

Corsica - The Scented Isle

Naturetrek Tour Report

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Anemone hortensis



Lac de Melo



Tralonca



Cytinus hypocistis subsp. *clusii*

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Day 1

Sunday 5th May

After dropping the first group off at the airport, David, Steve and Ann (staying for a second week), had an interesting day. We had made a circuit of Biguglia Lake and found a good range of birds and plants. On the lake, we had seen the rare Audouin's Gull and we had done well for raptors, seeing Eleonora's Falcon, Western Marsh Harrier and a pair of Golden Eagle. Other birds, not seen during the week, had included Pallid Swift, Stonechat and a very smart Woodchat Shrike, not far from the airport runway. On the beach, new plants included Cottonweed *Achillea maritima*, the handsome knapweed *Centaurea sphaerocephala* and Sea Chamomile *Anthemis maritima* and, in coastal maquis, there were large stands of the grey-leaved, yellow-flowered *Cistus halimifolius*.

Unfortunately the weather had been atrocious, with high winds and periods of rain. The airport had been closed for much of the afternoon and the inbound flight carrying our second group, was delayed by over an hour. Once we had loaded the minibuses, we set off on our journey across the island. The first part was through colourful maquis, with bright-yellow Woad *Isatis tinctoria* often lining the route. At Francardo, we turned west towards the mountains and our progress was slowed by the narrow, winding roads. After the dramatic Santa Regina Gorge and a few villages, we entered the extensive Foret d'Aitone. The wind had dropped but, above 1,000 metres, the rain turned to snow and we were soon driving through a winter wonderland. We learned later that the road had been closed, earlier in the day, but the ploughs had been out and we reached the Col de Vergio, without undue difficulty. From here, it was a short drive to Evisa and we arrived at our hotel at 8.00pm.

Day 2

Monday 6th May

It was a cool 6°C, in the morning. We drove a little way up into the forest and made a short walk to the ruins of a chestnut mill, where water power was once used to produce the all-important chestnut flour. *Cyclamen repandum* and Corsican Hellebore *Helleborus lividus* subsp. *corsicus* were the prominent flowers, under the high canopy of Corsican Pine *Pinus nigra* subsp. *laricio*, Silver Fir *Abies alba* and Holly *Ilex aquifolium*. We heard Great Spotted Woodpecker and the high-pitched calls of Firecrest, in the trees, and saw our first White-throated Dipper, down by the river. On the damp rocks, near the waterfalls, we found Round-leaved Saxifrage *Saxifraga rotundifolia*, the deep-yellow endemic Winter-cress *Barbarea rupicola*, curtains of Corsican Bog Asphodel *Narthecium reverchonii* and huge specimens of Royal Fern *Osmunda regalis*.

We moved on to the Col de Sevi, at 1,100 metres, where there were plantations of Wild Cherry *Prunus avium* and a scattering of Hawthorn *Crataegus monogyna*. Small flocks of Corsican Finch and Linnet flitted around and we had distant views of a pair of Golden Eagle. Where the local pigs had churned up much of the ground, the common plants included Corsican Hellebore, the endemic Broom *Genista salzmanii* var. *lobelioides* and Curry Plant *Helichrysum italicum* and there were tall clumps of Three-leaved Figwort *Scrophularia trifoliata*, a Tyrrhenian species, also found in Sardinia and mainland Italy.

We drove down to Sagone, on the coast, where it was a pleasant 20°C. We stocked up on food for the next few days, before driving a little way south to the Liamone Estuary and a convenient place for lunch. Along the edges of the reeds, we recorded Little and Great Egret and a Squacco Heron and heard Cetti's Warbler and Common Nightingale. A Western Marsh Harrier hunted over the water-meadows and a flock of 12 Honey Buzzard passed

by. Down on the seaward edge of the lagoon, a selection of waders included singles of Ruff, Common Redshank, Little Ringed Plover and Common Sandpiper and an Eleonora's Falcon flew along the coast.

Large carpets of the invasive Yellow Hottentot Fig *Carpobrotus edulis* made a colourful show, all over the dunes, but, attractive as they were, they had no place here. Three-horned Stock *Matthiola tricuspidata*, Sea Rocket *Cakile maritima* and Yellow horned-poppy *Glaucium flavum* were plentiful and we were pleased to find Sea Knotgrass *Polygonum maritimum* and Sea Bindweed *Calystegia soldanella*, both rare British natives. In the more stable areas of dune, Tyrrhenian Wall Lizard scuttled across the sand, among Sheep's-bit *Jasione montana* and deep-yellow bushes of the endemic Corsican Broom *Genista corsica*. Large patches of Yellow Flag *Iris pseudacorus* were flowering in the water-filled dune-slacks and, here and there, were patches of Yellow Centaury *Centaureum maritimum* and some fine specimens of Heart-lipped Tongue Orchid *Serapias cordigera*. We were back at the hotel just after 6.00pm.

Day 3

Tuesday 7th May

After breakfast, we drove down to the foot of the village and the start of the trail down the Spelunca Gorge. The maquis, here, is fully developed, with a dense canopy of Holm Oak, *Quercus ilex*, Strawberry Tree *Arbutus unedo* and Tree Heather *Erica arborea*, which was covered in white flowers. Growing through these were huge trees of Maritime Pine *Pinus pinaster* subsp. *escarena* and Corsican Pine, easily distinguishable by their cones and bark. We were pleased to find *Cyclamen repandum* in flower, along the edges of the path.

Rather than walk the full length of the old mule trail, we returned to the minibuses and made several stops to view the gorge from above. Lower down, the maquis became more diverse with flowering shrubs of French Lavender, *Lavandula stoechas*, Shrubby Hare's-ear *Bupleurum fruticosum*, Sticky Woundwort *Stachys glutinosa* and the pungent Germander *Teucrium marum*. When we reached the lower bridge, we followed an undulating path upstream to the Genoese Zaglia Bridge, which crosses a tributary. Flowers, alongside the path included Friar's Cowl *Arisarum vulgare*, Three-cornered Leek *Allium triquetrum*, Dense-flowered Orchid *Neotinea maculata*, the delicate Long-leaved Snowflake *Acis longifolia* and the spectacular Illyrian Sea Daffodil *Pancreatum illyricum*. Growing under white-flowered *Cistus salvifolius*, we found the curious yellow-flowered parasite *Cytinus hypocistis* subsp. *hypocistis*.

We ate our lunch by the river, before returning to the road and driving up to the hill village of Ota. We relaxed for a while, over drinks at Chez Felix and then headed a little way south of the coastal village of Porto to the Calanches de Piana, which forms part of the west coast UNESCO World Heritage Site. We wandered through an amazing landscape of weather-eroded pink granite, which looked splendid in the afternoon sun. Tree Spurge *Euphorbia dendroides* was in full flower, on the cliffs, and we found good spikes of Provence Orchid *Orchis provincialis* and Barton's Orchid *Dactylorhiza insularis*. On our return journey, we stopped to see Corsican Saxifrage *Saxifraga corsica*, on a damp roadside cliff, and it was quite late in the evening when we sat down for dinner.

Day 4

Wednesday 8th May

Shortly after leaving Evisa, we made another stop in the Aitone Forest. In a wet area, there was a large stand of Willow-leaved Gentian *Gentiana asclepiadea* and the tiny highly-aromatic Corsican Mint *Mentha requienii* formed a carpet in the wet acidic turf. An exposed area of bare granite provided extensive views over the forest and its

many crevices were home to Tyrrhenian Wall Lizard and the more robust Bedriaga's Rock Lizard, both endemic to the island.

On the Col de Vergio, most of the snow had gone and we had a short walk. Prostrate Juniper *Juniperus communis* var. *saxatilis* and the endemic *Genista salzmannii* var. *lobelioides* were the dominant shrubs, along with Etna Barberry *Berberis aetnensis*, *Thymus herba-barona* and cushions of *Plantago sarda* and *Armeria multiceps*. During the long drive through the forest, we stopped to see the robust Corsican form of Irish Spurge *Euphorbia hyberna* subsp. *insularis* and Corsican Butterwort *Pinguicula corsica*. After our lunch break and coffee in Calacuccia, we continued into the dramatic Santa Regina Gorge, where we walked for some distance along the road. Notable finds included a striking colony of Pink Butterfly Orchid *Anacamptis papilionacea*, the endemic White-headed Thrift *Armeria leucocephala* and, on a wet patch of cliff, the bizarre Dragon's Mouth *Helicodictyon muscivorous*, a distinctive aroid found also in Sardinia and the Balearic Islands.

When we left the mountains, we turned our attention to the maquis, where a roadside verge turned up good flowering specimens of Green-winged Orchid *Orchis morio*, Early Spider-orchid *Ophrys sphegodes* subsp. *atrata* and reddish patches of Rue-leaved Saxifrage *Saxifraga tridactylites*. At Francardo, we turned south, glad to be off the winding mountain roads, and stopped in Corte, the ancient capital, for a coffee and a short exploration of its intriguing architecture. We were at our hotel, set in the maquis below Venaco, just after 6.00pm.

Day 5

Thursday 9th May

After shopping in Venaco, we drove a little way south to where Gustav Eiffel's dramatic railway bridge and the elegant new road bridge span the Vecchio River. We walked steadily up the almost deserted road. The maquis was full of flowers, including French Lavender, white-flowered *Cistus salvifolius* and pink *Cistus creticus*. Under the latter, were splendid examples of the white-flowered parasite, *Cytinus hypocistis* subsp. *clusii*. Butterflies were in abundance, and included Small Heath, Corsican Heath, Corsican Small Tortoiseshell, Clouded Yellow and Corsican Wall Brown. A damp area, alongside a diverted stream, had many colonies of Tongue Orchid *Serapias lingua* varying from deep pink to pale yellow, a number of Wedge-lipped Orchid *Dactylorhiza saccifera* and a few Twayblade *Neottia ovata*. It was a nice surprise to find a large Hermann's Tortoise, crossing the road. On a gravelly slope, we saw the vivid-pink flowers of the endemic form of Rock Soapwort *Saponaria ocymoides* subsp. *alsinoides* and *Cyclamen repandum* made a fine show, on shady banks, together with the pendant flowers of Italian Garlic *Allium pedulinum*.

During lunch, we disturbed a basking Western Whip Snake. It had been unseasonably cold for the previous two weeks and today, at last, the weather was returning to normal. Up to now, Corsican Nuthatch had proved hard to locate but we heard their distinct calls from the forest and soon located two birds.

In the afternoon, we continued south through Vivario to the top of the Vizzavona pass, where, rather surprisingly, the upper limit of forest is dominated by Beech *Fagus sylvatica*. The trees showed clear evidence of coppicing and formed a high canopy of pale-green young leaves. The ground flora was sparse, with only the leaves of the autumn-flowering *Cyclamen hederifolium* and a few plants of Maple-leaved Buttercup *Ranunculus plataniifolius*. We finished off the afternoon relaxing over drinks at Vizzavona railway station, the highest point of Corsica's unique railway, before returning to the hotel around 6.00pm.

Day 6

Friday 10th May

After an unavoidable delay, we left Venaco around 11.30am but we still had time to follow our proposed itinerary, on what turned out to be a perfect sunny day. From Corte, we followed the road up the Restonica Valley, stopping, in the forest, to see more Corsican Nuthatch. At the end of the road we reached the limit of the trees and had great views of the glaciated upper part of the valley and the high jagged ridges that surround it. We had lunch by the café before setting off on the short but stiff climb to Lac de Melo, at 1700 metres. The rocky trail led us through banks of the low-growing Corsican Alder *Alnus alnobetula* subsp. *suaveolens*, and small trees of Sycamore and the Corsican subspecies of the familiar Rowan *Sorbus aucuparia* subsp. *praemorsa*. Other notable plants included the small, pale hyacinth *Brimeura fastigiata*, the Yellow Star-of-Bethlehem *Gagea soleirolii* and Corsican Butterwort.

As we gained height, there were many beautiful patches of *Crocus corsicus*, where the snow had recently melted and, after a final steep, rocky section and a couple of fixed ladders, we arrived at the, almost circular, glacial lake. We were surrounded by high cliffs and rugged scenery, streaked with the remnants of the winter snows. New birds, in this high desolate terrain, included Alpine Chough, Northern Wheatear, Water Pipit and a Tawny Pipit. We were back at the café around 17.40 and enjoyed hot drinks before we returned to the hotel.

Day 7

Saturday 11th May

With only one day left, we were eager to cram in as much as possible. Firstly, we returned to Corte and stopped at the bridge for the classic view of the Citadel, famously painted by Edward Lear. We spent an hour or so in the town to allow for a visit to the bookshop and a little more sightseeing. A short distance to the north, we visited the attractive hill-top village of Tralonca, where we found astonishing numbers of orchids and other plants along the roadsides. There were beautiful flowers of *Anemone hortensis* subsp. *hortensis* and, among nine species of orchid, the most noteworthy included Man Orchid *Orchis anthropophora*, Lady Orchid *Orchis purpurea* and a distinct-looking Bee Orchid *Ophrys morisii*. (This is now considered to be *Ophrys* × *arachnitiformis*, a hybrid between *Ophrys fuciflora* and *Ophrys sphegodes*).

Time was getting on, as we headed down to the coast at Aleria. We did our final shopping in the supermarket, before driving south to the Etang d'Urbino, the second-largest of Corsica's saline lagoons. We had a late lunch beside the Conservatoire du Littoral, where display boards explained the significance of these unique coastal habitats. On the water were Great Cormorant, Mediterranean Gull and Common Tern and Nightingale called from the reeds. We returned inland to fields, where we had a good view of the inland shores of the lagoon and the adjacent salt marsh. European Bee-eaters perched on the overhead wires and we spotted a pair of Stone Curlew, along the water's edge. More distantly, we saw a Little and Great Egret and Greater Flamingo, while on the water there were a dozen Pochard, a few Little Grebe and Great Crested Grebe and many Coot. In the fallow fields, we found plenty of Yellow Bartsia *Parentucellia viscosa* and pink Bellardia *Bartsia trixago* and swathes of Field Gladiolus *Gladiolus italicus* and Rosy Garlic *Allium roseum*. We added Small-flowered Tongue-orchid *Serapias parviflora* and Bee Orchid *Ophrys apifera* to our impressive list for the day. Eventually we had to tear ourselves away and returned to the hotel. To conclude a very busy and productive day and our week together, we met over a snacks and a glass of wine before dinner.

Day 8

Sunday 12th May

We made an early start and, after a quick breakfast, headed for the airport. The roads were quiet and we made good progress. We stopped at Pont Novu to see a beautifully constructed model village, which portrayed the unique architecture of many of the mountain settlements we had seen. We were soon at Bastia Airport in time for check-in.

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Species Lists

Plants (* = endemic to Corsica or nearby region; † = cultivated or naturalised)

Latin name	Common name	Notes
PTERIDOPHYTES	FERNS AND FERN ALLIES	
Aspleniaceae	Spleenwort Family	
<i>Asplenium adiantum-nigrum</i>	Black Spleenwort	Occasional on rocks
<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
Athyriaceae	Lady-fern Family	
<i>Athyrium distentifolium</i>	Alpine Lady-fern	Above Lac de Melo
<i>Athyrium felix-femina</i>	Lady-fern	Foret d'Aitone
Blechnaceae	Hard-fern Family	
<i>Blechnum spicant</i>	Hard-fern	Foret d'Aitone
Cystopteridaceae	Bladder-fern Family	
<i>Cystopteris fragilis</i>	Brittle Bladder-fern	Shaded rocks
Dennstaedtiaceae	Bracken Family	
<i>Pteridium aquilinum</i>	Bracken	Common
Dryopteridaceae	Buckler-fern Family	
<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
Equisetaceae	Horsetail Family	
<i>Equisetum ramosissimum</i>	Branched Horsetail	Hedges
<i>Equisetum telmateia</i>	Giant Horsetail	Occasional in ditches
Osmundaceae	Royal Fern Family	
<i>Osmunda regalis</i>	Royal Fern	Common by rivers
Polypodiaceae	Polypody Family	
<i>Polypodium cambricum</i>	Southern Polypody	Occasional on rocks
<i>Polypodium vulgare</i>	Common Polypody	Occasional on rocks
Pteridaceae	Maidenhair Fern Family	
<i>Adiantum capillus-veneris</i>	Maidenhair Fern	Wet rocks. Spelunca
<i>Anogramma leptophylla</i>	Jersey Fern	Damp places. Spelunca
<i>Cryptogramma crispa</i>	Parsley Fern	Mountain rocks. Restonica
Selaginellaceae	Lesser Clubmoss Family	
<i>Selaginella denticulata</i>	Toothed Clubmoss	Damp earth. Common

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GYMNOSPERMS	CONIFERS	
Cupressaceae	Cypress Family	
<i>Cupressus sempervirens</i> ‡	Italian Cypress	Cultivated
<i>Juniperus communis</i> var. <i>saxatilis</i>	Juniper	Common in mountains
<i>Juniperus oxycedrus</i> subsp. <i>oxycedrus</i>	Prickly Juniper	Common in maquis
<i>Juniperus phoenicea</i> subsp. <i>turbinata</i>	Coastal Phoenician Juniper	Open maquis, rocks, dunes
Pinaceae	Pine Family	
<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> subsp. <i>escarena</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
ANGIOSPERMS	FLOWERING PLANTS	
DICOTYLEDONS		
Aizoaceae	Dewplant Family	
<i>Carpobrotus edulis</i> ‡	Yellow Hottentot-fig	Coastal alien
Amaranthaceae	Goosefoot Family	
<i>Atriplex portulacoides</i>	Sea Purslane	Beaches
<i>Beta vulgaris</i> subsp. <i>maritima</i>	Sea Beet	Liamone beach
<i>Blitum bonus-henricus</i>	Good-King-Henry	Animal pens
<i>Chenopodium album</i>	Fat-hen	Occasional weed
<i>Salsola kali</i>	Prickly Saltwort	Sandy beaches
<i>Sarcocornia fruticosa</i>	A Perennial Glasswort	Salt marsh. Etang d'Urbino
Anacardiaceae	Sumach Family	
<i>Pistacia lentiscus</i>	Mastic Tree	Common in maquis
<i>Apium graveolens</i>	Wild Celery	Wet places near the sea
<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>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
<i>Foeniculum vulgare</i> subsp. <i>vulgare</i>	Fennel	Common
<i>Peucedanum ostruthium</i>	Masterwort	Mountain streamsides
<i>Pseudorhiza pumila</i>	Dune Carrot	Coastal sands
<i>Scandix pecten-veneris</i>	Shepherd's-needle	Dry rocky places
<i>Smyrniolum 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

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Apocynaceae	Dogbane Family	
<i>Gomphocarpus fruticosus</i> ‡	Bristle-fruited Silkweed	Occasional. Roadsides
<i>Nerium oleander</i>	Oleander	By streams in maquis
<i>Vinca difformis</i>	Intermediate Periwinkle	Evisa
<i>Vincetoxicum hirundinaria</i>	Swallow-wort	Restonica. Verghello
Aquifoliaceae	Holly Family	
<i>Ilex aquifolium</i>	Holly	Common in forests
Araliaceae	Ivy Family	
<i>Hedera helix</i>	Ivy	Common
Aristolochiaceae	Birthwort Family	
<i>Aristolochia rotunda</i> subsp. <i>insularis</i> •	A Smearwort	Occasional
Asteraceae	Daisy Family	
<i>Achillea ligustica</i>	Southern Yarrow	Common
<i>Achillea maritima</i>	Cottonweed	Sandy coasts
<i>Achillea millefolium</i> ‡	Yarrow	Weedy places
<i>Anthemis arvensis</i>	Corn Chamomile	Ruderal
<i>Anthemis maritimus</i>	Sea Chamomile	Sand dunes. East coast
<i>Bellis annua</i>	Annual Daisy	Occasional
<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>	Flat-topped Carlina Thistle	Common to 1000 metres
<i>Carlina macrocephala</i> subsp. <i>macrocephala</i> •	Large-headed Carlina Thistle	Frequent above 1000 metres
<i>Centaurea sphaerocephala</i>	A Knapweed	Sand dunes. East coast
<i>Chondrilla juncea</i>	Rush Skeletonweed	Waste places
<i>Cichorium intybus</i>	Chicory	Roadsides
<i>Cirsium vulgare</i>	Spear Thistle	Grassy and waste places
<i>Dittrichia graveolens</i>	Aromatic Inula	Roadsides. Frequent
<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> •	Corsican Hemp-agrimony	Wet forests
<i>Filago pygmaea</i>	Pygmy Cudweed	Dry places
<i>Galactites tomentosa</i>	Galactites	Waste places
<i>Geropogon hybridus</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>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>Hypochaeris robertia</i> •	A Cat's-ear	Widespread
<i>Lapsana communis</i>	Nipplewort	Waste places
<i>Limbarda crithmoides</i>	Golden Samphire	Etang d'Urbino

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<i>Logfia gallica</i>	Narrow-leaved Cudweed	Dry places
<i>Logfia minima</i>	Small Cudweed	Rocky places
<i>Mycelis muralis</i>	Wall Lettuce	Walls
<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>Prenanthes purpurea</i>	Purple Lettuce	Forests
<i>Ptilostemon casabonae</i> •	A Ptilostemon	Verghello. Restonica
<i>Pulicaria odora</i>	Mediterranean Fleabane	Common in maquis
<i>Rhagadiolus edulis</i>	A Star Hawkbit	Common
<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>Tripolium pannonicum</i>	Sea Aster	Salt marsh. Etang d'Urbino
<i>Urospermum dalechampii</i>	Urospermum	Locally common
<i>Urospermum picroides</i>	Prickly Golden-fleece	Weedy places
<i>Xanthium italicum</i> ‡	A Cocklebur	Coasts. Alien
<i>Xanthium spinosum</i> ‡	Spiny Cocklebur	Ruderal. Alien
Berberidaceae	Barberry Family	
<i>Berberis aetnensis</i> •	Etna Barberry	Mountains
Betulaceae	Birch Family	
<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
<i>Betula pendula</i>	Silver Birch	Forests to treeline
Boraginaceae	Borage Family	
<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>Heliotropium europaeum</i>	Heliotrope	Common. Roadsides
<i>Myosotis discolor</i>	Changing Forget-me-not	Damp places
<i>Myosotis pusilla</i>	A Forget-me-not	Damp places
<i>Myosotis ramosissima</i>	Early Forget-me-not	Frequent
<i>Myosotis soleirolii</i> •	A Forget-me-not	Wet places in mountains
Brassicaceae	Cabbage Family	
<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

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<i>Barbarea rupicola</i> •	Rock Winter-cress	Damp rocks
<i>Barbarea verna</i>	Spring Winter-cress	Damp places
<i>Cakile maritima</i>	Sea Rocket	Coasts
<i>Capsella bursa-pastoris</i>	Shepherd's-purse	Widespread
<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>Draba muralis</i>	Wall Whitlowgrass	Rocks
<i>Erophila verna</i>	Common Whitlowgrass	Rocks
<i>Isatis tinctoria</i>	Woad	Roadsides
<i>Lepidium hirtum</i> subsp. <i>oxyotum</i>	A Pepperwort	Mountains
<i>Lobularia maritima</i>	Sweet Alison	Coastal sands
<i>Lunaria annua</i> ‡	Honesty	Near habitation
<i>Malcomia ramosissima</i>		Sand dunes
<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
Buxaceae	Box Family	
<i>Buxus sempervirens</i>	Box	Spelunca
Cactaceae	Cactus Family	
<i>Opuntia ficus-indica</i> ‡	Prickly Pear	Widely planted
Campanulaceae	Bellflower Family	
<i>Campanula erinus</i>	Annual bellflower	Rocks and walls
<i>Jasione montana</i>	Sheep's-bit	Liamone dunes
<i>Phyteuma serratum</i> •	Toothed Rampion	Mountain rocks. Restonica
Cannabaceae	Hackberry and Hop Family	
<i>Celtis australis</i> ‡	European Nettle Tree	Planted
<i>Humulus lupulus</i>	Hop	Liamone
Caprifoliaceae	Honeysuckle Family	
<i>Lonicera etrusca</i>	Etruscan Honeysuckle	Occasional
<i>Lonicera implexa</i>	A Honeysuckle	Frequent in maquis
Caryophyllaceae	Pink Family	
<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> subsp. <i>telephiifolia</i>	A Strapwort	Sand dunes. Liamone
<i>Dianthus furcatus</i> subsp. <i>gyspergerae</i> •	Madame Gysperger's Pink	Cliffs. Calanche de Piana
<i>Dianthus sylvestris</i> subsp. <i>longicaulis</i> •	A Wood Pink	Rocks and cliffs

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<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>Sabulina verna</i>	Vernal Sandwort	Mountains
<i>Sagina pilifera</i> •	A Pearlwort	Mountains. Common
<i>Sagina procumbens</i>	Procumbent Pearlwort	Common
<i>Saponaria ocyroides</i> subsp. <i>alsinoides</i> •	Rock Soapwort	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 rupestris</i>	Rock Campion	Rocky places
<i>Silene sericea</i> •		Sand dunes. Liamone
<i>Silene vulgaris</i>	Bladder Campion	Frequent
<i>Spergularia salina</i>	Lesser Sea Spurrey	Coastal
<i>Stellaria media</i>	Common Chickweed	Waste places
<i>Stellaria nemoreum</i>	Wood Stitchwort	Shaded habitats
<i>Stellaria neglecta</i>	Greater Stitchwort	Frequent
Cistaceae	Rockrose Family	
<i>Cistus creticus</i>	Cretan Cistus	Common in maquis
<i>Cistus halimifolius</i>	A Halimium	East coast
<i>Cistus monspeliensis</i>	Narrow-leaved Cistus	Common in maquis
<i>Cistus salvifolius</i>	Sage-leaved Cistus	Common in maquis
<i>Helianthemum nummularium</i>	Common Rockrose	Occasional
<i>Tuberaria guttata</i>	Spotted Rockrose	Occasional. Open places
Convolvulaceae	Bindweed Family	
<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>Convolvulus cantabrica</i>	Southern Bindweed	Occasional
<i>Cuscuta epithimum</i> subsp. <i>corsicana</i> •	A Dodder	Frequent
Corylaceae	Hazel Family	
<i>Corylus avellana</i>	Hazel	Frequent
Crassulaceae	Stonecrop family	
<i>Crassula tillaea</i>	Mossy Stonecrop	Seasonally wet rocks
<i>Petrosedum rupestre</i>	Reflexed Stonecrop	Rocks. Occasional
<i>Sedum album</i>	White Stonecrop	Rocks. Frequent
<i>Sedum brevifolium</i>	Short-leaved Stonecrop	Rocks. Common
<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 stellatum</i>	Starry Stonecrop	Occasional
<i>Umbilicus rupestris</i>	Wall Pennywort	Rocks. Common

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Cucurbitaceae <i>Ecballium elaterium</i>	Cucumber Family Squirting Cucumber	Waste places
Cytinaceae <i>Cytinus hypocistis</i> subsp. <i>clusii</i> <i>Cytinus hypocistis</i> subsp. <i>hypocistis</i>	Cytinus Family Cytinus (white flowers) Cytinus (yellow flowers)	Parastic on pink Cistus Parastic on white Cistus
Dipsacaceae <i>Dipsacus fullonum</i> <i>Knautia integrifolia</i>	Teasel Family Teasel Entire-leaved Scabious	Occasional Waste places
Ericaceae <i>Arbutus unedo</i> <i>Erica arborea</i> <i>Vaccinium myrtillus</i>	Heather Family Strawberry Tree Tree Heather Bilberry	Maquis Maquis Restonica
Euphorbiaceae <i>Euphorbia amygdaloides</i> subsp. <i>semiperfoliata</i> • <i>Euphorbia chamaesyce</i> <i>Euphorbia characias</i> subsp. <i>characias</i> <i>Euphorbia dendroides</i> <i>Euphorbia helioscopia</i> <i>Euphorbia hyberna</i> subsp. <i>insularis</i> • <i>Euphorbia lathyris</i> <i>Euphorbia maculata</i> ‡ <i>Euphorbia paralias</i> <i>Euphorbia peplus</i> <i>Mercurialis annua</i> <i>Mercurialis perennis</i> <i>Ricinus communis</i>	Spurge Family A Wood Spurge A prostrate Spurge Large Mediterranean Spurge Tree Spurge Sun Spurge An Irish Spurge Caper Spurge Spotted Spurge Sea Spurge Petty Spurge Annual Mercury Dog's Mercury Castor-oil-plant	Frequent. Forests Common. Waste places Widespread Coastal cliffs Waste ground Aitone Forest Evisa Trackways Sand dunes Ruderal Common Frequent Occasional
Fabaceae <i>Anthyllis hermanniae</i> <i>Anthyllis vulneraria</i> subsp. <i>rubriflora</i> <i>Bituminaria bituminosa</i> <i>Calycotome infesta</i> <i>Calycotome villosa</i> <i>Ceratonina siliqua</i> <i>Cercis siliquastrum</i> ‡ <i>Cytisus villosus</i> <i>Ervilia hirsuta</i> <i>Genista corsica</i> • <i>Genista monspessulana</i> <i>Genista salzmannii</i> var. <i>lobelioides</i> • <i>Genista salzmannii</i> var. <i>salzmannii</i> • <i>Laburnum anagyroides</i> ‡ <i>Lathyrus aphaca</i> <i>Lathyrus clymenum</i> <i>Lathyrus cicera</i> <i>Lathyrus hirsutus</i> <i>Lathyrus latifolius</i> <i>Lathyrus setifolius</i>	Pea Family Herman's Kidney Vetch Mediterranean Kidney Vetch Pitch Trefoil Thorny Broom Hairy Thorny Broom Carob Judas Tree Hairy Broom Hairy Tare Corsican Broom Montpellier Broom Laburnum Yellow Vetchling Crimson Pea Red Vetchling Hairy Vetchling Broad-leaved Everlasting-pea Red Pea	Common Occasional Common Maquis Maquis Occasional Frequent Occasional Waste places Maquis Maquis Mountains Lower altitudes than var. <i>lobelioides</i> Vizzavona Occasional Waste places Frequent Brackish reedbeds Open forest Frequent

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<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 dorycnium</i>	Five-leaved Dorycnium	Frequent
<i>Lotus edulis</i>	Edible Lotus	Common
<i>Lotus hirsutus</i>	Dorycnium	Locally common
<i>Lupinus angustifolius</i>	Narrow-leaved Lupin	Occasional
<i>Medicago arabica</i>	Spotted Medick	Common
<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 indicus</i>	Small Melilot	Occasional
<i>Onobrychis viciifolia</i> ‡	Sainfoin	Waste places
<i>Ononis spinosa</i> subsp. <i>antiquorum</i>	Spiny Restharrow	Rocky pasture
<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>Robinia pseudoacacia</i> ‡	False-acacia	Cultivated
<i>Scoparius muricatus</i>	Scorpion-vetch	Frequent
<i>Spartium junceum</i>	Spanish Broom	Roadsides
<i>Trifolium angustifolium</i>	Narrow-leaved Crimson Clover	Open places
<i>Trifolium campestre</i>	Hop Trefoil	Occasional
<i>Trifolium fragiferum</i>	Strawberry Clover	Widespread
<i>Trifolium glomeratum</i>	Clustered Clover	Common. Waste places
<i>Trifolium incarnatum</i> ‡	Crimson Clover	Field crop
<i>Trifolium pratense</i>	Red Clover	Common
<i>Trifolium repens</i>	White Clover	Common
<i>Trifolium stellatum</i>	Star Clover	Common
<i>Trifolium subterraneum</i>	Burrowing Clover	Open places
<i>Trifolium tomentosum</i>	Wooly Trefoil	Occasional
<i>Vicia benghalensis</i>	Purple Vetch	Widespread
<i>Vicia bithynica</i>	Bithynian Vetch	Frequent
<i>Vicia cracca</i> subsp. <i>tenuifolia</i>	Fine-leaved Vetch	Common
<i>Vicia lathyroides</i>	Spring Vetch	Widespread
<i>Vicia sativa</i> subsp. <i>sativa</i>	Common Vetch	Common
<i>Vicia villosa</i>	Fodder Vetch	Waste places
Fagaceae	Oak Family	
<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
Gentianaceae	Gentian Family	
<i>Blackstonia perfoliata</i>	Yellow-wort	Frequent
<i>Centaurium erythraea</i>	Common Centaury	Dry places

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<i>Centaureum maritimum</i>	Yellow Centaury	Common
<i>Gentiana asclepiadea</i>	Willow-leaved Gentian	Foret d'Aitone. Restonica
Geraniaceae	Crane's-bill Family	
<i>Erodium cicutarium</i>	Common Stork's-bill	Coast and waste places
<i>Erodium botrys</i>	Mediterranean Stork's-bill	Weedy places
<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
<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
Globulariaceae	Globularia Family	
<i>Globularia alypum</i>	Shrubby Globularia	Pont Noceta
Hypericaceae	St John's-wort Family	
<i>Hypericum hircinum</i> subsp. <i>hircinum</i> •	Stinking Tutsan	Streamsides, damp rocks
<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> var. <i>corsicum</i> •	Corsican St John's-wort	Streamsides
Juglandaceae	Walnut Family	
<i>Juglans regia</i> †	Walnut	Occasional
Lamiaceae	Dead-nettle Family	
<i>Ballota nigra</i>	Black Horehound	Roadsides
<i>Clinopodium nepeta</i>	Lesser Calamint	Waste places. Widespread
<i>Clinopodium vulgare</i>	Wild Basil	Common
<i>Lamium amplexicaule</i>	Henbit Dead-nettle	Ruderal
<i>Lamium bifidum</i>		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	Wet places
<i>Mentha suaveolens</i> subsp. <i>suaveolens</i>	Round-leaved Mint	Damp places
<i>Micromeria filiformis</i>	Thread-leaved Micromeria	Santa Regina Gorge
<i>Prunella vulgaris</i>	Self-heal	Frequent
<i>Salvia rosmarinus</i>	Rosemary	Hot rocky places
<i>Salvia verbenaca</i>	Wild Clary	Frequent
<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

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Lentibulariaceae <i>Pinguicula corsica</i> •	Butterwort Family Corsican Butterwort	Wet places. Restonica
Linaceae <i>Linum bienne</i>	Flax Family Pale Flax	Locally common
Malvaceae <i>Althaea hirsuta</i> <i>Malva arborea</i> <i>Malva cretica</i> <i>Malva neglecta</i> <i>Malva parviflora</i> <i>Malva sylvestris</i> <i>Modiola caroliniana</i> ‡	Mallow Family Rough Marsh Mallow Tree Mallow Small Tree Mallow Dwarf Mallow Least Mallow Common Mallow Modiola	Roadsides Near coast Occasional Animal pens. Ruderal Occasional Roadsides Liamone
Montiaceae <i>Montia fontana</i> subsp. <i>chondrosperma</i>	Blinks Family Blinks	Ephemeral pools
Moraceae <i>Ficus carica</i> <i>Morus alba</i> ‡	Fig Family Fig White Mulberry	Frequent in maquis Cultivated
Myrtaceae <i>Eucalyptus camaldulensis</i> ‡ <i>Eucalyptus globulus</i> <i>Myrtus communis</i>	Myrtle Family River Red Gum Southern Blue-gum Common Myrtle	Cultivated Cultivated Frequent in maquis
Oleaceae <i>Fraxinus excelsior</i> ‡ <i>Fraxinus ornus</i> <i>Olea europaea</i> subsp. <i>oleaster</i> <i>Phillyrea angustifolia</i> <i>Phillyrea latifolia</i>	Olive Family Ash Manna Ash Wild Olive Narrow-leaved Mock Privet Mock Privet	Cultivated Common in maquis Maquis Common in maquis Frequent in maquis
Onagraceae <i>Epilobium hirsutum</i> <i>Epilobium montanum</i>	Willowherb Family Great Willowherb Broad-leaved Willowherb	Damp places Frequent
Orobanchaceae <i>Bartsia trixago</i> <i>Euphrasia nana</i> • <i>Odontites lutea</i> <i>Parentucellia latifolia</i> <i>Parentucellia viscosa</i>	Broomrape Family Bellardia An Eyebright Yellow Odontites Southern Red Bartsia Yellow Bartsia	Occasional Lac de Melo Locally common. Maquis Common Common
Oxalidaceae <i>Oxalis articulata</i> ‡ <i>Oxalis corniculata</i> <i>Oxalis pes-caprae</i> ‡	Wood-sorrel Family Pink Oxalis Procumbent Yellow Sorrel Bermuda Buttercup	Garden escape Ruderal Alien weed
Papaveraceae <i>Corydalis pumila</i> <i>Fumaria capreolata</i>	Poppy Family Dwarf Corydalis White Ramping Fumitory	Forest. Vizzavona Common

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<i>Fumaria officinalis</i>	Common Fumitory	Verges
<i>Glaucium flavum</i>	Yellow Horned-poppy	Sand dunes
<i>Papaver rhoeas</i>	Common Poppy	Common
Phytolaccaceae	Pokeweed Family	
<i>Phytolacca acinos</i> ‡	Pokeweed	Waste places
Plantaginaceae	Plantain Family	
<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
Platanaceae	Plane Family	
<i>Platanus x hispanica</i> ‡	London Plane	Cultivated
Plumbaginaceae	Thrift Family	
<i>Armeria leucocephala</i> •	White-headed Thrift	Santa Regina Gorge
<i>Armeria multiceps</i> •	Multi-headed Thrift	Mountains. Common
<i>Limoniasstrum monopetalum</i>	Limoniasstrum	Shore. Etangd'Urbino
<i>Limonium narbonense</i>	A Sea Lavender	Edge of saline lagoon. Etang d'urbino
Polygalaceae	Milkwort Family	
<i>Polygala nicaeensis</i> subsp. <i>corsica</i> •	Corsican Milkwort	Frequent
<i>Polygala vulgaris</i>	Common Milkwort	Foret d'Aitone
Polygonaceae	Dock Family	
<i>Polygonum aviculare</i>	Knotgrass	Bare ground
<i>Polygonum maritimum</i>	Sea Knotgrass	Sand dunes. Liamone
<i>Rumex acetosella</i> subsp. <i>pyrenaicus</i>	A Sheep's Sorrel	Common
<i>Rumex bucephalophorus</i>	Horned Dock	Common
<i>Rumex conglomeratus</i>	Clustered Dock	Damp places
<i>Rumex crispus</i>	Curled Dock	Liamone estuary
<i>Rumex pulcher</i>	Fiddle Dock	Waste places
Portulacaceae	Purslane Family	
<i>Portulaca oleracea</i>	Common Purslane	Occasional
Primulaceae	Primrose Family	
<i>Cyclamen hederifolium</i> subsp. <i>hederifolium</i>	Ivy-leaved Sowbread	Locally common
<i>Cyclamen repandum</i>	Spring Sowbread	Shady places. Locally common
<i>Lysimachia arvensis</i>	Scarlet Pimpernel	Frequent
<i>Lysimachia linum-stellatum</i>	Asterolinon	Frequent
<i>Samolus valerandi</i>	Brookweed	Damp rocks. Spelunca
Ranunculaceae	Buttercup Family	
<i>Anemone hortensis</i> subsp. <i>hortensis</i>	An Anemone	Near Corte
<i>Aquilegia dumeticola</i> •	A Columbine	Foret d'Aitone. Restonica
<i>Clematis cirrhosa</i>	Virgin's Bower	Occasional in maquis
<i>Clematis flammula</i>	Fragrant Clematis	Maquis. Common

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<i>Clematis vitalba</i>	Old Man's Beard	Common
<i>Ficaria verna</i>	Lesser Celandine	Frequent
<i>Helleborus lividus</i> subsp. <i>corsicus</i> •	Corsican Hellebore	Common
<i>Ranunculus bulbosus</i>	Bulbous Buttercup	Meadows
<i>Ranunculus flammula</i>	Lesser Spearwort	Foret d'Aitone
<i>Ranunculus lanuginosus</i>	Wooly Buttercup	Frequent
<i>Ranunculus muricatus</i>	Rough-fruited Buttercup	Common
<i>Ranunculus platanifolius</i>	Maple-leaved Buttercup	Col Vizzavona
<i>Ranunculus repens</i>	Creeping Buttercup	Common
<i>Ranunculus sceleratus</i>	Celery-leaved Buttercup	Damp places
<i>Ranunculus velutinus</i>		Damp places
Resedaceae	Mignonette Family	
<i>Reseda alba</i>	White Mignonette	Occasional. Ruderal
<i>Reseda luteola</i>	Weld	Ruderal
<i>Sesamoides clusii</i>	Sesamoides	Col de Vergio
Rhamnaceae	Buckthorn Family	
<i>Rhamnus alaternus</i>	Mediterranean Buckthorn	Occasional in maquis
Rosaceae	Rose Family	
<i>Alchemilla alpina</i> forma. <i>corsica</i> •	Alpine Lady's-mantle	Restonica
<i>Amelanchier ovalis</i> var. <i>rhamnoides</i> •	A Juneberry	Restonica
<i>Crataegus monogyna</i>	Hawthorn	Common
<i>Fragaria vesca</i>	Wild Strawberry	Frequent
<i>Geum urbanum</i>	Herb Bennet	Occasional in shade
<i>Potentilla anglica</i> subsp. <i>nesogenes</i> •	A Trailing Tormentil	Damp turf
<i>Potentilla erecta</i>	Tormentil	Mountain pasture
<i>Potentilla micrantha</i>		Frequent
<i>Potentilla reptans</i>	Creeping Cinqufoil	Common. Waste places
<i>Potentilla rupestris</i> var. <i>pygmaea</i> •	Rock Cinquefoil	Occasional. Mountains
<i>Prunus avium</i>	Wild Cherry	Occasional
<i>Prunus spinosa</i>	Blackthorn	Frequent.
<i>Pyrus spinosa</i>	Almond-leaved Pear	Frequent. Maquis
<i>Rosa agrestis</i>	Small-leaved Sweet-briar	Frequent
<i>Rosa canina</i>	Dog-rose	Roadsides
<i>Rosa sempervirens</i>	Evergreen Rose	Roadsides
<i>Rosa serafinii</i>		Foret d'Aitone
<i>Rosa tomentosa</i>	Downy Rose	Occasional
<i>Rubus ulmifolius</i>	A Blackberry	Common
<i>Sanguisorba minor</i> subsp. <i>balearica</i>	Salad Burnet	Common
<i>Sorbus aria</i>	Whitebeam	Occasional
<i>Sorbus aucuparia</i> subsp. <i>praemorsa</i> •	Corsican Rowan	Restonica
<i>Sorbus domestica</i>	Service-tree	Spelunca, Verghello
Rubiaceae	Bedstraw Family	
<i>Cruciata laevipes</i>	Crosswort	Frequent
<i>Galium aparine</i>	Cleavers	Occasional
<i>Galium mollugo</i>	Hedge Bedstraw	Occasional
<i>Galium odoratum</i>	Sweet Woodruff	Spelunca
<i>Galium rotundifolium</i>	Round-leaved Bedstraw	Spelunca
<i>Galium scabrum</i>		Shaded maquis
<i>Galium verum</i>	Lady's Bedstraw	Occasional

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<i>Rubia peregrina</i> subsp. <i>longifolia</i>	Wild Madder	Forests and maquis
<i>Rubia peregrina</i> subsp. <i>requienii</i> •	Wild Madder	Forests and maquis
<i>Sherardia arvensis</i>	Field Madder	Common
Salicaceae	Willow Family	
<i>Populus alba</i>	White Poplar	Frequent
<i>Populus nigra</i>	Black Poplar	Frequent
<i>Populus tremula</i>	Aspen	Occasional
<i>Salix alba</i>	White Willow	Common
<i>Salix cinerea</i> subsp. <i>oleifolia</i>	Grey Willow	Common
<i>Salix purpurea</i>	Purple Willow	Occasional
Santalaceae	Sandalwood Family	
<i>Osyris alba</i>	Osyris	Maquis
<i>Viscum album</i> subsp. <i>austriacum</i>	Mistletoe	Common on Pine and Fir
Sapindaceae	Maple Family	
<i>Acer monspessulanum</i>	Montpellier Maple	Spelunca
<i>Acer pseudoplatanus</i>	Sycamore	Restonica
Saxifragaceae	Saxifrage Family	
<i>Saxifraga corsica</i> •	Corsican Saxifrage	Damp rocks. Spelunca
<i>Saxifraga pedemontana</i> subsp. <i>cervicornis</i> •	A Piedmont Saxifrage	Shaded mountain rocks
<i>Saxifraga rotundifolia</i>	Round-leaved Saxifrage	Shaded damp places
<i>Saxifraga tridactylites</i>	Rue-leaved Saxifrage	Occasional. Open places
Scrophulariaceae	Figwort Family	
<i>Buddleja davidii</i> ‡	Butterfly-bush	Near habitation
<i>Scrophularia canina</i>	French Figwort	Rocky slopes
<i>Scrophularia peregrina</i>	Nettle-leaved Figwort	Common
<i>Scrophularia trifoliata</i> •	Three-leaved Figwort	Col de Sevi
<i>Verbascum sinuatum</i>	Wavy-leaved Mullein	Frequent
<i>Verbascum thapsus</i>	Great Mullein	Occasional
Simaroubaceae	Tree-of-heaven Family	
<i>Ailanthus altissima</i> ‡	Tree-of-heaven	Widespread
Solanaceae	Nightshade Family	
<i>Atropa belladonna</i>	Deadly Nightshade	Foret d'Aitone, Vizzavona
<i>Datura stramonium</i> ‡	Thornapple	Ruderal. Alien
<i>Hyocyamus albus</i>	White Henbane	Occasional
<i>Nicotiana glauca</i> ‡	Shrub Tobacco	Roadsides. Alien
<i>Solanum nigrum</i>	Black Nightshade	Waste ground
Tamaricaceae	Tamarisk Family	
<i>Tamarix africana</i>	African Tamarisk	Near coasts
Thymelaeaceae	Mezereon Family	
<i>Daphne gnidium</i>	Mediterranean Mezereon	Widespread in maquis
Tiliaceae	Lime Family	
<i>Tilia cordata</i>	Small-leaved Lime	Occasional
<i>Tilia platyphyllos</i> ‡	Broad-leaved Lime	Planted

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Ulmaceae <i>Ulmus minor</i>	Elm Family Small-leaved Elm	Frequent
Urticaceae <i>Parietaria judaica</i> <i>Parietaria lusitanica</i> <i>Urtica atrovirens</i> • <i>Urtica dioica</i> <i>Urtica membranacea</i> <i>Urtica pilulifera</i> <i>Urtica urens</i>	Nettle Family Pellitory-of-the-Wall A Pellitory-of-the-Wall A Nettle Common Nettle Membranous Nettle Roman Nettle Small Nettle	Walls and rocks Occasional. Walls and rocks Widespread Waste places Ruderal Ruderal Ruderal
Valerianaceae <i>Centranthus calcitrapa</i> <i>Centranthus ruber</i> ‡ <i>Valeriana rotundifolia</i> var. <i>rotundifolia</i> • <i>Valerianella locusta</i>	Valerian Family Small Red Valerian Red Valerian A Valerian Common Cornsalad	Common Garden escape Restonica Tracksides
Verbenaceae <i>Lantana camara</i> ‡ <i>Verbena officinalis</i>	Vervain Family Lantana Vervain	Cultivated Roadsides
Veronicaceae <i>Cymbalaria aequitriloba</i> • <i>Digitalis purpurea</i> subsp. <i>gyspergerae</i> • <i>Linaria pelisseriana</i> <i>Linaria vulgaris</i> ‡ <i>Misopates orontium</i> <i>Veronica arvensis</i> <i>Veronica cymbalaria</i> <i>Veronica hederifolia</i> <i>Veronica officinalis</i> <i>Veronica persica</i> ‡ <i>Veronica verna</i>	Speedwell Family Foxglove Jersey Toadflax Common Toadflax Weasel's Snout Wall Speedwell Pale Speedwell Ivy-leaved Speedwell Heath Speedwell Common Speedwell Spring Speedwell	Shaded damp rocks. Spelunca Common Dry places Corte Occasional Frequent Ruderal Ruderal Foret d'Aitone Occasional Common
Viburnaceae <i>Sambucus ebulus</i> <i>Sambucus nigra</i> <i>Viburnum tinus</i>	Viburnum Family Danewort Elderberry Laurustinus	Foret d'Aitone. Vizzavona Occasional Shaded maquis
Violaceae <i>Viola alba</i> subsp. <i>dehnhardtii</i> <i>Viola arvensis</i> <i>Viola biflora</i> <i>Viola corsica</i> • <i>Viola kitaibeliana</i> <i>Viola odorata</i> <i>Viola reichenbachiana</i> <i>Viola riviniana</i>	Violet Family Mediterranean White Violet Field Pansy Yellow Wood Violet Corsican Violet Dwarf Pansy Sweet Violet Early Dog-violet Common Dog-violet	Forests and maquis Occasional Shaded wet places Restonica Dry places Occasional Forests. Frequent Frequent
Vitaceae <i>Vitis vinifera</i> subsp. <i>sylvestris</i>	Grape-vine Family Wild Vine	Spelunca

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Zygophyllaceae <i>Tribulus terrestris</i>	Caltrop Family Maltese Cross	Waste places
MONOCOTYLEDONS		
Amaryllidaceae <i>Acis longifolia</i> • <i>Allium pendulinum</i> <i>Allium roseum</i> <i>Allium triquetrum</i> <i>Allium ursinum</i> <i>Pancratium illyricum</i> <i>Pancratium maritimum</i>	Daffodil Family Long-leaved Snowflake Italian Garlic Rosy Garlic Three-cornered Leek Ramsons Illyrian Sea Daffodil Sea Daffodil	Spelunca gorge Locally common Occasional Frequent Vizzavona Local. Shaded damp places Sand dunes
Araceae <i>Arisarum vulgare</i> <i>Arum italicum</i> <i>Helicodiceros muscivorus</i> •	Lords-and-Ladies Family Friar's Cowl Italian Lords-and-Ladies Dragon's Mouth	Shaded maquis Near habitation Rare. Santa Regina Gorge
Asparagaceae <i>Agave americana</i> ‡ <i>Asparagus acutifolius</i> <i>Asparagus albus</i> <i>Brimeura fastigiata</i> • <i>Drimia maritima</i> <i>Leopoldia comosa</i> <i>Ornithogalum umbellatum</i> ‡ <i>Ruscus aculeatus</i>	Asparagus Family Centuryplant Mediterranean Wild Asparagus White Asparagus Brimeura Sea Squill Tassel Hyacinth Common Star-of-Bethlehem Butcher's-broom	Cultivated Maquis Maquis Locally common Frequent Common Near habitation Shaded maquis
Aphodelaceae <i>Asphodelus ramosus</i>	Asphodel Family Branched Asphodel	Common
Colchicaceae <i>Colchicum neapolitanum</i>	Meadow Saffron Family A Meadow Saffron	Frequent
Cyperaceae <i>Bolboschoenus maritimus</i> <i>Carex caryophyllea</i> <i>Carex distachya</i> <i>Carex echinata</i> <i>Carex flacca</i> <i>Carex nigra</i> <i>Carex pendula</i> <i>Carex remota</i> <i>Carex viridula</i> subsp. <i>oedocarpa</i> <i>Cyperus capitatus</i> <i>Cyperus longus</i> <i>Scirpoides holoschoenus</i> <i>Schoenus nigricans</i>	Sedge Family Sea Club-rush Spring Sedge Star Sedge Glaucous Sedge Common Sedge Pendulous Sedge Remote Sedge Small Yellow Sedge Sand Galingale Galingale Round-headed Club-rush Black Bog-rush	Saline lagoons Common Forests and maquis Wet places Wet places Common Foret d'Aitone Frequent Wet places. Mountains Coastal sands Liamone estuary Occasional. Biguglia Occasional. Wet places
Dioscoreaceae <i>Tamus communis</i>	Yam Family Black Bryony	Shaded maquis

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Iridaceae		
<i>Crocus corsicus</i> •	Iris Family 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
Juncaceae		
<i>Juncus acutus</i>	Rush Family Sharp Rush	Liamone
<i>Juncus articulatus</i>	Jointed Rush	Wet places
<i>Juncus bufonius</i>	Toad Rush	Damp sands
<i>Juncus bulbosus</i>	Bulbous rush	Wet places
<i>Juncus conglomeratus</i>	Compact Rush	Common
<i>Juncus effusus</i>	Soft Rush	Common
<i>Juncus maritimus</i>	Sea Rush	Damp saline habitats
<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 pedemontana</i>	Piedmont Wood-rush	Frequent
<i>Luzula spicata</i> subsp. <i>italica</i>	Spiked Wood-rush	Frequent
Liliaceae		
<i>Gagea soleirolii</i> •	Lily Family A Yellow star-of-Bethlehem	Locally common. Mountains
<i>Streptopus amplexifolius</i>	Streptopus	Foret d'Aitone. Rare
Nartheciaceae		
<i>Narthecium reverchonii</i> •	Bog Asphodel Family Corsican Bog Asphodel	Wet rocks. Foret d'Aitone, Restonica
Orchidaceae		
<i>Anacamptis morio</i> subsp. <i>morio</i>	Orchid Family Green-winged Orchid	Occasional. Maquis
<i>Anacamptis papilionacea</i> subsp. <i>papilionacea</i>	Pink Butterfly-orchid	Maquis
<i>Cephalanthera longifolia</i>	Sword-leaved Helleborine	Verghello valley
<i>Dactylorhiza insularis</i>	Barton's Orchid	Verghello valley
<i>Dactylorhiza maculata</i> subsp. <i>saccifera</i>	Wedge-lipped Orchid	Verghello valley
<i>Epipactis helleborine</i> subsp. <i>helleborine</i>	Broad-leaved Helleborine	Occasional. Forests
<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 apifera</i>	Bee Orchid	Soveria
<i>Ophrys sphegodes</i> subsp. <i>atrata</i>	An Early Spider-orchid	Occasional. Maquis
<i>Ophrys xarachnitiformis</i>	A hybrid Orchid	Local in maquis
<i>Orchis anthropophora</i>	Man Orchid	Soveria
<i>Orchis mascula</i> subsp. <i>mascula</i>	Early-purple Orchid	Frequent
<i>Orchis provincialis</i>	Provence Orchid	Occasional. Maquis
<i>Orchis purpurea</i>	Lady Orchid	Shaded maquis
<i>Serapias cordigera</i>	Heart-lipped Tongue-orchid	Liamone, Restonica and Verghello
<i>Serapias lingua</i>	Common Tongue-orchid	Locally common
<i>Serapias parviflora</i>	Small-flowered Tongue-orchid	Occasional
<i>Serapias vomeracea</i> subsp. <i>vomeracea</i>	Long-lipped Tongue-orchid	Occasional in maquis
Poaceae		
<i>Aira caryophyllea</i>	Grass Family Silver Hair-grass	Dry places

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<i>Ammophila arenaria</i>	Marram	Sand dunes
<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>Avenella flexuosa</i>	Wavy Hair-grass	Common
<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 rigidum</i>	Fern-grass	Common
<i>Cynodon dactylon</i>	Burmuda Grass	Dry places
<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>Polypogon monspeliensis</i>	Annual Beard-grass	Edge of saltmarsh, Etang d'Urbino
<i>Vulpia ciliata</i>	Bearded Fescue	Common
<i>Vulpia myuros</i>	Rat's-tail Fescue	Common
Posidoniaceae	Neptune Grass Family	
<i>Posidonia oceanica</i>	Neptune Grass	Sub-marine
Smilacaceae	Smilax Family	
<i>Smilax aspera</i>	Common Smilax	Common in maquis
Typhaceae	Bulrush Family	
<i>Typha latifolia</i>	Great Reedmace	Liamone estuary
Zosteraceae	Eelgrass Family	
<i>Zostera marina</i>	Eelgrass	Sub-marine

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

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			5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
1	Mallard	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>								✓	
2	Common Pochard	<i>Aythya ferina</i>								12	
3	Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>		✓						✓	
4	Great Crested Grebe	<i>Podiceps cristatus</i>								✓	

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5	Greater Flamingo	<i>Phoenicopterus roseus</i>								✓	
6	Squacco Heron	<i>Ardeola ralloides</i>								✓	
7	Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>		✓			✓			✓	
8	Great Egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>		✓						✓	
9	Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>		✓						✓	
10	Great Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>								✓	
11	European Honey Buzzard	<i>Pernis apivorus</i>		12							
12	Red Kite	<i>Milvus milvus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
13	Western Marsh Harrier	<i>Circus aeruginosus</i>		✓						✓	
14	Common Buzzard	<i>Buteo buteo</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓				
15	Golden Eagle	<i>Aquila chrysaetos</i>		2							
16	Common Kestrel	<i>Falco tinnunculus</i>		✓					✓		
17	Eleonora's Falcon	<i>Falco eleonorae</i>		✓							
18	Eurasian Coot	<i>Fulica atra</i>		✓						✓	
19	Stone-curlew	<i>Burhinus oedicephalus</i>								2	
20	Little Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius dubius</i>		✓						✓	
21	Common Redshank	<i>Tringa totanus</i>		✓							
22	Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>		✓							
23	Ruff	<i>Calidris pugnax</i>		✓							
24	Black-headed Gull	<i>Chroicocephalus ridibundus</i>		✓							
25	Mediterranean Gull	<i>Ichthyaetus melanocephalus</i>								✓	
26	Yellow-legged Gull	<i>Larus michahellis</i>		✓						✓	
27	Common Tern	<i>Sterna hirundo</i>								✓	
28	Rock Dove/Feral Pigeon	<i>Columba livia</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
29	Common Wood Pigeon	<i>Columba palumbus</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
30	Eurasian Collared Dove	<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
31	Common Cuckoo	<i>Cuculus canorus</i>		H	H	H	H	H	H	✓	
32	Eurasian Scops Owl	<i>Otus scops</i>		H	H	H	H	H	H	H	
33	Alpine Swift	<i>Tachymarptis melba</i>		✓	✓						
34	Common Swift	<i>Apus apus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
35	European Bee-eater	<i>Merops apiaster</i>								✓	
36	Eurasian Wryneck	<i>Jynx torquilla</i>			H		H	H	H	H	
37	Great Spotted Woodpecker	<i>Dendrocopos major</i>		H	✓	✓	H	✓	✓	✓	
38	Red-backed Shrike	<i>Lanius collurio</i>								✓	
39	Eurasian Jay	<i>Garrulus glandarius</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
40	Alpine Chough	<i>Pyrrhocorax graculus</i>							✓		
41	Hooded Crow	<i>Corvus cornix</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
42	Northern Raven	<i>Corvus corax</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
43	Coal Tit	<i>Parus ater</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
44	Great Tit	<i>Parus major</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
45	Eurasian Blue Tit	<i>Cyanistes caeruleus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
46	Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>	✓	✓						✓	
47	Eurasian Crag Martin	<i>Ptyonoprogne rupestris</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
48	Common House Martin	<i>Delichon urbicum</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
49	Cetti's Warbler	<i>Cettia cetti</i>		H							
50	Long-tailed Tit	<i>Aegithalos caudatus</i>						✓			
51	Willow Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus trochilus</i>		H							
52	Common Chiffchaff	<i>Phylloscopus collybita</i>		H							
53	Wood Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus sibilatrix</i>				✓					
54	Zitting Cisticola	<i>Cisticola juncidis</i>								H	
55	Eurasian Blackcap	<i>Sylvia atricapilla</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	

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56	Dartford Warbler	<i>Sylvia undata</i>							✓		
57	Moltoni's Warbler	<i>Sylvia subalpina</i>							✓	✓	
58	Western Orphean Warbler	<i>Sylvia hortensis</i>								2	
59	Sardinian Warbler	<i>Sylvia melanocephala</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
60	Common Firecrest	<i>Regulus ignicapilla</i>		H	H			H			
61	Goldcrest	<i>Regulus regulus</i>		✓		✓	H				
62	Eurasian Wren	<i>Troglodytes troglodytes</i>				✓			✓	✓	
63	Corsican Nuthatch •	<i>Sitta whiteheadi</i>						✓	✓		
64	Spotless Starling	<i>Sturnus unicolor</i>	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
65	Common Blackbird	<i>Turdus merula</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
66	Mistle Thrush	<i>Turdus viscivorus</i>		✓	✓	✓					
67	European Robin	<i>Erithacus rubecula</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	H	✓	✓		
68	Common Nightingale	<i>Luscinia megarhynchos</i>		H		H				H	
69	Whinchat	<i>Saxicola rubetra</i>							✓	✓	
70	Northern Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe oenanthe</i>		✓					✓		
71	Spotted Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa striata</i>				✓	✓			✓	
72	White-throated Dipper	<i>Cinclus cinclus</i>		✓		✓	✓				
73	House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>		✓							
74	Eurasian Tree Sparrow	<i>Passer montanus</i>								✓	
75	Italian Sparrow	<i>Passer italiae</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
76	Grey Wagtail	<i>Motacilla cinerea</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
77	White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>		✓							
78	Tawny Pipit	<i>Anthus campestris</i>							✓		
79	Water Pipit	<i>Anthus spinoletta</i>							✓		
80	Common Chaffinch	<i>Fringilla coelebs</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
81	European Serin	<i>Serinus serinus</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
82	European Greenfinch	<i>Carduelis chloris</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
83	European Goldfinch	<i>Carduelis carduelis</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
84	Corsican Finch •	<i>Carduelis corsicana</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
85	Common Linnet	<i>Carduelis cannabina</i>		✓						✓	
86	Cirl Bunting	<i>Emberiza cirlus</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		

Mammals

1	Weasel ‡	<i>Mustela nivalis</i>							✓		
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Reptiles

1	Hermann's Tortoise	<i>Testudo hermanni</i>						✓			
2	Bedriaga's Rock Lizard •	<i>Archaeolacerta bedriagae</i>				✓	✓	✓			
3	Tyrrhenian Wall Lizard •	<i>Podarcis tiliguerta</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
4	Italian Wall Lizard	<i>Podarcis sicula</i>						✓			
5	Western Whip Snake	<i>Hierophis viridiflavus</i>						✓			

Amphibians

1	Tyrrhenian Painted Frog •	<i>Discoglossus sardus</i>			✓					✓	
2	Green Toad	<i>Bufo viridis</i>						✓			
3	Tyrrhenian Tree Frog •	<i>Hyla sarda</i>				✓	✓	H	H		

Fish

1	Brown Trout	<i>Salmo trutta</i>			✓						
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Butterflies

1	Corsican Red-underwing Skipper •	<i>Spialia therapne</i>						✓		✓	
2	Oberthur's Grizzled Skipper	<i>Pyrgus armoricanus</i>								✓	
3	Swallowtail	<i>Papilio machaon</i>							✓	✓	
4	Scarce Swallowtail	<i>Iphiclides podalirius</i>								✓	
5	Brimstone	<i>Gonepteryx rhamni</i>		✓				✓	✓	✓	
6	Clouded Yellow	<i>Colias crocea</i>						✓	✓	✓	
7	Large White	<i>Pieris brassicae</i>		✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	
8	Green-veined White	<i>Pieris napi</i>					✓	✓			
9	Small White	<i>Pieris rapae</i>				✓	✓				
10	Orange Tip	<i>Anthocharis cardamines</i>	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	
11	Wood White	<i>Leptidea sinapis</i>						✓		✓	
12	Green Hairstreak	<i>Callophrys rubi</i>		✓				✓			
13	Small Copper	<i>Lycaena phlaeus</i>		✓				✓	✓		
14	Brown Argus	<i>Aricia agestis</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
15	Holly Blue	<i>Celastrina argiolus</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
16	Green-underside Blue	<i>Glaucopsyche alexis</i>						✓		✓	
17	Common Blue	<i>Polyommatus icarus</i>					✓		✓	✓	
18	Painted Lady	<i>Cynthia cardui</i>		✓				✓	✓	✓	
19	Corsican Small Tortoiseshell •	<i>Aglais ichnusa</i>			✓			✓			
20	Queen of Spain Fritillary	<i>Issoria lathonia</i>							✓		
21	Southern Speckled Wood	<i>Pararge aegeria aegeria</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
22	Corsican Wall Brown •	<i>Lasiommata paramegaera</i>			✓			✓			
23	Meadow Brown	<i>Maniola jurtina</i>		✓			✓			✓	
24	Corsican Heath •	<i>Coenonympha corinna</i>						✓	✓	✓	
25	Small Heath	<i>Coenonympha pamphilus</i>		✓			✓	✓	✓		

Moths (D = Dead; E = evidence of)

1	Hummingbird Hawkmoth	<i>Macroglossum stellatarum</i>					D				
2	Pine Processionary Moth	<i>Thaumetopoea pityocampa</i>			E	E	✓	E	E		
3	Box Tree Moth	<i>Cydalima perspectalis</i>			E						

Dragonflies

1	Red-veined Darter	<i>Sympetrum fonscolombii</i>								✓	
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Other Insects

1	Egyptian Grasshopper	<i>Anacridium aegyptium</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			
2	Great Green Bush-cricket	<i>Tettigonia viridissima</i>								✓	
3	Fire Bug	<i>Pyrrhocoris apterus</i>						✓	✓	✓	
4	Bee Fly	<i>Bombylius major</i>						✓			
5	Carpenter Bee	<i>Xylocopa violacea</i>			✓						
6	Rose Chafer	<i>Cetonia aurata</i>			✓			✓			
7	Scarab Dung Beetle	<i>Scarabaeus laticollis</i>		✓							
8	7-spot Ladybird	<i>Coccinella 7-punctata</i>								✓	
9	Orange Ladybird	<i>Halyzia sedecimguttata</i>						✓			
10	Crab Spider	<i>Synema globosum</i>								✓	