

The Island of Samos

Naturetrek Tour Report

23 April to 1 May 2010



Ophrys heldreichii by Paul Harmes



Antlion - *Nemoptera sinuate* – by Ben Darvill



Mantis - *Empusa pennata* – by Ben Darvill



Masked Shrike – by Ben Darvill

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Days 1 & 2

Friday 23rd – Saturday 24th April

Fine, warm and sunny, with a breeze

Six group members met Paul at Heathrow for the 22-15hrs Olympic Airlines flight to Athens. Having lost two hours with the change in time zones, it was not too long before we were able to join our flight to Samos, arriving at the islands' airport at 07-10hrs local time. Having retrieved our luggage, we made our way to the car park to find our minibus. Loading the bags into the bus, we set off for the hotel Astir in Karlovassi, which was to be our base for the next eight days. The journey took us about 45 minutes and we were greeted by Theo and his mother, our hosts. Rooms were quickly allocated and after a tasty continental breakfast the travellers retired to their beds for a well earned siesta.

Suitably refreshed, the group boarded the minibus at 12.30pm and we headed down to the local supermarket to purchase our picnic, before driving west past the harbour to the beach at Potami. The sky was clear with a light wind, but was strengthening. Setting up our picnic on the beach, we soon noticed a few Yelkouan and Scopoli's Shearwaters a good distance out to sea. Common Swifts and Western Yellow-legged Gulls were also recorded. On the beach, *Cakile maritima* (Sea Rocket), *Matthiola tricuspidata* (Three-horned Stock) and *Malcolmia maritima* (Virginia Stock) were also found. As we ate our picnic lunch, a single Mediterranean Monk Seal was spotted moving west along the coast, occasionally surfacing to breathe.

After lunch, we set off on our first walk to the Potami waterfalls. However, it was not long before the first meadow attracted attention of the botanists and lepidopterists in the party, with butterflies including Aegean Meadow Brown, False Apollo, Scarce Swallowtail and Swallowtail. There were also a number of the curious nymphs of the Empusa Mantis. Amongst the grass we also found *Ophrys episcopalis* (Large-flowered Bee Orchid) and *Ptilostemon chamaepeuce* (Shrubby Ptilostemon), *Scrophularia heterophylla* (a Figwort) and *Papaver apulum* (a Poppy). A little further on, we spotted *Onithogalum arabicum* (a Star of Bethlehem) and *Allium subhirsutum* (Hairy Garlic), together with *Pistacia lentiscus* (Mastic Tree) and *Pistacia terebinthus* (Turpentine Bush). Paul explained how to tell these two similar species apart. The path up to the waterfall gave us our first glimpse of the Agama Lizard rapidly disappearing into gaps in the walls.

After returning to the hotel we made the short excursion into the series of vineyards and vegetable fields which lie just behind the hotel. A mixed group of Yellow Wagtails, a solitary Black-headed Bunting and Whinchat were among the birds seen. By 18-00hrs the effects of the overnight flight had begun to tell, so we headed back to the hotel to prepare for dinner.

Day 3

Sunday 25th April

Windy, but fine and sunny

A small group gathered at 07-00hrs to check the vine and vegetable fields at the side of the hotel for morning migrants. Woodchat Shrike, Spanish Sparrows and Wood Sandpiper were all recorded. Following our continental breakfast we loaded the minibus and headed to the supermarket to buy our provisions for the day before heading south towards Pyrgos, where we climbed into the Ambelos Mountains. We made a stop on the main road, just west of Pyrgos, finding *Anchusa azurea* (Large Blue Alkanet) and three species of *Cistus*. *Cistus creticus* (a Pink Cistus), *Cistus slavifolius* (Sage-leaved Cistus) and *Cistus parviflorus* (Small-Flowered Cistus). Butterflies included Eastern Dappled White, Sooty Copper and Scarce Swallowtail and the birds seen were Sardinian Warbler and Short-toed Eagle.

Leaving Pyrgos we travelled to Pandroso, and then we started to climb the dirt track towards Profitis Ilias, the second highest point on the island at 1,154m. Most of the area was now regenerating scrub, following a disastrous fire in the autumn of 2001. Prior to that the hillside had been mature pine forest. Short stops produced Black-eared Wheatear, Cretzschmar's Bunting and singing Nightingales as well as *Orchis romana* (Roman Orchid), *Orchis pinetorum* (an Early Purple Orchid), *Orchis simia* (Monkey Orchid) and the large spreading clumps of *Trifolium uniflorum*.

We reached the small area of trees below the summit where we found excellent picnic tables for our lunch stop. We took time to enjoy this before starting to explore the area further. Ruppell's Warbler and Common Crossbill were added to the bird list as well as a distant calling Woodlark. Plants included *Ophrys ceto* (a Spider Orchid), and *Orchis anatolica* (Anatolian Orchid). Venturing above the tree line, we found *Aethionema saxatile* (Burnt Candytuft), *Iris attica* and *Acantholimon androsaceum*. On the insect front we added Southern and Eastern Festoon Butterflies and Egyptian Grasshopper. Black-eared Wheatear and Common Kestrel also put in an appearance. Suitably satisfied, we returned to the minibuses about 4pm and started the descent. We arrived back at the hotel at 1700hrs where a cool beer or tea was the order of the day for some, and a quick visit to the fields to check for migrants for others – the latter finding Red-backed Shrike and Ruff.

Day 4

Monday 26th April

Fine, sunny and warm

The 7am bird walk to check the fields near the hotel found Eastern Olivaceous Warbler, a mixed flock of Yellow Wagtails, Squacco Heron and Red-backed Shrike. Also a solitary Common Grasshopper Warbler was heard. Plants included *Aristolochia hirta* (a Birthwort), *Equisetum ramosissimum* (Boston Horsetail) and *Clematis cirrhosa* (Maiden's Bower).

After breakfast and the usual visit to the supermarket we headed east along the north coast and then south, past Samos Town to the Alyki Wetlands at Psili Amos. We parked near the old salt works, and were immediately confronted by a good stand of *Orchis sancta* (Holy Orchid). Ruddy Shelducks that breed by the lake took flight and flew around calling. Also on the lake margins there were a Little Egret, Grey Heron and Black-winged Stilts.

Overhead we heard the cat-like calls of Mediterranean Gulls, although, we could not see them, and Glossy Ibis flew across the lake from east to west. Additionally, we were very well entertained by a Long-legged Buzzard and splendid pair of Short-toed Eagles. Meanwhile the botanists were hard at work and among the rich array of flora they had found *Limonium sinuatum* (Winged Sea Lavender), *Arum dioscoridis*, *Parentucellia viscosa* (Yellow Bartsia) and *Serapias vomeracea* (Ploughshare Tongue Orchid). Moving onto the sandy foreshore, we added *Silene colorata*, *Thymus capitata* (Capitate Thyme), *Centaureum pulchella* (Small Centaury) and the emerging flowers of *Moraea sisyrinchium* (Barbary Nut). Also, on the beach, we watched a Tawny Pipit, particularly difficult to keep tabs on as it blended so well with the drying grasses amongst which it was hunting.

We took our picnic in the shade of the old Salt works, overlooking the lake, before moving off in a westward direction, parking on the beach at Mykali. As we approached the parking spot a Balkan Green Lizard ran across the road and Crested Lark was also spotted. At Mykali, we explored an area of semi-saline fields, some of which showed signs of having been cultivated in the past. *Orchis fragrans* (Bug Orchid), *Orchis sancta* (Holy Orchid), *Ophrys apifera* (Bee Orchid) and *Orobancha crenata* were among the flowers found. The invertebrates at this site were also prolific, with Adonis Blue, Aegean Meadow Brown, Levantine Skipper and Eastern Dappled White among the butterflies and Carpenter Bee and the venomous Giant centipede (*Scolopendra cingulatus*) also. The bird highlight was a pair of Greater Short-toed Larks.

Day 5

Tuesday 27th April

Fine and sunny with a stiff breeze

Today's early bird walk added nothing new to the list. However, the wind had stiffened considerably overnight so this may have been a contributory factor. Nevertheless, we did get splendid views of a pair Black-headed Bunting in a mixed flock of House and Spanish Sparrows.

After a good breakfast, we purchased our lunch at the local supermarket, before we headed north-west past the harbour to Potami where we left our minibuses and started our walk towards the Seitani bays. Our aim was to explore the coastal paths, tracks and olive groves. However, there was a fair amount of road construction going on, but it did not distract us. We began by finding several naturalised specimens of *Cupressus macrocarpa* (Monterey Cypress), *Lotus ornithopodioides* (a Bird's-foot Trefoil) and *Hippocrepis unisiliquosa*, with its curious one-sided pods. Blackbird and Sardinian Warbler, Yellow-legged Gull and a solitary Raven were also noted. Lunch was prepared and eaten among the olives. Whilst we were eating our attention was drawn to a large mixed flock of Common and Alpine Swift. They gave a wonderful aerial display for quite some time, and the whole group had splendid views.

During our walk back to Potami, Chaffinch, Great Tit and Blackbird were regularly heard, but little else was recorded. Plants, however, were interesting with a number of orchid species seen, including *Ophrys episcopalidis* (Large-flowered Bee Orchid). We also saw *Gladiolus italicus* (Field Gladiolus), *Euphorbia dendroides* (Tree Spurge), *Hypericum empetrifolia* and *Genista acanthoclada*. We made our way slowly back to Potami and had some welcome refreshments at the little bar.

A short visit to the adjacent small meadow added a number of invertebrates. Scarce Swallowtail, Levantine Skipper and Lesser-spotted Fritillary Butterflies were present and well as a number of Shield Bugs, Egyptian Grasshopper and Hummingbird Hawk Moth. However, we were all agreed that the adult Empusid Mantis stole the show. It was now time to retrace our route back to the hotel to prepare for dinner.

Day 6

Wednesday 28th April

Fine and sunny with wind

Another 7am start to check the fields at the side of the hotel, this time breeze had lightened. Once again, there was little change in the birdlife from the previous day. The Squacco Heron, Little Egrets and Wood Sandpipers were all still present in the river, and the Red-back Shrike and Woodchat Shrike were both on the lookout for breakfast.

After breakfast we shopped for our picnic, then we set off on the road towards Pythagorio. We stopped on a road verge to photograph *Ophrys heldreichii* (Heldreich's Ophrys), *Lithodora zahnii* and *Sarcopoterium spinosum* (Thorny Burnet). As we continued on towards Hora, we spotted Masked Shrike hunting in an olive grove at Koutsis, stopping briefly to watch it. At Hora we turned north up toward Mytilinii, stopping once again to explore a small valley which, as it lies on a north to south line, channels migrating birds to the north side of the island. We saw Long-legged Buzzard and Short-toed Eagle and also found *Dorycnium hirsutum* (Hairy Dorycnium). Continuing on towards Mytilinii, we took a right hand turn-off towards Agias Triadas. This area is a small valley above Pythagorio and had many cultivated and meadow fields, some of which were ablaze with *Gladiolus italicus* (Field Gladiolus), *Allium nigrum* and *Ranunculus arvensis* (Field Buttercup). In an adjacent field to where we had stopped, there was a large bush and a co-operative Corn Bunting was singing from the top of it. Everyone got a good look at it, and it even allowed one member of the group to approach close enough to get some good photographs. This valley has come to be known as the 'Roller Valley' and it was to prove correct again today. As we approached the monastery, two birds were sat on wires close to the road allowing excellent views, we then became aware of a second pair, displaying in true roller fashion. It was at this point that we set up our picnic lunch.

The lunch was prepared while the group explored the area. Then, as we were enjoying lunch, we were further entertained by displaying European Rollers. As we were clearing away our picnic, Gill suddenly became aware of a snake in the grass. This turned out to be a European Glass Lizard. Paul demonstrated the fact that this species is actually a lizard not a snake. He showed the two rear vestigial legs that are located on either side of the vent. This was not difficult to do as this species invariably 'plays dead' if disturbed. Once we left it alone, it soon moved off to seek shelter in the hollow trunk of a tree. After lunch we did some more exploring and found *Ophrys oestriifera* (Horned Ophrys), *Myrtis communis* (Myrtle) and *Bellevalia trifoliata*. Kestrel, Spanish Sparrow and Short-toed Eagle were also seen.

We now made our way down into Pythagorio to enjoy light refreshments. Suitably refreshed, we called briefly at the Temple of Hera to look at it through the fence. Cetti's Warbler exploded at us from some nearby reeds and Corn Bunting was singing in bushes. Southern Comma was seen basking on a derelict building.

From here, we made our way back to Karlovassi for dinner. Upon our return a Blue Rock Thrush was spotted on a roof near the hotel.

Day 7

Thursday 29th April

Fine, sunny and warm with a light breeze

After breakfast, we did some shopping for our picnic at the supermarket and then headed for the village of Ydroussa, a few kilometres inland, to the east of Karlovassi. Parking the minibuses in the town car park, we shared the picnic out and started along the track toward the village of Kondieka. The path took us past olive groves, some which had, unfortunately, been sprayed with herbicides, but others were rich in flowers. Early finds were *Orchis sancta* (Holy Orchid), *Hymenocarpus circinatus* (Disc Trefoil), *Gladiolus italicus* (Field Gladiolus). Sardinian Warblers and Chaffinch made their presence known as we progressed. Butterflies were well represented and included Marbled Skipper, Eastern Dappled White Swallowtail and Grizzled Skipper. In a stand of pines, we found *Limadonum abortivum* (Violet Bird's-nest Orchid) and also saw a small flock of Long-tailed Tits.

Our picnic lunch was taken in an olive grove, during which Scarce Swallowtail butterfly and a Long-legged Buzzard were seen. As we moved into the afternoon, we added Eleonora's Falcon, Lesser Grey Shrike and Short-toed Eagle, as well as False Apollo butterfly. Additional plants included *Calendula arvensis* (Field Marigold), *Notobasis syriaca* (Syrian Thistle), *Tribulus terrestris* (Small Caltrops), *Dracunculus vulgaris* (Dragon Arum) and *Origanum heracleoticum*. We now made our way back to the minibuses. As we did so, two members of the group were startled by a Beech Marten that crossed the track in front of them. It is not easy to get good sightings of any of this secretive family, so it was very much a bonus to the day. We stopped in Karlovassi to sample some local ice creams, before returning to the hotel.

Day 8

Friday 30th April

Fine, sunny and warm with a light breeze

Our last full day on the island started again with a 7am walk. After breakfast, we did our last lunch shop and headed southwest towards the Marathokambos Bay area. Our first stop was on the top of a hill where we searched for orchids. We were not disappointed, finding *Orchis sancta* (Holy Orchid) and *Ophrys sicula* (Yellow Bee Orchid). We continued down to the south coast then turned west towards Kambos and Limnionas. Passing through these villages, we stopped in an area of olive groves above Limnionas, on the lower slopes of Mount Kerketeas in the hope of finding some newly arrived migrants. However, as we got out of our vehicles, it was a mixed flock of Hirundines and Swifts which caught our attention, especially the low-flying Alpine Swifts. Also present were two Eleonora's Falcons and a Long-legged Buzzard. For the botanists there was *Linum nodiflorum*, *Anacamptis pyramidalis* (Pyramidal Orchid), *Onosma graeca* (Golden Drops), *Gladiolus illyricus* (Wild Gladiolus) and *Muscari comosa* (Tassel Hyacinth). We also added Samos Grayling to the butterfly list. As lunch beckoned we again set up our picnic in the shade of an olive grove, utilising the shade from the trees. After our meal we drove down to Limnionas and westward along the coastal track. This area proved quite rich for invertebrates.

Scarce Swallowtail, Aegean Meadow Brown and Meadow Brown Butterflies were recorded together with the Soldier Beetle (*Trichodes alvearius*) the Froghopper (*Cercopis vulnerata*) and the spectacular Ladybird Spider (*Eresus cinnebarinus*). We returned slightly earlier today to allow the group to do some packing before dinner.

Day 9

Saturday 1st May

Fine, sunny and warm

Before breakfast, we took a look at the church in the town where Swifts were nesting before moving on the fields. A flock of thirty Bee-eaters flew over calling and the two Shrikes were still present.

After breakfast, we bid farewell to Theo and his mother, thanking them for their hospitality during our stay. We also said goodbye to Ann and Robert, who were staying on for another week on the island, before making our way to the airport for our flight to Athens and onward to Heathrow.

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Species Lists

Plants

Scientific name	Common name	Location
PTERIDOPHYTES	FERNS & ALLIES	
Selaginellaceae <i>Selaginella denticulata</i>	Lesser Clubmoss Family Mediterranean Clubmoss	West of Potami
Equisetaceae <i>Equisetum ramosissimum</i> <i>Equisetum telmateia</i>	Horsetail Family Branched Horsetail Giant Horsetail	Karlovassi Potami
Adiantaceae <i>Anogramma leptophylla</i>	Maidenhair Fern Family Jersey Fern	Potami
Aspleniaceae <i>Ceterach officinarum</i>	Spleenwort family Rustyback	Potami
Dennstaedtiaceae <i>Pteridium aquilinum</i>	Bracken Family Bracken	Ydroussa
Polypodiaceae <i>Polypodium cambricum</i>	Polypodium Family Southern Polypody	Potami
PINOPSIDA (GYMNOSPERMS)	Conifers	
Cupressaceae <i>Cupressus macrocarpa</i> <i>Cupressus sempervirens</i> <i>Juniperus oxycedrus</i> <i>Juniperus phoenicea</i>	Juniper Family Monterey Cypress Italian Cypress Prickly Juniper Phoenician Juniper	West of Potami Common West of Potami Potami
Pinaceae <i>Pinus brutia</i>	Pine Family Greek Pine	Mount Ambelos
MAGNOLIOPSIDA (ANGIOSPERMS)	FLOWERING PLANTS	
Magnoliidae (Dicotyledons)		
Acanthaceae <i>Acanthus spinosus</i>	Bear's-breech Family Spiny Bear's-breech	Karlovassi
Aizoaceae <i>Carpobrotus acinaciformis</i>	Dewplant Family Sally-my-handsome	Roadside bank near Pyrgos
Anacardiaceae <i>Pistacia lentiscus</i> <i>Pistacia terebinthus</i>	Sumach Family Mastic Tree Turpentine Bush	Potami Potami
Apiaceae <i>Ammi visnaga</i>	Carrot Family -	West of Potami

Scientific name	Common name	Location
<i>Bupleurum rotundifolium</i>	Thorowax	Near the Monastery of Triadas
<i>Crithmum maritimum</i>	Rock Samphire	West of Potami
<i>Daucus carota</i>	Wild Carrot	West of Potami
<i>Eryngium campestre</i>	Field Eryngo (seedheads)	West of Potami
<i>Ferula communis</i>	Giant Fennel	Potami
<i>Foeniculum vulgare</i>	Fennel	Mykili
<i>Lagoecia cumiboides</i>	Lagoecia	West of Potami
<i>Orlaya grandiflora</i>	-	West of Potami
<i>Scandix pecten-veneris</i>	Shepherd's-needle	West of Potami
<i>Smyrniolum perfoliatum</i>	Perfoliate Alexanders	Pyrgos
<i>Thapsia garganica</i>	Thapsia	Psili Amos
<i>Tordylium apulum</i>	Tordylium	Ambelos mountains
<i>Torilis nodosa</i>	Knotted Bur-parsley	Psili Amos
Aristolochiaceae	Birthwort Family	
<i>Aristolochia hirta</i>	A Birthwort	Ambelos mountains
Asteraceae	Daisy Family	
<i>Anthemis rigida</i>	Rayless Chamomile	Mykili
<i>Bellis annua</i>	Annual Daisy	Ambelos mountains
<i>Carduus pycnocephalus</i>	Plymouth Thistle	Potami
<i>Centaurea cyanus</i>	Cornflower	Ambelos mountains
<i>Crupina crupinastrum</i>	Crupina	West of Potami
<i>Dittrichia viscosus</i>	Stink Aster	Psili Amos
<i>Doronicum orientale</i>	Heart-leaved Leopard's-bane	Ambelos mountains
<i>Glebionis coronarium var.coronarium</i>	Crown Daisy	Potami
<i>Glebionis coronarium var.discolor</i>	Crown Daisy	Potami
<i>Glebionis segetum</i>	Corn Marigold	Pyrgos
<i>Helichrysum orientale</i>	An Everlasting	Potami
<i>Helichrysum stoechas</i>	Curry Plant	West of Potami
<i>Hyoseris radiata</i>	Hyoseris	West of Potami
<i>Notobasis syriaca</i>	Syrian Thistle	West of Potami
<i>Ptilostemon chamaepeuce</i>	Shrubby Ptilostemon	Potami
<i>Sonchus oleraceus</i>	Smooth Sow-thistle	Karlovassi
<i>Tragopogon hybridum</i>	A Goat's-beard	West of Potami
<i>Tyrimnus leucographus</i>	-	West of Potami
<i>Urospermum picroides</i>	a Urospermum	West of Potami
<i>Xanthium spinosum</i>	Spiny Cocklebur	Karlovassi
Boraginaceae	Borage Family	
<i>Alkanna lehmanii</i>	Dyer's Alkanet	Above Limnionas
<i>Anchusa azurea</i>	Large Blue Alkanet	Near Pyrgos
<i>Cerinthe major</i>	Greater Honeywort	Potami
<i>Echium plantagineum</i>	Purple Viper's-bugloss	
<i>Echium vulgare</i>	Viper's-bugloss	
<i>Lithodora zahnii</i>	-	Roadside near Karlovassi
<i>Onosma graeca</i>	Golden Drops	Above Limnionas
Brassicaceae	Cabbage Family	
<i>Arabis verna</i>	Spring Rock-cress	Ambelos mountains
<i>Aubrietia deltoidea</i>	Aubrietia	Ambelos mountains
<i>Cakile maritima</i>	Sea Rocket	Potami

Scientific name	Common name	Location
<i>Capsella bursa-pastoris</i>	Shepherd's Purse	Karlovassi
<i>Hirschfeldia incana</i>	Hoary Mustard	Near Pyrgos
<i>Iberis spuneri</i>	A Candytuft	Near Pyrgos
<i>Lepidium draba</i>	Hoary Cress	Karlovassi
<i>Malcolmia maritima</i>	Virginia Stock	Potami
<i>Matthiola tricuspidata</i>	Three-horned Stock	Potami
Capparidaceae	Caper Family	
<i>Capparis spinosa</i>	Caper	Karlovassi
Campanulaceae	Bellflower Family	
<i>Legousia pentagonia</i>	-	Psili Amos
Caprifoliaceae	Honeysuckle Family	
<i>Sambucus nigra</i>	Elder	Karlovassi
Caryophyllaceae	Pink Family	
<i>Petrorhagia prolifera</i>	Proliferous Pink	Psili Amos
<i>Polycarpon tetraphyllum</i>	Four-leaved Allseed	Karlovassi
<i>Silene colorata</i>	-	Psili Amos
<i>Silene dichotoma</i>	Branched Catchfly	Common on Roadsides
<i>Silene gigantea</i>	Giant Catchfly	Roadside near Karlovassi
<i>Silene vulgaris</i>	Bladder Campion	Fields near Triadas Monastery
Chenopodiaceae	Goosefoot Family	
<i>Atriplex portulacoides</i>	Sea Purslane	Mykili
<i>Beta vulgaris subsp. maritima</i>	Sea Beet	Psili Amos
<i>Chenopodium album</i>	Fat Hen	Karlovassi
<i>Sarcocornia perennis</i>	Perennial Glasswort	Mykili
Cistaceae	Cistus Family	
<i>Cistus creticus</i>	Pink Cistus	Roadside near Pyrgos
<i>Cistus parviflorus</i>	Small-flowered Cistus	Roadside near Pyrgos
<i>Cistus salvifolius</i>	Sage-leaved Cistus	Roadside near Pyrgos
Clusiaceae	St.John's-wort Family	
<i>Hypericum empetrifolium</i>	-	Potami
<i>Hypericum perforatum</i>	Perforate St.John's-wort	West of Potami
Convolvulaceae	Bindweed Family	
<i>Convolvulus althaeoides</i>	Mallow-leaved Convolvulus	Psili Amos
<i>Convolvulus arvensis</i>	Field Bindweed	Karlovassi
<i>Convolvulus cantabrica</i>	Pink Convolvulus	West of Potami
<i>Convolvulus sicula</i>	-	Ambelos mountains
<i>Ipomoea purpurea</i>	Purple Morning Glory	Karlovassi
Crassulaceae	Stonecrop Family	
<i>Rosularia serrata</i>	-	Potami
<i>Sedum sediforme (leaves)</i>	a Stonecrop	West of Potami
<i>Sedum sexangulare</i>	Tasteless Stonecrop	Potami
<i>Umbilicus rupestris</i>	Wall Pennywort	Potami

Scientific name	Common name	Location
Cucurbitaceae	Gourd Family	
<i>Ecballium elaterium</i>	Squirting Cucumber	Karlovassi
Dipsacaceae	Teasel Family	
<i>Pterocephalus plumosus</i>	Annual Pterocephalus	West of Potami
Euphorbiaceae	Euphorbia Family	
<i>Euphorbia characias</i> subsp. <i>characias</i>	Large Mediterranean Spurge	West of Potami
<i>Euphorbia peplus</i>	Petty Spurge	Potami
<i>Mercurialis annua</i>	Annual Mercury	Potami
Fabaceae	Pea Family	
<i>Anagyris foetida</i>	Bean Trefoil	Karlovassi
<i>Anthyllis tetraphylla</i>	Bladder Vetch	West of Potami
<i>Astragalus hamosus</i>	-	West of Potami
<i>Bitumaria bituminosa</i>	Pitch Trefoil	West of Potami
<i>Calycotome villosa</i>	Hairy Thorny Broom	Common on Roadsides
<i>Ceratonia siliqua</i>	Carob or Locust Tree	Potami
<i>Cercis siliquastrum</i>	Judas Tree	Potami
<i>Genista acanthoclada</i>	-	West of Potami
<i>Hippocrepis unisiliquosa</i>	-	West of Potami
<i>Hymenocarpus circinatus</i>	Disk Trefoil	West of Potami
<i>Lathyrus aphaca</i>	Yellow Vetchling	Ambelos mountains
<i>Lathyrus gorgonei</i>	-	Mykili
<i>Lathyrus setifolius</i>	-	Ambelos mountains
<i>Medicago arborea</i>	Tree Medick	Roadside near Karlovassi
<i>Medicago orbicularis</i>	Disc Medick	Ambelos mountains
<i>Onobrychis caput-galli</i>	Cockscomb Sainfoin	Ambelos mountains
<i>Ononis viscosa</i>	-	West of Limnionas
<i>Robinia pseudacacia</i>	False Acacia	Potami
<i>Scoparius muricatus</i>	Scorpion Vetch	Near Karlovassi
<i>Spartium junceum</i>	Spanish Broom	Common
<i>Trifolium campestre</i>	Hop Trefoil	West of Potami
<i>Trifolium cherleri</i>	-	Psili Amos
<i>Trifolium clypeatum</i>	Shield Clover	Near Pyrgos
<i>Trifolium repens</i>	White Clover	Karlovassi
<i>Trifolium resupinatum</i>	Reversed Clover	Karlovassi
<i>Trigonella graeca</i>	a Fenugreek	Potami
<i>Vicia bithynica</i>	Bithynian Vetch	Ambelos mountains
<i>Vicia narbonensis</i>	-	West of Potami
<i>Vicia villosa</i>	Fodder Vetch	Potami
Fagaceae	Beech Family	
<i>Quercus coccifera</i>	Kermes Oak	Ambelos mountains
Geraniaceae	Geranium Family	
<i>Erodium cicutarium</i>	Common Stork's-bill	Ydoussa
<i>Erodium malacoides</i>	Mallow-leaved Stork's-bill	Potami
<i>Geranium dissectum</i>	Cut-leaved Crane's-bill	Poyami
<i>Geranium molle</i>	Dove's-foot Crane's-bill	Ambelos mountains
<i>Geranium purpureum</i>	Little Robin	Ambelos mountains
<i>Geranium rotundifolium</i>	Round-leaved Crane's-bill	Ydoussa
<i>Geranium tuberosum</i>	Tuberous Crane's-bill	Ambelos mountains

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Lamiaceae	Dead-nettle Family	
<i>Ballota acetabulosa</i>	Garden Horehound	Potami
<i>Lamium amplexicaule</i>	Henbit	Karlovassi
<i>Lamium bifidum</i>	-	Potami
<i>Lamium purpureum</i>	Red Deadnettle	Karlovassi
<i>Lavandula stoechas</i>	French Lavender	West of Limnionas
<i>Origanum heracleoticum</i>	a Marjoram	West of Potami
<i>Phlomis fruticosa</i>	Jerusalem Sage	Near Pyrgos
<i>Prasium majus</i>	Prasium	Potami
<i>Salvia fruticosa</i>	Three-leaved Sage	Common on roadsides
<i>Satureja thymbra</i>	Satureia	West of Potami
<i>Teucrium divaricatum</i>	-	West of Potami
<i>Teucrium polium</i>	Felty Germander	West of Potami
<i>Thymus capitatus</i>	Capitate Thyme	Above Limnionas
<i>Thymus longicaulis</i>	a Thyme	West of Potami
Linaceae	Flax Family	
<i>Linum bienne</i>	Pale Flax	Potami
<i>Linum nodiflorum</i>	-	Above Limnionas
<i>Linum trigynum</i>	-	West of Potami
Malvaceae	Mallow Family	
<i>Althaea hirsuta</i>	Hairy Mallow	West of Potami
<i>Lavatera cretica</i>	Small Tree Mallow	Potami
<i>Malva sylvestris</i>	Common Mallow	Potami
Meliaceae	Persian Lilac Family	
<i>Melia azedarach</i>	Indian Bead Tree	Planted
Moraceae	Fig Family	
<i>Ficus carica</i>	Fig	Common
Myrtaceae	Myrtle family	
<i>Eucalyptus camaldulensis</i>	River Red Gum	Planted
Nyctaginaceae	Bougainvillea Family	
<i>Bougainvillea glabra</i>	Bougainvillea	Planted
Oleaceae	Olive Family	
<i>Olea europaea</i>	Olive	Common
Orobanchaceae	Broomrape Family	
<i>Orobanche alba</i>	Thyme Broomrape	West of Potami
<i>Orobanche crenata</i>	a Broomrape	Mykili
<i>Orobanche hederæ</i>	Ivy Broomrape	Potami
<i>Orobanche minor</i>	Common Broomrape	Potami
Oxalidaceae	Oxalis Family	
<i>Oxalis pres-caprae</i>	Bermuda Buttercup	Common

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Papaveraceae	Poppy Family	
<i>Glaucium flavum</i>	Yellow-horned Poppy	West of Potami
<i>Papaver apulum</i>	-	Common
<i>Papaver hybridum</i>	Rough Poppy	Mykili
Plantaginaceae	Plantain Family	
<i>Plantago arenaria</i>	Branched Plantain	Potami
<i>Plantago coronopus</i>	Stag's-horn Plantain	Mykili
<i>Plantago lagopus</i>	Hare's-tail Plantain	Mykili
<i>Plantago lanceolata</i>	Ribwort Plantain	Potami
Platanaceae	Plane Tree Family	
<i>Platanus orientalis</i>	Plane Tree	Potami
Plumbaginaceae	Thrift Family	
<i>Limonium sinuatum</i>	Winged Sea Lavender	Mykili
Polygonaceae	Dock Family	
<i>Rumex bucephalophorus</i>	Horned Dock	Ambelos mountains
<i>Rumex pulcher</i>	Fiddle Dock	Karlovassi
<i>Rumex thyrsiflorus</i>	a Dock	Potami
Primulaceae	Primrose family	
<i>Anagallis arvensis</i>	Scarlet Pimpernel	Karlovassi
<i>Cyclamen hederifolium (leaves)</i>	Ivy-leaved Sowbread	Potami
<i>Cyclamen repandum</i>	Spring Sowbread	Potami
Ranunculaceae	Buttercup Family	
<i>Anemone blanda</i>	-	Ambelos mountains
<i>Ranunculus ficaria (leaves)</i>	Lesser Celandine	West of Potami
<i>Ranunculus muricatus</i>	-	West of Potami
<i>Ranunculus sardous</i>	Hairy Buttercup	Karlovassi
Roseaceae	Rose Family	
<i>Sanguisorba minor</i>	Salad Burnet	Ambelos mountains
<i>Sarcopoterium spinosum</i>	Spiny Burnet	Roadside near Karlovassi
Rubiaceae	Bedstraw Family	
<i>Cruciata laevipes</i>	Crosswort	Ambelos mountains
<i>Rubia peregrina</i>	Wild Madder	Potami
<i>Rubia tinctorum</i>	Wild Madder	Karlovassi
<i>Sherardia arvensis</i>	Field Madder	West of Potami
<i>Valantia hispida</i>	-	West of Potami
Rutaceae	Rue Family	
<i>Citrus limon</i>	Lemon	Planted
Scrophulariaceae	Figwort Family	
<i>Antirrhinum majus</i>	Common Snapdragon	Naturalised on walls
<i>Bellardia trixago</i>	Bellardia	Ambelos mountains
<i>Cymbalaria muralis</i>	Ivy-leaved Toadflax	Karlovassi
<i>Misopates orontium</i>	Weasel's Snout	Karlovassi

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<i>Parentucellia latifolia</i>	Southern Red Bartsia	Psili Amos
<i>Parentucellia viscosa</i>	Yellow Bartsia	Psili amos
<i>Scrophularia heterophylla</i>	-	Potami
<i>Verbascum sinuatum</i>	a Mullein	Karlovassi
<i>Veronica cymbalaria</i>	White Speedwell	Potami
Solanaceae	Nightshade Family	
<i>Hyoscyamus albus</i>	White Henbane	Karlovassi
<i>Mandragora officinalis</i>	Mandrake	Triadas Monastery
<i>Nicotiana glauca</i>	Shrub Tobacco	Roadside south of Karlovassi
<i>Solanum nigrum</i>	Black Nightshade	West of Potami
Styracaceae	Storax Family	
<i>Styrax officinalis</i>	Storax	Ydoussa
Urticaceae	Nettle Family	
<i>Parietaria cretica</i>	Pellitory-of-the-wall	Potami
<i>Parietaria officinalis</i>	Large Pellitory-of-the-wall	Potami
<i>Urtica membranacea</i>	Membranous Nettle	Ydoussa
Valerianaceae	Valarian Family	
<i>Centranthus ruber</i>	Red Valerian	Potami
<i>Valeriana officinalis</i>	Common Valerian	Ambelos mountains
Vitaceae	Grape-vine Gamily	
<i>Vitis vinifera</i>	Grape-vine	Karlovassi
Zygophyllaceae	Caltrop Family	
<i>Tribulus terrestris</i>	Maltese Cross	Ydoussa
Liliidae (Monocotyledons)		
Agavaceae	Century Plant Family	
<i>Agave americana</i>	Century Plant	Planted
Araceae	Arum Family	
<i>Arisarum vulgare</i>	Friar's Cowl	West of Potami
<i>Arum discordis</i>	-	Psili Amos
<i>Arum italicum subsp. italicum</i>	Italian Lords and Ladies	West of Potami
<i>Dracunculus vulgaris</i>	Dragon Arum	Ydoussa
Cyperaceae	Sedge Family	
<i>Cyperus esculentus</i>	Tiger Nut	Karlovassi
Iridaceae	Iris Family	
<i>Gladiolus illyricus</i>	Wild Gladiolus	Roadside near Karlovassi
<i>Gladiolus italicus</i>	Field Gladiolus	Ambelos mountains
<i>Iris attica</i>	-	Ambelos mountains
<i>Moraea sisyrinchium</i>	Barbary Nut	

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Juncaceae	Rush Family	
<i>Juncus acutus</i>	Sharp Rush	Psili Amos
<i>Juncus bufonius</i>	Toad Rush	Mykili
<i>Schoenus nigricans</i>	Black Bog Rush	Mykili
<i>Scirpoides holoschoenus</i>	Round-headed Clubrush	West of Potami
Liliaceae	Lily Family	
<i>Allium ampeloprasum</i>	Wild Leek	Potami
<i>Allium nigrum</i>	-	Fields near Triadas Monastery
<i>Allium roseum</i>	Rosy Garlic	Mykili
<i>Allium subhirsutum</i>	-	West of Potami
<i>Asparagus acutifolius</i>	Prickly Asparagus	Karlovassi
<i>Bellevia trifoliata</i>	-	Triadas Monastery
<i>Gagea graeca</i>	-	Ambelos mountains
<i>Muscari comosum</i>	Tassel Hyacinth	Potami
<i>Muscari neglectum</i>	Grape Hyacinth	Psili Amos
<i>Ornithogalum angustifolium</i>	Common Star of Bethlehem	Ambelos mountains
<i>Ornithogalum arabicum</i>	-	Potami
<i>Ornithogalum narbonense</i>	-	Psili Amos
<i>Ruscus aculeatus</i>	Butcher's Broom	Potami
<i>Smilax aspera</i>	Sarsaparilla Plant	Potami
<i>Urginea maritima</i>	Sea Squill (leaves only)	Potami
Orchidaceae	Orchid Family	
<i>Anacamptis pyramidalis</i>	Pyramidal Orchid	Psili Amos
<i>Dactylorhiza romana</i>	Roman Orchid	Ambelos mountains
<i>Limodorum abortivum</i>	Violet Bird's-nest Orchid	Ydoussa
<i>Ophrys apifera</i> subsp. <i>apifera</i>	Bee Orchid	Mykili
<i>Ophrys bombyliflora</i>	Bumblebee Orchid	Mykili
<i>Ophrys ceto</i>	-	Ambelos mountains
<i>Ophrys episcopal</i>	Large-flowered Bee Orchid	Potami
<i>Ophrys heldreichii</i>	Heldreich's Ophrys	Roadside East of Karlovassi
<i>Ophrys oestrifera</i>	a Woodcock Orchid	Potami
<i>Orchis anotalica</i>	Anatolian Orchid	Ambelos mountains
<i>Orchis fragrans</i>	Bug Orchid	Mykili
<i>Orchis italica</i>	Naked Man Orchid	Ambelos mountains
<i>Orchis pinetorum</i>	An Early Purple Orchid	Ambelos mountains
<i>Orchis sancta</i>	Holy Orchid	Very Common
<i>Orchis simia</i>	Monkey Orchid	Ambelos mountains
<i>Orchis tridentata</i>	Toothed Orchid	Ambelos mountains
<i>Serapias bergonii</i>	a Tongue Orchid	Psili Amos
<i>Serapias orientalis</i>	a Tongue Orchid	Mykili
<i>Serapias parviflora</i>	Small-flowered Tongue Orchid	Roadside East of Karlovassi
<i>Serapias vomeracea</i>	Ploughshare Tongue Orchid	Psili Amos
Poaceae	Grass Family	
<i>Anisantha madritensis</i>	Madrid Brome	Potami
<i>Anisantha sterilis</i>	Barren Brome	Karlovassi
<i>Arundo donax</i>	Giant Reed	Karlovassi
<i>Avena barbata</i>	Bristle Oat	Potami
<i>Avena sterilis</i>	Winter Wild Oat	Ambelos mountains
<i>Briza maxima</i>	Great Quaking Grass	Ambelos mountains

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<i>Briza minor</i>	Annual Quaking Grass	Mykili
<i>Bromus rubens</i>	Red Brome	Potami
<i>Cynodon dactylon</i>	Bermuda Grass	Psili Amos
<i>Cynosurus echinatus</i>	Rough Dog's-tail	Ambelos mountains
<i>Hordeum murinum</i>	Wall Barley	Karlovassi
<i>Hyparrhenia hirta</i>	-	Potami
<i>Imperata cylindrica</i>	-	Mykili
<i>Lagurus ovatus</i>	Hare's-tail Grass	Mykili
<i>Lolium perenne</i>	Italian Rye Grass	Common
<i>Phragmites australis</i>	Common Reed	Karlovassi
<i>Poa annua</i>	Annual Meadow-grass	Karlovassi
<i>Polypogon monspeliensis</i>	Annual Beard-grass	Karlovassi
<i>Rostraria cristata</i>	-	Potami
<i>Stipa capensis</i>	Feather Grass	Roadsides

Birds (H = heard only)

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			24	25	26	27	28	29	30	01
1	Ruddy Shelduck	<i>Tadorna ferruginea</i>			✓					
2	Mallard	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>			✓					
3	Chukar	<i>Alectoris chukar</i>			✓		✓			
4	Scopoli's Shearwater	<i>Calonectris diomedea diomedea</i>	✓							
5	Yelkouan Shearwater	<i>Puffinus yelkouan</i>	✓		✓	✓				
6	Great Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>							✓	
7	Squacco Heron	<i>Ardeola ralloides</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
8	Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>			✓	✓	✓		✓	✓
9	Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>			✓			✓		
10	Purple Heron	<i>Ardea purpurea</i>			✓					
11	Glossy Ibis	<i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>			✓					
12	Short-toed Eagle	<i>Circaetus gallicus</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
13	Long-legged Buzzard	<i>Buteo rufinus</i>			✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
14	Common Buzzard	<i>Buteo buteo</i>	✓	✓			✓			
15	Eurasian Sparrowhawk	<i>Accipiter nisus</i>	✓						✓	
16	Common Kestrel	<i>Falco tinnunculus</i>		✓	✓		✓			
17	Eleonora's Falcon	<i>Falco eleonora</i>			✓	✓	✓		✓	
18	Peregrine Falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>	✓				✓			
19	Common Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>					✓			
20	Eurasian Coot	<i>Fulica atra</i>			✓					
21	Black-winged Stilt	<i>Himantopus ostralegus</i>			✓					
22	Wood Sandpiper	<i>Tringa glareola</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
23	Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			
24	Common Greenshank	<i>Tringa nebularia</i>			✓					
25	Ruff	<i>Philomachus pugnax</i>		✓	✓	✓				
26	Yellow-legged Gull	<i>Larus michahellis</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
27	Rock Dove / Feral Pigeon	<i>Columba livia</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
28	Common Woodpigeon	<i>Columba palumbus</i>	✓				✓			
29	Eurasian Collared Dove	<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
30	European Turtle Dove	<i>Streptopelia turtur</i>	✓				✓		H	
31	Common Swift	<i>Apus apus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	

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32	Pallid Swift	<i>Apus pallidus</i>	✓		✓					
33	Alpine Swift	<i>Apus melba</i>				✓			✓	
34	European Bee Eater	<i>Merops apiaster</i>	✓	H	✓	H		✓	H	✓
35	European Roller	<i>Coracias garrulus</i>					✓			
36	Crested Lark	<i>Galerida cristata</i>	✓		✓		✓		✓	
37	Woodlark	<i>Lullula arborea</i>		H						
38	Greater Short-toed Lark	<i>Calandrella brachydactyla</i>			✓					
39	Common Sand Martin	<i>Riparia riparia</i>				✓				
40	Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
41	Red-rumped Swallow	<i>Cecropis daurica</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
41	Common House Martin	<i>Delichon urbica</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
42	Tawny Pipit	<i>Anthus campestris</i>			✓					
43	Tree Pipit	<i>Anthus trivialis</i>	✓				H			
44	White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
45	Yellow (Blue-headed) Wagtail	<i>Motacilla flava flava</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓
46	Yellow (Black-headed) Wagtail	<i>Motacilla flava feldegg</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓
47	Yellow (Grey-headed) Wagtail	<i>Motacilla flava thunbergi</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓
48	Citrine Wagtail	<i>Motacilla citreola</i>	✓							
49	European Robin	<i>Erithacus rubecula</i>	✓					✓		
50	Common Nightingale	<i>Luscinia megarhynchos</i>				✓	✓	H		
51	Eastern Black-eared Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe melanoleuca</i>	✓	✓			✓			
52	Whinchat	<i>Saxicola rubetra</i>	✓	✓	✓					
53	Common Stonechat	<i>Saxicola torquatus</i>		✓		✓				
54	Common Blackbird	<i>Turdus merula</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
55	Blue Rock Thrush	<i>Monticola solitarius</i>	✓	✓	✓		✓			
56	Blackcap	<i>Sylvia atricapilla</i>		✓						
57	Common Whitethroat	<i>Sylvia communis</i>				✓		✓		
58	Sardinian Warbler	<i>Sylvia melanocephala</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	H
59	Ruppell's Warbler	<i>Sylvia rueppelli</i>		✓				✓		
60	Zitting Cisticola	<i>Cisticola juncidis</i>			✓		✓			
61	Common Grasshopper Warbler	<i>Locustella naevia</i>		H		H	H			
62	Cetti's warbler	<i>Cettia cetti</i>			H		H			
63	Olivaceous Warbler	<i>Hippolais pallida</i>	H	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	H
64	Winter Wren	<i>Troglodytes troglodytes</i>	H	✓		H				
65	Great Tit	<i>Parus major</i>	H	✓	H	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
66	Coal Tit	<i>Parus ater</i>		✓		✓				
67	European Blue Tit	<i>Cyanistes caeruleus</i>	H					✓	✓	
68	Long-tailed Tit	<i>Aegithalos tephronotus</i>						✓		
69	Lesser Grey Shrike	<i>Lanius minor</i>			✓			✓		
70	Red-backed Shrike	<i>Lanius collurio</i>			✓		✓	✓		
71	Woodchat Shrike	<i>Lanius senator</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓
72	Masked Shrike	<i>Lanius nubicus</i>					✓			
73	'Black-capped' Eurasian Jay	<i>Garrulus glandarius samios</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
74	Western Jackdaw	<i>Corvus monedula</i>					✓			
75	Hooded Crow	<i>Corvus corone cornix</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
76	Common Raven	<i>Corvus corax</i>				✓				
77	House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
78	Spanish Sparrow	<i>Passer hispaniolensis</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
79	Common Chaffinch	<i>Fringilla coelebs</i>	H	✓	✓	✓	✓	H	H	✓
80	European Goldfinch	<i>Carduelis carduelis</i>		H	✓	✓	✓			

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81	European Greenfinch	<i>Carduelis chloris</i>					H	✓		
82	European Serin	<i>Serinus serinus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
83	Common Crossbill	<i>Loxia curvirostra</i>		✓						
84	Cretzschmar's Bunting	<i>Emberiza caesia</i>		✓			✓			
85	Black-headed Bunting	<i>Emberiza bruniceps</i>	✓			✓	✓	✓		
86	Corn Bunting	<i>Miliaria calandra</i>			H		✓			

Butterflies

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1	Hesperiidae									
2	Marbled Skipper	<i>Carcharodus lavatherae</i>						✓		
3	Grizzled Skipper	<i>Pyrgus malvae</i>						✓		
4	Levantine Skipper	<i>Thymelicus hyrax</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓		
5	Papilionidae									
6	False Apollo	<i>Archon apollinus</i>	✓					✓		
7	Eastern Festoon	<i>Zerynthia cerisy</i>		✓	✓			✓		
8	Southern Festoon	<i>Zerynthia polyxena</i>		✓		✓				✓
9	Scarce Swallowtail	<i>Iphiclides podalirius</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
10	Swallowtail	<i>Papilion machaon</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
11	Pieridae									
12	Large White	<i>Pieris brassicae</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓
13	Orange-tip	<i>Anthocharis cardamines</i>	✓	✓						
14	Eastern Dappled White	<i>Euchloe ausonia</i>		✓	✓		✓	✓		
15	Clouded Yellow	<i>Colias crocea</i>	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		
16	Lycaenidae									
17	Sooty Copper	<i>Lycaena tityrus</i>		✓						
18	Green-underside Blue	<i>Glaucopsyche alexis</i>	✓	✓						
19	Common Blue	<i>Polyommatus icarus</i>		✓						
20	Adonis Blue	<i>Lysandra bellargus</i>			✓		✓	✓		
21	Blue Argus	<i>Ultraaricia anteros</i>						✓		
22	Brown Argus	<i>Aricia agrestis</i>			✓		✓	✓		
23	Nymphalidae									
24	Small Tortoiseshell	<i>Aglais urticae</i>	✓		✓					
25	Red Admiral	<i>Vanessa atalanta</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓		
26	Painted Lady	<i>Vanessa cardui</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
27	Southern Comma	<i>Polygonia egea</i>					✓			
28	Lesser Spotted Fritillary	<i>Melitaea trivia</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
29	Satyrinae									
30	Speckled Wood	<i>Pararge aegeria aegeria</i>						✓		
31	Meadow Brown	<i>Maniola jurtina</i>							✓	✓
32	Aegean Meadow Brown	<i>Maniola telmessia</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
33	Samos Grayling	<i>Hipparchia megera</i>							✓	

Moths

	Common name	Scientific name	April/May							
			24	25	26	27	28	29	30	01
1	Plume Moth	<i>Pterophoridae sp.</i>			✓					
2	Hummingbird Hawk-moth	<i>Macroglossum stellatarum</i>		✓		✓	✓			

Other Invertebrates (Ny) = Nymph

	Common name	Scientific name	April/May							
			24	25	26	27	28	29	30	01
1	Dark Spreadwing	<i>Lestes macrostigma</i>			✓					
2	Beautiful Damoiselle	<i>Calopteryx virgo</i>	✓							
3	Egyptian Grasshopper	<i>Anacridium aegyptium</i>		✓		✓		✓		
4	Wartbiter	<i>Decticus verrucivorus</i>				✓		✓		
5	Mantis	<i>Empusa fasciata</i>	Ny			✓				
6	Shield Bug	<i>Eurydema dominulus</i>				✓		✓		
7	Shield Bug	<i>Graphosoma italicum</i>	✓			✓				
8	Forest Bug	<i>Pentatoma rufipes</i>						✓		
9	Green Shield Bug	<i>Palomena prasina</i>				✓				
10	Sloe Bug	<i>Dolycoris baccarum</i>				✓				
11	Fire Bug	<i>Pyrrhocoris apterus</i>	✓					✓		
12	Assassin Bug	<i>Reduviidae sp</i>				✓			✓	
13	Froghopper	<i>Cercopis vulnerata</i>		✓		✓		✓	✓	
14	Thread-winged Ant-lion	<i>Nemoptera sinuata</i>			✓					
15	Lacewing	<i>Phaeostigma</i>		✓						
16	St. Mark's Fly	<i>Bibio marci</i>							✓	
17	Horsefly sp.	<i>Chrysops sp.</i>	✓			✓			✓	
18	Beefly	<i>Bombylus major</i>				✓				
19	Robber Fly	<i>Asilidae sp.</i>							✓	
20	Carpenter Bee	<i>Xylocopa violacea</i>	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	
21	Buff-tailed Bumblebee	<i>Bombus terrestris</i>	✓		✓				✓	
22	Honey Bee	<i>Apis mellifera</i>	✓		✓		✓	✓	✓	
23	Ground Beetle	<i>Carabus coriaceus</i>					✓		✓	
24	Chafer	<i>Oxythyrea funesta</i>	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	
25	Soldier Beetle	<i>Trichodes alvearius</i>				✓	✓	✓	✓	
26	7-Spot Ladybird	<i>Coccinella 7-punctata</i>			✓					
27	Longhorn Beetle	<i>Agapanthia villosa viridescens</i>				✓				
28	Giant Centipede	<i>Scolopendra cingulatus</i>			✓					
29	Woodlouse	<i>Glomeris marginata</i>				✓				
30	Millipede sp	<i>Tachypodoiulus niger</i>		✓			✓			
31	Ladybird Spider	<i>Eresus cinnebarinus</i>							✓	
32	Labyrinth Spider	<i>Agelena labyrinthica</i>			✓					
33	Crab Spider	<i>Misumena vatia</i>				✓				
34	Crab Spider	<i>Heriades hirtus</i>	✓							
35	Trapdoor Spider	<i>Cteniza sp.</i>						✓		
36	Jumping Spider	<i>Philaeus chrysops</i>		✓		✓		✓		

Reptiles & Amphibians

	Common name	Scientific name	April							
			24	25	26	27	28	29	30	01
1	Marsh Frog	<i>Rana ridibunda</i>	✓		✓					
2	Agama	<i>Laudakia stellio</i>	✓	✓		✓		✓		
3	Peloponnese Wall Lizard	<i>Podarcis peloponnesiaca</i>		✓			✓	✓	✓	
4	Balkan Green Lizard	<i>Lacerta trilineata</i>	✓		✓		✓			
5	European Glass Lizard	<i>Ophisaurus apodus</i>	✓				✓			

Mammals

	Common name	Scientific name	April							
			24	25	26	27	28	29	30	01
1	Pipistrelle	<i>Pipistrellus sp.</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
2	Beech Marten	<i>Martes foina</i>						✓		
3	Mediterranean Monk Seal	<i>Monachus monachus</i>	✓							
4	Brown Hare	<i>Lepus europaeus</i>		✓						