

Spring in Southern Portugal

Naturetrek Tour Report

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Day 1

Wednesday 6th April

As the group were arriving over a number of different flights, the early arrivals were able to fit in a preliminary spot of birding on the Rio Formosa NP alongside the airport runway. Among a number of familiar waders, we also spotted Eurasian Spoonbill, White Stork and Western Osprey before we headed back to the airport to meet the rest of the group, after which we had a light lunch.

With everyone now arrived, fed and refreshed we undertook a direct transfer to Mertola in the Alentejo region of Portugal where we would be based for the first part of our tour. Within the town and overlooking the river from our rooms we soon added Lesser Kestrel and Pallid Swift to our early sightings. We had time to freshen up before dinner at the hotel after a briefing.

Day 2

Thursday 7th April

Our first full day was spent exploring the Castro Verde SPA. Our first stop was at a rather unprepossessing roadside junction where we took some time to admire several of the numerous White Stork nests, with their 'squatters' in the basement of Spanish and House Sparrows using the stork nest as a suitable nesting spot. As usual in these situations, as we scanned the local area a number of other birds were spotted. Highlights included a distantly soaring Spanish Imperial Eagle and a couple of nearby Great Spotted Cuckoos.

We drove on a short distance for a walk through some open grazing land adjacent to arable fields. Calandra Larks were singing from around us as we walked towards a nearby Trig Point on a small hillock. A range of raptors put in an appearance during our walk. Having stretched our legs, we drove on to take a farm track overlooking a large area of open country to scan over. We soon picked up our first Great Bustards spaced out across our panoramic view.

Moving on, we had time to have a quick stop alongside a small river where we encountered some good birds in the form of Eurasian Spoonbill and Great Egret and a couple of species of Narcissus. With the morning drawing to an end, we headed on into Castro Verde where we had a lunch appointment with a local resident who provided us with a fabulous spread of local dishes across four courses.

From Castro Verde our route led north to the LPN Visitor Centre where we accidentally flushed a Little Owl from the nearby olives. We continued our circuit through some attractive country before a final stop for a wander alongside another small river. On the final drive back to Mertola we spotted a couple of European Rollers on the roadside wires; unfortunately, the fast stretch of road prevented us from making a safe stop.

Day 3 April

Friday 8th

We travelled north from Mertola today to remain within the Guadiana NP, starting with a visit to Pulo do Lobo on the Guadiana River. A few short stops were taken on the route to admire some flower species and scan for birds before we arrived at this well-known beauty spot. The river was in a fairly rapid flow-rate making the pinch

point formed by the hard schist rocks pretty dramatic. We successfully picked up the key birds of this habitat, namely Blue Rock Thrush, Rock Bunting, Crag Martin and most significant for the area, a Black Stork. Having enjoyed a pleasant morning taking in the river we relocated a short distance to a small hilltop where we had our picnic, keeping an eye out for passing raptors. On our return journey we were fortunate in encountering a low-flying hunting Bonelli's Eagle, calling for a quick stop and viewing!

Our continuing route led back past Mertola where half of the group took the opportunity to disembark and explore this fascinating historical town. Those that chose to continue were initially taken to a small local reservoir where we took a walk through the mixed plantations down to the water's edge. We enjoyed a pleasant mix of birds, butterflies and flowers as we strolled, before moving on for a final stop alongside some open grassland habitat. Here we soon picked out a small number of both Little and Great Bustards in the near distance making for a fine end to the day.

Day 4

Saturday 9th April

Today we left the Alentejo and transferred to the far south-west and Sagres within the Cape St. Vincent NP. Our morning was spent exploring the southern section of the Castro Verde SPA with a number of stops taken. An early stop and scan produced a few Little Bustards, Great Spotted Cuckoo and distant Black-winged Kite. A short move to a nearby reservoir produced a fine group of Red-crested Pochards and fly-over Black-bellied Sandgrouse. A couple of Mute Swans were rather incongruous in this isolated area, as opposed to the expected Little Ringed Plovers and Black-winged Stilts. Further drives and stops produced more Great Bustards and a Cinereous Vulture before we left the SPA and headed to the town of Ourique where we stopped at a pleasant hilltop garden and rest area where we enjoyed our picnic.

Moving on we made a fast transit down to the coast, entering the Algarve, and called into the Salgados Lagoon, an area of freshwater lake and marsh behind sand dunes. The water level was high at the time of our visit, limiting the numbers of waders present, but compensation was provided by a couple of scarce Audouin's Gulls roosting on the open water. A number of Greater Flamingos were feeding in the shallow water while a party of Eurasian Spoonbills dozed on an island. With some distance still to cover we boarded the vehicles to continue our transfer. As we were taking the entry ramp to the motorway a Black-winged Kite was spotted in a most inconvenient spot. We took a cheeky pause, as there was little traffic, but the bird perversely landed on a gantry above our heads! Too close to see, as opposed to the very distant bird seen in the morning.

We arrived in good time into Sagres and our comfortable modern hotel, where we would stay for the remainder of the trip, and enjoyed the first delicious meal that evening.

Day 5

Sunday 10th April

We were waiting promptly for the opening of the Fort of Henry the Navigator where we would spend the morning slowly walking the perimeter path of the flat limestone pavement lying beyond the fortified wall. Within the fort birds were few, mainly comprising Thekla's Larks and Black Redstarts. Around the cliffs and overhead we added Blue Rock Thrush, Peregrine, Alpine Swift and European Shag. Our main focus was the array of interesting plants, several of which were localised endemics, and the attractive scenery. We regrouped after our

morning near the entrance from where we drove on to the Cabranosa heath where we had our lunch. A nearby pool attracted drinking finches and Woodlarks as we ate among an interesting mix of wildflowers.

For the afternoon we walked through the sandy heathland and pine plantations during which a number of interesting plants were seen, most notably the diminutive endemic annual *Ionopsidium acaule*. Within the pines we heard and spotted a couple of Crested Tits. An area of sandy banks held a number of Bee-eaters that were prospecting for nest sites. As our walk rejoined the main dirt road, we discovered a number of orchids on the roadside. These were mainly Mirror Orchids, *Ophrys speculum*, with a few Yellow Bee orchid, *Ophrys lutea*. The rarest discovery was of a few flowering spikes of the very localised orchid *Gennaria diphylla*, looking rather similar to the green-flowered Twayblade of home.

Day 6

Monday 11th April

A change of scenery was taken today by travelling north in a circuit starting with a morning spent in the Serra de Espinacao de Cao. This range of hills held some fine examples of evergreen oak forest with the accompanying lower vegetation resulting in a very different range of birds seen and heard. A number of short walks and stops were taken. The first led alongside a small stream and up a low valley. Our main target species was the Iberian Chiffchaff, and it was not long before we heard a couple of singing individuals. After a little patience we were able to pick up a bird that provided some excellent views; although visually almost identical to the familiar Common Chiffchaff, the song was diagnostic. As we slowly walked the trail, a number of other interesting species were found that included the parasitic plant *Cytinus hypocistis* and the diminutive West Iberian Painted Frog. Despite the cool and windy conditions, we were fortunate in flushing a single sheltering Lorquin's Blue butterfly, a very localised species in Europe. A further stop was taken alongside a small pond that previously has produced some excellent discoveries. Unfortunately, recent cutting and clearing activities in the area have somewhat degraded its appeal. We did however still have some interesting sightings, with a displaying Short-toed Snake Eagle overhead the highlight.

The damp and muddy conditions meant a roadside picnic rather than risking a drive down to the river. We were then soon heading directly to the coast at Aljezur where we drove down to the Southwest Alentejo and Vicentine NP and the beach of Praia da Amoreira. We firstly took a walk into the stunning and botanically important vegetated dune system. Here we found a range of fascinating, localised plants. Among many gems were a small number of flowering *Acis trichophylla* with their delicate nodding white bell-shaped flowers emerging from the sand. The pines of the area contained a few Crested Tits and Short-toed Treecreepers for those in the group who had missed our earlier encounters with these species. A final move down to the beachside café for refreshments proved popular as we then sat on the terrace and enjoyed the spectacular surf waves breaking on the beach. Curiously, despite expecting to see gulls, we found Great and Little Egrets on the shore. We were soon needing to hit the road once more for the final scenic leg of our circuit back to Sagres.

Day 7

Tuesday 12th April

Our morning was spent exploring the Alvor Estuary as we walked a circuit of Quinta da Rocha. The estuary held several Sandwich Terns among which a single Caspian Tern was located. The flooded lagoon behind the seawall held a small flock of Greater Flamingos and a range of roosting waders. Of botanical interest the impressive flowering spikes of the parasitic *Cistanche phelypaea* bursting from the sand caught the attention of the group. We

took a leisurely pace, allowing time to watch the various birds present. Reaching the inner seawall, we scanned some disused saltpans and adjacent marshland finding Kentish Plover, Avocet and a roosting flock of Audouin's Gulls. Arriving back at the vehicles we drove the short distance to visit the Headquarters and gardens of the A Rocha Foundation, where we were kindly permitted to use their facilities and garden for our picnic lunch. After a period of perusing their scientific collections, we headed off to begin our return back to Sagres.

We turned off the main road to explore the Boca do Rio valley on the coast for the afternoon. We took a walk alongside the important reedbed first hoping for some reedbed birds but were somewhat thwarted by the rainy and windy conditions. We did manage to pick out a brief burst of song from the breeding Savi's Warblers and Water Rail and had a sighting of a European Reed Warbler.

We moved to the coast with the improving conditions and took a walk up on to the clifftop, on the slopes of which were seen a colony of Naked Man Orchids, *Orchis italica*. On the cliff face a Blue Rock Thrush put in a brief appearance.

Day 8

Wednesday 13th April

Our widely spaced departure times of the group's return flights necessitated a little pre-planning and no time for further birding. We had a relaxed breakfast before heading to the airport and farewells.

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Species lists

Birds (H = Heard only)

			April 2022							
	Common name	Scientific name	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
1	Mute Swan	<i>Cygnus olor</i>		✓						
2	Common Shelduck	<i>Tadorna tadorna</i>							✓	
3	Northern Shoveler	<i>Spatula clypeata</i>				✓				
4	Gadwall	<i>Mareca strepera</i>				✓				
5	Mallard	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	
6	Red-crested Pochard	<i>Netta rufina</i>				12				
7	Common Pochard	<i>Aythya ferina</i>				✓				
8	Common Quail	<i>Coturnix coturnix</i>		H		H				
9	Red-legged Partridge	<i>Alectoris rufa</i>		✓	✓	✓				
10	Alpine Swift	<i>Tachymarptis melba</i>					1	✓	✓	
11	Common Swift	<i>Apus apus</i>					1	✓	✓	
12	Pallid Swift	<i>Apus pallidus</i>	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓		
13	Great Bustard	<i>Otis tarda</i>		22	3	10				
14	Little Bustard	<i>Tetrax tetrax</i>			3	3				
15	Great Spotted Cuckoo	<i>Clamator glandarius</i>		3		3				
16	Black-bellied Sandgrouse	<i>Pterocles orientalis</i>				40				
17	Rock Dove / Feral Pigeon	<i>Columba livia</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
18	Common Wood Pigeon	<i>Columba palumbus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
19	Eurasian Collared Dove	<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
20	Water Rail	<i>Rallus aquaticus</i>							H	
21	Common Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>		✓		✓			H	
22	Eurasian Coot	<i>Fulica atra</i>				✓				
23	Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>		H	✓	✓				
24	Greater Flamingo	<i>Phoenicopterus roseus</i>				✓			✓	
25	Black-winged Stilt	<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>			3	✓			✓	
26	Pied Avocet	<i>Recurvirostra avosetta</i>				✓			1	
27	Grey Plover	<i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>	✓						1	
28	Common Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius hiaticula</i>	✓						✓	
29	Little Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius dubius</i>			3	3			1	
30	Kentish Plover	<i>Charadrius alexandrinus</i>							✓	
31	Eurasian Whimbrel	<i>Numenius phaeopus</i>					H		✓	
32	Ruddy Turnstone	<i>Arenaria interpres</i>	✓						✓	
33	Sanderling	<i>Calidris alba</i>						✓	✓	
34	Dunlin	<i>Calidris alpina</i>	✓						✓	
35	Common Redshank	<i>Tringa totanus</i>	✓							
36	Wood Sandpiper	<i>Tringa glareola</i>				1				
37	Common Greenshank	<i>Tringa nebularia</i>	✓			1			✓	
38	Black-headed Gull	<i>Chroicocephalus ridibundus</i>				2			✓	
39	Audouin's Gull	<i>Ichthyaetus audouinii</i>				2			✓	
40	Yellow-legged Gull	<i>Larus michahellis</i>	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	
41	Lesser Black-backed Gull	<i>Larus fuscus</i>				1			✓	
42	Gull-billed Tern	<i>Gelochelidon nilotica</i>			1					
43	Caspian Tern	<i>Hydroprogne caspia</i>							1	
44	Sandwich Tern	<i>Thalasseus sandvicensis</i>	✓						✓	
45	Common Tern	<i>Sterna hirundo</i>					✓			
46	Black Stork	<i>Ciconia nigra</i>			1					
47	White Stork	<i>Ciconia ciconia</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

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48	Northern Gannet	<i>Morus bassanus</i>				✓	✓			
49	Great Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	
50	European Shag	<i>Gulosus aristotelis</i>					✓			
51	Eurasian Spoonbill	<i>Platalea leucorodia</i>	2	2		8			✓	
52	Western Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>				✓	✓		✓	
53	Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>	✓	✓					✓	
54	Great Egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>		2				1		
55	Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓	
56	Western Osprey	<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>	3							
57	Black-winged Kite	<i>Elanus caeruleus</i>				2				
58	Griffon Vulture	<i>Gyps fulvus</i>		1	3					
59	Cinereous Vulture	<i>Aegypius monachus</i>				1				
60	Short-toed Snake Eagle	<i>Circaetus gallicus</i>		1	2	2		✓	✓	
61	Booted Eagle	<i>Hieraetus pennatus</i>		1		1				
62	Spanish Imperial Eagle	<i>Aquila adalberti</i>		1						
63	Bonelli's Eagle	<i>Aquila fasciata</i>			3					
64	Eurasian Sparrowhawk	<i>Accipiter nisus</i>		1						
65	Western Marsh Harrier	<i>Circus aeruginosus</i>		1		1			1	
66	Montagu's Harrier	<i>Circus pygargus</i>		12			1			
67	Red Kite	<i>Milvus milvus</i>		1		1	2			
68	Black Kite	<i>Milvus migrans</i>		✓	✓	✓				
69	Common Buzzard	<i>Buteo buteo</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		
70	Western Barn Owl	<i>Tyto alba</i>		1						
71	Little Owl	<i>Athene noctua</i>		1	1	2				
72	Eurasian Hoopoe	<i>Upupa epops</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	
73	European Roller	<i>Coracias garrulus</i>		2						
74	Common Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo atthis</i>				1				
75	European Bee-Eater	<i>Merops apiaster</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
76	Great Spotted Woodpecker	<i>Dendrocopos major</i>					H			
77	Iberian Green Woodpecker	<i>Picus sharpei</i>			H	1				
78	Lesser Kestrel	<i>Falco naumanni</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓				
79	Common Kestrel	<i>Falco tinnunculus</i>			✓		✓		✓	
80	Peregrine Falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>					1			
81	Iberian Grey Shrike	<i>Lanius meridionalis</i>		✓	✓	✓			✓	
82	Woodchat Shrike	<i>Lanius senator</i>	1	✓	✓	✓	✓			
83	Eurasian Jay	<i>Garrulus glandarius</i>						✓		
84	Iberian Magpie	<i>Cyanopica cooki</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
85	Eurasian Magpie	<i>Pica pica</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
86	Red-billed Chough	<i>Pyrrhocorax pyrrhocorax</i>					✓			
87	Western Jackdaw	<i>Coloeus monedula</i>		✓	✓	✓		✓		
88	Carrion Crow	<i>Corvus corone</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓			
89	Northern Raven	<i>Corvus corax</i>					✓	✓		
90	European Crested Tit	<i>Lophophanes cristatus</i>					✓	✓		
91	Eurasian Blue Tit	<i>Cyanistes caeruleus</i>			✓			✓		
92	Great Tit	<i>Parus major</i>		H						
93	Woodlark	<i>Lullula arborea</i>			H		✓	✓		
94	Crested Lark	<i>Galerida cristata</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	
95	Thekla's Lark	<i>Galerida theklae</i>					✓			
96	Greater Short-toed Lark	<i>Calandrella brachydactyla</i>				2				
97	Calandra Lark	<i>Melanocorypha calandra</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓			
98	Eurasian Crag Martin	<i>Ptyonoprogne rupestris</i>			✓					

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			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
99	Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
100	Common House Martin	<i>Delichon urbicum</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
101	Red-rumped Swallow	<i>Cecropis daurica</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
102	Cetti's Warbler	<i>Cettia cetti</i>	H	H	H	H			✓	
103	Long-tailed Tit	<i>Aegithalos caudatus</i>						✓		
104	Willow Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus trochilus</i>		1					1	
105	Common Chiffchaff	<i>Phylloscopus collybita</i>					1			
106	Iberian Chiffchaff	<i>Phylloscopus ibericus</i>						✓		
107	Eurasian Reed Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus scirpaceus</i>				✓			✓	
108	Savi's Warbler	<i>Locustella luscinioides</i>							H	
109	Zitting Cisticola	<i>Cisticola juncidis</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
110	Eurasian Blackcap	<i>Sylvia atricapilla</i>		✓				H	H	
111	Sardinian Warbler	<i>Curruca melanocephala</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
112	Dartford Warbler	<i>Curruca undata</i>		1						
113	Common Firecrest	<i>Regulus ignicapilla</i>						H		
114	Eurasian Wren	<i>Troglodytes troglodytes</i>			H				✓	
115	Short-toed Treecreeper	<i>Certhia brachydactyla</i>				✓		✓		
116	Spotless Starling	<i>Sturnus unicolor</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
117	Common Blackbird	<i>Turdus merula</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
118	European Robin	<i>Erithacus rubecula</i>						H		
119	Common Nightingale	<i>Luscinia megarhynchos</i>		✓	H	H		H	H	
120	European Pied Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula hypoleuca</i>							✓	
121	Black Redstart	<i>Phoenicurus ochruros</i>					✓			
122	Blue Rock Thrush	<i>Monticola solitarius</i>			2		2		1	
123	European Stonechat	<i>Saxicola rubicola</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
124	Northern Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe oenanthe</i>	✓							
125	Spanish Sparrow	<i>Passer hispaniolensis</i>		✓		✓				
126	House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
127	Western Yellow Wagtail	<i>Motacilla flava iberiae</i>				✓	✓		✓	
128	White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>		✓	✓			✓	✓	
129	Common Chaffinch	<i>Fringilla coelebs</i>						✓		
130	European Greenfinch	<i>Chloris chloris</i>					✓		✓	
131	Common Linnet	<i>Linaria cannabina</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
132	European Goldfinch	<i>Carduelis carduelis</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
133	European Serin	<i>Serinus serinus</i>		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	
134	Corn Bunting	<i>Emberiza calandra</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
135	Rock Bunting	<i>Emberiza cia</i>			3					

Other vertebrates

Mammals

Common name

Red Fox

European Roe Deer

Rabbit

Scientific name

Vulpes vulpes

Capreolus capreolus

Oryctolagus cuniculus

Reptiles & Amphibians

Common name

West Iberian Painted Frog
 Western Spadefoot Toad
 Iberian Water Frog
 European Pond Terrapin
 Large Psammodromus
 Western Three-toed Skink

Scientific name

Discoglossus galganoi
Pleobates cultripes
Pelophylax perezi
Emys orbicularis
Psammodromus algirus
Chalcides striatus

Invertebrates

Butterflies**Common name**

Wood White
 Large White
 Small White
 Bath White
 Green-striped White
 Clouded Yellow

 Green Hairstreak
 Small Copper
 Lorquin's Blue
 Black-eyed Blue

 Red Admiral
 Painted Lady

 Speckled Wood
 Small Heath
 Spanish Marbled White

Scientific name**Pieridae**

Leptidea sinapis
Pieris brassicae
Pieris rapae
Pontia daplidice
Euchloe belemia
Colias crocea

Lycaenidae

Callophrys rubi
Lycaena phlaeas
Cupido lorquini
Glaucopsyche melanops

Nymphalidae

Vanessa atalanta
Vanessa cardui

Satyrinae

Pararge aegeria aegeria
Coenonympha pamphilus
Melanargia ines

Other Invertebrates:

Iberian Bluetail
 Common Darter

Ischnura graellsii
Sympetrum striolatum

Tiger Beetle
 7-spot Ladybird
 Dung Beetle
 Oil Beetle

Cicindela hybrida
Coccinellia 7-punctata
Scarabaeus cicatricosus
Meloe proscarabaeus

Giant Centipede

Scolopendra cingulatus

Scorpion

Buthus occitanus

Plants

Group/Series	English Name (if any)
PTERIDOPHYTES	FERNS & ALLIES
Dennstaedtiaceae <i>Pteridium aquilinum</i>	Bracken Family Bracken
PINOPSIDA (GYMNOSPERMS)	CONIFERS
Cupressaceae <i>Cupressus sempervirens</i> <i>Juniperus phoenicea</i> <i>Juniperus turbinata</i>	Juniper Family Italian Cypress Phoenicean Juniper
Pinaceae <i>Pinus halepensis</i> <i>Pinus pinaster</i> <i>Pinus pinea</i>	Pine Family Aleppo Pine Maritime Pine Stone or Umbrella Pine
MAGNOLIOPSIDA (ANGIOSPERMS)	FLOWERING PLANTS
Magnoliidae (Dicotyledons)	
Aizoaceae <i>Carpobrotus edulis</i> <i>Drosanthemum floribundum</i> <i>Mesembryanthemum nodiflorum</i>	Dewplant Family Yellow Hottentot Fig A Mesembryanthemum
Amaranthaceae <i>Arthrocaulon macrostachyum</i> <i>Atriplex halimus</i> <i>Atriplex portulacoides</i> <i>Atriplex prostrata</i> <i>Beta vulgaris</i> <i>Caroxylon vermiculatum</i> <i>Salicornia europaea</i> <i>Suaeda vera</i>	Amaranth Family a Perennial Glasswort Shrubby Orache Sea Purslane Spear-leaved Orache Sea Beet Shrubby Saltwort Glasswort Shrubby Seablite
Anacardiaceae <i>Pistacia lentiscus</i> <i>Pistacio terebinthus</i> <i>Rhus coriaria</i>	Sumach Family Mastic Tree A Sumach
Apiaceae <i>Cachrys sicula</i> <i>Crithmum maritimum</i> <i>Daucus carota</i> subsp. <i>halophilus</i> ** <i>Daucus muricatus</i> <i>Eryngium campestre</i> <i>Ferula communis</i> <i>Ferula tingitana</i> <i>Foeniculum vulgare</i> <i>Oenanthe crocata</i>	Carrot Family Sand Cachrys Rock Samphire Wild Carrot a Carrot Field Eryngo Giant Fennel Fennel Hemlock Water-dropwort

Group/Series	English Name (if any)
<i>Scandix pecten-veneris</i>	Shepherds Needles
<i>Smyrnium olusatrum</i>	Alexanders
<i>Thapsia minor</i> *	a Thapsia
<i>Thapsia nitida</i>	
<i>Thapsia transtagana</i>	
<i>Thapsia villosa</i>	a Thapsia
<i>Torilis nodosa</i>	Knotted Hedge Parsley
Apocynaceae	Periwinkle Family
<i>Nerium oleander</i>	Oleander
<i>Vinca difformis</i>	a Periwinkle
<i>Vinca major</i>	Greater Periwinkle
Aristolochiaceae	Birthwort Family
<i>Aristolochia paucinervis</i>	a Birthwort
Asteraceae	Daisy Family
<i>Andryala integrifolia</i>	Andryala
<i>Anthemis arvensis</i>	Corn Chamomile
<i>Anthemis maritima</i>	-
<i>Arctotheca calendula</i>	Cape Weed
<i>Bellis annua</i>	Annual Daisy
<i>Calendula arvensis</i>	Field Marigold
<i>Calendula suffruticosa</i>	
<i>Carduus tenuiflorus</i>	Seaside or Slender Thistle
<i>Carthamus caeruleus</i>	
<i>Centaurea calcitrapa</i>	Red Star Thistle
<i>Centaurea ornata</i>	
<i>Centaurea pullata</i>	
<i>C. sphaerocephala</i> subsp. <i>polyacantha</i>	-
<i>Cichorium intybus</i>	Chicory
<i>Cladanthus mixtus</i>	Moroccan Chamomile
<i>Coleostephus myconis</i>	
<i>Cotula coronopifolia</i>	Button Weed
<i>Crepis capillaris</i>	Smooth hawksbeard
<i>Crepis vesicaria</i>	Beaked Hawksbeard
<i>Cynara algarbiensis</i> *	
<i>Cynara cardunculus</i>	Cardoon
<i>Cynara humilis</i>	
<i>Dittrichia viscosa</i> subsp. <i>revoluta</i> **	-
<i>Dittrichia viscosa</i> subsp. <i>viscosa</i>	Stink Aster
<i>Filago germanica</i>	Common Cudweed
<i>Filago lusitanica</i>	Evax
<i>Galactites tomentosus</i>	Galactites
<i>Glebionis coronaria</i> var. <i>coronarium</i>	Crown Daisy
<i>Glebionis coronaria</i> var. <i>discolor</i>	Crown Daisy
<i>Glebionis segetum</i>	Corn Marigold
<i>Helichrysum italicum</i>	
<i>Helichrysum luteoalbum</i>	Jersey Cudweed
<i>Helichrysum stoechas</i>	Curry Plant
<i>Helminotheca comosa</i> subsp. <i>lusitanica</i> **	
<i>Helminotheca echioides</i>	Bristly Oxtongue
<i>Jacobaea vulgaris</i>	Common Ragwort

Group/Series	English Name (if any)
<i>Logfia gallica</i>	
<i>Logfia minima</i>	Small Cudweed
<i>Pallenis maritima</i>	Yellow Sea Aster
<i>Pallenis spinosa</i>	Spiny Pallenis
<i>Phagnalon rupestre</i>	Phragmalon
<i>Phagnalon saxatile</i>	
<i>Pulicaria odora</i>	-
<i>Riechardia gaditana</i> *	
<i>Scolymus hispanicus</i>	Spanish Oysterplant
<i>Senecio gallicus</i>	
<i>Senecio vulgaris</i>	Groundsel
<i>Silybum marianum</i>	Milk Thistle
<i>Sonchus asper</i>	Prickly Sow-thistle
<i>Sonchus oleraceus</i>	Smooth Sow-thistle
<i>Tolpis barbata</i>	Tolpis
<i>Tolpis umbellata</i>	a Tolpis
<i>Urospermum picroides</i>	-
Boraginaceae	Borage Family
<i>Anchusa azurea</i>	Large Blue Alkanet
<i>Borago officinalis</i>	Borage
<i>Cerinthe major</i>	Honeywort
<i>Cynoglossum creticum</i>	Blue Hound's-tongue
<i>Echium gaditanum</i>	
<i>Echium plantagineum</i>	Purple Viper's Bugloss
<i>Glandora prostrata</i> subsp. <i>lusitanica</i>	Scrambling Gromwell
<i>Neatostema apulum</i>	Yellow Gromwell
Brassicaceae	Cabbage Family
<i>Biscutella sempervirens</i> subsp. <i>vincentina</i> *	A Buckler Mustard
<i>Brassica nigra</i>	Black Mustard
<i>Bunias erucago</i>	-
<i>Cakile maritima</i>	Sea Rocket
<i>Capsella bursa-pastoris</i>	Shepherds Purse
<i>Diplotaxis siifolia</i> subsp. <i>vicentina</i> **	-
<i>Iberis procumbens</i> *	Candytuft
<i>Ionopsidium acaule</i> **	-
<i>Lepidium didymum</i>	Lesser Swinecress
<i>Lobularia maritima</i>	Sweet Alison
<i>Marcus-kochia littorea</i>	Sand Stock
<i>Raphanus raphanistrum</i>	Wild Radish
<i>Sinapis arvensis</i>	Charlock
<i>Sisymbrium officinale</i>	Hedge Mustard
Cactaceae	Cactus Family
<i>Opuntia ficus-indica</i>	Barbary Fig
Campanulaceae	Bellflower Family
<i>Campanula lusitanica</i> *	
<i>Campanula rapunculus</i>	Rampion Bellflower
<i>Jasione montana</i>	Sheep's Bit
Caprifoliaceae	Honeysuckle Family

Group/Series	English Name (if any)
<i>Lonicera implexa</i>	A Honeysuckle
<i>Scabiosa atropurpurea</i>	
<i>Valeriana calcitrapae</i>	
<i>Valeriana cornucopiae</i>	Fedia
Caryophyllaceae	Pink Family
<i>Cerastium fontanum</i>	Mouse-eared Chickweed
<i>Cerastium glomeratum</i>	Sticky Mouse-ear
<i>Dianthus broteri</i> *	a Pink
<i>Dianthus lusitanus</i> *	
<i>Paronychia argentea</i>	Silvery Paronychia
<i>Polycarpon tetraphyllum</i>	Four-leaved Allseed
<i>Silene colorata</i>	a Catchfly
<i>Silene gallica</i>	Small-flowered Catchfly
<i>Silene latifolia</i>	White Campion
<i>Silene littorea</i>	a Catchfly
<i>Silene scabriflora</i> *	
<i>Silene vulgaris</i>	Bladder Campion
<i>Spergula arvensis</i>	Corn Spurrey
<i>Spergularia media</i>	Greater Sea Spurrey
<i>Spergularia purpurea</i>	Purple Spurrey
<i>Stellaria media</i>	Chickweed
Cistaceae	Rockrose Family
<i>Cistus albidus</i>	Grey-leaved Cistus
<i>Cistus calycinus</i>	
<i>Cistus crispus</i>	a Cistus
<i>Cistus halimifolius</i>	
<i>Cistus ladanifer</i>	Gum Cistus
<i>Cistus monspeliensis</i>	Narrow-leaved Cistus
<i>Cistus ocymoides</i>	
<i>Cistus palhinhae</i> (<i>ladanifer</i> subsp. <i>sulcatus</i>) **	a Cistus
<i>Cistus salvifolius</i>	Sage-leaved Cistus
<i>Fumana thymifolia</i>	Thyme-leaved Fumana
<i>Tuberaria guttata</i>	Spotted Rockrose
<i>Tuberaria lignosa</i>	Spotless Rockrose
Cleomaceae	
<i>Cleome violacea</i>	-
Commelinaceae	
<i>Tradescantia fluminensis</i>	-
Convolvulaceae	Bindweed Family
<i>Convolvulus althaeoides</i>	Mallow-leaved Bindweed
<i>Convolvulus arvensis</i>	Field Bindweed
Crassulaceae	Stonecrop Family
<i>Petrosedum sediforme</i>	Pale Stonecrop
<i>Umbilicus rupestris</i>	Wall Pennywort
Cucurbitaceae	Gourd Family
<i>Bryonia cretica</i> subsp. <i>dioica</i>	White Bryony

Group/Series	English Name (if any)
<i>Ecballium elaterium</i>	Squirting Cucumber
Cytinaceae	
<i>Cytinus hypocistis</i>	Cytinus
Ericaceae	Heather Family
<i>Arbutus unedo</i>	Strawberry Tree
<i>Calluna vulgaris</i>	Ling
<i>Corema album</i>	-
<i>Erica arborea</i>	Tree Heath
<i>Erica lusitanica</i>	Portuguese Heath
Euphorbiaceae	Spurge Family
<i>Euphorbia characias</i> subsp. <i>characias</i>	Large Mediterranean Spurge
<i>Euphorbia exigua</i>	Dwarf Spurge
<i>Euphorbia helioscopia</i>	Sun Spurge
<i>Euphorbia paniculata</i> subsp. <i>monchiquensis</i> **	
<i>Mercurialis annua</i>	Annual Mercury
<i>Ricinus communis</i>	Castor-oil Plant
Fabaceae	Pea Family
<i>Acacia longifolia</i>	
<i>Anthyllis lotooides</i>	
<i>Anthyllis vulneraria</i> subsp. <i>maura</i>	Mediterranean Kidney-vetch
<i>Astragalus boeoticus</i>	-
<i>Astragalus tragacantha</i>	Tragacanth
<i>Bituminaria bituminosa</i>	Pitch Trefoil
<i>Ceratonia siliqua</i>	Carob or Locust Tree
<i>Cercis siliquastrum</i>	Judas Tree
<i>Coronilla repanda</i>	
<i>Coronilla scorpioides</i>	Annual Scorpon Vetch
<i>Coronilla valentina</i> subsp. <i>glauc</i>	a Scorpion Vetch
<i>Cytisus arboreus</i>	
<i>Cytisus scorpiarius</i>	Broom
<i>Erophaca baetica</i>	Iberian Milk-vetch
<i>Genista hirsuta</i>	Hairy Spanish Gorse
<i>Genista triacanthos</i>	A Greenweed
<i>Lathyrus angulatus</i>	Angular Pea
<i>Lathyrus cicera</i>	Red Vetchling
<i>Lathyrus ochrus</i>	Winged Vetchling
<i>Lotus creticus</i>	Southern Bird's-foot Trefoil
<i>Lotus conimbricensis</i>	a Bird's-foot Trefoil
<i>Lotus hirsutus</i>	
<i>Lupinus angustifolius</i>	Narrow-Leaved Lupin
<i>Lupinus gussoneanus</i>	Hairy Lupin
<i>Lupinus luteus</i>	Yellow Lupin
<i>Medicago littoralis</i>	Shore Medic
<i>Medicago marina</i>	Sea Medick
<i>Medicago murex</i>	Spiny Medic
<i>Medicago polymorpha</i>	Toothed Medic
<i>Onobrychis humilis</i>	-
<i>Ononis ramosissima</i>	a Large Yellow Rest Harrow
<i>Ornithopus compressus</i>	Compressed Bird's-foot

Group/Series	English Name (if any)
<i>Retama monosperma</i>	
<i>Robinia pseudacacia</i>	False Acacia
<i>Scorpiurus muricatus</i>	Scorpiurus
<i>Scorpiurus vermiculatus</i>	A Scorpiurus
<i>Spartium junceum</i>	Spanish Broom
<i>Stauracanthus boivinii</i>	
<i>Stauracanthus spectabilis</i>	
<i>Trifolium angustifolium</i>	Narrow-leaved Clover
<i>Trifolium arvense</i>	Hare's-foot Clover
<i>Trifolium campestre</i>	Hop Trefoil
<i>Trifolium cherleri</i>	Southern Clover
<i>Trifolium repens</i>	White Clover
<i>Trifolium resupinatum</i>	Reversed Clover
<i>Trifolium scabrum</i>	Rough Clover
<i>Trifolium stellatum</i>	Starry Clover
<i>Trifolium tomentosum</i>	Woolly Trefoil
<i>Tripodion tetraphyllum</i>	Bladder Vetch
<i>Ulex argenteus</i> subsp. <i>argenteus</i> **	
<i>Ulex argenteus</i> subsp. <i>erinaceus</i> **	
<i>Vicia benghalensis</i>	Purple Vetch
<i>Vicia hirsuta</i>	Hairy Tare
<i>Vicia lutea</i>	Yellow Vetch
<i>Vicia sativa</i> subsp. <i>sativa</i>	Fodder Vetch
<i>Vicia sativa</i> subsp. <i>segetalis</i>	Common Vetch
<i>Vicia tetrasperma</i>	Smooth Tare
Fagaceae	Beech Family
<i>Quercus coccifera</i>	Kermes Oak
<i>Quercus rotundifolia</i> *	Spanish Oak
<i>Quercus suber</i>	Cork Oak
Frankeniaceae	Sea Heath Family
<i>Frankenia laevis</i>	Sea Heath
Gentianaceae	Gentian Family
<i>Centaurium erythraea</i> subsp. <i>grandiflorum</i>	Common Centaury
Geraniaceae	Geranium Family
<i>Erodium botrys</i>	
<i>Erodium cicutarium</i>	Common Stork's-bill
<i>Erodium malacoides</i>	Mallow-leaved Stork's-bill
<i>Erodium moschatum</i>	Musk Stork's-bill
<i>Geranium dissectum</i>	Cut-leaved Crane's-bill
<i>Geranium molle</i>	Dove's-foot Crane's-bill
<i>Geranium purpureum</i>	Little Robin
Lamiaceae	Dead-nettle Family
<i>Lamium amplexicaule</i>	Henbit Dead-nettle
<i>Lavendula pedunculata</i>	-
<i>Lavendula stoechas</i>	French Lavender
<i>Lavendula viridis</i>	Green Lavender
<i>Marrubium vulgare</i>	White Horehound
<i>Mentha aquatica</i>	Water Mint

Group/Series	English Name (if any)
<i>Mentha suaveolens</i>	Apple Mint
<i>Phlomis lychnitis</i>	a Phlomis
<i>Phlomis purpurea</i>	a Phlomis
<i>Prasium majus</i>	Prasium
<i>Prunella vulgaris</i>	Self Heal
<i>Salvia rosmarinus</i>	Rosemary
<i>Salvia verbenaca</i>	Wild Clary
<i>Stachys arvensis</i>	Field Woundwort
<i>Stachys germanica</i>	Downy Woundwort
<i>Teucrium vincentinum</i> **	-
<i>Thymbra capitata</i>	-
<i>Thymus camphoratus</i> **	-
Linaceae	Flax Family
<i>Linum bienne</i>	Pale Flax
Lythraceae	Loosestrife Family
<i>Lythrum hyssopifolia</i>	Grass-poly
<i>Lythrum junceum</i>	False Grass Poly
Malvaceae	Mallow Family
<i>Malva arborea</i>	Tree Mallow
<i>Malva durieuri</i>	-
<i>Malva multiflora</i>	Small Tree Mallow
<i>Malva sylvestris</i>	Common Mallow
Molluginaceae	Carpetweed Family
<i>Corrigiola litoralis</i>	Strapwort
Moraceae	Mulberry Family
<i>Ficus carica</i>	Fig
Myrtaceae	Myrtle Family
<i>Myrtus communis</i>	Common Myrtle
Oleaceae	Olive Family
<i>Fraxinus angustifolia</i>	Olive
<i>Olea europaea</i>	-
<i>Phillyrea angustifolium</i>	-
<i>Phillyrea latifolia</i>	-
Orobanchaceae	Broomrape Family
<i>Bellardia trixago</i>	Bellardia
<i>Cistanche phelypaea</i> *	Cistanche
<i>Orobanche foetida</i>	-
Oxalidaceae	Wood-Sorrel Family
<i>Oxalis pes-caprae</i>	Bermuda Buttercup
Papaveraceae	Poppy Family
<i>Fumaria capreolata</i>	White Ramping Fumitory
<i>Fumaria muralis</i>	Common Ramping Fumitory
<i>Fumaria officinalis</i>	Common Fumitory

Group/Series	English Name (if any)
<i>Papaver dubium</i> subsp. <i>dubium</i>	Long-headed Poppy
<i>Papaver hybridum</i>	Round-headed Prickly Poppy
<i>Papaver rhoeas</i>	Common Poppy
Phyllanthaceae	
<i>Flueggea tinctoria</i> *	
Plantaginaceae	Plantain Family
<i>Anarrhinum bellidifolium</i>	Daisy-leaved Toadflax
<i>Antirrhinum majus</i> subsp. <i>cirrigerum</i>	Climbing Snapdragon
<i>Linaria algarviana</i> **	
<i>Linaria spartea</i>	
<i>Misopates orontium</i>	Weasel Snout
<i>Plantago afra</i>	
<i>Plantago coronopus</i>	Buck's-horn Plantain
<i>Plantago lagopus</i>	Hare's-foot Plantain
<i>Plantago lanceolata</i>	Ribwort Plantain
<i>Plantago major</i>	Greater Plantain
<i>Plantago maritima</i>	Sea Plantain
<i>Plantago serraria</i>	Toothed Plantain
Plumbaginaceae	Thrift Family
<i>Armeria macrophylla</i> *	-
<i>Armeria pungens</i>	Spiny Thrift
<i>Limoniastrum monopetalum</i>	Limoniastrum
<i>Limonium ovalifolium</i>	-
Polygonaceae	Dock Family
<i>Rumex bucephalophorus</i>	Horned Dock
<i>Rumex intermedius</i>	-
<i>Rumex scutatus</i>	French Sorrel
<i>Rumex spinosus</i>	Emex
<i>Rumex thyrsoides</i>	-
Primulaceae	Primrose Family
<i>Lysimachia arvensis</i> (Red and Blue)	Scarlet Pimpernel
<i>Lysimachia monelli</i>	Shrubby Pimpernel
Ranunculaceae	Buttercup Family
<i>Nigella damascena</i>	
<i>Ranunculus muricatus</i>	
<i>Ranunculus peltatus</i>	Pond Water Crowfoot
<i>Ranunculus sceleratus</i>	Celery-leaved Buttercup
Resedaceae	Mignonette Family
<i>Reseda lutea</i>	Mignonette
<i>Reseda luteola</i>	Weld
<i>Reseda phyteuma</i>	Corn Mignonette
<i>Sesamoides purpurascens</i>	
Rhamnaceae	Buckthorn Family
<i>Rhamnus alaternus</i>	Mediterranean Buckthorn
<i>Rhamnus lycioides</i>	

Group/Series	English Name (if any)
Rosaceae	Rose Family
<i>Cydonia oblonga</i>	Quince
<i>Crataegus monogyna</i>	Hawthorn
<i>Eriobotrya japonica</i>	Japanese Loquat
<i>Prunus dulcis</i>	Almond
<i>Pyrus bourgaeana</i>	Iberian Pear
<i>Rosa canina</i>	A Dog Rose
<i>Sanguisorba hybrida</i>	a Salad Burnet
Rubiaceae	Bedstraw Family
<i>Crucianella maritima</i>	
<i>Rubia peregrina</i>	Wild Madder
<i>Sherardia arvensis</i>	Field Madder
Rutaceae	Rue Family
<i>Ruta angustifolia</i>	
<i>Ruta chalepensis</i>	Fringed Rue
Santalaceae	Sandalwood Family
<i>Osyris lanceolata</i>	
<i>Thesium humile</i>	
Scrophulariaceae	Figwort Family
<i>Scrophularia auriculata</i>	Water Figwort
<i>Scrophularia frutescens</i>	Shrubby Figwort
<i>Verbascum barnadesii</i> *	
<i>Verbascum sinuatum</i>	
Solanaceae	Nightshade Family
<i>Lycium intricatum</i>	-
<i>Solanum linnaeanum</i>	Apple of Sodom
Tamaricaceae	Tamarisk Family
<i>Tamarix africana</i>	a Tamarisk
Thymelaeaceae	Daphne Family
<i>Daphne gnidium</i>	Mediterranean Mezereon
Urticaceae	Nettle Family
<i>Parietaria judaica</i>	Pelitory of the Wall
<i>Urtica membranacea</i>	Membranous Nettle
<i>Urtica urens</i>	Annual Nettle
Liliidae (Monocotyledons)	
Alismataceae	Water Plantain Family
<i>Alisma lanceolatum</i>	Narrow-leaved Water Plantain
<i>Alisma plantago-aquatica</i>	Water Plantain
Amaryllidaceae	Amaryllis Family
<i>Acis trichophylla</i>	Three-leaved Snowflake

Group/Series	English Name (if any)
<i>Allium ampeloprasum</i>	Wild Leek
<i>Allium roseum</i>	Rosy Garlic
<i>Narcissus bulbocodium</i>	Hoop-petticoat Daffodill
<i>Narcissus jonquilla</i>	Common Jonquil
<i>Pancratium maritimum</i>	Sea Daffodil
Araceae	Arum Family
<i>Arisarum simorhinum</i>	Friar's Cowl
<i>Arum italicum</i> subsp. <i>neglectum</i>	Wild Arum
Areaceae	Palm Family
<i>Chamaerops humilis</i>	Dwarf Fan Palm
Asparagaceae	Asparagus Family
<i>Agave americana</i>	Century Plant
<i>Asparagus acutifolius</i>	
<i>Asparagus albus</i>	
<i>Asparagus aphyllus</i>	
<i>Bellevalia dubia</i> subsp. <i>hackellii</i> **	
<i>Dipcadi serotinum</i>	-
<i>Drimia maritima</i>	Sea Squill
<i>Hyacinthoides mauritanica</i> **	-
<i>Leopoldia comosa</i>	Tassel Hyacinth
<i>Muscari neglectum</i>	Grape Hyacinth
<i>Ornithogalum baeticum</i>	-
<i>Ornithogalum narbonense</i>	-
<i>Scilla monophyllos</i>	Single-leaved Squill
<i>Scilla peruviana</i>	-
Asphodelaceae	Asphodel Family
<i>Aloe perfoliata</i>	
<i>Asphodelus aestivus</i>	
<i>Asphodelus fistulosus</i>	Hollow-leaved Asphodel
<i>Asphodelus ramosus</i>	
Cyperaceae	Sedge Family
<i>Bolboschoenus maritimus</i>	Sea Club-rush
<i>Carex divisa</i>	Divided Sedge
<i>Cyperus capitatus</i>	
<i>Cyperus eragrostis</i>	
<i>Cyperus longus</i>	Galingale
<i>Eleocharis palustris</i>	Common Spike-rush
<i>Schoenoplectus lacustris</i>	Bullrush
<i>Schoenus nigricans</i>	
<i>Scirpoides holoschoenus</i>	Round-headed Club-rush
Dioscoreaceae	Yam Family
<i>Dioscorea communis</i>	Black Bryony
Iridaceae	Iris Family
<i>Gladiolus italicus</i>	Italian Gladiolus
<i>Gladiolus illyricus</i>	
<i>Iris albicans</i>	A White Iris

Group/Series	English Name (if any)
<i>Iris pseudacorus</i>	Yellow Flag
<i>Moraea sisyrinchium</i>	Barbary Nut
<i>Watsonia meriana</i>	
Juncaceae	Rush Family
<i>Juncus acutiflorus</i>	Sharp-flowered Rush
<i>Juncus acutus</i>	Sharp Rush
<i>Juncus effusus</i>	Soft Rush
<i>Juncus capitatus</i>	Dwarf Rush
<i>Juncus maritimus</i>	Sea Rush
Orchidaceae	Orchid Family
<i>Anacamptis morio</i>	Green-winged Orchid
<i>Anacamptis morio subsp. champagneuxii</i>	Green-winged Orchid
<i>Anacamptis pyramidalis</i>	Pyramidal Orchid
<i>Gennaria diphylla</i>	-
<i>Ophrys apifera</i>	Bee Orchid
<i>Ophrys bombyliflora</i>	Bumble Bee orchid
<i>Ophrys fusca</i>	Brown Bee Orchid
<i>Ophrys lutea</i>	Yellow Ophrys
<i>Ophrys speculum</i>	Mirror Orchid
<i>Serapias lingua</i>	Tongue Orchid
<i>Serapias parviflora</i>	Small-flowered Tongue Orchid
<i>Serapias strictiflora</i>	
Poaceae	Grass Family
<i>Aegilops geniculata</i>	Ovate Goatgrass
<i>Ammophila arenaria</i>	Marram
<i>Arundo donax</i>	Giant Reed
<i>Briza maxima</i>	Large Quaking Grass
<i>Briza minor</i>	Small Quaking Grass
<i>Cynosurus echinatus</i>	Rough Dog's-tail
<i>Dactylis glomerata</i>	Cock's-foot
<i>Hordeum marinum</i>	Sea Barley
<i>Hordeum murinum</i>	Wall Barley
<i>Lagurus ovatus</i>	Hare's-tail Grass
<i>Lamarckia aurea</i>	Golden Dog's-tail
<i>Lolium perenne</i>	Perennial Rye-grass
<i>Parapholis incurva</i>	Curved Sea Hardgrass
<i>Phragmites australis</i>	Common Reed
<i>Spartina maritima</i>	Cord-grass
<i>Stipa gigantea</i>	Giant feather Grass
Smilacaceae	Greenbrier Family
<i>Smilax aspera</i>	Common Smilax

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