

# The French Pyrenees

Naturetrek Tour Report

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*Lilium pyrenaicum*



White-winged Snowfinch



*Iris latifolia*



Apollo

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## Day 1

Wednesday 7th June

We arrived on our late afternoon flight into Lourdes to find Black Kites circling around the airport and singing Black Redstarts on the terminal building as we picked up our minibuses. Once out of the airport, we headed south through the French countryside, passing through Lourdes before following the tumbling waters of the Gave de Pau into the incised valleys and snow-capped peaks of the Pyrenees.

As we climbed up the valley towards Gedre, Griffon Vultures circled overhead, the roadside verges became noticeably more floristic and Pyrenean specialities such as *Saxifraga longifolia* and *Ramonda myconi* clung to the rocks. By early evening we arrived at our hotel, nestled amongst the hay meadows with commanding views across to the Breche du Roland. We settled in our rooms before enjoying an evening meal and planning for our week of exploration of the high Pyrenees.

## Day 2

Thursday 8th June

We woke to a bright day with the Breche glowing as the snow caught the early morning sun. After breakfast we headed up out of the village into the lower reaches of the Heas Valley where we stopped by the Pont de Arraille to start getting to grips with the local natural history. Large roadside boulders held Rock Snapdragon, *Antirrhinum sempervirens*, whilst the hillsides were covered in flowering Alpenrose, *Rhododendron ferrugineum* and mats of Bearberry, *Arctostaphylos uva-ursi*. Atop a nearby ridge we noted Golden Eagle warming in the morning sun, along with Alpine Chough playing in the updrafts. We walked up the quiet mountain road towards the Lac Des Gloriettes and on the roadside banks we noted Livelong Saxifrage, *Saxifraga paniculata*; *Anemone narcissiflora*; Alpine Pasque Flower, *Pulsatilla alpina* ssp. *alpina*; Hairy Primrose, *Primula hirsuta* and Swallow-wort, *Vincetoxicum hirundinaria*.

At the barrage we parked our vehicles then divided up the picnic lunch and set off across the dam. Black Redstarts, Tree Pipit and Yellowhammer were all noted around the reservoir, which this year had an extremely low water level. The banks around the reservoir held endemic blue Pyrenean Hyacinth, *Bremeura amethystina*, along with a good range of orchids including Vanilla Orchid, *Gymnadenia austriaca* ssp. *gallica*, Greater Butterfly-orchid, *Platanthera chlorantha* and Burnt Orchid, *Neotinea ustulata*. Butterflies here were particularly good with us noting Swallowtail, Sooty Copper, Little Blue, Adonis Blue Mountain Ringlet and Pearl-bordered Fritillary.

Picnic lunch was enjoyed by the tumbling Gave d'Estaube with Alpine Chough and Crag Martin flying around overhead. After refuelling ourselves we walked on further up the valley, the Marmot grazed short turf holding a variety of plants including delightful Ashy Cranesbill, *Geranium cinereum* and large limestone boulders covered in alpines such as Creeping Globularia, *Globularia repens*; *Paronychia kapela* ssp. *serpyllifolia*; Moss Champion, *Silene acaulis* and Pyrenean Saxifrage, *Saxifraga longifolia*. Some of the group opted to go further on towards the cirque at the valley head where an exploration of the slopes revealed clumps of flowering daffodils, *Narcissus pseudonarcissus* ssp. *bicolor* and several nodding bells of Pyrenean Snakeshead, *Fritillaria pyrenaica* amongst a sea of non-flowering Pyrenean Iris, *Iris latifolia*. With the afternoon drawing in, we all descended back down the valley to enjoy a delicious local mutton barbecue, cooked by host Phillipe on the dining room inglenook fire.

## Day 3

## Friday 9th June

Having woken to another glorious sunny and warm morning; we enjoyed freshly baked croissants and coffee before heading off up the valley towards the mountain village of Gavarnie. We parked up, divided up the picnic lunch then set off towards the Cirque, noting a Golden Eagle circling in the morning sun over a nearby ridge joined by a mix of Alpine and Red-billed Chough. Our walk took us along the course of the Gave de Gavarnie through flower rich hay meadows brimming with plants such as Horned Pansy, *Viola cornuta*; Spiked Rampion, *Phyteuma spicatum*; Pyrenean Kidney Vetch, *Anthyllis vulneraria* ssp. *pyrenaica* and Greater Celandine, *Chelidonium majus*. The meadows were equally rich in butterflies with Clouded Apollo, Adonis Blue and Bright-eyed Ringlet amongst them. We found two Asp Vipers sunning themselves on drystone walls and Tree Pipits parachute displayed into adjacent trees.

The walk took us towards the imposing Cirque with its vast cliffs and tumbling waterfall, La Grande Cascade, and through a large scrubby pasture with rich alpine turf. A good range of Orchids were noted, including Frog Orchid, *Coeloglossum viride*; Burnt Orchid, *Neotinea ustulata* and Broad-leaved Marsh-orchid, *Dactylorhiza majalis* occupying the damper spots. Rock Bunting and Black Woodpecker were added to the daily bird list and a couple of Camberwell Beauty butterflies glided about. Lunch was enjoyed by a tumbling stream before a search beneath nearby pines found good stands of Herb Paris, *Paris quadrifolia* and a trio of stunning *Pyrolaceae*; One-flowered Wintergreen, *Moneses uniflora*, Serrated Wintergreen, *Orthillia secunda* and Lesser Wintergreen, *Pyrola minor*.

After lunch we climbed up through woodland towards the Cirque de Gavarnie finding several large flowering clumps of Pyrenean Lily, *Lilium pyrenaicum* before stopping for coffee at the Hotel du Cirque. Half the group opted to take the main track back down the valley towards the village whilst the remainder opted to take a higher path back in search of more birdlife and endemic Pyrenean flora. The higher path crossed screes and along the foot of large limestone cliffs. A number of good plants were encountered, including Thore's Buttercup, *Ranunculus thora*; Long-leaved Butterwort, *Pinguicula longifolia* and Dragonmouth, *Horminum pyrenaicum*. Perhaps the highlight for many however was the rather underwhelming, yet floriferous endemic Pyrenean Yam, *Dioscorea pyrenaica* that scrambled through loose mobile screes. Perched up above Gavarnie village, we had Crested Tit and Firecrest in the pines before entering an open alpine meadow on the Plateau de Pailla where we found several Ring Ouzel and a number of Citril Finches. With the afternoon drawing in, we took a zigzag path through the woods back down to Gavarnie to meet up with the rest of the group and then headed back to the hotel.

## Day 4

## Saturday 10th June

Today we headed off back up the Heas Valley and on towards the road end and the Cirque de Troumouse. As we approached the turning up towards the Lac des Gloriettes we stopped to watch a Lammergeier fly down low through the valley then perch on nearby cliffs before continuing up the winding road and parking high in the Cirque at nearly 2,100m. We strode out across the acid turf, studded in deep blue Alpine Gentian, *Gentiana alpina*; Pink Rock-jasmine, *Adrosace laggeri*; Pyrenean Buttercup, *Ranunculus pyrenaicus* and highly fragrant Garland Flower, *Daphne cneorum*. Another low flying Lammergeier gave the entire group a good look at this rather special mountain raptor. We crossed streams lined with Entire-leaved Primrose, *Primula integrifolia* and full of frog tadpoles and a number of Pyrenean Brook Newts. At the back of the Cirque we climbed banks full of Alpine Snowbell, *Soldenella alpina* in search of alpine birds. Alpine Accentor was the only species to be located and despite searching by the keen birders in the group we couldn't find Wallcreeper.

We walked back across the Cirque then drove down a level to have a picnic lunch at the Plateau du Maillet where we had views of Water Pipits and Rufus-tailed Rock Thrush before a coffee at the adjacent cafe. Some of the group opted to walk down into the valley, whilst the others travelled in the vans making a couple of stops to botanise and look for butterflies. Large limestone boulders held good populations of endemic *Ramonda myconi*, along with Livelong Saxifrage, *Saxifraga paniculata* and flowering Mountain Houseleek, *Sempervivum montanum*. On the slopes we had Red-backed Shrike and over nearby cliffs we found Griffon Vultures, Egyptian Vulture, Peregrine and another Lammergeier.

Down in the village of Heas we took a short walk around the lush meadows finding a good range of butterflies, including Purple-edged Copper, Silver-studded Blue and De Prunner's Ringlet. To end the day we visited the village cafe where we sat in the sunny garden enjoying ice cream, coffee and cold beers whilst watching a perched up Lammergeier, soaring Golden Eagle and grazing IZARD.

## Day 5

## Sunday 11th June

After a slightly earlier breakfast and another hot day in store we assembled outside the hotel to find Middle-spotted Woodpecker in roadside Poplars. After brief views of the Woodpecker, we headed back down the valley through Luz St-Sauveur before climbing the adjacent gorge, through the spa town of Cauterets and following the dramatic cascades to the Pont d' Espagne. We split the picnic lunch between us all and climbed through forests of Scots Pine and Silver Fir before pausing for coffee at the foot of dramatic falls. In the shady moist forest we found Kidney Saxifrage, *Saxifraga hirsuta*, Liverleaf, *Hepatica nobilis* and dramatic Alpine Leek, *Allium victorialis*. Walking towards the chairlift we found Red Squirrel, Citril Finch, Crested Tit and our daily dose of Golden Eagle.

We all sat aboard the chairlift to take us up the side of the Pic de Gaube, the quiet and relaxing 12 minute ride carrying us through the forest above slopes covered in Irish Spurge, *Euphorbia hyberna*, Alpenrose, *Rhododendron ferrugineum* and Aconite-leaved Buttercup, *Ranunculus aconitifolius*. At the top of the lift, a short walk took us through patches of pine woodland and granite screes containing Guan's Buttercup, *Ranunculus gouanii*, Silver Vetch, *Vicia argenticornis*, Large Yellow Gentian, *Gentiana lutea* and Dwarf Toadflax, *Linaria supina*.

At the end of the track we reached the blue clear waters of the Lac de Gaube, sat in a rugged mountainous valley with the imposing snow-covered peak of Vignemale at its head. In order to avoid the hot afternoon sun, we enjoyed our picnic lunch under lakeside trees watching Red Crossbills and Chaffinches coming down to drink. Later on we visited the nearby hotel at 1800m for a drink, before some had a cooling dip of the feet in the lake. By late afternoon we retraced our journey by chairlift then cable car back to the vans, before taking the scenic drive back to our hotel in Gedre.

## Day 6

## Monday 12th June

After a rather muggy night we woke to a warm morning, but with the valley cloaked in low cloud that was forecast to burn off. After breakfast and hearing calling Middle-spotted Woodpecker again, we set off up the valley and through Gavarnie for a day exploring the Ossoue Valley. With the cloud burning off, we parked up and set off exploring the steep meadows and grasslands around the Gave d' Ossoue between towering limestone cliffs and St Savin's Wood. The grasslands were diverse with a range of plants now familiar along with a range of

new species including Clustered Bellflower, *Campanula glomerata*; Fringed Pink, *Dianthus monspessulanus*; Pyrenean Germander, *Teucreum pyrenaicum* and Tufted Soapwort, *Saponaria caespitosa* growing on a streamside rock. Butterfly activity was particularly good with Amanda's Blue, Pearly Heath, Dark Green Fritillary and Lesser Marbled Fritillary amongst the new species this morning. Patches of moist river gravel held large aggregations of blue and fritillary butterflies taking up minerals. A number of Pyrenean Iris, *Iris latifolia* were in bud along the valley, but it was to be Jo's keen eye that picked one out in full bloom in the shelter of a rock. Oscillated Lizard was found by the path and over the adjacent limestone cliffs we observed a pair of Golden Eagle, Griffon Vultures and a pair of Lammergeier that appeared to be breeding on the towering crags.

We continued to drive up the valley towards its head, parking up close to the river and enjoying a picnic whilst watching Berger's Clouded Yellow, Marmots, Golden Eagle, Black Redstart and Rufus-tailed Rock Thrush. After lunch we walked up the colourful valley towards the barrage, first starting by exploring the riverbed area noting stands of Dragon-mouth, *Horminium pyrenaicum* and mats of Creeping Snapdragon, *Chaenorhinum origanifolium*. At the lake at the head of the valley we sat a while taking in the view, some having a paddle in the water to cool off. We then returned down the valley towards the van with most of the group returning to the hotel and a few opting to take a scramble up one of the valley sides to a patch of snow where quantities of both *Narcissus pseudonarcissus* ssp. *bicolor* and the dainty Rush-leaved Daffodil, *Narcissus assoanus* were still in flower besides a snow patch. For those returning later, further down the valley at the foot of the limestone cliffs, they located a scree slope that held several blooming Pyrenean Iris, *Iris latifolia* that was to be a great end to a fantastic day.

## Day 7

Tuesday 13th June

Today we once again woke to bright sunshine and a clear view of the snow-topped Breche across the valley towards Gedre. As we assembled outside the hotel pre-departure, a pair of Lammergeier drifted close over the hotel before circling above the adjacent peak along with a dozen or so Griffon Vultures, before landing to allow us excellent views in the telescope. Having had a good start of raptors, we drove up winding roads opposite Gedre and out on to the Plateau de Saugue, a high perched shoulder of the mountain with a rich and diverse selection of hay meadows and pasture and stunning views down into the Cirque de Gavarnie. Singing around the meadows we found Whinchat, Tree Pipit and Quail and around a rocky outcrop we observed a pair of Red-backed Shrikes. The meadows themselves were rich in plants with large quantities of Horned Pansy, *Viola cornuta* and a diverse array of orchids including Burnt Orchid, *Neotinea ustulata*; Pyramidal Orchid, *Anacamptis pyramidalis* and Fragrant Orchid, *Gymnadenia conopsea*. We walked a short way down the quiet mountain road amongst the meadows; here butterflies were again good in terms of quantity and quality with the highlight being a small spring spilling down a roadside that had drawn in large numbers to take up salts. Hundreds of Little Blues were present along with Osaris Blue, Escher's Blue, Essex Skipper, various Ringlets along with Heath and False Heath Fritillary.

We enjoyed lunch under the shade of tree on the lower wooded slopes of the Plateau before driving up to Gavarnie and taking the road towards the ski station above the village. As the road climbed, we pulled up alongside a large limestone cliff occupied by nesting Crag and House Martins. On the cliff we found large white sprays of flowering Pyrenean Saxifrage, *Saxifrage longifolia*, along with Globe-headed Rampion, *Phyteuma hemisphericum* and Soft Snapdragon, *Antirrhinum molle*. Further up we parked at the end of the road at the Col de Tentes, overlooking the descending broad Valley des Pouey Aspe and the start point for our walk towards the Spanish border. We set off up the route of an uncompleted past border crossing, the slopes on either side of the

track being particularly rich in tight flowering alpines in this exposed location. Large mats of flowering Pyrenean Bedstraw, *Gallium pyrenaicum* were present along with other choice alpines including Alchemilla-leaved Cinquefoil, *Potentilla alchemilloides*; *Androsace Vitaliana*; Alpine Skullcap, *Scutellaria alpina* and masses of Pyrenean Thistle, *Cardus carlinoides*.

As the end of the track we reached the Port de Boucharo, a saddle in the peaks at the border with Spain giving views down towards the Ordesa National Park. As we approached we found a pair of Lammergeier, groups of Alpine Chough and Raven. The stony turf here was tight clipped by the wind and studded with Spring Gentian, *Gentiana verna*; Moss Champion, *Silene acaulis*; Yellow Whitlowgrass, *Draba aizoides*; Ashy Cranesbill, *Geranium cinereum* and Alpine Buttercup, *Ranunculus alpestris*. Most of the group opted to go back to the vehicles and back to the hotel, but David walked on further with a small number of the group to search out some of the higher alpine birds and flora. Just up from the Port de Boucharo we observed a small group of Alpine Accentors before we headed up the slope towards the Breche du Roland. The screes here were coming to life following the retreating snow with Alpine Snowbell, *Soldanella alpina*; Entire-leaved Primrose, *Primula integrifolia*; Pyrenean Buttercup, *Ranunculus pyrenaicus* and Alpine Buttercup, *Ranunculus alpestris* coming up through the sward and a carpet of dwarf willows, including Netted Willow, *Salix reticulata* and Retuse-leaved Willow, *Salix retusa*. Just as we were about to return back down, we caught sight of a smart Snow Finch collecting insects around the edge of a remaining snow bed on the slopes and wandering towards us before flying off to its brood of nestlings. With time unfortunately running out, we reluctantly headed back to the van and joined the rest of the group to complete the evening log and enjoy our last evening meal in the French Pyrenees.

## Day 8

Wednesday 14th June

Today was our last in the French Pyrenees, but we had plenty of time with a late afternoon flight from Lourdes, so after packing up the vans and saying goodbye to our hosts we headed off south to the Col de Tourmalet. We weaved our way up to the summit of the highest paved road in France, passing large numbers of cyclists determined to reach the 2,115m famous Tour de France climb. At the top we assembled for a group photo and said our farewells to Phil and Mary who were off to spend the next few weeks further East in the Pyrenees. White-winged Snowfinches were busy foraging for food around the summit and feeding their recently fledged young, allowing close views for the photographers in the group. Some of the group opted for a coffee and a relaxing stroll, whilst a few of us ventured onto the higher rocky outcrops finding a familiar range of Pyrenean flora, butterflies and a couple of Alpine Accentors.

We moved down to a lower elevation for lunch adjacent to a tumbling stream where we noted both Dipper and Grey Wagtail in the water. We enjoyed our last picnic of the trip, noting flowering Pyrenean Eryngo, *Eryngium bourgatii* and watching Honey Buzzard. Surprise find here however was a rather raucous escaped Scarlet Macaw that was flying around the hillside before landing in nearby spruces calling loudly! After lunch we had drinks at a local café before making our way back down the valley and on to Lourdes airport. After dropping off our vehicles we all checked in before taking our return flight back to London Stansted, concluding a highly enjoyable holiday with incredible wall-to-wall sunshine every day of the trip.

## Species Lists

### Plants

#### Scientific Name

#### Common Name

#### PTEROPSIDA

#### FERNS

#### Aspleniaceae

*Asplenium adiantum-nigrum*

*Asplenium ceterach*

*Asplenium fontanum*

*Asplenium ruta-muraria*

*Asplenium scolopendrium*

*Asplenium septentrionale*

*Asplenium trichomanes*

*Asplenium viride*

#### Spleenwort Family

Black Spleenwort

Rustyback

Smooth Spleenwort

Wall-rue

Hart's-tongue

Forked Spleenwort

Maidenhair Spleenwort

Green Spleenwort

#### Blechnaceae

*Blechnum spicant*

#### Hard-fern Family

Hard-fern

#### Dennstaedtiaceae

*Pteridium aquilinum*

#### Bracken Family

Bracken

#### Dryopteridaceae

*Dryopteris affinis*

*Dryopteris dilatata*

*Dryopteris filix-mas*

*Dryopteris oreades*

*Polystichum aculeatum*

*Polystichum lonchitis*

#### Buckler-fern Family

Scaly Male-fern

Broad Buckler-fern

Male-fern

Mountain Male-fern

Hard Shield-fern

Holly-fern

#### Ophioglossaceae

*Botrychium lunaria*

#### Adder's-tongue Family

Moonwort

#### Polypodiaceae

*Polypodium vulgare*

#### Polypody Family

Common Polypody

#### Pteridaceae

*Cryptogramma crispa*

#### Maidenhair Fern Family

Parsley Fern

#### Thelypteridaceae

*Gymnocarpium dryopteris*

*Phegopteris connectilis*

#### Marsh Fern Family

Oak Fern

Beech Fern

#### Woodsiaceae

*Athyrium filix-femina*

*Cystopteris fragilis*

#### Lady-fern Family

Lady-fern

Brittle Bladder-fern

#### PINOPSIDA (GYMNOSPERMS)

#### CONIFERS

#### Cupressaceae

*Juniperus communis subsp. alpina*

*Juniperus communis subsp. communis*

#### Cypress Family

Common Juniper

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<b>Scientific Name</b>	<b>Common Name</b>
<b>Pinaceae</b>	<b>Pine Family</b>
<i>Abies alba</i>	European Silver-fir
<i>Picea abies</i> ‡	Norway Spruce
<i>Pinus sylvestris</i>	Scots Pine
<i>Pinus uncinata</i>	Mountain Pine
<b>Taxaceae</b>	<b>Yew Family</b>
<i>Taxus baccata</i>	Yew

**MAGNOLIOPSIDA****FLOWERING PLANTS****MAGNOLIIDAE (DICOTYLEDONS)**

<b>Aceraceae</b>	<b>Maple Family</b>
<i>Acer campestre</i>	Field Maple
<i>Acer pseudoplatanus</i>	Sycamore
<b>Apiaceae</b>	<b>Carrot Family</b>
<i>Aegopodium podagraria</i>	Ground Elder
<i>Angelica razulii</i> •	Pyrenean Angelica
<i>Angelica sylvestris</i>	Wild Angelica
<i>Anthriscus sylvestris</i>	Cow Parsley
<i>Chaerophyllum aureum</i>	Golden Chervil
<i>Chaerophyllum hirsutum</i>	Hairy Chervil
<i>Conopodium pyrenaicum</i> •	Pyrenean Pignut
<i>Daucus carota</i>	Wild Carrot
<i>Eryngium bourgatii</i>	Pyrenean Eryngo
<i>Heracleum sphondylium</i> subsp. <i>pyrenaicum</i> •	Pyrenean Hogweed
<i>Imperatoria ostruthium</i>	Masterwort
<i>Laserpitium latifolium</i>	Broad-leaved Sermountain
<i>Laserpitium siler</i>	Narrow-leaved Sermountain
<i>Meum athamanticum</i>	Spignel
<i>Myrrhis odorata</i>	Sweet Cicely
<i>Pimpinella saxifraga</i>	Burnet-saxifrage
<i>Sanicula europaea</i>	Sanicle
<b>Apocyanaceae</b>	<b>Periwinkle Family</b>
<i>Vinca minor</i> ‡	Lesser Periwinkle
<b>Aquifoliaceae</b>	<b>Holly Family</b>
<i>Ilex aquifolium</i>	Holly
<b>Araliaceae</b>	<b>Ivy Family</b>
<i>Hedera helix</i>	Ivy
<b>Asclepiadaceae</b>	<b>Milkweed Family</b>
<i>Vincetoxicum hirundinaria</i>	Swallow-wort
<b>Asteraceae</b>	<b>Daisy Family</b>
<i>Achillea millefolium</i>	Yarrow
<i>Adenostyles alliariae</i>	Adenostyles
<i>Antennaria dioica</i>	Mountain Everlasting



<b>Scientific Name</b>	<b>Common Name</b>
<i>Anthemis cretica</i>	Mountain Dog-daisy
<i>Aster alpinus</i>	Alpine Aster
<i>Bellis perennis</i>	Daisy
<i>Carduus carlinoides</i> •	Pyrenean Thistle
<i>Carduus defloratus</i>	Alpine Thistle
<i>Carduus nutans</i>	Nodding Thistle
<i>Carlina vulgaris</i>	Common Carlina Thistle
<i>Centaurea montana</i>	Mountain Cornflower
<i>Centaurea nigra</i>	Knapweed
<i>Cicerbita alpina</i>	Alpine Blue-sowthistle
<i>Cichorium intybus</i>	Chicory
<i>Cirsium heterophyllum</i>	Melancholy Thistle
<i>Cirsium palustre</i>	Marsh Thistle
<i>Cirsium vulgare</i>	Spear Thistle
<i>Crepis paludosa</i>	Marsh Hawk's-beard
<i>Crepis pygmaea</i>	Pygmy Hawk's-beard
<i>Erigeron alpinus</i>	Alpine Fleabane
<i>Eupatorium cannabinum</i>	Hemp Agrimony
<i>Gnaphalium supinum</i>	Dwarf Cudweed
<i>Homogyne alpina</i>	Alpine Colt's-foot
<i>Leontodon pyrenaicus</i>	Pyrenean Hawkbit
<i>Leucanthemum vulgare</i>	Ox-eye Daisy
<i>Leucanthemopsis alpina</i>	Alpine Moon-daisy
<i>Petasites paradoxus</i>	Alpine Butterbur
<i>Prenanthes purpurea</i>	Purple Lettuce
<i>Saussurea alpina</i>	Alpine Saw-wort
<i>Senecio jacobea</i>	Ragwort
<i>Senecio vulgaris</i>	Common Groundsel
<i>Solidago virgaurea</i>	Goldenrod
<i>Sonchus asper</i>	Prickly Sow-thistle
<i>Taraxacum officinale</i>	Dandelion
<i>Tragopogon pratensis</i>	Goat's-beard
<i>Tussilago farfara</i>	Colt's-foot
<b>Berberidaceae</b>	<b>Barberry Family</b>
<i>Berberis vulgaris</i>	Common Barberry
<b>Betulaceae</b>	<b>Birch Family</b>
<i>Alnus glutinosa</i>	Common Alder
<i>Betula pendula</i>	Silver Birch
<i>Betula pubescens</i>	Downy Birch
<b>Boraginaceae</b>	<b>Borage Family</b>
<i>Borago officinalis</i>	Borage
<i>Echium vulgare</i>	Viper's Bugloss
<i>Lithospermum officinale</i>	Common Gromwell
<i>Myosotis alpestris</i>	Alpine Forget-me-not
<i>Myosotis arvensis</i>	Field Forget-me-not
<i>Pulmonaria affinis</i>	A Lungwort
<b>Brassicaceae</b>	<b>Cabbage Family</b>
<i>Arabis alpina</i>	Alpine Rock-cress
<i>Barbarea intermedia</i>	Medium-flowered Winter-cress

<b>Scientific Name</b>	<b>Common Name</b>
<i>Capsella bursa-pastoris</i>	Shepherd's-purse
<i>Cardamine pratensis</i>	Lady's Smock
<i>Cardamine raphanifolia</i> •	Radish-leaved Bitter-cress
<i>Descurainia sophia</i>	Flixweed
<i>Draba aizoides</i>	Yellow Whitlowgrass
<i>Draba dubia</i>	Austrian Whitlowgrass
<i>Erysimum duriaei</i> subsp. <i>pyrenaicum</i>	Pyrenean Treacle-mustard
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<i>Iberis amara</i>	Wild Candytuft
<i>Iberis sempervirens</i>	Evergreen Candytuft
<i>Iberis spathulata</i> •	Spoon-leaved Candytuft
<i>Pritzelago alpina</i>	Chamois Cress
<i>Pseudoturritis turrita</i>	Tower Cress
<i>Rhynchosinapsis cheiranthos</i>	Wallflower Cabbage
<b>Buddlejaceae</b>	<b>Butterfly-bush Family</b>
<i>Buddleja davidii</i> ‡	Butterfly-bush
<b>Buxaceae</b>	<b>Box Family</b>
<i>Buxus sempervirens</i>	Box
<b>Campanulaceae</b>	<b>Bellflower Family</b>
<i>Campanula glomerata</i>	Clustered Bellflower
<i>Campanula patula</i>	Spreading Bellflower
<i>Campanula rotundifolia</i>	Harebell
<i>Phyteuma hemisphericum</i>	Globe-headed Rampion
<i>Phyteuma orbiculare</i>	Round-headed Rampion
<i>Phyteuma pyrenaicum</i> •	Pyrenean Rampion
<i>Phyteuma spicatum</i>	Spiked Rampion
<b>Caprifoliaceae</b>	<b>Honeysuckle Family</b>
<i>Lonicera periclymenum</i>	Common Honeysuckle
<i>Lonicera pyrenaica</i>	Pyrenean Honeysuckle
<i>Lonicera nigra</i>	
<i>Sambucus ebulus</i>	Dwarf Elder
<i>Sambucus nigra</i>	Common Elder
<i>Sambucus racemosa</i>	Alpine Elder
<b>Caryophyllaceae</b>	<b>Pink Family</b>
<i>Cerastium alpinum</i>	Alpine Mouse-ear
<i>Cerastium fontanum</i>	Common Mouse-ear
<i>Cerastium tomentosum</i> ‡	Snow-in-summer
<i>Dianthus barbatus</i> ‡	Sweet William
<i>Dianthus deltoides</i>	Maiden Pink
<i>Dianthus monspessulanus</i>	Fringed Pink
<i>Gypsophila repens</i>	Alpine Gypsophila
<i>Minuartia verna</i>	Vernal Sandwort
<i>Minuartia sedoides</i>	Mossy Cyphel
<i>Paronychia kapela</i> subsp. <i>serpyllifolia</i>	A Paronychia
<i>Sagina saginoides</i>	Alpine Pearlwort
<i>Saponaria caespitosa</i> •	Tufted Soapwort
<i>Saponaria officinalis</i>	Soapwort
<i>Silene acaulis</i>	Moss Campion

<b>Scientific Name</b>	<b>Common Name</b>
<i>Silene alba</i>	White Campion
<i>Silene dioica</i>	Red Campion
<i>Silene nutans</i>	Nottingham Catchfly
<i>Silene rupestris</i>	Rock Campion
<i>Silene suecica</i>	Alpine Catchfly
<i>Silene vulgaris</i>	Bladder Campion
<i>Stellaria graminea</i>	Lesser Stitchwort
<i>Stellaria holostea</i>	Greater Stitchwort
<i>Stellaria media</i>	Common Chickweed
<b>Celastraceae</b>	<b>Spindle Family</b>
<i>Euonymus europaeus</i>	Spindle
<b>Chenopodiaceae</b>	<b>Goosefoot Family</b>
<i>Chenopodium bonus-henricus</i>	Good-King-Henry
<b>Cistaceae</b>	<b>Rockrose Family</b>
<i>Helianthemum appeninum</i>	White Rockrose
<i>Helianthemum canum</i>	Hoary Rockrose
<i>Helianthemum nummularium subsp. grandiflorum</i>	Common Rockrose
<b>Convolvulaceae</b>	<b>Bindweed Family</b>
<i>Convolvulus arvensis</i>	Field Bindweed
<i>Cuscuta epithimum</i>	Common Dodder
<b>Cornaceae</b>	<b>Dogwood Family</b>
<i>Cornus sanguinea</i>	Common Dogwood
<b>Corylaceae</b>	<b>Hazel Family</b>
<i>Corylus avellana</i>	Hazel
<b>Crassulaceae</b>	<b>Stonecrop Family</b>
<i>Sedum acre</i>	Biting Stonecrop
<i>Sedum album</i>	White Stonecrop
<i>Sedum alpestre</i>	Alpine Stonecrop
<i>Sedum anglicum</i>	English Stonecrop
<i>Sedum annuum</i>	Annual Stonecrop
<i>Sedum atratum</i>	Dark Stonecrop
<i>Sedum dasyphyllum</i>	Thick-leaved Stonecrop
<i>Sedum hirsutum</i>	Hairy Stonecrop
<i>Sedum reflexum</i>	Reflexed Stonecrop
<i>Sempervivum montanum</i>	Mountain Houseleek
<i>Sempervivum tectorum</i>	Common Houseleek
<b>Dioscoreaceae</b>	<b>Yam Family</b>
<i>Dioscorea pyrenaica</i> •	Pyrenean Yam
<i>Tamus communis</i>	Black Bryony
<b>Dipsacaceae</b>	<b>Teasel Family</b>
<i>Knautia arvensis</i>	Field Scabious
<i>Knautia dipsacifolia</i>	Wood Scabious
<i>Succisa pratensis</i>	Devil's-bit Scabious

<b>Scientific Name</b>	<b>Common Name</b>
<b>Droseraceae</b> <i>Drosera rotundifolia</i>	<b>Sundew Family</b> Round-leaved Sundew
<b>Ericaceae</b> <i>Arctostaphylos uva-ursi</i> <i>Calluna vulgaris</i> <i>Rhododendron ferrugineum</i> <i>Vaccinium myrtillus</i>	<b>Heather Family</b> Bearberry Ling Alpenrose Bilberry
<b>Euphorbiaceae</b> <i>Euphorbia amygdaloides</i> <i>Euphorbia cyparissias</i> <i>Euphorbia hyberna</i> <i>Mercurialis perennis</i>	<b>Spurge Family</b> Wood Spurge Cypress Spurge Irish Spurge Dog's Mercury
<b>Fabaceae</b> <i>Anthyllis montana</i> <i>Anthyllis vulneraria subsp. pyrenaica</i> • <i>Astragalus monspessulanus</i> <i>Cytisus scoparius</i> <i>Genista tinctoria</i> <i>Hippocrepis comosa</i> <i>Lathyrus aphaca</i> <i>Lathyrus laevigatus subsp. occidentalis</i> <i>Lathyrus montanus</i> <i>Lathyrus pratensis</i> <i>Lotus corniculatus</i> <i>Lotus uliginosus</i> <i>Medicago lupulina</i> <i>Onobrychis viciifolia</i> <i>Ononis fruticosa</i> <i>Ononis natrix</i> <i>Oxytropis campestris</i> <i>Oxytropis pyrenaica</i> • <i>Tetragonolobus maritimus</i> <i>Trifolium alpinum</i> <i>Trifolium montanum</i> <i>Trifolium pratense</i> <i>Trifolium repens</i> <i>Vicia argentea</i> <i>Vicia cracca</i> <i>Vicia pyrenaica</i> • <i>Vicia sepium</i>	<b>Pea Family</b> Mountain Kidney Vetch Pyrenean Kidney Vetch • Montpellier Milk-vetch Common Broom Dyer's Greenweed Horseshoe Vetch Yellow Vetchling Yellow Pea  Bitter Vetch Meadow Vetchling Bird's-foot Trefoil Greater Bird's-foot Trefoil Black Medick Sainfoin Shrubby Restharrow Large Yellow Restharrow Yellow Milk-vetch Pyrenean Milk-vetch Dragon's Teeth Alpine Clover Mountain Clover Red Clover White Clover Silver Vetch Tufted Vetch Pyrenean Vetch Bush Vetch
<b>Fagaceae</b> <i>Fagus sylvatica</i> <i>Quercus petraea</i> <i>Quercus pyrenaica</i> <i>Quercus robur</i>	<b>Beech Family</b> Beech Sessile Oak Pyrenean Oak Common Oak
<b>Gentianaceae</b> <i>Gentiana acaulis</i>	<b>Gentian Family</b> Trumpet Gentian

<b>Scientific Name</b>	<b>Common Name</b>
<i>Gentiana alpina</i>	Alpine Gentian
<i>Gentiana cruciata</i>	Cross Gentian
<i>Gentiana lutea</i>	Large Yellow Gentian
<i>Gentiana verna</i>	Spring Gentian
<b>Geraniaceae</b>	<b>Crane's-bill Family</b>
<i>Erodium cicutarium</i>	Common Stork's-bill
<i>Geranium cinereum</i> •	Ashy Crane's-bill
<i>Geranium lucidum</i>	Shining Crane's-bill
<i>Geranium molle</i>	Dove's-foot Crane's-bill
<i>Geranium phaeum</i>	Dusky Crane's-bill
<i>Geranium robertianum</i>	Herb Robert
<i>Geranium rotundifolium</i>	Round-leaved Crane's-bill
<i>Geranium sanguineum</i>	Bloody Crane's-bill
<i>Geranium sylvaticum</i>	Wood Crane's-bill
<b>Gesneriaceae</b>	<b>Gloxinia Family</b>
<i>Ramonda myconi</i> •	Ramonda
<b>Globulariaceae</b>	<b>Globularia Family</b>
<i>Globularia cordifolia</i>	Matted Globularia
<i>Globularia nudicaulis</i>	Leafless-stemmed Globularia
<i>Globularia repens</i>	Creeping Globularia
<b>Hypericaceae</b>	<b>St John's-wort Family</b>
<i>Hypericum nummularium</i>	Western St John's-wort
<i>Hypericum perforatum</i>	Perforate St John's-wort
<b>Juglandaceae</b>	<b>Walnut Family</b>
<i>Juglans regia</i> ‡	Walnut
<b>Lamiaceae</b>	<b>Dead-nettle Family</b>
<i>Ajuga pyramidalis</i>	Pyramidal Bugle
<i>Ajuga reptans</i>	Common Bugle
<i>Ballota nigra</i>	Black Horehound
<i>Betonica officinalis</i>	Betony
<i>Clinopodium alpinum</i>	Alpine Basil Thyme
<i>Clinopodium arvensis</i>	Basil Thyme
<i>Clinopodium vulgare</i>	Wild Basil
<i>Galeopsis angustifolia</i>	Red Hemp-nettle
<i>Galeopsis tetrahit</i>	Common Hemp-nettle
<i>Horminum pyrenaicum</i>	Dragon-mouth
<i>Lamiaeum galeobdolon</i>	Yellow Archangel
<i>Lamium album</i>	White Dead-nettle
<i>Lamium maculatum</i>	Spotted Dead-nettle
<i>Lamium purpureum</i>	Red Dead-nettle
<i>Mentha aquatica</i>	Water Mint
<i>Prunella vulgaris</i>	Self-heal
<i>Salvia pratensis</i>	Meadow Clary
<i>Scutellaria alpina</i>	Alpine Skullcap
<i>Sideritis hyssopifolia</i>	Sideritis
<i>Stachys alopecurus</i>	Yellow Betony
<i>Stachys recta</i>	Yellow Woundwort

<b>Scientific Name</b>	<b>Common Name</b>
<i>Teucrium chamaedrys</i>	Wall Germander
<i>Teucrium pyrenaicum</i> •	Pyrenean Germander
<i>Teucrium scorodonia</i>	Wood Sage
<i>Thymus polytrichus</i>	Wild Thyme
<b>Lentibulariaceae</b>	<b>Butterwort Family</b>
<i>Pinguicula alpina</i>	Alpine Butterwort
<i>Pinguicula grandiflora</i>	Large-flowered Butterwort
<i>Pinguicula longifolia</i> subsp. <i>longifolia</i>	Long-leaved Butterwort
<i>Pinguicula vulgaris</i>	Common Butterwort
<b>Linaceae</b>	<b>Flax Family</b>
<i>Linum catharticum</i>	Fairy Flax
<b>Loranthaceae</b>	<b>Mistletoe Family</b>
<i>Viscum album</i>	Mistletoe
<b>Malvaceae</b>	<b>Mallow Family</b>
<i>Malva neglecta</i>	Dwarf Mallow
<i>Malva sylvestris</i>	Common Mallow
<b>Oleaceae</b>	<b>Ash Family</b>
<i>Fraxinus excelsior</i>	Ash
<b>Onagraceae</b>	<b>Willowherb Family</b>
<i>Chamerion angustifolium</i>	Rosebay Willowherb
<i>Epilobium alsinifolium</i>	Chickweed Willowherb
<i>Epilobium hirsutum</i>	Greater Willowherb
<b>Orobanchaceae</b>	<b>Broomrape Family</b>
<i>Orobanche alba</i>	Thyme Broomrape
<i>Orobanche gracilis</i>	Slender Broomrape
<i>Orobanche minor</i>	Common Broomrape
<b>Oxalidaceae</b>	<b>Wood-sorrel Family</b>
<i>Oxalis acetosella</i>	Wood-sorrel
<b>Papaveraceae</b>	<b>Poppy Family</b>
<i>Chelidonium majus</i>	Greater Celandine
<i>Meconopsis cambrica</i>	Welsh Poppy
<i>Papaver rhoeas</i>	Common Poppy
<b>Plantaginaceae</b>	<b>Plantain Family</b>
<i>Plantago alpina</i>	Alpine Plantain
<i>Plantago lanceolata</i>	Ribwort Plantain
<i>Plantago major</i>	Greater Plantain
<i>Plantago media</i>	Hoary Plantain
<b>Platanaceae</b>	<b>Plane Family</b>
<i>Platanus x hispanica</i> †	London Plane
<b>Plumbaginaceae</b>	<b>Thrift Family</b>
<i>Armeria alpina</i>	Mountain Thrift

<b>Scientific Name</b>	<b>Common Name</b>
<b>Polygalaceae</b>	<b>Milkwort Family</b>
<i>Polygala alpina</i>	Alpine Milkwort
<i>Polygala calcarea</i>	Chalk Milkwort
<i>Polygala vulgaris</i>	Common Milkwort
<b>Polygonaceae</b>	<b>Dock Family</b>
<i>Oxyria digyna</i>	Mountain Sorrel
<i>Persicaria bistorta</i>	Common Bistort
<i>Persicaria vivipara</i>	Alpine Bistort
<i>Rumex acetosa</i>	Common Sorrel
<i>Rumex acetosella</i>	Sheep's Sorrel
<i>Rumex alpinus</i>	Monk's-rhubarb
<b>Primulaceae</b>	<b>Primrose Family</b>
<i>Androsace laggeri</i>	Pink Rock-jasmine
<i>Androsace vitaliana</i>	Vitaliana
<i>Androsace villosa</i>	Hairy Rock-jasmine
<i>Primula farinosa</i>	Bird's-eye Primrose
<i>Primula hirsuta</i>	Hairy Primrose
<i>Primula integrifolia</i>	Entire-leaved Primrose
<i>Primula veris</i>	Cowslip
<i>Soldanella alpina</i>	Alpine Snowbell
<b>Pyrolaceae</b>	<b>Wintergreen Family</b>
<i>Moneses uniflora</i>	One-flowered Wintergreen
<i>Orthilia secunda</i>	Serrated Wintergreen
<i>Pyrola minor</i>	Lesser Wintergreen
<b>Ranunculaceae</b>	<b>Buttercup Family</b>
<i>Aconitum napellus</i>	Common Monk's-hood
<i>Anemone nemorosa</i>	Wood Anemone
<i>Anemone narcissiflora</i>	Narcissus-flowered Anemone
<i>Aquilegia vulgaris</i>	Common Columbine
<i>Caltha palustris</i>	Marsh Marigold
<i>Clematis vitalba</i>	Old Man's Beard
<i>Helleborus foetidus</i>	Stinking Hellebore
<i>Helleborus viridis</i>	Green Hellebore
<i>Hepatica nobilis</i>	Liverleaf
<i>Pulsatilla alpina</i> subsp. <i>alpina</i>	Alpine Pasqueflower
<i>Ranunculus aconitifolius</i>	Aconite-leaved Buttercup
<i>Ranunculus acris</i>	Meadow Buttercup
<i>Ranunculus alpestris</i>	Alpine Buttercup
<i>Ranunculus bulbosus</i>	Bulbous Buttercup
<i>Ranunculus flammula</i>	Lesser Spearwort
<i>Ranunculus gouanii</i> •	Gouan's Buttercup
<i>Ranunculus pyrenaicus</i> •	Pyrenean Buttercup
<i>Ranunculus repens</i>	Creeping Buttercup
<i>Ranunculus thora</i>	Thore's Buttercup
<i>Thalictrum aquilegifolium</i>	Great Meadow-rue
<i>Thalictrum minus</i>	Lesser Meadow-rue
<i>Trollius europaeus</i>	Globeflower

<b>Scientific Name</b>	<b>Common Name</b>
<b>Resedaceae</b>	
<i>Reseda glauca</i> •	<b>Mignonette Family</b> Pyrenean Mignonette
<i>Reseda luteola</i>	Weld
<b>Rhamnaceae</b>	
<i>Rhamnus saxatilis</i>	<b>Buckthorn Family</b> Rock Buckthorn
<b>Rosaceae</b>	
<i>Agrimonia eupatoria</i>	<b>Rose Family</b> Agrimony
<i>Alchemilla alpina</i>	Alpine Lady's-mantle
<i>Alchemilla glabra</i>	A Lady's-mantle
<i>Amelanchier ovalis</i>	Snowy Mespilus
<i>Cotoneaster integerrimus</i>	Wild Cotoneaster
<i>Crataegus monogyna</i>	Hawthorn
<i>Dryas octopetala</i>	Mountain Avens
<i>Filipendula ulmaria</i>	Meadsweet
<i>Fragaria vesca</i>	Wild Strawberry
<i>Geum montanum</i>	Alpine Avens
<i>Geum pyrenaicum</i> •	Pyrenean Avens
<i>Geum rivale</i>	Water Avens
<i>Geum urbanum</i>	Herb Bennet
<i>Malus sylvestris</i>	Crab Apple
<i>Potentilla alchemilloides</i>	Alchemilla-leaved Cinquefoil
<i>Potentilla erecta</i>	Tormentil
<i>Potentilla crantzii</i>	Alpine Cinquefoil
<i>Potentilla fruticosa</i>	Shrubby Cinquefoil
<i>Potentilla montana</i>	Mountain Cinquefoil
<i>Potentilla rupestris</i>	Rock Cinquefoil
<i>Potentilla sterilis</i>	Barren Strawberry
<i>Poterium sanguisorba</i>	Salad Burnet
<i>Prunus avium</i>	Wild Cherry
<i>Prunus spinosa</i>	Blackthorn
<i>Rubus idaeus</i>	Raspberry
<i>Rubus saxatilis</i>	Stone Bramble
<i>Rubus ulmifolius</i>	A Bramble
<i>Rosa arvensis</i>	Field Rose
<i>Rosa canina</i>	Dog-rose
<i>Rosa pendulina</i>	Alpine Rose
<i>Sanguisorba officinalis</i>	Great Burnet
<i>Sibbaldia procumbens</i>	Sibbaldia
<i>Sorbus aria</i>	Whitebeam
<i>Sorbus aucuparia</i>	Rowan
<i>Sorbus mougeotii</i>	Mougeot's Whitebeam
<b>Rubiaceae</b>	
<i>Asperula pyrenaica</i> •	<b>Bedstraw Family</b> Pyrenean Woodruff
<i>Cruciata laevipes</i>	Crosswort
<i>Galium aparine</i>	Cleavers
<i>Galium odoratum</i>	Woodruff
<i>Galium pyrenaicum</i> •	Pyrenean Bedstraw
<i>Galium saxatile</i>	Heath Bedstraw
<i>Galium verum</i>	Lady's Bedstraw
<i>Rubia peregriana</i>	Wild Madder



**Scientific Name****Common Name****Salicaceae**

*Populus alba*  
*Populus nigra*  
*Populus tremula*  
*Salix aurita*  
*Salix reticulata*  
*Salix retusa*

**Willow Family**

White Poplar  
 Black Poplar  
 Aspen  
 Eared Sallow  
 Netted Willow  
 Retuse-leaved Willow

**Saxifragaceae**

*Chrysosplenium oppositifolium*  
*Saxifraga aizoides*  
*Saxifraga exarata* subsp. *moschata*  
*Saxifraga granulata*  
*Saxifraga hirsuta* subsp. *hirsuta*  
*Saxifraga longifolia* subsp. *longifolia*  
*Saxifraga oppositifolia*  
*Saxifraga paniculata*  
*Saxifraga stellaris*  
*Saxifraga tridactylites*  
*Saxifraga umbrosa* •

**Saxifrage Family**

Opposite-leaved Golden Saxifrage  
 Yellow Mountain Saxifrage  
 Musky Saxifrage  
 Meadow Saxifrage  
 Kidney Saxifrage  
 Pyrenean Saxifrage  
 Purple Saxifrage  
 Livelong Saxifrage  
 Starry Saxifrage  
 Rue-leaved Saxifrage  
 Wood Saxifrage

**Scrophulariaceae**

*Antirrhinum sempervirens* •  
*Antirrhinum molle*  
*Chaenorhinum origanifolium* •  
*Cymbalaria muralis*  
*Digitalis purpurea*  
*Erinus alpinus*  
*Euphrasia rostkoviana*  
*Linaria alpina*  
*Linaria supina* •  
*Linaria vulgaris*  
*Pedicularis foliosa*  
*Pedicularis pyrenaica* •  
*Pedicularis sylvatica*  
*Rhinanthus minor*  
*Scrophularia canina* subsp. *hoppii*  
*Scrophularia nodosa*  
*Scrophularia pyrenaica* •  
*Verbascum pulverulentum*  
*Verbascum thapsus*  
*Veronica alpina*  
*Veronica beccabunga*  
*Veronica chamaedrys*  
*Veronica fruticans*  
*Veronica prostrata*  
*Veronica serpyllifolia*

**Figwort Family**

Rock Snapdragon  
 Soft Snapdragon  
 Creeping Snapdragon  
 Ivy-leaved Toadflax  
 Purple Foxglove  
 Fairy Foxglove  
 Common Eyebright  
 Alpine Toadflax  
 Dwarf Toadflax  
 Common Toadflax  
 Leafy Lousewort  
 Pyrenean Lousewort  
 Common Lousewort  
 Yellow-rattle  
 French Figwort  
 Common Figwort  
 Pyrenean Figwort  
 Hoary Mullein  
 Common Mullein  
 Alpine Speedwell  
 Brooklime  
 Germander Speedwell  
 Rock Speedwell  
 Prostrate Speedwell  
 Thyme-leaved Speedwell

**Solanaceae**

*Atropa belladonna*  
*Solanum dulcamara*

**Nightshade Family**

Deadly Nightshade  
 Bittersweet

<b>Scientific Name</b>	<b>Common Name</b>
<b>Thymelaeaceae</b>	<b>Mezereon Family</b>
<i>Daphne cneorum</i>	Garland Flower
<i>Daphne laureola</i>	Spurge Laurel
<i>Daphne mezereum</i>	Mezereon
<i>Thymelaea tinctoria</i> subsp. <i>nivalis</i> •	Snow Thymelaea
<b>Tiliaceae</b>	<b>Lime Family</b>
<i>Tilia cordata</i>	Small-leaved Lime
<i>Tilia platyphyllos</i> ‡	Large-leaved Lime
<b>Ulmaceae</b>	<b>Elm Family</b>
<i>Ulmus glabra</i>	Wych Elm
<i>Ulmus minor</i>	Smooth Elm
<i>Ulmus procera</i>	English Elm
<b>Urticaceae</b>	<b>Nettle Family</b>
<i>Parietaria judaica</i>	Pellitory-of-the-wall
<i>Urtica dioica</i>	Common Nettle
<b>Valerianaceae</b>	<b>Valerian Family</b>
<i>Centranthus ruber</i> ‡	Red Valerian
<i>Valeriana officinalis</i>	Common Valerian
<i>Valeriana pyrenaica</i> •	Pyrenean Valerian
<b>Verbenaceae</b>	<b>Vervain Family</b>
<i>Verbena officinalis</i>	Vervain
<b>Violaceae</b>	<b>Violet Family</b>
<i>Viola biflora</i>	Yellow Wood-violet
<i>Viola canina</i>	Heath Dog-violet
<i>Viola cornuta</i> •	Horned Pansy
<i>Viola lutea</i>	Mountain Pansy
<i>Viola riviniana</i>	Common Dog-violet
<i>Viola tricolor</i>	Wild Pansy

#### LILIIDAE (Monocotyledons)

<b>Amaryllidaceae</b>	<b>Daffodil Family</b>
<i>Allium schoenoprasum</i>	Chives
<i>Allium sphaerocephalon</i>	Round-headed Leek
<i>Allium victorialis</i>	Alpine Leek
<i>Narcissus assoanus</i>	Rush-leaved Daffodil
<i>Narcissus pseudonarcissus</i> ssp. <i>bicolor</i> •	A Daffodil
<b>Asparagaceae</b>	<b>Asparagus Family</b>
<i>Anthericum liliago</i>	St Bernard's Lily
<i>Brimeura amethystina</i> •	Pyrenean Hyacinth
<i>Bulbocodium verna</i>	
<i>Convallaria majalis</i>	Lily-of-the-Valley
<i>Dipcadi serotinum</i>	Dipcadi
<i>Paradisea liliastrum</i>	St Bruno's Lily
<i>Polygonatum verticillatum</i>	Whorled Solomon's-seal

<b>Scientific Name</b>	<b>Common Name</b>
<i>Scilla liliohyacinthus</i> • <i>Scilla verna</i>	Pyrenean Squill Spring Squill
<b>Cyperaceae</b>	<b>Sedge Family</b>
<i>Eriophorum angustifolium</i>	Common Cottongrass
<b>Iridaceae</b>	<b>Iris Family</b>
<i>Iris latifolia</i> •	Pyrenean Iris
<b>Liliaceae</b>	<b>Lily Family</b>
<i>Fritillaria pyrenaica</i> • <i>Lilium martagon</i> <i>Lilium pyrenaicum</i> •	Pyrenean Snakeshead Martagon Lily Pyrenean Lily
<b>Melanthiaceae</b>	<b>Herb-Paris Family</b>
<i>Paris quadrifolia</i>	Herb-Paris
<b>Orchidaceae</b>	<b>Orchid Family</b>
<i>Anacamptis fragrans</i> <i>Anacamptis pyramidalis</i> <i>Coeloglossum viride</i> <i>Cephalanthera longifolia</i> <i>Dactylorhiza fuchsii</i> <i>Dactylorhiza majalis</i> <i>Dactylorhiza maculata</i> <i>Dactylorhiza sambucina</i> <i>Epipactis atrorubens</i> <i>Epipactis helleborine</i> <i>Goodyera repens</i> <i>Gymnadenia austriaca subsp. gallica</i> <i>Gymnadenia conopsea</i> <i>Neotinea ustulata</i> <i>Neottia nidus-avis</i> <i>Neottia ovata</i> <i>Orchis mascula</i> <i>Platanthera chlorantha</i>	Fragrant Bug Orchid Pyramidal Orchid Frog Orchid Sword-leaved Helleborine Common Spotted-orchid Broad-leaved Marsh-orchid Heath Spotted-orchid Elder-flowered Orchid Dark-red Helleborine Broad-leaved Helleborine Creeping Lady's-tresses A Vanilla Orchid Fragrant-orchid Burnt Orchid Bird's-nest Orchid Twayblade Early-purple Orchid Greater Butterfly-orchid
<b>Tofieldiaceae</b>	<b>Scottish Asphodel Family</b>
<i>Tofieldia calyculata</i>	Tofield's Asphodel
<b>Xanthorrhoeaceae</b>	<b>Asphodel Family</b>
<i>Asphodelus albus</i>	White Asphodel

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

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			7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
1	Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>								1
2	Western Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>								
3	Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>	2					1		
4	White Stork	<i>Ciconia ciconia</i>								
5	Black Stork	<i>Ciconia nigra</i>								
6	Mallard	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>								

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7	Common Pochard	<i>Aythya ferina</i>								
8	Black Kite	<i>Milvus migrans</i>	30		3	2	2	2		6
9	Red Kite	<i>Milvus milvus</i>	3		1	1			2	4
10	Bearded Vulture	<i>Gypaetus barbatus</i>				5		2	4	
11	Egyptian Vulture	<i>Neophron percnopterus</i>				1				
12	Griffon Vulture	<i>Gyps fulvus</i>	6	6	6	15+		15+	40+	25
13	Montagu's Harrier	<i>Circus pygargus</i>								
14	Eurasian Sparrowhawk	<i>Accipiter nisus</i>			1					
15	Northern Goshawk	<i>Accipiter gentilis</i>								
16	European Honey Buzzard	<i>Pernis apivorus</i>			1	4				1
17	Common Buzzard	<i>Buteo buteo</i>		1					2	
18	Golden Eagle	<i>Aquila chrysaetos</i>		1	1	1	1	4		
19	Booted Eagle	<i>Hieraaetus pennatus</i>								
20	Short-toed Snake Eagle	<i>Circaetus gallicus</i>					1			
21	Common Kestrel	<i>Falco tinnunculus</i>	2	2	4	4		2		1
22	Eurasian Hobby	<i>Falco subbuteo</i>								
23	Peregrine Falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>				1				
24	Rock Ptarmigan	<i>Lagopus mutus</i>								
25	Red-legged Partridge	<i>Alectoris rufa</i>								
26	Grey Partridge	<i>Perdix perdix</i>								
27	Common Pheasant	<i>Phasianus colchicus</i>								
28	Common Quail	<i>Coturnix coturnix</i>							H	
29	Rock Dove / Feral Pigeon	<i>Columba livia</i>	✓		2			2	2	✓
30	Common Woodpigeon	<i>Columba palumbus</i>			3			1		
31	Eurasian Collared Dove	<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>					2	1		8
32	European Turtle Dove	<i>Streptopelia turtur</i>								
33	Common Cuckoo	<i>Cuculus canorus</i>								
34	Tawny Owl	<i>Strix aluco</i>								
35	Alpine Swift	<i>Tachymarptis melba</i>								
36	Common Swift	<i>Apus apus</i>	20			4				✓
37	Eurasian Hoopoe	<i>Upupa epops</i>								
38	Eurasian Wryneck	<i>Jynx torquilla</i>								
39	Black Woodpecker	<i>Dryocopus martius</i>			2					
40	European Green Woodpecker	<i>Picus viridis</i>							2	
41	Great Spotted Woodpecker	<i>Dendrocopos major</i>				H	H	1	H	
42	Middle Spotted Woodpecker	<i>Dendrocoptes medius</i>					1	H	1	1
43	Lesser Spotted Woodpecker	<i>Dryobates minor</i>				H	H			
44	Eurasian Skylark	<i>Alauda arvensis</i>				H			H	
45	Woodlark	<i>Lullula arborea</i>				H				
46	Sand Martin	<i>Riparia riparia</i>								
47	Eurasian Crag Martin	<i>Ptyonoprogne rupestris</i>	10	30	15	10	20	30	✓	✓
48	Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>	✓			2				✓
49	Red-rumped Swallow	<i>Cecropis daurica</i>								
50	Common House Martin	<i>Delichon urbicum</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
51	Water Pipit	<i>Anthus spinoletta</i>		3		10	6	8	20	10
52	Meadow Pipit	<i>Anthus pratensis</i>								
53	Tree Pipit	<i>Anthus trivialis</i>		2	4	6		2	3	2
54	White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>	2	1	4	3	✓	✓	✓	✓
55	Grey Wagtail	<i>Motacilla cinerea</i>		1	2	1	6	2	3	4
56	Western Yellow Wagtail	<i>Motacilla flava flavissima</i>								
57	White-throated Dipper	<i>Cinclus cinclus</i>		4				1		2

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58	Eurasian Wren	<i>Troglodytes troglodytes</i>		H	H		H			
59	Dunnock	<i>Prunella modularis</i>		6	4	8	6	10	4	3
60	Alpine Accentor	<i>Prunella collaris</i>				1			3	2
61	European Robin	<i>Erithacus rubecula</i>		4	6	4	6			
62	Common Nightingale	<i>Luscinia megarhynchos</i>								
63	Black Redstart	<i>Phoenicurus ochruros</i>	6	15	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
64	Common Redstart	<i>Phoenicurus phoenicurus</i>								
65	Whinchat	<i>Saxicola rubetra</i>							4	2
66	European Stonechat	<i>Saxicola torquata</i>								
67	Northern Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe oenanthe</i>		6	4	✓		✓	✓	✓
68	Rufous-tailed Rock Thrush	<i>Monticola saxatilis</i>				2		2		
69	Ring Ouzel	<i>Turdus torquatus</i>			3	H				
70	Common Blackbird	<i>Turdus merula</i>		H	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓
71	Song Thrush	<i>Turdus philomelos</i>				1	1			
72	Mistle Thrush	<i>Turdus viscivorus</i>			4		3		H	2
73	Garden Warbler	<i>Sylvia borin</i>		H	2			3	4	H
74	Blackcap	<i>Sylvia atricapilla</i>	H	H	H	H	H	H	H	H
75	Common Whitethroat	<i>Sylvia communis</i>								
76	Melodious Warbler	<i>Hippolais polyglotta</i>								
77	Western Bonelli's Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus bonelli</i>			H		H			
78	Willow Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus trochilus</i>								
79	Common Chiffchaff	<i>Phylloscopus collybita</i>		H	H	H	6		H	H
80	Goldcrest	<i>Regulus regulus</i>			4	H	8			
81	Common Firecrest	<i>Regulus ignicapillus</i>		H	6	4	3	2	H	H
82	Spotted Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa striata</i>								
83	European Pied Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula hypoleuca</i>								
84	European Crested Tit	<i>Lophophanes cristatus</i>			4		4			
85	Long-tailed Tit	<i>Aegithalos caudatus</i>			10					
86	Coal Tit	<i>Pariparus ater</i>			6	3	4		2	
87	Great Tit	<i>Parus major</i>		4	6	H	✓			3
88	Eurasian Blue Tit	<i>Cyanistes caeruleus</i>			✓	✓	✓	2	2	
89	Eurasian Nuthatch	<i>Sitta europaea</i>		1			H			
90	Eurasian Treecreeper	<i>Certhia familiaris</i>								
91	Wallcreeper	<i>Tichodroma muraria</i>								
92	Red-backed Shrike	<i>Lanius collurio</i>				1			2	
93	Common Starling	<i>Sturnus vulgaris</i>	✓							✓
94	Eurasian Golden Oriole	<i>Oriolus oriolus</i>								
95	Eurasian Jay	<i>Garrulus glandarius</i>	2	3	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
96	Common Magpie	<i>Pica pica</i>	✓							5
97	Alpine Chough	<i>Pyrrhocorax graculus</i>		20+	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
98	Red-billed Chough	<i>Pyrrhocorax pyrrhocorax</i>		10	✓	✓	✓	4	6	4
99	Northern Raven	<i>Corvus corax</i>		2	4	6		2	4	2
100	Carrion Crow	<i>Corvus corone</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
101	Eurasian Tree Sparrow	<i>Passer montanus</i>								
102	House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
103	White-winged Snowfinch	<i>Montifringilla nivalis</i>							1	8
104	Common Chaffinch	<i>Fringilla coelebs</i>	H	H	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
105	Citril Finch	<i>Serinus citrinella</i>			6		10	6		4
106	European Serin	<i>Serinus serinus</i>	H	H	3	3	2	2	H	
107	European Greenfinch	<i>Chloris chloris</i>								
108	European Goldfinch	<i>Carduelis carduelis</i>				2				

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109	Eurasian Bullfinch	<i>Pyrrhula pyrrhula</i>		2		1	4	1	4	
110	Common Linnet	<i>Linaria cannabina</i>		6	10	8		10	6	4
111	Red Crossbill	<i>Loxia curvirostra</i>			10		10			
112	Corn Bunting	<i>Emberiza calandra</i>								
113	Yellowhammer	<i>Emberiza citrinella</i>				✓			✓	
114	Cirl Bunting	<i>Emberiza cirlus</i>								
115	Rock Bunting	<i>Emberiza cia</i>			2					

## Mammals

Red Squirrel, *Sciurus vulgaris*

Alpine Marmot, *Marmotta marmotta*

Roe Deer, *Capreolus capreolus*

Pyrenean Chamois (Izard), *Rupicapra pyrenaica*

## Amphibians & Reptiles

Common Wall Lizard, *Podarcis muralis*

Common Lizard, *Zootoca bilineata*

Asp Viper, *Vipera aspis*

Smooth Snake, *Coronella austriaca*

Ocellated Lizard, *Lacerta lepida*

Pyrenean Brook Newt, *Euproctus asper*

Common Frog, *Rana temporaria*

Pyrenean Stream Frog, *Rana pyrenaica*

## Butterflies

Swallowtail	<i>Papilio machaon</i>	Large Wall Brown	<i>Lasiommata maera</i>
Scarce Swallowtail	<i>Iphiclides podalirius</i>	Pearly Heath	<i>Coenonympha arcania</i>
Apollo	<i>Parnassius apollo</i>	Small Heath	<i>Coenonympha pamphilus</i>
Clouded Apollo	<i>Parnassius mnemosyne</i>	Mountain Ringlet	<i>Erebia epiphron</i>
Wood White	<i>Leptidea sinapis</i>	De Prunner's Ringlet	<i>Erebia triaria</i>
Black-veined White	<i>Aporia crataegi</i>	Lefebvre's Ringlet	<i>Erebia lefebvrei</i>
Large White	<i>Pieris brassicae</i>	Bright-eyed Ringlet	<i>Erebia oeme</i>
Small White	<i>Pieris rapae</i>	Piedmont Ringlet	<i>Erebia meolans</i>
Southern Small White	<i>Pieris manii</i>	Marbled White	<i>Melanargia galathea</i>
Peak White	<i>Pontia callidice</i>	Silver-washed Fritillary	<i>Argynnis paphia</i>
Orange Tip	<i>Anthocharis cardamines</i>	Dark Green Fritillary	<i>Argynnis aglaja</i>
Clouded Yellow	<i>Colias crocea</i>	Lesser Marbled Fritillary	<i>Brenthis ino</i>
Berger's Clouded Yellow	<i>Colias alfacariensis</i>	Pearl-bordered Fritillary	<i>Boloria euphrosyne</i>
Brimstone	<i>Gonepteryx rhamni</i>	Camberwell Beauty	<i>Nymphalis antiopa</i>
Duke of Burgundy	<i>Hamaeris lucina</i>	Small Tortoiseshell	<i>Aglais urticae</i>
Green Hairstreak	<i>Callophrys rubi</i>	Peacock	<i>Inachis io</i>
Sooty Copper	<i>Lycaena tityrus</i>	Red Admiral	<i>Vanessa atalanta</i>
Purple-edged Copper	<i>Lycaena hippothoe</i>	Painted Lady	<i>Vanessa cardui</i>
Little Blue	<i>Cupido minimus</i>	Glanville Fritillary	<i>Melitaea cinxia</i>
Osiris Blue	<i>Cupido osiris</i>	False Heath Fritillary	<i>Melitaea diamina</i>
Mazarine Blue	<i>Cyaniris semiargus</i>	Knapweed Fritillary	<i>Melitaea phoebe</i>
Amanda's Blue	<i>Polyommatus amandus</i>	Heath Fritillary	<i>Mellicta athalia</i>
Escher's Blue	<i>Polyommatus escheri</i>	Dingy Skipper	<i>Erynnis tages</i>
Common Blue	<i>Polyommatus icarus</i>	Marbled Skipper	<i>Carcharodus lavatherae</i>
Adonis Blue	<i>Lysandra bellargus</i>	Red-underwing Skipper	<i>Spialia sertorius</i>
Brown Argus	<i>Aricia agestis</i>	Grizzled Skipper	<i>Pyrgus malvae</i>
Geranium Argus	<i>Eumedonia eumedon</i>	Olive Skipper	<i>Pyrgus serratulae</i>

Silver-studded Blue  
Speckled Wood  
Northern Wall Brown  
Wall Brown

*Plebejus argus*  
*Pararge aegeria*  
*Lasiommata petropolitana*  
*Lasiommata megera*

Safflower Skipper  
Chequered Skipper  
Essex Skipper  
Small Skipper

*Pyrgus carthami*  
*Carterocephalus palaemon*  
*Thymelicus lineolus*  
*Thymelicus sylvestris*

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