranium rotundifolium</i>	Round-leaved Crane's-bill	Frequent
<b>Hypericaceae</b>	<b>St John's-wort Family</b>	
<i>Hypericum australe</i>	Southern St John's-wort	Frequent. Maquis
<i>Hypericum corsicum</i> •	Corsican St John's-wort	Streamsides
<i>Hypericum hircinum</i>	Stinking Tutsan	Streamsides, damp rocks
<i>Hypericum montanum</i>	Pale St John's-wort	Forests
<i>Hypericum perforatum</i>	Perfoliate St John's-wort	Frequent
<i>Hypericum perforatum</i>	Perforate St John's-wort	Wet places
<i>Hypericum tetrapterum</i>	Square-stalked St John's-wort	Damp places
<b>Juglandaceae</b>	<b>Walnut Family</b>	
<i>Juglans regia</i> †	Walnut	Occasional
<b>Lamiaceae</b>	<b>Dead-nettle Family</b>	
<i>Ballota nigra</i>	Black Horehound	Roadsides
<i>Clinopodium calamintha</i>	Lesser Calamint	Waste places. Widespread
<i>Clinopodium vulgare</i>	Wild Basil	Common
<i>Lamium amplexicaule</i>	Henbit Dead-nettle	Ruderal
<i>Lamium purpureum</i>	Red Dead-nettle	Ruderal
<i>Lavandula stoechas</i>	French Lavender	Rocky places in maquis
<i>Marrubium vulgare</i>	White Horehound	Roadsides. Ruderal
<i>Mentha aquatica</i>	Water Mint	Wet places
<i>Mentha requienii</i> •	Corsican Mint	Foret d'Aitone
<i>Mentha spicata</i>	Spear Mint	Damp places
<i>Mentha suaveolens</i> subsp. <i>insularis</i> •	A Round-leaved Mint	Wet places
<i>Micromeria filiformis</i>	Thread-leaved Micromeria	Santa Regina Gorge
<i>Prunella vulgaris</i>	Self-heal	Frequent
<i>Rosmarinus officinalis</i>	Rosemary	Hot rocky places
<i>Salvia verbenaca</i>	Wild Clary	Frequent
<i>Sideritis romana</i>	An Ironwort	Dry rocky places
<i>Stachys corsica</i> •	Corsican Woundwort	Frequent
<i>Stachys glutinosa</i> •	Sticky Woundwort	Rocky places
<i>Teucrium capitatum</i>	Felty Germander	Frequent. Rocky places
<i>Teucrium chamaedrys</i>	Wall Germander	Occasional
<i>Teucrium marum</i> •	A Germander	Rocky places
<i>Teucrium scorodonia</i>	Wood Sage	Common in forests
<i>Thymus herba-barona</i> •	A Thyme	Common in mountains
<b>Lentibulariaceae</b>	<b>Butterwort Family</b>	
<i>Pinguicula corsica</i> •	Corsican Butterwort	Wet places. Restonica
<b>Linaceae</b>	<b>Flax Family</b>	
<i>Linum bienne</i>	Pale Flax	Locally common
<b>Loranthaceae</b>	<b>Mistletoe Family</b>	
<i>Viscum album</i> subsp. <i>austriacum</i>	Mistletoe	Common on Pine and Fir
<b>Malvaceae</b>	<b>Mallow Family</b>	
<i>Althaea hirsuta</i>	Rough Marsh Mallow	Roadsides



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<i>Lavatera arborea</i>	Tree Mallow	Near coast
<i>Lavatera cretica</i>	Small Tree Mallow	Occasional
<i>Malva neglecta</i>	Dwarf Mallow	Animal pens. Ruderal
<i>Malva parviflora</i>	Least Mallow	Occasional
<i>Malva sylvestris</i>	Common Mallow	Roadsides
<b>Moraceae</b>	<b>Fig Family</b>	
<i>Ficus carica</i>	Fig	Frequent in maquis
<i>Morus alba</i> ‡	White Mulberry	Cultivated
<b>Myrtaceae</b>	<b>Myrtle Family</b>	
<i>Eucalyptus camaldulensis</i> ‡	River Red Gum	Cultivated
<i>Eucalyptus globulus</i>	Southern Blue-gum	Cultivated
<i>Myrtus communis</i>	Common Myrtle	Frequent in maquis
<b>Oleaceae</b>	<b>Olive Family</b>	
<i>Fraxinus ornus</i>	Manna Ash	Common in maquis
<i>Olea europaea</i> subsp. <i>oleaster</i>	Wild Olive	Maquis
<i>Phillyrea angustifolia</i>	Narrow-leaved Mock Privet	Common in maquis
<i>Phillyrea latifolia</i>	Mock Privet	Frequent in maquis
<b>Onagraceae</b>	<b>Willowherb Family</b>	
<i>Epilobium anagallidifolium</i>	Alpine Willowherb	Damp mountain rocks
<i>Epilobium hirsutum</i>	Great Willowherb	Damp places
<i>Epilobium montanum</i>	Broad-leaved Willowherb	Frequent
<i>Epilobium parviflorum</i>	Hoary Willowherb	Streamsides
<b>Orobanchaceae</b>	<b>Broomrape Family</b>	
<i>Orobanche minor</i>	Common Broomrape	Frequent
<b>Oxalidaceae</b>	<b>Wood-sorrel Family</b>	
<i>Oxalis articulata</i> ‡	Pink Oxalis	Garden escape
<i>Oxalis corniculata</i>	Procumbent Yellow Sorrel	Ruderal
<i>Oxalis pes-caprae</i> ‡	Bermuda Buttercup	Alien weed
<b>Papaveraceae</b>	<b>Poppy Family</b>	
<i>Glaucium flavum</i>	Yellow Horned-poppy	Sand dunes
<i>Papaver dubium</i> subsp. <i>dubium</i>	Long-headed Poppy	Ruderal
<i>Papaver hybridum</i>	Round-headed Prickly Poppy	Ruderal
<i>Papaver rhoeas</i>	Common Poppy	Common
<b>Phytolaccaceae</b>	<b>Pokeweed Family</b>	
<i>Phytolacca acinos</i> ‡	Pokeweed	Waste places
<b>Plantaginaceae</b>	<b>Plantain Family</b>	
<i>Plantago afra</i>	Glandular Plantain	Rocky places. Common
<i>Plantago bellardii</i>	Hairy Plantain	Dry rocky places
<i>Plantago coronopus</i>	Buck's-horn Plantain	Coastal
<i>Plantago lagopus</i>	Hare's-foot Plantain	Common
<i>Plantago lanceolata</i>	Ribwort Plantain	Widespread
<i>Plantago major</i>	Greater Plantain	Waste ground
<i>Plantago sarda</i> var. <i>sarda</i> •	A Plantain	Mountains

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<b>Platanaceae</b> <i>Platanus x hispanica</i> †	<b>Plane Family</b> London Plane	Cultivated
<b>Plumbaginaceae</b> <i>Armeria leucocephala</i> • <i>Armeria multiceps</i> • <i>Limonium corsicum</i> •	<b>Thrift Family</b> White-headed Thrift Multi-headed Thrift A Sea Lavender	Santa Regina Gorge Mountains. Common Coastal rocks. Galeria
<b>Polygalaceae</b> <i>Polygala nicaeensis</i> subsp. <i>corsica</i> • <i>Polygala vulgaris</i>	<b>Milkwort Family</b> Corsican Milkwort Common Milkwort	Frequent Foret d'Aitone
<b>Polygonaceae</b> <i>Polygonum aviculare</i> <i>Polygonum maritimum</i> <i>Rumex acetosella</i> subsp. <i>pyrenaicus</i> <i>Rumex bucephalophorus</i> <i>Rumex conglomeratus</i> <i>Rumex crispus</i> <i>Rumex pulcher</i>	<b>Dock Family</b> Knotgrass Sea Knotgrass A Sheep's Sorrel Horned Dock Clustered Dock Curled Dock Fiddle Dock	Bare ground Sand dunes. Liamone Common Common Damp places Liamone estuary Waste places
<b>Portulacaceae</b> <i>Montia fontana</i> <i>Portulaca oleracea</i>	<b>Purslane Family</b> Blinks Common Purslane	Ephemeral pools Occasional
<b>Primulaceae</b> <i>Anagallis arvensis</i> <i>Asterolinon linum-stellatum</i> <i>Cyclamen hederifolium</i> subsp. <i>hederifolium</i> <i>Cyclamen repandum</i> <i>Samolus valerandi</i>	<b>Primrose Family</b> Scarlet Pimpernel Asterolinon Ivy-leaved Sowbread Spring Sowbread Brookweed	Common Frequent Locally common Shady places. Locally common Damp rocks. Spelunca
<b>Ranunculaceae</b> <i>Aquilegia dumeticola</i> • <i>Clematis flammula</i> <i>Clematis vitalba</i> <i>Ficaria verna</i> <i>Helleborus argutifolius</i> • <i>Pulsatilla alpina</i> subsp. <i>cyrnea</i> • <i>Ranunculus bulbosus</i> <i>Ranunculus flammula</i> <i>Ranunculus lanuginosus</i> <i>Ranunculus muricatus</i> <i>Ranunculus platanifolius</i> <i>Ranunculus repens</i> <i>Ranunculus sceleratus</i> <i>Ranunculus velutinus</i>	<b>Buttercup Family</b> A Columbine Fragrant Clematis Old Man's Beard Lesser Celandine Corsican Hellebore An Alpine Pasqueflower Bulbous Buttercup Lesser Spearwort Woolly Buttercup Rough-fruited Buttercup Maple-leaved Buttercup Creeping Buttercup Celery-leaved Buttercup	Foret d'Aitone. Restonica Maquis. Common Common Frequent Common Restonica Meadows Foret d'Aitone Frequent Common Col Vizzavona Common Damp places Damp places
<b>Resedaceae</b> <i>Reseda luteola</i> <i>Sesamoides clusii</i>	<b>Mignonette Family</b> Weld Sesamoides	Ruderal Col de Vergio

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<b>Rhamnaceae</b> <i>Rhamnus alaternus</i>	<b>Buckthorn Family</b> Mediterranean Buckthorn	Occasional in maquis
<b>Rosaceae</b> <i>Amelanchier ovalis</i> var. <i>ramnoides</i> • <i>Crataegus monogyna</i> <i>Fragaria vesca</i> <i>Malus sylvestris</i> <i>Potentilla anglica</i> subsp. <i>nesogenes</i> • <i>Potentilla crassinervia</i> • <i>Potentilla erecta</i> <i>Potentilla micrantha</i> <i>Potentilla reptans</i> <i>Poterium sanguisorba</i> <i>Prunus avium</i> <i>Prunus spinosa</i> <i>Pyrus spinosa</i> <i>Rosa agrestis</i> <i>Rosa canina</i> <i>Rosa sempervirens</i> <i>Rosa serafinii</i> <i>Rubus ulmifolius</i> <i>Sorbus aria</i> <i>Sorbus aucuparia</i> subsp. <i>praemorsa</i> • <i>Sorbus domestica</i>	<b>Rose Family</b> A Juneberry Hawthorn Wild Strawberry Crab Apple A Trailing Tormentil  Tormentil  Creeping Cinqufoil Salad Burnet Wild Cherry Blackthorn Almond-leaved Pear Small-leaved Sweet-briar Dog-rose Evergreen Rose  A Blackberry Whitebeam Corsican Rowan Service-tree	Restonica Common Frequent Occasional Damp turf Rocks. Lac de Melo Mountain pasture Frequent Common. Waste places Common Occasional Frequent. Frequent. Maquis Frequent Roadsides Roadsides Foret d'Aitone Common Occasional in forests Restonica Spelunca
<b>Rubiaceae</b> <i>Cruciata laevipes</i> <i>Galium aparine</i> <i>Galium mollugo</i> <i>Galium odoratum</i> <i>Galium rotundifolium</i> <i>Galium scabrum</i> <i>Rubia peregrina</i> <i>Sherardia arvensis</i>	<b>Bedstraw Family</b> Crosswort Cleavers Hedge Bedstraw Sweet Woodruff Round-leaved Bedstraw  Wild Madder Field Madder	Frequent Occasional Occasional Spelunca Spelunca Shaded maquis Forests and maquis Common
<b>Rutaceae</b> <i>Ruta chalepensis</i>	<b>Rue Family</b> Fringed Rue	Occasional
<b>Salicaceae</b> <i>Populus alba</i> <i>Populus nigra</i> <i>Populus tremula</i> <i>Salix alba</i> <i>Salix cinerea</i> subsp. <i>oleifolia</i> <i>Salix purpurea</i>	<b>Willow Family</b> White Poplar Black Poplar Aspen White Willow Grey Willow Purple Willow	Frequent Frequent Occasional Common Common Occasional
<b>Santalaceae</b> <i>Osyris alba</i>	<b>Sandalwood Family</b> Osyris	Maquis
<b>Saxifragaceae</b> <i>Saxifraga corsica</i> • <i>Saxifraga pedemontana</i> subsp. <i>cervicornis</i> •	<b>Saxifrage Family</b> Corsican Saxifrage A Piedmont Saxifrage	Damp rocks. Spelunca Shaded mountain rocks

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<i>Saxifraga rotundifolia</i>	Round-leaved Saxifrage	Shaded damp places
<b>Scrophulariaceae</b>	<b>Figwort Family</b>	
<i>Bartsia trixago</i>	Bellardia	Occasional
<i>Cymbalaria aequitriloba</i> •		Shaded damp rocks
<i>Digitalis purpurea</i> subsp. <i>gyspergerae</i> •	Foxglove	Common
<i>Linaria pelisseriana</i>	Jersey Toadflax	Dry places
<i>Linaria vulgaris</i> ‡	Common Toadflax	Corte
<i>Misopates orontium</i>	Weasel's Snout	Occasional
<i>Odontites lutea</i>	Yellow Odontites	Locally common. Maquis
<i>Parentucellia latifolia</i>	Southern Red Bartsia	Common
<i>Parentucellia viscosa</i>	Yellow Bartsia	Common
<i>Scrophularia canina</i>	French Figwort	Rocky slopes
<i>Scrophularia peregrina</i>	Nettle-leaved Figwort	Common
<i>Verbascum sinuatum</i>	Wavy-leaved Mullein	Frequent
<i>Verbascum thapsus</i>	Great Mullein	Occasional
<i>Veronica arvensis</i>	Wall Speedwell	Frequent
<i>Veronica cymbalaria</i>	Pale Speedwell	Ruderal
<i>Veronica hederifolia</i>	Ivy-leaved Speedwell	Ruderal
<i>Veronica officinalis</i>	Heath Speedwell	Foret d'Aitone
<i>Veronica persica</i> ‡	Common Speedwell	Occasional
<i>Veronica verna</i>	Spring Speedwell	Common
<b>Simaroubaceae</b>	<b>Tree-of-heaven Family</b>	
<i>Ailanthus altissima</i> ‡	Tree-of-heaven	Widespread
<b>Solanaceae</b>	<b>Nightshade Family</b>	
<i>Atropa belladonna</i>	Deadly Nightshade	Foret d'Aitone, Vizzavona
<i>Hyocyamus albus</i>	White Henbane	Occasional
<i>Nicotiana glauca</i> ‡	Shrub Tobacco	Roadsides. Alien
<i>Solanum nigrum</i>	Black Nightshade	Waste ground
<b>Tamaricaceae</b>	<b>Tamarisk Family</b>	
<i>Tamarix africana</i>	African Tamarisk	Near coasts
<b>Thymelaeaceae</b>	<b>Mezereon Family</b>	
<i>Daphne gnidium</i>	Mediterranean Mezereon	Widespread in maquis
<i>Thymelaea hirsuta</i>	Hairy Thymelaea	Near coast
<b>Tiliaceae</b>	<b>Lime Family</b>	
<i>Tilia cordata</i>	Small-leaved Lime	Occasional
<i>Tilia platyphyllos</i> ‡	Broad-leaved Lime	Planted
<b>Ulmaceae</b>	<b>Elm Family</b>	
<i>Celtis australis</i> ‡	European Nettle Tree	Planted
<i>Ulmus minor</i>	Small-leaved Elm	Frequent
<b>Urticaceae</b>	<b>Nettle Family</b>	
<i>Parietaria judaica</i>	Pellitory-of-the-Wall	Walls and rocks
<i>Parietaria lusitanica</i>	A Pellitory-of-the-Wall	Occasional. Walls and rocks
<i>Urtica atrovirens</i> •	A Nettle	Widespread
<i>Urtica dioica</i>	Common Nettle	Waste places
<i>Urtica membranacea</i>	Membranous Nettle	Ruderal

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<i>Urtica pilulifera</i>	Roman Nettle	Ruderal
<i>Urtica urens</i>	Small Nettle	Ruderal
<b>Valerianaceae</b>	<b>Valerian Family</b>	
<i>Centranthus calcitrapa</i>	Small Red Valerian	Common
<i>Centranthus ruber</i> ‡	Red Valerian	Garden escape
<i>Valeriana rotundifolia</i> var. <i>rotundifolia</i> •	A Valerian	Restonica
<i>Valerianella carinata</i>	A Cornsalad	Tracksides
<i>Valerianella locusta</i>	Common Cornsalad	Tracksides
<b>Verbenaceae</b>	<b>Vervain Family</b>	
<i>Lantana camara</i> ‡	Lantana	Cultivated
<i>Verbena officinalis</i>	Vervain	Roadsides
<b>Violaceae</b>	<b>Violet Family</b>	
<i>Viola arvensis</i>	Field Pansy	Occasional
<i>Viola biflora</i>	Yellow Wood Violet	Shaded wet places
<i>Viola corsica</i> •	Corsican Violet	Restonica
<i>Viola kitaibeliana</i>	Dwarf Pansy	Dry places
<i>Viola odorata</i>	Sweet Violet	Occasional
<i>Viola riviniana</i>	Common Dog-violet	Frequent
<b>Vitaceae</b>	<b>Grape-vine Family</b>	
<i>Vitis vinifera</i> subsp. <i>sylvestris</i>	Wild Vine	Spelunca
<b>LILIIDAE</b>	<b>MONOCOTYLEDONS</b>	
<b>Amaryllidaceae</b>	<b>Daffodil Family</b>	
<i>Acis longifolia</i> •	Long-leaved Snowflake	Spelunca gorge
<i>Allium pendulinum</i>	Italian Garlic	Locally common
<i>Allium roseum</i>	Rosy Garlic	Occasional
<i>Allium subhirsutum</i>	Hairy Garlic	Aleria
<i>Allium triquetrum</i>	Three-cornered Leek	Common
<i>Allium ursinum</i>	Ramsons	Vizzavona
<i>Pancratium illyricum</i>	Illyrian Sea Daffodil	Local. Shaded damp places
<b>Araceae</b>	<b>Lords-and-Ladies Family</b>	
<i>Arisarum vulgare</i>	Friar's Cowl	Shaded maquis
<b>Asparagaceae</b>	<b>Asparagus Family</b>	
<i>Agave americana</i> ‡	Centuryplant	Cultivated
<i>Asparagus acutifolius</i>	Mediterranean Wild Asparagus	Maquis
<i>Asparagus albus</i>	White Asparagus	Maquis
<i>Brimeura fastigiata</i> •	Brimeura	Locally common
<i>Leopoldia comosa</i>	Tassel Hyacinth	Common
<i>Ornithogalum pyrenaicum</i>	Spiked Star-of-Bethlehem	Occasional
<i>Ornithogalum umbellatum</i> ‡	Common Star-of-Bethlehem	Near habitation
<i>Polygonatum odoratum</i>	Angular Solomon's-seal	Rare. Foret d'Aitone
<i>Ruscus aculeatus</i>	Butcher's-broom	Shaded maquis
<b>Colchicaceae</b>	<b>Meadow Saffron Family</b>	
<i>Colchicum neapolitanum</i>	A Meadow Saffron	Frequent

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<b>Cyperaceae</b>	<b>Sedge Family</b>	
<i>Bolboschoenus maritimus</i>	Sea Club-rush	Saline lagoons
<i>Carex caryophylla</i>	Spring Sedge	Common
<i>Carex distachya</i>		Forests and maquis
<i>Carex divisa</i>	Divided Sedge	Damp sandy places
<i>Carex divulsa</i>	Grey Sedge	Dry places
<i>Carex distans</i>	Distant Sedge	Wetplaces
<i>Carex echinata</i>	Star Sedge	Wet places
<i>Carex flacca</i>	Glaucous Sedge	Wet places
<i>Carex leporina</i>	Oval Sedge	Wet places. Restonica
<i>Carex nigra</i>	Common Sedge	Common
<i>Carex pendula</i>	Pendulous Sedge	Foret d'Aitone
<i>Carex remota</i>	Remote Sedge	Frequent
<i>Carex viridula</i> subsp. <i>oedocarpa</i>	Small Yellow Sedge	Wet places. Mountains
<i>Cyperus capitatus</i>	A Galingale	Coastal sands
<i>Cyperus longus</i>	Galingale	Liamone estuary
<i>Eleocharis palustris</i>	Common Spike-rush	Wet borders of lagoons
<i>Schoenus nigricans</i>	Black Bog-rush	Occasional. Wet places
<b>Dioscoreaceae</b>	<b>Yam Family</b>	
<i>Tamus communis</i>	Black Bryony	Shaded maquis
<b>Iridaceae</b>	<b>Iris Family</b>	
<i>Crocus corsicus</i> •	Corsican Crocus	Mountains. Locally common
<i>Gladiolus italicus</i>	Field Gladiolus	Occasional
<i>Iris germanica</i> †	Tall Bearded Iris	Occasional
<i>Iris pseudacorus</i>	Yellow Flag	Liamone
<i>Romulea columnae</i>	A Sand Crocus	Occasional
<b>Juncaceae</b>	<b>Rush Family</b>	
<i>Juncus acutus</i>	Sharp Rush	Liamone, Etang d'Urbino
<i>Juncus articulatus</i>	Jointed Rush	Wet places
<i>Juncus bulbosus</i>	Bulbous rush	Wet places
<i>Juncus conglomeratus</i>	Compact Rush	Common
<i>Juncus effusus</i>	Soft Rush	Common
<i>Luzula campestris</i>	Field Wood-rush	Common
<i>Luzula forsteri</i>	Southern Wood-rush	Foret d'Aitone
<i>Luzula luzulina</i>		Corsican Alder thickets
<i>Luzula multiflora</i>	Heath Wood-rush	Damp places
<i>Luzula nivea</i>	Snowy Wood-rush	Foret d'Aitone
<i>Luzula pedemontana</i>	Piedmont Wood-rush	Frequent
<i>Luzula spicata</i> subsp. <i>italica</i>	Spiked Wood-rush	Frequent
<b>Liliaceae</b>	<b>Lily Family</b>	
<i>Gagea soleirolii</i> •	A Yellow star-of-Bethlehem	Locally common. Mountains
<b>Nartheciaceae</b>	<b>Bog Asphodel Family</b>	
<i>Narthecium reverchonii</i> •	Corsican Bog Asphodel	Wet rocks. Foret d'Aitone, Restonica
<b>Orchidaceae</b>	<b>Orchid Family</b>	
<i>Anacamptis laxiflora</i>	Jersey Orchid	Watermeadows. Liamone
<i>Anacamptis morio</i>	Green-winged Orchid	Occasional. Maquis
<i>Anacamptis papilionacea</i> subsp. <i>papilionacea</i>	Pink Butterfly-orchid	Maquis

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<i>Cephalanthera longifolia</i>	Sword-leaved Helleborine	Verghello valley
<i>Dactylorhiza insularis</i>	Barton's Orchid	Verghello valley
<i>Dactylorhiza saccifera</i>	Wedge-lipped Orchid	Verghello valley
<i>Limodorum abortivum</i>	Violet Bird's-nest Orchid	Occasional. Forests
<i>Neotinea maculata</i>	Dense-flowered Orchid	Occasional. Maquis
<i>Neottia ovata</i>	Twayblade	Occasional. Wet places
<i>Ophrys incubacea</i>	An Early Spider-orchid	Occasional. Maquis
<i>Orchis anthropophora</i>	Man Orchid	Francardo
<i>Orchis provincialis</i>	Provence Orchid	Occasional. Maquis
<i>Serapias cordigera</i>	Heart-shaped Tongue-orchid	Restonica and Verghello
<i>Serapias lingua</i>	Tongue-orchid	Locally common
<i>Serapias parviflora</i>	Small-flowered Tongue-orchid	Occasional
<i>Serapias vomeracea</i>	Long-lipped Tongue-orchid	Occasional in maquis
<b>Poaceae</b>	<b>Grass Family</b>	
<i>Aegilops geniculata</i>	Ovate Goat-grass	Occasional
<i>Aira caryophyllea</i>	Silver Hair-grass	Dry places
<i>Aira cupaniana</i>	A Hair-grass	Dry places
<i>Ammophila arenaria</i>	Marram	Sand dunes
<i>Anisantha diandra</i>	Great Brome	Dry places
<i>Anisantha sterilis</i>	Barren Brome	Ruderal
<i>Anthoxanthum odoratum</i>	Sweet Vernal-grass	Common
<i>Arrhenatherum elatius</i> subsp. <i>sardoum</i> •	A False Oat-grass	Frequent
<i>Arundo donax</i> ‡	Giant Reed	Wet places. Lowland
<i>Avena barbata</i>	Bristle Oat	Ruderal
<i>Avena sterilis</i>	Barren Oat	Ruderal
<i>Briza maxima</i>	Greater Quaking-grass	Sandy places
<i>Briza minor</i>	Lesser Quaking-grass	Waste places
<i>Bromus diandrus</i>	Great Brome	Frequent
<i>Bromus hordeaceus</i>	Soft Brome	Frequent
<i>Bromus madritensis</i>	Mediterranean Brome	Common
<i>Bromus sterilis</i>	Barren Brome	Frequent
<i>Calamagrostis varia</i> subsp. <i>corsica</i> •	A Small-reed	Streamsides
<i>Catapodium marinum</i>	Sea Fern-grass	Sand dunes
<i>Catapodium rigidum</i>	Fern-grass	Common
<i>Cynosurus echinatus</i>	Rough Dog's-tail	Mountains
<i>Elytrigia juncea</i>	Sand Couch	Sand dunes
<i>Holcus lanatus</i>	Yorkshire-fog	Wet pasture
<i>Hordeum murinum</i>	Wall Barley	Dry places
<i>Lagurus ovatus</i>	Hare's-tail Grass	Dry places
<i>Lamarckia aurea</i>	Golden Dog's-tail	Dry places
<i>Melica ciliata</i>	Hairy Melick	Rocky places
<i>Nardus stricta</i>	Mat-grass	Mountain grassland
<i>Phragmites australis</i>	Common Reed	Wet areas
<i>Poa alpina</i>	Alpine Meadow-grass	Mountains
<i>Poa annua</i>	Annual Meadow-grass	Pathways
<i>Poa bulbosa</i>	Bulbous Meadow-grass	Common
<i>Poa trivialis</i>	Rough Meadow-grass	Occasional
<i>Vulpia ciliata</i>	Bearded Fescue	Common
<i>Vulpia myuros</i>	Rat's-tail Fescue	Common
<b>Posidoniaceae</b>	<b>Neptune Grass Family</b>	
<i>Posidonia oceanica</i>	Neptune Grass	Sub-marine

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<b>Smilacaceae</b> <i>Smilax aspera</i>	<b>Smilax Family</b> Common Smilax	Common in maquis
<b>Typhaceae</b> <i>Typha latifolia</i>	<b>Bulrush Family</b> Great Reedmace	Liamone estuary, Etang d'Urbino
<b>Xanthorrhoeaceae</b> <i>Asphodelus ramosus</i>	<b>Asphodel Family</b> Branched Asphodel	Common
<b>Zosteraceae</b> <i>Zostera marina</i>	<b>Eelgrass Family</b> Eelgrass	Etang d'Urbino

Birds (• = endemic; ✓ = recorded but not counted; H = heard only)

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			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Red-legged Partridge	<i>Alectoris rufa</i>				2				
2	Common Shelduck	<i>Tadorna tadorna</i>							3	
3	Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>		2						
4	Great Crested Grebe	<i>Podiceps cristatus</i>							1	
5	Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>		1					2	
6	Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>		1					2	
7	Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>	1							
8	Great Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>	1						1	
9	Western Osprey	<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>	2							
10	Red Kite	<i>Milvus milvus</i>	20+	50+	1	3	2		20+	
11	Black Kite	<i>Milvus migrans</i>	3							
12	Bearded Vulture	<i>Gypaetus barbatus</i>					1		1	
13	Western Marsh Harrier	<i>Circus aeruginosus</i>		1					2	
14	Eurasian Sparrowhawk	<i>Accipiter nisus</i>				1	1			
15	Common Buzzard	<i>Buteo buteo</i>	2	2	1	2		1	2	
16	Golden Eagle	<i>Aquila chrysaetos</i>	1		1		2			
17	Common Kestrel	<i>Falco tinnunculus</i>	1	1	2		1		2	
18	Red-footed Falcon	<i>Falco vespertinus</i>							1	
19	Peregrine Falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>	1							
20	Eurasian Coot	<i>Fulica atra</i>							40+	
21	Stone-curlew	<i>Burhinus oedicnemus</i>							2	
22	Common Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius hiaticula</i>		1						
23	Common Greenshank	<i>Tringa nebularia</i>		2						
24	Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>		1						
25	Dunlin	<i>Calidris alpina</i>		1						
26	Audouin's Gull	<i>Ichthyaetus audouinii</i>		1						
27	Yellow-legged Gull	<i>Larus michahellis</i>	✓	✓					✓	
28	Common Tern	<i>Sterna hirundo</i>							2	
29	Rock Dove/Feral Pigeon	<i>Columba livia</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
30	Eurasian Collared Dove	<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
31	Common Cuckoo	<i>Cuculus canorus</i>	H	H	H	H	H			
32	Eurasian Scops Owl	<i>Otus scops</i>	H	H	H					
33	Alpine Swift	<i>Tachymarptis melba</i>	40+		2					
34	Common Swift	<i>Apus apus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	□	✓	
35	European Bee-eater	<i>Merops apiaster</i>		10+					12+	
36	European Roller	<i>Coracias garrulus</i>	1							



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37	Eurasian Hoopoe	<i>Upupa epops</i>		H	H					
38	Eurasian Wryneck	<i>Jynx torquilla</i>		1		H				
39	Great Spotted Woodpecker	<i>Dendrocopos major</i>		H	H	H	1	3		
40	Red-backed Shrike	<i>Lanius collurio</i>								1♀
41	Woodchat Shrike	<i>Lanius senator</i>								1♂
42	Eurasian Jay	<i>Garrulus glandarius</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
43	Alpine Chough	<i>Pyrrhocorax graculus</i>						40+		
44	Hooded Crow	<i>Corvus cornix</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
45	Northern Raven	<i>Corvus corax</i>	6	20+	2	3	2			
46	Coal Tit	<i>Periparus ater</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
47	Great Tit	<i>Parus major</i>		✓		✓			✓	
48	Eurasian Blue Tit	<i>Cyanistes caeruleus</i>	2		2	✓	✓	✓	✓	
49	Woodlark	<i>Lullula arborea</i>		2	1	2				
50	Sand Martin	<i>Riparia riparia</i>		6						3
51	Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	
52	Eurasian Crag Martin	<i>Ptyonoprogne rupestris</i>	10+		2	✓	✓	2	1	
53	Common House Martin	<i>Delichon urbicum</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	
54	Cetti's Warbler	<i>Cettia cetti</i>		H	H					H
55	Long-tailed Tit	<i>Aegithalos caudatus</i>		H	✓	✓		✓		H
56	Zitting Cisticola	<i>Cisticola juncidis</i>		2						H
57	Eurasian Blackcap	<i>Sylvia atricapilla</i>	H	2	2	✓	✓	✓	✓	
58	Common Whitethroat	<i>Sylvia communis</i>								2
59	Dartford Warbler	<i>Sylvia undata</i>				2	2			
60	Marmora's Warbler	<i>Sylvia sarda</i>				2				
61	Moltoni's Warbler	<i>Sylvia subalpina</i>	H			2	2			1
62	Sardinian Warbler	<i>Sylvia melanocephala</i>	1	2		2				3
63	Common Firecrest	<i>Regulus ignicapilla</i>	H	2	✓	✓	✓	H		
64	Goldcrest	<i>Regulus regulus</i>		2						
65	Eurasian Wren	<i>Troglodytes troglodytes</i>		H	✓	✓		✓		□
66	Corsican Nuthatch •	<i>Sitta whiteheadi</i>	H				H	3		
67	Eurasian Treecreeper	<i>Certhia familiaris</i>			1					
68	Spotless Starling	<i>Sturnus unicolor</i>	6	2						6
69	Common Blackbird	<i>Turdus merula</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
70	Mistle Thrush	<i>Turdus viscivorus</i>	1		1					
71	European Robin	<i>Erithacus rubecula</i>		H	1	✓	✓	2		
72	Common Nightingale	<i>Luscinia megarhynchos</i>		H						H
73	Whinchat	<i>Saxicola rubetra</i>								2
74	European Stonechat	<i>Saxicola rubicola</i>		2		2				
75	Northern Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe oenanthe</i>	1							
76	Blue Rock Thrush	<i>Monticola solitarius</i>			2					
77	Spotted Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa striata</i>		1			2			2
78	White-throated Dipper	<i>Cinclus cinclus</i>				1		1	1	
79	Italian Sparrow	<i>Passer italiae</i>	✓	✓	✓				✓	□
80	Western Yellow Wagtail	<i>Motacilla flava flava</i>								2
81	Grey Wagtail	<i>Motacilla cinerea</i>		1	2	6	3	10+		
82	Tree Pipit	<i>Anthus trivialis</i>		1						
83	Water Pipit	<i>Anthus spinoletta</i>		4				6		
84	Common Chaffinch	<i>Fringilla coelebs</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
85	European Serin	<i>Serinus serinus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
86	European Greenfinch	<i>Carduelis chloris</i>		4	1					✓
87	European Goldfinch	<i>Carduelis carduelis</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

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88	Corsican Finch •	<i>Carduelis corsicana</i>	2	3		10+		10+		
89	Common Linnet	<i>Carduelis cannabina</i>	2			2				
90	Corsican Crossbill •	<i>Loxia curvirostra corsicana</i>		H						
91	Corn Bunting	<i>Emberiza calandra</i>		1					2	
92	Cirl Bunting	<i>Emberiza cirius</i>	H	2	H	1	1	H	H	

### Reptiles

1	Bedriaga's Rock Lizard •	<i>Archaeolacerta bedriagae</i>				✓		✓		
2	Tyrrhenian Wall Lizard •	<i>Podarcis tiliguerta</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	□	
3	Italian Wall Lizard	<i>Podarcis sicula</i>	✓			✓				

### Amphibians

1	Corsican Painted Frog •	<i>Discoglossus montalentii</i>	✓							
2	Tyrrhenian Painted Frog •	<i>Discoglossus sardus</i>				✓				
3	Tyrrhenian Tree Frog •	<i>Hyla sarda</i>				✓	✓			

### Butterflies

1	Corsican Swallowtail •	<i>Papilio hospiton</i>				✓		✓		
2	Swallowtail	<i>Papilio machaon</i>							✓	
3	Scarce Swallowtail	<i>Iphiclides podalirius</i>			✓					
4	Brimstone	<i>Gonepteryx rhamni</i>	✓			✓		✓		
5	Clouded Yellow	<i>Colias crocea</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	
6	Large White	<i>Pieris brassicae</i>						✓	✓	
7	Small White	<i>Pieris rapae</i>			✓		✓	✓	✓	
8	Wood White	<i>Leptidea sinapis</i>				✓	✓	✓		
9	Small Copper	<i>Lycaena phlaeus</i>			✓	✓	✓			
10	Brown Argus	<i>Aricia agestis</i>			✓	✓	✓			
11	Green-underside Blue	<i>Glaucopsyche alexis</i>			✓					
12	Common Blue	<i>Polyommatus icarus</i>		1	✓	✓	✓		✓	
13	Baton Blue	<i>Pseudophilotes baton</i>					✓			
14	Painted Lady	<i>Cynthia cardui</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓		
15	Large Tortoiseshell	<i>Nymphalis polychloros</i>				✓				
16	Queen of Spain Fritillary	<i>Issoria lathonia</i>				✓	✓			
17	Southern Speckled Wood	<i>Pararge aegeria aegeria</i>			✓	□	✓	□		
18	Corsican Wall Brown •	<i>Lasiommata paramegaera</i>				✓	✓			
19	Meadow Brown	<i>Maniola jurtina</i>							✓	
20	Corsican Heath •	<i>Coenonympha corinna</i>							✓	□

### Moths

1	Giant Peacock Moth	<i>Saturnia pyri</i>					✓			
2	Cream-spot Tiger	<i>Arctia villica</i>							✓	

### Dragonflies

1	Island Bluetail •	<i>Ischnura genei</i>							✓	
2	Small Red Damsel	<i>Ceriagrion tenellum</i>							✓	
3	Blue Emperor	<i>Anax imperator</i>							✓	
4	Scarlet Darter	<i>Crocothemis erythraea</i>							✓	

### Other Insects

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1	Egyptian Grasshopper	<i>Anacridium aegyptium</i>			✓					
2	Fire Bug	<i>Pyrrhocoris apterus</i>					✓			
3	Scarab Dung Beetle	<i>Scarabaeus laticollis</i>				✓				