

Menorca

Naturetrek Tour Report

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Audouin's Gull



Egyptian Grasshopper



Hermann's Tortoise



Mirror Orchid

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Summary

This holiday looked at all aspects of wildlife on the attractive island of Menorca, focussing mainly on birds and plants, but also including butterflies and dragonflies. The weather at this time of year is usually warm and sunny but initially it was unusually overcast, wet and very windy, restricting pre-breakfast walks and necessitating some re-organisation of the itinerary. Nevertheless during the course of the week we saw a good variety of wildlife, as well as touching briefly on some of the history of the island.

Day 1

Friday 19th April

Our flight from Gatwick departed virtually on time and two hours later we met Llorenc, the hotel owner, at the airport, organised the minibus and drove the short distance to our hotel, found our rooms and had a short time to rest after our early flight. After lunch we had a walk around the fields adjoining the hotel and along the long entrance drive. It was a cool afternoon, with an unusually strong easterly wind and not ideal for birding, but we managed to find numerous House Sparrows (the Spanish Sparrow does not occur on Menorca), and Common Linnet. A few Common Nighthales and Cetti's Warblers were heard from the track. Yellow-legged Gull and Kestrel passed overhead.

The hotel grounds provided a useful introduction to the island's plants. In the fields behind the hotel we found both Common Asphodel (*Asphodelus aestivus*) and Hollow-Leaved Asphodel (*Asphodelus fistulosus*) along with Milk thistle (*Silybum marianum*) and Boar thistle (*Galactites tomentosa*), conspicuous plants that are common on roadsides and uncultivated fields around the island. We also found the delicate annual daisy (Bellis annua) and the oddly shaped leaves of the small yellow Annual Hyoseris (*Hyoseris scabra*). Aleppo Pines (*Pinus halepensis*) grow along the hotel track along with a variety of plants including the attractive Crow Daisy (*Chrysanthemum coronarium*). We also found some rather old specimens of Sawfly Orchid (*Ophrys tenthredinifera*) and the remains of numbers of Giant Orchid (*Barlia robertiana*), Fodder Pea (*Lathyrus annua*) and Winged Vetchling (*Lathyrus ochrus*) adjacent to the track.

We met up at 7.00pm to run through the day's sightings and to talk about our plans for the next couple of days, and after an excellent evening meal accompanied by wine and beer, most people opted for an early night after a long day travelling.

Day 2

Saturday 20th April

We met in the morning for a substantial breakfast of assorted pastries, cheeses and meats, bread, fruit juices, coffee and tea, and having loaded the minibus with the picnic lunches, we set off for a day in the Menorcan countryside.

Our first stops were along the minor road leading to Tirant Marsh where we had our first views of Osprey, Red Kite and Booted Eagles. We scanned over a fairly distant area of water and reedbeds to find Little Egret, Squacco Heron, Gadwall, Grey Heron and on the hillside across the road we had our first view of an Egyptian Vulture. In the adjacent roadside fields we found Purple Vipers-bugloss (*Echium plantagineum*) and Blue Alkanet

(*Anchusa azurea*). At a roadside stop we found the Three-cornered Leek (*Allium triquetrum*) and, scrambling along the field wall, Smilax (*Smilax aspera*)

We moved on a short distance to our next destination overlooking another wetland area where we saw a Marsh Harrier and glimpsed a Glossy Ibis flying into the marsh. This extensive marsh is dominated by Common Spike Rush (*Eleocharis palustris*) and dotted with Tamarisk (*Tamarix gallica*) but close to the edge of the track we found white flowered Pond Water Crow foot (*Ranunculus peltatus*)

As lunchtime was approaching we decided to have our picnic, after which we had a walk down onto the beach and into the sand dunes. Here we found Red-eared Terrapin (an invader from Mexico and the southern USA). They are commonly kept as pets, but frequently escape or are deliberately released, and unfortunately, they are dominant over the native species. Attempts have been made to eradicate them, but so far there has been only limited success. Both species of Terrapin occur here and whilst we saw numbers of heads they were impossible to clearly identify at a distance. An Audouin's Gull was seen from the beach, the highlight here.

The lunch stop provided us with an opportunity to see the typical shrub community (Maquis) of the island with the pampas-like Mauritanian Grass (*Ampelodesmos mauritanica*), Spiny Broom (*Calicotome spinosa*), Grey-leaved Cistus (*Cistus albidus*), Sage-leaved Cistus (*Cistus salvifolius*), Montpellier Cistus (*Cistus monspeliensis*) and Phoenician Juniper (*Juniperus phoenicea*).

The sandy dunes contained a spectacular covering of Sea Chamomile (*Anthemis maritime*), along with Annual Valerian (*Centranthus calcitrapae*), Sea Bindweed (*Calystegia soldanella*) and Sea-holly (*Eryngium maritimum*) and Sea Rocket (*Cakile maritima*)

We drove next to the village of Fornells for a coffee stop. This was our final stop of the day, given the weather conditions, after which we returned to the hotel to relax before another excellent evening meal. Some of us walked around the hotel grounds before we ate.

Day 3

Sunday 21st April

Given the strong winds after breakfast we headed for the sheltered bay of Cala Galdana on the south coast, stopping first of all at a viewpoint just outside the resort. A male Blue Rock Thrush was seen along with a Peregrine. We walked the short distance to another viewpoint which gave a spectacular view over the bay. At the viewpoints we recorded Rush-like Scorpion Vetch (*Coronilla juncea*) and the Pale Stonecrop (*Sedum sediforme*).

We then drove into Cala Galdana, where we stopped in a small car park to the rear of the town and walked up a long flight of steps rising above the town. Following the walking route above the steps for a little way and after some hunting we found the endemic Orchid *Ophrys balearica*. Once considered a separate but poorly delineated species this has now been merged into the *Ophrys x flavicans* group. We also discovered several specimens of the Bumblebee Orchid *Ophrys bombyliflora*.

We moved on to park at the mouth of the Algendar Gorge just outside the resort, walking into the gorge, to see the first House Martin of the tour. Within the gorge numerous Nightingales were singing. In the grassy areas at the entrance to the Gorge we found Small Restharrow (*Ononis relinata*) and Reversed Clover (*Trifolium*

resputinatum) in damper areas and in a remnant small pond Water Crowfoot (*Ranunculus peltatus*). Further along the track we saw the Pitch Trefoil (*Psoralea bituminosa*). Woodland on the edge of the track contained Kermes Oak (*Quercus coccifera*) and on the track sides we found Pale Flax (*Linum bienne*) and Round-leafed Mint (*Mentha suaveolens*).

After an excellent picnic lunch we returned to the minibuses and drove to another resort on the south coast, Son Bou, where we walked along a track overlooking the back of the large reedbed. Here we found numerous Avocet and Black-winged Stilt, along with Redshank, Little Egret, Gadwall and two Glossy Ibis. A Marsh Harrier soared across the marsh. Along the track we found a single Carob Tree (*Canatonia siliqua*) and Blue Hound's-tongue (*Cyonoglossum creticum*). In the marshland towards the end of our walk we also found Narrow-leaved Water Plantain (*Alisma lanceolatum*) and Rough-fruited Buttercup (*Ranunculus muricatus*).

Day 4

Monday 22nd April

The strong winds continued along with early morning mist and rain, so we delayed our departure, setting off at 11.00 to explore the North-east of the Island, starting at the disused salt-pans at Mongofre Nou.

We parked at the end of the narrow track and set off to walk to the salt pans, having to take a diversion due to the very high water level. We stopped to look at the very unusual marbled patterns in the sedimentary rocks here and had our first sighting of the Tree Spurge (*Euphorbia dendroides*). The high-water levels were not ideal for waders, but we found Black-winged Stilts, a Common Sandpiper and numbers of Shelduck. Beyond the initial scrub the salt pans and salt marsh are dominated by Perennial Glasswort (*Arthrocnemum perenne*) and Sea-purslane (*Halimione portulacoides*). Growing on a small bluff adjacent to the track we found the Tongue Orchid (*Serapis lingua*) and further along in the edge of a patch of woodland we found a specimen of *S. nurrica* which is a rare IUCN Red List threatened species which has suffered hugely from tourist development along its favoured coastal habitat. We ate lunch at Mongofre Nou given the continuing strong wind.

Next, we drove out towards Cap Favaritx, stopping on the way to spend some time looking at the specialised plant community found on this exposed, windswept area. This area contains the typical 'soccoral' (the spiny dwarf bush community of the north coast) and the plants that we found here included Milk Vetch (*Astragalus balearicus*), the Spiny Clover (*Dorycnium fulgerans*), Prickly Lettuce (*Launaea cervicornis*), and Rodriguez's False Olive (*Phillyrea latifolia* var *rodriguezii*). Amongst these spiny bushes we also discovered the Miniature Daisy (*Bellium bellidioides*).

Parking near the lighthouse with the strong wind blowing directly onshore provided just the right conditions to observe Shearwaters making their way north around the headland, but it was impossible to determine the species in the strong wind at that distance. We also saw Ringed Plover on the shallow wetland next to the lighthouse. On walking towards the lighthouse we found the Hairy Catchfly (*Silene sedoides*) and Sea Heath (*Frankenia hirsuta*).

From Cap Favaritx we headed to the large nature reserve at S'Albufera des Grau and made several stops in the area around the reserve, finding Great Crested and Little Grebes plus numerous Coots, and a distant Flamingo and Black-necked Grebe. We added to our growing list of orchids by finding Tongue Orchid (*Serapis linua*) and also Hairy Lupin (*Lupinus micranthus*).

We rounded off the day by driving the short distance to the village of Es Grau for a treat of coffee and/or ice cream, while also observing Audouin's Gulls and Yellow-legged Gulls.

Day 5

Tuesday 23rd April

Today we set off on the longest drive of the week to the headland of Punta Nati on the north-west tip of the island in improving weather. Our first brief stop on the track to Punt Nati was at the island's only Cattle Egret colony with a small number of Egrets beginning to nest. We couldn't stop for long on this single-track road without disrupting the local traffic, so we moved on slowly towards the car park. As we walked down to the lighthouse we enjoyed close views of Corn Bunting and also found Short-toed Larks and a Thekla's Lark. We also saw Blue Rock Thrush, Peregrine, and had distant views of Egyptian Vultures.

On the road to the lighthouse we found Squirting Cucumber (*Echallium elaterium*), Caper (*Capparis spinosa*) and Silver Ragwort (*Senecio cineraria*). Whilst on the exposed maritime headland, where *Senecio rodriguezii* seems to thrive, we also found Sea Lavender (*Limonium virgatum*) Dwarf Sea-lavender (*Limonium minutum*), Curved Hard-grass (*Parapholis incurve*).

Lunch today was to be a barbecue provided by Llorenc at his father's house at the upper end of the Algendar Gorge. After driving along the narrow road and rough track to the car park at the top of the gorge we walked down into the gorge itself, where Nightingales and Cetti's Warblers were singing, and crossed the stream to the house in its superb setting. Everything was prepared for our arrival and we sat down to a variety of meats and pastries, accompanied by beer, soft drinks and water and followed by locally grown fruit. As we ate Egyptian Vultures from the nearby colony soared overhead along with a Booted Eagle, while Nightingales and a Blackcap sang. Lunch today, not surprisingly, took longer than usual, but eventually it was time to return up the hill to the car park, some of the group taking the main track while others took the steeper, narrower old path. Those following the old track were treated to some spectacular finds, including the following endemic plants: *Paeonia cambessedesii*, *Viola slolonifera*, *Sibthorpia africana*, *Cyclamen balearicum*, *Ononis crispa* and the ferns *Anagramma leptophylla*, *Asplenium onopteris* and *Phyllitis sagittate*.

We decided to take the old road - the Cami den Kane - back to Mahon, which is much quieter than the main road across the island, and took a drive along the side of the harbour, admiring the many luxury yachts moored here, eventually returning to the hotel just before 5pm, leaving plenty of time to relax before dinner.

Day 6

Wednesday 24th April

After breakfast we headed first of all towards the holiday resort of Son Parc, driving all the way through the built-up area, which was almost deserted as the main tourist season hadn't started yet, to the car park by the beach. We walked through the wooded area to a point overlooking a marshy wetland, with some open water and on the track we saw the Many-flowered Heath (*Erica multiflora*) and a single specimen of Balearic Orchid (*Ophrys balearica*). Crossing a damp area adjacent to the marsh we found the Thick Leaved Plantain (*Plantago crassifolia*).

The water level was very high this year, with very little in the way of muddy margins, and accompanied by a strong wind, birding was difficult as everything was sheltering in the reeds. After some time we abandoned the wetland and returning to the car park walked down onto the beach, seeing a Willow Warbler and a Tawny Pipit

in the low scrub, and an Audouin's Gull on the rocks. On the short walk through the sand dunes we found the Figwort (*Scrophularia ramosissima*) and a false sow thistle (*Rhichardia tingitana*).

We then decided that it was lunchtime, so we drove the short distance to Sa Roca, a pleasant wooded area in the centre of the island where we unpacked the picnic. During lunch amongst the wooded slopes thick with Aleppo Pine and Tree Heather we found here Sawfly Orchid (*Ophrys tenthredionifera*) and numbers of the spectacular Violet Limodore (*Limodorum abortivum*). After lunch we drove a little further along the road, to find the parasitic plant Cytinus (*Cytinus ruber*) and Osyris (*Osyris alaba*).

Our final stop today was at the prehistoric site of Taula de Torralba. We spent an hour or so wandering around this ancient settlement which dates back to around 1,000 BC, some of the site having been restored while other parts have been left exactly as they were abandoned.

Day 7

Thursday 25th April

After breakfast we set off towards Cap de Cavalleria, the most northerly point of the island. As we manoeuvred along the track a Stone Curlew landed in an adjacent field stopping for a few moments to afford a spectacular view. At our first stop beside the ancient Roman port at Sanitja we saw Stonechats and Tawny Pipits. Here we found Pyramidal Orchid (*Anacamptis pyramidalis*) growing amongst small shrubby plants of the endemic False olive (*Phyllirea latifolia var rodriguezii*). We also found a Dodder (*Cuscuta epithimum*) growing on the endemic Balearic Milk-vetch (*Astragalus balearicus*) which also had the small endemic Four leafed Bird's-foot-trefoil (*Lotus tetraphylus*) growing up through it and a little further along the almost insignificant endemic spurge *Euphorbia maresii*.

Further on at the picturesque inlet of Cala Viola were several grounded migrants, including a Common Redstart and a Stone Chat. The coast here is very exposed. On the shoreline we found Rock Samphire (*Crithmum maritimum*), and on the escarpment the low growing spiny bush community ('socarrall') containing the endemic Hedgehog Lettuce (*Launaea cervicornis*) and the endemic (*Anthyllis hystrix*), and Evax (*Evax pygmaea*).

We decided to drive on to the lighthouse, parking just short of it, and walking round the headland we found a Blue Rock Thrush as well as Tawny Pipit. Near the lighthouse we found the endemic Rodriguez's Ragwort (*Senecio rodriguezii*) and on the path from the lighthouse the Balearic Foxglove (*Digitalis dubia*), and in the same location the endemic Smilax (*Smilax aspera var balearica*). Further along the cliff we saw the spectacular Dragon Arum (*Dracunculus muscivorus*).

We had our picnic lunch back at the minibuses after which we set off for Monte Toro, (the name derived from the Arabic al-tor meaning high ground), which is the highest point on the island at 357 meters. The monastery complex is run by a community of Franciscan nuns. On route we stopped briefly at Platja de Cavalleria to find Coris (*Coris monspeliensis*). At Monte Toro, we found Blue Rock Thrush and Italian Wall Lizards, and a spectacular patch of the endemic *Helicbrysum ambigum*. As always the view from the summit was spectacular, taking in most of the island.

Day 8

Friday 26th April

We had a little time this morning before our flights home and a few of us saw a Turtle Dove on the wires near the car park. Nightingales could be heard along the track which entertained us while we loaded up the minibuses. It was time to thank Llorenc for his help and hospitality, and then we were on our way to the airport. The flight back to Gatwick was uneventful and after collecting our luggage we all went our separate ways.

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Species Lists

Plants [(P) = Planted; (R/S) = Rare/Status uncertain; * Endemic to; ** Endemic to Balearic Islands; *** Endemic to Minorca]

Scientific Name	Common Name	Location
Pteridophytes (Monilophytes)		
Ferns and their allies		
Calamophytes		
Equisetophyta		
<i>Equisetum telmateia</i>	Great Horsetail	Barranc d' Algendar
<i>Equisetum ramosissimum</i>	Branched Horsetail	Son Bou
Leptosporangiate Ferns		
The True Ferns		
Adiantaceae		
<i>Adiantum capillus-veneris</i>	Maidenhair Fern	Barranc d' Algendar
<i>Anogramma leptophylla</i>	Jersey Fern	Barranc d' Algendar
Aspleniaceae		
<i>Phyllis sagittata</i> (Syn <i>Asplenium sagitta</i>)	Mule's Fern	Barranc d' Algendar
Dennstaedtiaceae		
<i>Pteridium aquilinum</i>	Bracken	Barranc d' Algendar
Polyopdiaceae		
<i>Polypodium australe</i>	Southern Polypody	Barranc d' Algendar
Spermatophyta		
Seed Plants		
Gymnosperms		
Conifers		
Araucariaceae		
<i>Araucaria heterophylla</i>	Norfolk Island Pine	Planted
Cupressaceae		
<i>Cupressus sempervirens</i>	Funeral Cypress	Planted
<i>Juniperus phoenicea</i>	Phoenician Juniper	Cala Tirant
Ephedraceae		
<i>Ephedra fragilis</i>	Joint Pine	Cala Tirant
Pinaceae		
<i>Pinus halepensis</i> ssp <i>halepensis</i>	Aleppo Pine	Matxani Gran - Roadsides - Common
<i>Pinus pinea</i>	Umbrella / Stone Pine	Roadsides - Uncommon
Basal Angiosperms		
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Lauraceae		
<i>Laurus nobilis</i>	Bay Laurel	Barranc d' Algendar
Angiosperms (Eu-dicots)		
True Angiosperms		

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Aizoaceae		
<i>Caprobrotus edulis var edulis</i>	The Azoon Family Hottentot Fig	Cap de Favaritx
<i>Mesembryanthemum cordifolium</i> (= <i>Aptenia cordifolia</i>)		Fornels (Ses Salines)
Amaranthaceae		
<i>Arthrocnemum macrostachym</i> (Syn <i>A. glaucum</i>)	The Amaranth Family Glaucous Glasswort	Tirant Marsh
<i>Atriplex prostrata</i> (Syn <i>Atriplex hastata</i>)	Spear-Leafed Orache	Matxani Gran - Roadsides - Common
<i>Atriplex portulacoides</i> ((Syn <i>Halimione portulacoides</i>)	Sea Purslane	Tirant Marsh
<i>Beta maritima</i> (syn <i>B. vulgaris</i> spp <i>maritima</i>)	Sea Beet	Tirant Marsh
<i>Sueda maritima</i>	Annual Sea-bite	Mongofre Nou
<i>Salsola kali</i>	Prickly Saltwort	Mongofre Nou
Anacardiaceae		
<i>Pistacia lentiscus</i>	Mastic Tree	Widespread
Apocynaceae		
<i>Nerium oleander</i>	The Periwinkle Family Oleander	Widspread
<i>Vincetoxicum hirundinaria</i>	Swallow-wort	Cap de Cavalleria
<i>Vinca major</i>	Greater Periwinkle	Barranc d' Algendar
Apiaceae (= Umbelliferae)		
<i>Crithmum maritimum</i>	The Carrot Family Rock Samphire	Cala Tirant
<i>Daucus carota</i>	Wild Carrot	Widespread
<i>Eryngium camprestre</i>	Field Eryngo	Matxani Gran
<i>Eryngium maritimum</i>	Sea Holly	Cala Tirant
<i>Foeniculum vulgare</i>	Fennel	Roadsides
<i>Ferula communis</i>	Giant Fennel	Widespread
<i>Oenanthe globosa</i>	Globose Water-dropwort	Son Bou
<i>Smyrnium olusatrum</i>	Alexanders	Matxani Gran
Araliaceae		
<i>Hedera helix</i>	Ivy Family Ivy	Matxani Gran
Asteraceae		
<i>Anthemis arvensis</i>	Daisy Family Corn Chamomile	Matxani Gran
<i>Triplospermum maritimum</i> (?? <i>Anthemis maritima</i>)	Sea Mayweed	Cala Tirant
<i>Artemisa gallica</i> (Syn <i>Artemisa caeruleascens</i> ssp <i>gallica</i>)		Cala Tirant
<i>Astericus maritimus</i>	Sea Daisy	Cap de Cavalleria
<i>Bellium bellidioides</i> *	Minature Daisy	Cap de Favaritx
<i>Bellis annua</i> ssp <i>annua</i>	Annual Daisy	Matxani Gran
<i>Galactites tomentosa</i>		Matxani Gran
<i>Calendula arvensis</i>	Field Marigold	Matxani Gran
<i>Carduus tenuiflorus</i>	Sea Thistle	Punta Nati
<i>Carthamus lanatus</i>	Wooly safflower	Punta Nati
<i>Centaurea aspera</i>	Rough Star Thistle	Cala Galdana
<i>Chrysanthemum coronarium</i> var <i>coronarium</i> (Syn <i>Glebionis coronaria</i>)	Crown Daisy	Matxani Gran
<i>Chrysanthemum coronarium</i> var <i>discolor</i>	Crown Daisy	Matxani Gran
<i>Chrysanthemum segetum</i> (Syn <i>Glebionis segetum</i>)	Corn Marigold	Matxani Gran
<i>Chondrilla juncea</i>	Nakedweed	Cala Galdana

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<i>Cichorium intybus</i>	Chicory	Roadsides
<i>Cynara cardunculus</i>	Cardoon / Wild Artichoke	Cala Galdana
<i>Dittrichia viscosa ssp viscosa</i>	Woody Fleabane	Roadsides
<i>Evax pygmaea ssp pygmaea</i>	Evax	Cap de Cavalleria
<i>Filago pyramidata</i>	Broad-leaved Cudweed	Matxani Gran
<i>Galactites tomentosa</i>	Boar Thistle	Matxani Gran
<i>Hedypnois cretica</i>	Scaly Hawbit	Tirant Marsh
<i>Helechrysum ambiguum**</i>		Monte Toro
<i>Helechrysum stoechas</i>	Curry Plant	Son Bou
<i>Hyoseris radiata</i>	Perennial Hyoseris	Matxani Gran
<i>Hyoseris scabra</i>	Annual Hyoseris	Matxani Gran
<i>Hypochoeris spp</i>	A Cat's Ear	Matxani Gran
<i>Launaea cervicomis**</i>	Hedgehog Lettuce	Cap de Cavalleria
<i>Pallenis spinosa</i>	Spiny Starwort	Matxani Gran
<i>Phagnalon saxatile</i>		Cala Tirant
<i>Reichardia tingitana</i>		Cala Tirant
<i>Santolina magonica*</i> (Syn <i>Santolina chamaecyparissus ssp magonica</i>)	Menorcan Chamomile	Cala Tirant
<i>Senecio bicolour</i>	Silver Ragwort	Punta Nati
<i>Senecio rodriguezii</i>	Rodriguez's Ragwort	Cap de Favaritx
<i>Senecio vulgaris</i>	Groundsel	Roadsides
<i>Silybum marianum</i>	Milk Thistle	Matxani Gran
<i>Sonchus oleraceus</i>	Smooth Sow-thistle	Matxani Gran
<i>Sonchus tenerrimus</i>		Matxani Gran
<i>Urospermum dalechampii</i>	Goldenfleece	Matxani Gran
Boraginaceae	Borage Family	
<i>Anchusa azurea</i> (Syn <i>A. italica</i>)	Blue Alkanet	Tirant
<i>Borago officinalis</i>	Borage	Cala Galdana
<i>Cynoglossum creticum</i>	Blue Hound's-tounge	Matxani Gran
<i>Echium plantagineum</i>	Purple Viper's-bugloss	Cala Galdana
<i>Echium sabulicola</i>	Sand Viper's Bugloss	Cap de Cavalleria
Brassicaceae	Cabbage Family	
<i>Brassica rapa subspp oleifera</i>	Turnip	Cala Galdana
<i>Cardaria draba</i>	Hoary Cress	Cala Galdana
<i>Cakile maritima</i>	Sea Rocket	Cala Tirant
<i>Capsella bursa-pastoris</i>	Shepherds-purse	Widespread
<i>Diplotaxis eurcoides</i>	White Wall Rocket	Barranc d' Algendar
<i>Lepidium latifolium</i>	Hoary Cress	Matxani Gran
<i>Lobularia maritima</i>	Sweet Alison	Cala Tirant
<i>Matthiola sinuata</i>	Sea Stock	Cala Tirant
<i>Rapistrum rugosum</i>	Bastard Cabbage	Son Bou
Cactaceae	Cactus Family	
<i>Opuntia ficus-indica</i>	Prickly-pear	Occasional
Campanulaceae	Bellflower Family	
<i>Campanula erinus</i>	Small Bellflower	Tirant
Caprifolaceae	Honeysuckle Family	
<i>Lonicera implexa</i>	Mediterranean Honeysuckle	Cala Tirant
<i>Scabiosa atropurpurea</i> Syn <i>Sisylx atropurpurea</i>	Mournful widow	

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<i>Centranthus calcitrapae</i>	Annual Valerian	Cala Tirant
<i>Centranthus ruber</i>	Red Valerian	Monte Toro
<i>Valerenella eriocarpa</i>		
Capparidaceae	Capper Family	
<i>Capparis spinosa</i>	Capper	Punta Nati
Caryophyllaceae	Pink Family	
<i>Arenaria leptoclados</i> (Syn <i>A. serpyllifolia</i> spp leptoclados)	Thyme- Leaved sandwort	
<i>Cerastium fontanum</i>	Common Mouse-ear	Matxani Gran
<i>Polycarpon polycarpoides</i>	Purslane-leaved Allseed	Punta Nati
<i>Sagina maritima</i>	Sea Pearlwort	Cap de Cavalleria
<i>Silene gallica</i> (syn <i>Silene cerastiodies</i>)	Small flowered catchfly	Montgofre Nou
<i>Silene secundiflora</i>		Favaritx
<i>Silene sedoides</i>	Hairy Catchfly	Favaritx
<i>Silene vulgaris</i>	Bladder campion	Matxani Gran
<i>Spergularia marina</i>	Lesser Sand-spury	Cala Tirant
Cistaceae		
<i>Cistus albidus</i>	Grey-leaved Cistus	Cala Tirant
<i>Cistus creticus</i>	Hairy Cistus	
<i>Cistus monspelliensis</i>	Montpellier Cistus	Cala Tirant
<i>Cistus salvifolius</i>	Sage-leaved Cistus	Cala Tirant
<i>Fumana thymifolia</i>	Thyme-leaved Rockrose	Cala Tirant
<i>Tuberaria gutata</i>		Montgofre Nou
<i>Halimium halimifolium</i>		Es Grau
Convolvulaceae	Bindweed Family	
<i>Cuscuta kostchyi</i> (Syn <i>Cuscuta epithimum</i> var. <i>kotschyi</i>)	Dodder	Cap de Cavalleria
<i>Calystegia sepium</i>	Hedge Bindweed	Waysides
<i>Calystegia soldanella</i>	Sea Bindweed	Cala Tirant
<i>Convolvulus althaeoides</i>	Mallow-leaved Bindweed	Cala Tirant
<i>Convolvulus arvensis</i>	Field Bindweed	
Crassulaceae	Stone Crop Family	
<i>Aeonium arboreum</i>		Matxani Gran - Garden Escape
<i>Sedum dasyphyllum</i>		Walls
<i>Sedum sediforme</i> (Syn <i>S. nicaeense</i>)		Cala Galdana
<i>Umbilicus gaditanus</i> (Syn <i>U. horizontalis</i>)	Horizontal Navelwort	Widespread
Cucurbitaceae		
<i>Ecballium elaterium</i>	Squirting Cucumber	Puni Nati
Ericaceae	Heather Family	
<i>Arbutus unedo</i>	Strawberry Tree	Sa Roca
<i>Erica arborea</i>	Tree Heath	Sa Roca
<i>Erica multiflora</i>	Many-flowered Heath	Montgofre Nou
<i>Erica scoparia</i>	Bessom Heath	Sa Roca
Euphorbiaceae	Spurge Family	
<i>Euphorbia characias</i>	Mediterranean Spurge	Widespread
<i>Euphorbia dendroides</i>	Tree Spurge	Montgofre

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<i>Euphorbia exigua</i>	Dwarf Spruge	Waste places
<i>Euphorbia helioscopia</i>	Sun Spurge	Waste places
<i>Euphorbia maresii</i> *		Cap de Cavalleria
<i>Euphorbia paralias</i>	Sea Spurge	Puni Nati
<i>Euphorbia prostrata</i>		Cala Tirant
<i>Mercurialis annua</i>	Annual Mercury	Matxani Gran
<i>Ricinus communis</i>	Castor-oil-plant	Matxani Gran - Garden Escape
Fabaceae		
<i>Acacia saligna</i> (syn <i>Acacia cynphylla</i>)	Blue Leafted Wattle	
<i>Anthyllis hystrix</i>		Cap de Cavalleria
<i>Anthyllis tetraphylla</i>	Bladder Vetch	Cala Tirant
<i>Anthyllis vulneraria</i>	Mediterranean Kidney Vetch	Roadsides
<i>Astragalus balearicus</i> **	Balearic Milk-vetch	Cap de Cavalleria
<i>Bituminaria bituminosa</i> (Syn <i>Psoralea bituminosa</i>)	Pitch Trefoil	Roadsides
<i>Calicotome spinosa</i>	Spiney Broom	Cala Tirant
<i>Calicotome villosa</i>	Hairy Thorny Broom	Cala Tirant
<i>Ceratonia siliqua</i>	Carob Tree	So Bou
<i>Coronilla juncea</i>	Rush-like Scorpion Vetch	Cala Galdana
<i>Dorycnium hirsutum</i> (Syn <i>Lotus hirsutus</i>)	Canary Clover	Cala Tirant
<i>Dorycnium fulgurans</i> (Syn <i>Lotus fulgerans</i>)		Cap Favaritx
<i>Dorycnium pentaphyllum</i> (Syn <i>Lotus dorycnium</i>)		Cala Tirant
<i>Hedysarum coronarium</i>	Italian Sainfoin	Roadsides
<i>Lathyrus annuus</i>	Fodder Pea	Matxani Gran
<i>Lathyrus clymenum</i> spp <i>articulatus</i>	Crimson Pea	Algendar Gorge
<i>Lathyrus cicera</i>	Red Vetchling	Algendar Gorge
<i>Lathyrus ochrus</i>	Winged Vetchling	Algendar Gorge
<i>Lotus corniculatus</i> (EB Records)	Bird's-foot-trefoil	Matxani Gran
<i>Lotus cytisoides</i>	Grey Bird's-foot-trefoil	Cala Tirant
<i>Lotus edulis</i>	Edible Bird's-foot-trefoil	Algendar Gorge
<i>Lotus ornithopodiodes</i>	Southern Bird's-foot-trefoil	Matxani Gran
<i>Lotus tetraphyllus</i> **	Four leafed Bird's-foot-trefoil	Cap de Cavalleria
<i>Lupinus micranthus</i>	Hairy Lupin	Es Grau
<i>Medicago arabica</i>	Spotted Medick	Matxani Gran
<i>Medicago ciliaris</i> (Syn <i>M. intertexta</i> subsp. <i>ciliaris</i>)		?
<i>Medicago scutellata</i>		Matxani Gran
<i>Medicago truncatula</i>		Matxani Gran
<i>Melilotus sulcatus</i>	Furrowed Melilot	Matxani Gran
<i>Ononis crispa</i>		Algendar Gorge
<i>Trifolium camprestre</i>	Hop Trefoil	Matxani Gran
<i>Trifolium repens</i>	White Clover	Matxani Gran
<i>Trifolium resupinatum</i>	Reversed Clover	Algendar Gorge
<i>Trifolium scabrum</i>	Rough Clover	Matxani Gran
<i>Trifolium stellatum</i>	Star Clover	Matxani Gran
<i>Vicia pubescens</i>		
<i>Vicia sativa</i>	Common Vetch	Algendar Gorge
Fagaceae		
<i>Quercus ilex</i> ssp <i>ilex</i>	Holm Oak	Matxani Gran
<i>Quercus coccifera</i>	Kermes Oak	Algendar Gorge

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Frankeniaceae <i>Frankenia hirsuta</i>	Sea Heath Family Hairy Sea Heath	Cap de Cavalleria
Gentianaceae <i>Blakstonia perfoliata</i> spp <i>Graniflora</i> <i>Blackstonia perfoliata</i> spp <i>perfoliata</i>	Gentian Family	Es Grau Es Grau
Geraniaceae <i>Erodium chium</i> ssp <i>chium</i> <i>Erodium cicutarium</i> <i>Erodium malacoides</i> <i>Geranium dissectum</i> <i>Geranium molle</i> <i>Geranium purpureum</i>	Geranium Family Three-lobed Storks-bill Common Stork's-bill Mallow leafed Stork's-bill Cut-leaved Crane's-bill Dove's--foot Crane's-bill Little Robin	Matxani Gran Matxani Gran Matxani Gran Matxani Gran Matxani Gran Matxani Gran
Juglanaceae <i>Juglans regia</i>	Walnut Family Walnut	Algendar Gorge
Lamiaceae <i>Mentha aquatica</i> <i>Mentha pulegium</i> <i>Mentha suaveolens</i> <i>Micromeria cordata</i> (Syn <i>M. filiformis</i> spp <i>cordata</i>) <i>Prasium majus</i> <i>Rosmarinus officinalis</i> <i>Salvia verbenaca</i> <i>Stachys ocymastrum</i> <i>Teucrium balearicum</i> (possibly only a variant of <i>S. subspinosum</i>) <i>Teucrium capitatum</i> (Syn <i>Treucium polium</i> spp <i>capitatum</i>) <i>Teucrium subspinosum</i>	Mint Family Water Mint Pennyroyal Round-leafed Mint White Hedge-nettle Rosemary Wild sage Italian Woundwort Feltly Germander	Son Bou Algendar Gorge Matxani Gran Matxani Gran Widespread Matxani Gran Matxani Gran Cap Favaritx Cala Tirant Cap Favaritx
Linaceae <i>Linum bienne</i> <i>Linum strictum</i> (spp <i>strictum</i> & spp <i>spicatum</i>) <i>Linum trigynum</i>	Flax Family Pale Flax Upright Yellow Flax Southern Flax	Widespread Cala Tirant Cala Tirant
Lythraceae <i>Lythrum hyssopifolia</i> <i>Punica granatum</i>	Loosetrife Family Grass Poly Pomegranate	Algendar Gorge Cultivated
Malvaceae <i>Malva arborea</i> (syn <i>Lavaterera arborea</i>) <i>Malva multiflora</i> (syn <i>Lavatera cretica</i>)	Mallow Family Tree mallow Small Tree-mallow	
Moraceae <i>Ficus carica</i>	Fig Family Fig	Cultivated
Myrtaceae <i>Myrtus communis</i> <i>Melaleuca citrina</i> (Syn <i>Calistemon citrinus</i>) <i>Eucalyptus globulus</i>	Myrtle Family Common Myrtle Bottlebrush Blue Gum	North Coast Cultivated

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Nyctaginaceae <i>Bougainvillea glabra</i>	Bougainvillea	Cultivated
Oleaceae <i>Olea europaea</i> <i>Phillyrea angustifolia</i> <i>Phillyrea media var rodriguezii</i>	Olive Family Olive False Olive Rodriguez's False Olive	Matxani Gran Matxani Gran Cap Favaritx
Orobanchaceae <i>Bellardia trixago</i> <i>Parentucellia viscosa</i> <i>Phelipanche mutelli</i>	Broomrape Family Mediterranean Linseed Yellow Bartsia	Matxani Gran Matxani Gran Matxani Gran
Oxalidaceae <i>Oxalis pes-caprae</i>	Oxalis Family Bermuda Buttercup	Widespread
Papaveraceae <i>Chelidonium majus</i> <i>Glaucium flavum</i> <i>Papaver dubium</i> <i>Papaver rhoeas</i> <i>Papaver somniferum</i> <i>Fumaria capreolata</i>	Poppy Family Greater Celendine Yellow horned Poppy Long Headed Poppy Common / Field Poppy Opium Poppy White Ramping-fumatory	Algendar Gorge Cala Tirant Fields / Roadsides Fields / Roadsides Fields / Roadsides Algendar Gorge
Passifloraceae <i>Passiflora caerulea</i>	Passion Flower Family Common Passion Flower	Cultivated
Pittosporaceae <i>Pittosporum tobira</i>	Japanese Orange-blossom	Cultivated
Platanaceae <i>Plantanus x hispanica</i> (syn <i>P.x hybrida</i> , and <i>P. x acerifolia</i>)	Plane tree Family Plane Tree	Planted
Plantaginaceae <i>Cymbalaria muralis</i> <i>Digitalis minor</i> (syn <i>D. dubia</i>)** <i>Plantago coronopus</i> <i>Plantago crassifolia</i> <i>Plantago logopus</i> <i>Plantago lanceolata</i> <i>Plantago major</i> <i>Sibthorpia africana</i> * <i>Veronica cymbalaria</i>	Plantain family Ivy-leaved Toadflax Balearic / Small Foxglove Buck's-horn Plantain Sea Plantain Hare's-foot Plantain Ribwort Plantain Greater Plantain Pale Speedwell	Walls Cap de Cavalleria Tracks / Waysies Son Parc Algendar Gorge Tracks / Waysies Tracks / Waysies Algendar Gorge Fields / Roadsides
Scrophulariaceae <i>Paulownia tomentosa</i> <i>Scrophularia peregrina</i> <i>Scrophularia ramosissima</i> <i>Verbascum creticum</i> <i>Verbascum sinuatum</i>	Figwort Family Foxglove-tree Nettle-leaved Figwort French Figwort Glandular Mullein Wavy Leafed Mullein	Roadside Matxani Gran Son Parc Roadsides Roadsides

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Plumbaginaceae	Thrift Family	
<i>Limonium oleifolium</i> (Syn <i>L. virgatum</i>)	Sea Lavender	Cap de Cavalleria
<i>Limonium minutum</i> *	Dwarf Sea Lavender	Punti Nati
Portulacaceae	Purslane Family	
<i>Portulaca oleracea</i>	Purslane	
Polygonaceae	Dock Family	
<i>Polygonium aviculare</i>	Common Knotgrass	Tracks / Disturbed ground
<i>Polygonum maritimum</i>	Sea Knotgrass	Cala Tirant
<i>Rumex bucephalophorus</i>	Horned Dock	Fields / Disturbed ground
<i>Rumex crispus</i> ssp <i>crispus</i>	Curled Dock	Track sides
<i>Rumex obtusifolius</i>	Broad-leafed Dock	Track sides
<i>Rumex pulcher</i>	Fiddle Dock	Track sides
<i>Emex spinosa</i>		
Primulaceae	Primrose Family	
<i>Anagallis arvensis</i> spp <i>arvensis</i>	Scarlet Pimpernel (red form)	Cultivated Ground
<i>Anagallis arvensis</i> spp <i>azurea</i>	Scarlet Pimpernel (blue form)	Cultivated Ground
<i>Coris monspeliensis</i>	Coris	Platja de Cavalleria
<i>Cyclameum balearicum</i>	Balearic Cyclamen	Algendar Gorge
Rafflesiaceae		
<i>Cytinus ruber</i>	Cytinus	Sa Roca
Ranunculaceae	Buttercup Family	
<i>Clematis cirrhosa</i>	Early Virgins Bower	Son Bou
<i>Clematis flammula</i>	Maidens Bower	Walls
<i>Ranunculus macrophyllus</i>	Large leafed Buttercup	Cala Tirant
<i>Ranunculus muricatus</i>	Rough Fruited Buttercup	Cala Tirant
<i>Ranunculus peltatus</i> (Syn <i>R. saniculifolius</i>)	Pond Water- Crowfoot	Cala Tirant
<i>Ranunculus sceleratus</i>	Celery-leafed Buttercup	Cala Tirant
Resedaceae	Mignonette Family	
<i>Reseda alba</i>	White Mignonette	Roadsides
Rhamnaceae	Buckthorn Family	
<i>Rhamnus alternatus</i>	Mediterranean buckthorn	Algendar Gorge
Rosaceae	Rose Family	
<i>Crataegus monogyna</i>	Hawthorn	Roadsides
<i>Potentilla reptans</i>	Creeping Cinquefoil	Tracks / Wayside places
<i>Prunus persica</i>	Peach	Cultivated
<i>Prunus duicis</i>	Almond	Cultivated
<i>Rosa sempervirens</i>	Evergreen Rose	Roadsides
<i>Rubus ulmifolius</i>	Bramble	Roadsides
<i>Sanguisorba minor</i>	Burnet	
<i>Sanguisorba verrucosum</i> (syn <i>Sanguisorba minor</i> subsp. <i>verrucosa</i>) ?	Mediterranean Burnet	
Rubiaceae	Bedstraw Family	
<i>Galium aparine</i>	Cleavers	Matxani Gran
<i>Rubia peregriana</i>	Wild Madder	Matxani Gran

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<i>Sharardia arvensis</i>	Field Madder	Cultivated ground
<i>Valantia muralis</i>	Wall Valantia	Occasional rocks / walls
Rutaceae		
<i>Citrus limon</i>	Lemon	Cultivated
<i>Citrus sinensis</i>	Orange	Cultivated
<i>Ruta graveolens</i>	Greater RueRue	Roadsides
Santalaceae		
<i>Osyris alba</i>	Osyris	Sa Roca
<i>Ailanthus altissima</i>	Tree-of-heaven	Roadsides
Solanaceae		
<i>Solanum sodomium</i>	Apple-of-Sodom	Roadsides
Tamaricaceae		
<i>Tamarix africana</i>	Tamarisk	Coastal - Widespread
Tropaeolaceae		
<i>Tropaeolum majus</i>	Nasturtium	Gardens
Ulmaceae		
<i>Ulmus minor spp minor</i>	Smooth-leafed Elm	Algendar Gorge
Urticaceae		
<i>Parietaria judaica</i>	Pellitory-of-the-wall	Matxani Gran
<i>Urtica membranacea (syn dubia)</i>	Membranous Nettle	Matxani Gran
Violaceae		
<i>Viola stolonifera</i>		
Vitaceae		
<i>Vitis vinifera</i>	Grape	Cultivated
Zygophyllaceae		
<i>Tribulus terrestris</i>	Caltrop	Cala Tirant

Monocots

Alismataceae		
<i>Alisma lanceolatum</i>	Narrow leaved water plantain	Son Bou
Amaryllidaceae		
<i>Allium ampeloprasum var ampeloprasum</i>	Wild Leek	Matxani Gran
<i>Allium roseum var roseum</i>	Rosy Garlic	Matxani Gran
<i>Allium subhirsutum</i>	Hairy Garlic	
<i>Allium subvillosum</i>	Hairy Garlic	Matxani Gran
<i>Allium triquetrum</i>	Three-cornered Leek	Matxani Gran
<i>Iris x germanica</i>	Bearded Iris	Matxani Gran
<i>Iris pseudacorus</i>	Yellow Flag	Son Parc
<i>Pancratium maritimum</i>	Sea Daffodil	Cala Tirant

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Araceae	Arum Family	
<i>Arum italicum</i>	Arum	Algendar Gorge
<i>Arisarum vulgare</i>	Friar's Cowl	Roadsides Waste Ground
<i>Helicodiceros muscivorus</i>	Dead Horse Arum	Cap de Cavalleria
<i>Zantedeschia aethioica (introduction)</i>	Arum Lilly	Aldendar Gorge
Arecaceae	Palm family	
<i>Chamaerops humilis</i>	Dwarf Fan Palm	Cap de Cavalleria
<i>Trachycarpus fortunei</i>	(P) Chusan Palm	Planted / Roadsides
<i>Washintonia robusta</i>	(P) Mexican Palm	Planted / Roadsides
<i>Phoenix robusta</i>	(P) Date Palm	Planted / Roadsides
Cyperaceae	Sedge Family	
<i>Bolboschoenus maritimus ssp maritimus (syn Scirpus maritimus)</i>	Sea Clubrush	Cala Tirant
<i>Carex otrubae</i>	False Fox-sedge	Algendar Gorge
<i>Cyperus longus</i>	Galingale	Son Bou
<i>Eleocharis palustris</i>	Common Spike Rush	Cala Tirant
<i>Scirpus holoschoenus</i>	Round-headed Clubrush	Son Parc
<i>Schoenus nigricans</i>	Black Bog-Rush	Cap de Cavalleria
Dioscoreaceae	Yam Family	
<i>Tamus communis</i>	Black Bryony	Algendar Gorge
<i>Smilax aspera</i>	Mediterranean Smilax	Roadsides
<i>Smilax aspera var balearica</i>	Balearic Smilax	Cap de Cavalleria
Iridaceae	Iris Family	
<i>Gladiolus illyricus (indistinct from G. communis)</i>	Wild Gladiolus	Roadsides
<i>Gladiolus italicus</i>	Cornflag	Matxani Gran
<i>Iris pseudoacorus</i>	Yellow Iris	Son Parc
<i>Iris germanica</i>	Bearded Iris	Matxani Gran
Juncaceae	Rush Family	
<i>Juncus acutus</i>	Sharp Rush	Cala Tirant
<i>Juncus articulatus</i>	Jointed Rush	
<i>Juncus capitatus</i>	Dwarf Rush	
<i>Juncus effusus</i>	Soft Rush	
<i>Juncus fontanesii</i>		
<i>Juncus hybridus (Syn J. bufonius spp hybridus)</i>		
<i>Juncus inflexus</i>	Hard Rush	
<i>Juncus littoralis</i>		
<i>Juncus maritimus</i>	Sea Rush	Mongofre Nou
<i>Juncus pygmaeus</i>		
<i>Juncus subnodulosus</i>		
<i>Juncus subulatus</i>		
Asparagaceae	Asparagus Family	
<i>Agave americana (int)</i>	Centuryplant (P)	Roadsides
<i>Asparagus acutifolius</i>	Spiny Asparagus	Matxani Gran
<i>Asparagus albus</i>	White Asparagus	Matxani Gran
<i>Asparagus horridus (Syn Asparagus stipularis)</i>	Grey Asparagus	Matxani Gran
<i>Drimia maritim (Syn Urginea maritima)</i>	Sea Squill	Roadsides

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<i>Ornithogalum arabicum</i>	Large Star-of-Bethlehem	Matxani Gran
<i>Ruscus aculeatus</i>	Butcher's-broom	Algendar Gorge
Moraceae	Fig Family	
<i>Ficus carica</i>	Fig	Gardens
<i>Ficus religiosa</i>		Gardens
Musaceae	Bannana Family	
<i>Musa spp</i>	(P) Banana	Cultivated
Orchidaceae	Orchid Family	
<i>Anacamptis pyramidalis</i>	Pyramidal Orchid	Cap de Cavalleria
<i>Himantoglossum robertianum</i> (Syn <i>Barlia robertiana</i>)	Giant Orchid	Matxani Gran (Lvs only)
<i>Limodorum abortivm</i>	Violet Limodore	Sa Roca
<i>Ophrys balearica</i> (Now described as <i>Ophrys xflavicans</i>)	Balearic Orchid	Cala Galdana
<i>Ophrys bombyliflora</i>	Bumble-bee Orchid	Mongofre Nou
<i>Ophrys speculum</i>	Mirror Ochid	Sa Roca
<i>Ophrys tenthredinifera</i>	Sawfly Orchid	Sa Roca
<i>Serapias lingua</i>	Tounge Orchid	Albufera des Grau
<i>Serapias nurrica</i> ®		Montgofre Nou
<i>Serapias parviflora</i>	Small-flowered Serapis	Matxani Gran
Poaceae	Grass Family	
<i>Aegilops geniculata</i>	Ovate Goatgrass	
<i>Ammophila arenaria</i> ssp <i>arundinaceae</i>	Marram	
<i>Ampelodesmos mauritanica</i>	Mauritania-grass	
<i>Anthoxanthum odoratum</i>	Sweet Vernal-grass	
<i>Arundo donax</i>	Giant Reed	
<i>Avena barbata</i>	Slender Oat	
<i>Avena sativa</i>	Oat	
<i>Avena sterilis</i>	Wild oat	
<i>Briza maxima</i>	Greater Quaking-grass	
<i>Bromus diandrus</i>	Great Brome	
<i>Bromus sterilis</i>		
<i>Catapodium marina</i> (Syn <i>Desmazeria marina</i>)	Sea Fern-grass	
<i>Catapodium rigida</i> (Syn <i>Desmazeria rigida</i>)	Fern-grass	
<i>Dactylis glomerata</i>	Cock's-foot	
<i>Hordeum murinum</i>	Wall Barley	
<i>Lagurus ovatus</i>	Hare's-tail	
<i>Lamarchia aurea</i>		
<i>Lolium perenne</i>	Perennial Rye-grass	
<i>Phalaris aquatica</i>	Bulbous Canary-grass	
<i>Phragmites australis</i>	Common Reed	
<i>Rostraria cristata</i> (Syn <i>Lophochloa cristata</i>)	Mediteranean Hair-grass	
Posidoniaceae		
<i>Posidonia oceanica</i>	Neptune-grass	Beaches
Ruppiaceae		
<i>Ruppia maritima</i>		

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Typhaceae		
<i>Typha dominngensis</i>	Southern Reedmace	Son Bou
<i>Sparganum erectum</i>	Branched Bur-reed	Son Parc
Xanthorrhoeaceae		
<i>Aloe arborescens</i>	Tree Aloe	Cala Tirant
<i>Asphodelus aestivus</i>	Turkish Asphodel	Roadsides / Fields
<i>Asphodelus fistulosus</i>	Hollow-stemmed Asphodel	Roadsides / Fields
<i>Diospyros kaki</i>	Persimmon Tree	Algelder Gorge

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

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			19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
1	Common Shelduck	<i>Tadorna tadorna</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓			
2	Northern Shoveler	<i>Spatula clypeata</i>				✓		✓		
3	Gadwall	<i>Mareca strepera</i>		✓	✓			✓		
4	Mallard	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>		✓	✓	✓				
5	Eurasian Teal	<i>Anas crecca</i>			✓					
6	Red-crested Pochard	<i>Netta rufina</i>		✓				✓		
7	Ferruginous Duck	<i>Aythya nyroca</i>						✓		
8	Red-legged Partridge	<i>Alectoris rufa</i>					✓		✓	
9	Scopoli's Shearwater	<i>Calonectris diomedea</i>					✓		✓	
10	Balearic Shearwater	<i>Puffinus mauretanicus</i>				✓				
11	Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>			✓					
12	Great Crested Grebe	<i>Podiceps cristatus</i>				✓		✓		
13	Black-necked Grebe	<i>Podiceps nigricollis</i>				✓				
14	Greater Flamingo	<i>Phoenicopterus roseus</i>				✓				
15	Glossy Ibis	<i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>		✓	✓				✓	
16	Squacco Heron	<i>Ardeola ralloides</i>		✓	✓					
17	Western Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>					✓			
18	Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>		✓			✓		✓	
19	Purple Heron	<i>Ardea purpurea</i>							✓	
20	Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>		✓	✓	✓			✓	
21	European Shag	<i>Phalacrocorax aristotelis</i>							✓	
22	Great Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>		✓	✓			✓		
23	Western Osprey	<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>		✓						
24	Egyptian Vulture	<i>Neophron percnopterus</i>		✓			✓			
25	Booted Eagle	<i>Hieraaetus pennatus</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
26	Western Marsh Harrier	<i>Circus aeruginosus</i>		✓	✓	✓				
27	Red Kite	<i>Milvus milvus</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
28	Black Kite	<i>Milvus migrans</i>							✓	
29	Common Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
30	Eurasian Coot	<i>Fulica atra</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
31	Eurasian Stone-curlew	<i>Burhinus oediconemus</i>					✓			
32	Black-winged Stilt	<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>		✓	✓	✓		✓		
33	Pied Avocet	<i>Recurvirostra avosetta</i>			✓	✓				
34	Common Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius hiaticula</i>		✓	✓	✓				
35	Kentish Plover	<i>Charadrius alexandrinus</i>		✓		✓				
36	Dunlin	<i>Calidris alpina</i>		✓						
37	Common Snipe	<i>Gallinago gallinago</i>			✓					

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38	Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>			✓	✓		✓		
39	Common Redshank	<i>Tringa totanus</i>			✓					
40	Spotted Redshank	<i>Tringa erythropus</i>				✓?				
41	Common Greenshank	<i>Tringa nebularia</i>		✓						
42	Audouin's Gull	<i>Ichthyaetus audouinii</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
43	Yellow-legged Gull	<i>Larus michahellis</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
44	Rock Dove	<i>Columba livia</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
45	Common Wood Pigeon	<i>Columba palumbus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
46	European Turtle Dove	<i>Streptopelia turtur</i>				H		✓	✓	✓
47	Eurasian Collared Dove	<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
48	Eurasian Scops Owl	<i>Otus scops</i>	H				H			
49	Alpine Swift	<i>Tachymarptis melba</i>			✓					
50	Common Swift	<i>Apus apus</i>			✓			✓	✓	
51	European Bee-eater	<i>Merops apiaster</i>			✓			✓	✓	
52	Eurasian Wryneck	<i>Jynx torquilla</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
53	Peregrine Falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>			✓		✓			
54	Common Kestrel	<i>Falco tinnunculus</i>	✓							
55	Woodchat Shrike	<i>Lanius senator</i>			✓					
56	Northern Raven	<i>Corvus corax</i>		✓	✓		✓		✓	
57	Eurasian Blue Tit	<i>Cyanistes caeruleus</i>						✓	✓	
58	Great Tit	<i>Parus major</i>			✓		✓			
59	Thekla's Lark	<i>Galerida theklae</i>					✓			
60	Greater Short-toed Lark	<i>Calandrella brachydactyla</i>					✓			
61	Sand Martin	<i>Riparia riparia</i>						✓		
62	Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
63	Common House Martin	<i>Delichon urbicum</i>			✓			✓		
64	Cetti's Warbler	<i>Cettia cetti</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
65	Willow Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus trochilus</i>					✓			
66	Wood Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus sibilatrix</i>					✓		✓	
67	Zitting Cisticola	<i>Cisticola juncidis</i>			✓					
68	Eurasian Blackcap	<i>Sylvia atricapilla</i>				✓	✓	✓	✓	
69	Sardinian Warbler	<i>Sylvia melanocephala</i>		✓	✓			✓	✓	
70	Common Starling	<i>Sturnus vulgaris</i>					✓			
71	Common Blackbird	<i>Turdus merula</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
72	Spotted Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa striata</i>	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	
73	European Robin	<i>Erithacus rubecula</i>				✓	✓			
74	Common Nightingale	<i>Luscinia megarhynchos</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
75	European Pied Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula hypoleuca</i>				✓	✓	✓	✓	
76	Common Redstart	<i>Phoenicurus phoenicurus</i>					✓		✓	
77	Blue Rock Thrush	<i>Monticola solitarius</i>					✓	✓		
78	European Stonechat	<i>Saxicola rubicola</i>			✓					
79	Whinchat	<i>Saxicola rubetra</i>						✓	✓	
80	Northern Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe oenanthe</i>					✓	✓		
81	House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
82	Tawny Pipit	<i>Anthus campestris</i>						✓	✓	
83	White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>				✓				
84	Common Chaffinch	<i>Fringilla coelebs</i>	✓							
85	European Greenfinch	<i>Chloris chloris</i>	✓		✓	✓			✓	
86	Common Linnet	<i>Linaria cannabina</i>			✓			✓		
87	European Goldfinch	<i>Carduelis carduelis</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
88	Corn Bunting	<i>Emberiza calandra</i>		✓		✓	✓			

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Butterflies

1	Large White	<i>Pieris brassicae</i>	✓					✓			
2	Clouded Yellow	<i>Colias crocea</i>						✓			
3	Cleopatra	<i>Gonepteryx cleopatra</i>						✓			
4	Common Blue	<i>Polyommatus icarus</i>			✓			✓	✓		
5	Red Admiral	<i>Vanessa atalanta</i>						✓	✓		
6	Painted Lady	<i>Cynthia cardui</i>		✓				✓	✓	✓	
7	Small Heath	<i>Coenonympha pamphilus</i>	✓						✓	✓	
8	Speckled Wood	<i>Pararge aegeria</i>	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓		
9	Wall Brown	<i>Lasiommata megera</i>	✓					✓			
10	Holly Blue	<i>Celastrina argiolus</i>							✓		

Dragonflies and Damselfly

1	Copper Demoiselle	<i>Calopteryx haemorrhoidalis</i>						✓			
2	Winter Damselfly	<i>Sympecma fusca</i>							✓		
3	Blue-tailed Damselfly	<i>Ischnura elegans</i>		✓					✓		
4	Scarlet Darter	<i>Crocothemis erythraea</i>						✓			
5	Red-veined Darter	<i>Sympetrum fonscolombii</i>	✓	✓					✓		
6	Lesser Emperor	<i>Anax parthenope</i>							✓		

Reptiles & Amphibians

1	Italian Wall Lizard	<i>Podarcis sicula</i>	✓				✓	✓			
2	Hermann's Tortoise	<i>Testudo hermanni</i>	✓					✓			
3	European Pond Terrapin	<i>Emys orbicularis</i>		✓							
4	Red-necked Terrapin	<i>Trachemys scripta</i>		✓							

Mammals

1	Rabbit	<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>						✓			
2	Weasel	<i>Mustela nivalis</i>						✓			

Misc. Invertebrates

1	Paper Wasp	<i>Polistes gallicus</i>	✓	✓							
2	Flower Chafer Beetle	<i>Oxythyrea funeste</i>	✓								
3	Egyptian Grasshopper	<i>Anacridium aegypticum</i>						✓			
4	Violet Carpenter Bee	<i>Xylocopa violaceae</i>							✓	✓	
5	Millipede	<i>Ommatoiulus sabulosus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
6	Ant	<i>Crematogaster scutellaris</i>							✓		
7	Melon Ladybird beetle*	<i>Henosepilachna elaterii</i>									

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Melon Ladybird beetle