# France - The Vercors

## Naturetrek Tour Report

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Scabiosa lucida



Great-Banded Grayling



Epipogium aphyllum



Dianthus monspesulanus

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### Day 1

### Sunday 22nd July

### Weather: Heathrow: Cloudy and dry. France: Fine warm and Sunny.

Four tour members arrived at Heathrow Terminal 4 for the 08-40hrs British Airways flight BA360 to Lyon St Exupery, arriving at 11-10hrs local time. Meanwhile, Wendy and John arrived in Lyon from Amsterdam, and Isabel arrived by train from Paris. Those who needed to, soon cleared passport control and baggage reclaim and made their way out to the arrivals where they met up with Paul and Bruno, who showed all of us to the car park, where we boarded our minibus for the journey down to the Vercors region.

Our route took us down the A43 and A48 motorways. At Junction 9 on the A48, we drove westwards towards the Grenoble, Isere regional airport, where we explored the lanes and fields to the east and west of the airport. Numerous Black Kites were seen, together with Hen Harrier and Kestrel. A turtle Dove was gently 'purring' in nearby trees. We also caught site of a male Montague's Harrier hunting over the fields. The arable fields were quite plant rich too. *Legousia speculum-veneris* (Large Venus's Looking Glass), *Trifolium resupinatum* (Reversed Clover) and *Phycelia tancetifolia* (Phycelia) were all seen. Also a pair of Common Wall Lizards was spotted on a disused barn and several Tree Sparrows were seen in nearby bushes.

From here, we moved back towards the motorway, but did not join it. Instead we crossed over it and made our way to Chirens and a small wetland reserve, where several spikes of *Spiranthes aestivalis* (Summer Ladies Tresses) were seen, together with *Schoenus nigricans* (Black Bog Rush), and *Parnassia palustris* (Grass of Parnasus). From Chirens, we made our way back to the A48 via Voiron, and continued on south to Sessenage, where we turned up onto the Vercors plateaux, and on to Lans en Vercors. Here we made for the Hotel Val Fleuri, our base for the rest of the tour.

### Day 2

### Monday 23rd July

### Weather: Cloudy and very windy with some sun and the occasional shower.

Following a splendid breakfast, we made the short journey to the small hamlet of Les Merciers. Bruno took the birders off to try and find the elusive Wallcreeper. Meanwhile Paul and the botanists explored the rocky lane sides checking out plants and butterflies. It was, however, very windy, and Bruno was of the opinion that the Wallcreepers would not be showing. The birders did see Alpine Swift, Honey Buzzard and Raven, as well as Rock Bunting.

Meanwhile, the botanists explored the rocky roadside and adjacent meadows and found *Dianthus carthusianorum* (Carthusian Pink), *Gentiana cruciata* (Cross Gentian) and *Orchis ustulata* (Burnt tipped Orchid). Apollo Buterflies were also busy laying eggs on the Stonecrops.

After a brief stop, in Les Geymonds, to buy our picnic, we headed down the spectacular Gorges de la Bourne, making two stops to look for Dippers. The first was at the head of the gorge, and a single bird was seen. Here there was a good display of *Campanula patula* (Spreading Bellflower). Moving into the gorge, we made a second stop at the Pont de Valchevriere. Here, although we did not see any more Dippers, Bruno pointed out a single specimen of the rare *Juniperus thurifera* (French Alpine Juniper), perched high on a ledge. We stopped for lunch just outside St Julien en Vercors, where we were rewarded with good views of Short-toed Eagle and Black Kite. Because of the high winds, Bruno thought that we would stand a better chance of seeing the elusive Wall Creeper if we stayed in the gorges. To this end he suggested we stop at the stunning viewpoint at the Col de la Machine. Crag Martins, House Martins and Alpine Swift were seen, but still no Wall Creeper. The botanists found *Aconitum napellus* (Monkshood), *Dianthus monspesulanus* (Fringed Pink), *Aconitum lycoctanum* subsp.*vulparia* (Wolfsbane) and *Potentilla caulescens* (Lax Potentilla).

We now drove slowly through the Route de Combe Laval, a precipitous road which was hewn, by hand, from the cliff face in the late nineteenth century. Bruno suggested a stop mid way through, to check out the cliffs. This time we were rewarded with a single Wall Creeper, slowly working its busy way up the cliff face searching for food. Everyone in the group got wonderful and extended views of this enigmatic bird. Our homeward journey took us through St. Jean en Royans and Pont en Royans, where we made a brief stop to scan the hillsides for Ibex, before continuing our journey back to Lans en Vercors.

### Day 3

**Tuesday 24th July** 

### Weather: Dull and cloudy, brightening later.

We began today with a short drive towards St Nizier du Moucherotte, stopping in the forest. This wonderful example of natural mixed conifer and deciduous woodland is the home to a number of special plants, as well as birds. Black Woodpecker was heard calling in the distance and Goldcrest and Crested Tit were seen very clearly. However, it was the orchids that were to attract most attention. The small, eerily white spikes of *Epipogium aphyllum* (Ghost Orchid) were the highlight, and we found about tweleve or so. In addition we saw *Epipactis microphylla*, Goodyeara repens (Creeping Ladies Tresses), *Epipactis muelleri* (Mueller's Helleborine), *Epipactis Helleborine* (Broad-leaved Helleborine) and several spikes of *Pyrola media* (Intermediate Wintergreen).

Our next objective was the splendid limestone pavement and meadow complex at the Font d'Urle. Our route took us over the Col de la Chau. On our way up we stopped to admire the view over the Vally of Vassieux and the distant peak of the Grand Veymont, the highest point in the Vercors. Six Black Kites were observed circling over the valley below. *Epilobium fleischeri* (Alpine Willowherb), *Buphthalmum salicifolia* (Yellow Oxeye) and *Viola tricolor* subsp. *subalpina* (Alpine Heartsease) and a Blue Spot Hairstreak were also seen. Making our way over the Col, we made our way into the Font d'Urle, where set up our lunch. A large flock of Yellow-billed Chough, were in regular attendance for the duration of our stay.

After our picnic, we set off to explore. Some splendid views of Alpine Marmot were had by all, with Wheatear and Water Pipit feeding among the rocks. Bruno took us through a small cave, which passed through from one side of a hill to the other. Flowers including, *Aster alpina* (Alpine Aster), *Erigeron alpinus* (Alpine Fleabane), *Botrichium Lunaria* (Moonwort), *Colchicum alpinum* (Alpine Autumn Crocus) and *Nigritella nigra* (Black Vanilla Orchid). Retracing our steps back over the Col de la Chau, we made a short stop at the cemetery, where the victims of the Nazi massacre at Vassieux, during the Second World War, are buried, before driving on south.

Our final objective today, was to watch Griffon Vultures returning to their roost, on the cliffs below the spectacular Col de Rousset. On the way we made a small detour, to check out a Golden eagle nest. Unfortunately, the birds had left. Driving through the tunnel at Rousset, we made our way a short distance down the valley, parking on a wide verge, where we were able to get particularly good views of these birds, as the sun was shining directly onto the cliff face. Approximately fifty birds were counted as well as a pair of Egyptian Vulture. Growing on the verge we also found *Campanula speciosa, Iberis stricta* subsp. *leptophylla* (Annual Candytuft), *Campanula trachelium* (Nettle-leaved Bellflower) and, in an adjacent *Abies alba* (European Silver Fir), we spotted *Viscum album* subsp. *abietes* (Mistletoe). As it was now getting quite late, we took dinner at the Hotel Bellier in La Chapelle en Vercors, before returning our hotel.

### Day 4

### Wednesday 25th July

### Weather: Fine Warm and Sunny.

We made a prompt start after breakfast, as we were planning to take a half day walk at the Cretes de la Moliere, near Autrans. Bruno had advised us that the car park was very popular with walkers, and he was not wrong. After parking the minibus we set of in a southerly direction, through mixed woodland, containing *Abies alba* (European Silver Fir), *Picea abies* (Spruce), *Fagus sylvestris* (Beech) and *Acer opalus* (Italian Maple). Our route took us along the top edge of an east facing cliff. Annie was busy with the butterfly net, and soon presented us with a splendid female Wart Biter Cricket and a Common Brassy Ringlet. Both were released unharmed. Great Tit, Crested Tit and Goldcrest were all recorded by the birders. Meanwhile the botanists had found *Cicerbita alpina* (Alpine Sow-thistle), *Campanula rhomboidalis* (A Bellflower), *Silene nutans* (Nottingham Catchfly), *Epilobium alpestre* (Whorled-leaved Willowherb) and Ranunculus platanifolius (A White Buttercup).

We continued on for about two and a half kilometers, before taking a decending path down into the meadows. At this point the clouds parted and we could clearly see Lans en Vercors in the east and Autrans in the west. We now turned north, back in the direction from which we had come. The flatter areas of the meadows were grazed by cattle, but the steeper banks leading up to the cliff were quite rich. *Gentiana lutea* (Great Yellow Gentian) and *Circisum eriophorum* (Woolly Thistle) were common here in the grazed sections. Elsewhere, *Gymnadenia conopsea* subsp. *densiflora* (A Fragrant Orchid), *Briza media* (Quaking Grass) and *Sideritis hyssopifolia* (Sideritis) were all seen. In this more open habitat, Kestrel, Yellow-billed Chough and Raven were all present. Along the margins of the woodland, Citril Finch and Ring Ouzel were seen fleetingly, but could be clearly heard. The meadows produced more Wart Biter Crickets, Chalkhill Blue, Common Brassy Ringlet and Heath Fritillary butterflies.

Returning to the vehicles, we enjoyed our picnic under some trees, whilst taking in the stunning views of the distant Alps. We now returned to our hotel, for a short rest, before taking a very early dinner. This was because we were going out, later, to see if we could see European Beaver. Leaving the hotel, we made our way north to St Nizier du Moucherotte, here we descended towards Grenoble and on toward Vif, where we visited a local reserve, where Beaver are known to live. This series of ponds and streams connects with the Isere River, and is shared by anglers and naturalists alike.

It was still very light when we arrived, so Bruno showed us where we would try to watch these secretive animals, before taking us to see a small dam, some freshly felled saplings and, also, footprints, all evidence that the beaver were here. *Salix viminalis* (Basket Willow), *Erigeron acer* (Blue Fleabane), *Typha latifolia* (Great Reedmace), *Sedum sediforme* and *Rubia perigrina* (Madder). As it was now getting dark, it was now time to settle down and wait to see if the Beaver were going to be active. A fleeting view of a Hobby was had and a distant Scops Owl was calling. European Nightjar was seen feeding over the lake and occasionally came quite close. After about half an hour, Bruno spotted a Beaver moving across the lake, and we all managed to see it in the gathering gloom. After a further lapse of about ten minutes, Paul spotted a second animal, a little closer than the first, but it soon dived. Unfortunately, that was all the activity for the night. As we left the pond, Paul began to answer the calling Scops Owl and it was not long before it came in very close. Bruno found it in the fork of a tree, and everyone have very clear and close views of this elusive bird. It was now time to head back to Lans and some well earned rest.

### Day 5

### Thursday 26th July

### Weather: Fine Warm and Sunny.

After breakfast, we left the hotel and made a short journey to Les Geymonds, where Bruno knew of a family of Marsh Warbler. Four of these scarce birds were seen, at close quarters, together with Red-backed Shrike and Yellowhammer. Moving on we made another stop in the Gorges de la Bourne to search for Dippers. Again, this had only limited success. Taking the Choranche road, we made a right turn towards Rencurel and on over the Col de Romeyere, stopping at the Canyon des Ecouges. Here, we parked the bus in a small car park, and walked down through the gorge to a viewpoint which gave us fabulous views down across the River Isere in the west. Silver Washed Fritillery was recored along with Comma. Sara spotted the leaves of *Primula auricula* (Bear's-ears) and *Pinguicula grandiflora* (Giant Butterwort) and a good stand of *Scrophularia nodosa* (Figwort). Looking out over the valley we watched a distant Short-toed Eagle circling, when Bruno found another Wallcreeper on a low cliff face, which we were all able to look down on. Before long it was joined by two more birds, which entertained us for some time. Reluctantly, we eventually had to drag ourselves away from this unique experience, and head off to our picnic spot at the Col de Mont Noir.

During the lunch stop, Annie was using the butterfly net and caught a Black-veined White, Provencal Fritillary and an Eastern Wood White. After completing our picnic, we made our way down through the village of Presles and on down the splendid cliffs of the Route de Presles, a magnificent limestone cliff formation, over-looking the Commune de Chatelus and the valley of the River Bourne. Here we saw Kestrel and Crag Martin as well as a noisy patrol of Alpine Swift and a solitary Black Kite. The remainder of the afternoon was speant in the picturesque town of Pont en Royans, where we indulged ourselves with a vist to the local ice cream café, whilst watching a Short-toed eagle and Scarse Swallowtail Butterfly. From here, we returned to Lans via the Gorges de la Bourne.

### Day 6

### Friday 27th July

### Weather: Fine warm and sunny.

An early morning walk, at the La Sierre ski station above Lans en Vercors, produced some very good sightings of Chamoix, as well as distant views of the rather shy Mouflon, with young.

The principal objective for today was to make a day-long walk up to the Pas du l'OEille, above Villard de Lans. Parking at the low level cable car station, we caught the 09-30hrs lift to the upper station at 1720m. We began to make our way up the well sign-posted track. As we progressed we saw Citril Finchs in some numbers and a solitary Siskin. *Hypericum richeri* subsp. *burseri* (A St.John's-wort), *Scabiosa lucida* (Scabious) and *Sedum aurium* (Stonecrop) we all spotted in some numbers. The path to the Pas du l'OEille was uneven, but not too difficult. Raven and Yellow-billed Chough were quite numerous, and several of the group saw Wallcreeper feeding. As it was quite hot, we took several rest stops for water, whilst not missing this opportunity to scan the slopes for Ungulates. It took us about two and a half hours to make the ascent passing *Arnica montana* (Arnica), *Doronicum grandiflora* (Leopard's-bane), *Allium narcissiflorum* (Nar and the seeding heads of *Pulsatilla alpina* (Alpine Pasque Flower) as we went. Water Pippits were also seen.

When we arrived at the Pas du l'OEille, we sat down and enjoyed the splendid views of the eastern side of the Vercors Plateaux, over-looking the Isere valley and affording distant views of Monte Aiguille. Some of the energetic group members who arrived first were rewarded with good views of Alpine Accentor. We set ourselves out on a grassy incline for our picnic, during which, careful scanning revealed a number of Chamoix and the usual flock of Yellow-billed Chough attempted to join us. On the descent, Sara's sharp eyes spotted a small patch of *Gentiana nivalis* (Snow Gentian) growing with *Dianthus furcatus* (A Pink). We took the opportunity to take on refreshments at the Café Altitude Cote 2000, before boarding the cable car for our descent.

After dinner a number of us joined Bruno and Paul in a hunt for owls, between Autrans and Maudre. The first stop was at a known roost for Long-eared Owl, but, unfortunately, they were not there, and there was little pellet evidence of their recent presence. Moving on to the forest behind Maudre, we stopped at three locations where Bruno used a tape to call Pigmy Owl and Tengmalm's Owl, with no more than a brief and very distant response. On the way back to the hotel, we did see Red Deer and Fox.

### Day 7

### Saturday 28th July

### Weather: Fine, hot and sunny.

Leaving Lans en Vercors, we once again headed for the Isere Valley at Claix, where we turned south onto the motorway. We continued south to the point where the auto-route ended, at Monestier de Clermont. Here we made our way through the village of St. Paul les Monestier and on to an area of hay meadows. We were hoping for a chance to see and hear Corncrake. Sadly, we were a day or so late, as the farmer had almost completed his haymaking and the birds were no long in residence. In an adjacent set-aside field we found Latticed Heath Moth and Common Blue Butterfly. Moving on, we made our way to Gresse en Vercors, where we drove up to a high level car park, just below the Pas du Serpaton. Dotted around the car park were the diminutive pale pink flowers of *Colchicum alpinum* (An alpine Crocus).

We distributed the picnic among the group, before setting off up the road towards the summit. Common Buzzard and Short-toed Eagle were seen as we went. At the top we took some time to admire the views and watch a Kestrel hunting and a busy Mistle Thursh. Meanwhile the botanists had found *Arctostapholus uva-ursi* (Bearberry) and *Bupleurum petraeum* (Rock Hare's-ear). We moved a little way from our vantage point to a more sheltered spot, where Bruno and Paul set up the picnic. A family of Wheatears kept us company throughout the meal, whilst a couple of Yellow-billed Chough appeared out of nowhere!

On our way back to the vehicle, we stopped to watch and adult Winchat with one of its young. Both birds were perching obligingly on adjacent fence posts. Upon our return to the car park, Paul found a fine display of *Allium shaerocephalon* (Round-headed Leek). Some of the group began to walk back down the lane towards Gresse, in order to explore the botanically rich verges. They found *Goodyeara repens* (Creeping Ladies Tresses), *Anacamptis pyramidalis* (Pyramidal Orchid) and *Knautia dipsacifolius* (Wood Scabius). From here we moved on to La batie, where we stopped to scan the lower slopes of the splendid Monte Aiguille for the elusive Ibex, but with no success. Great Banded Grayling was caught and identified, before being released unharmed. It was now time to make our way back to the motorway and up to Lans for dinner.

### Day 8

### Sunday 29th July

### Weather: Fine hot and sunny

We left Lans en Vercors after breakfast, and drove down towards Villard de Lans, where we turned off the main road and made our way up to an area of high meadows, surrounded by woodland, at Herbouilly. We parked in a wooded layby, where *Epipactis muelleri* was flowering well. Some of the grassland here had already been cut for hay, but there was still quite a lot that had not been mown. Bullfinch and Common Crossbill were seen as well as Ravens and Yellow-billed Chough soaring above the middle distant peaks. Wartbiter Cricket and Speckled Bush Cricket were found as well as Common Blue butterfly, as well as a single spike of *Platanthera chlorantha* (Greater Butterfly Orchid).

We made our way back towards Villard de Lans, finding a picnic site in the forest, where *Epipactis helleborine* (Broad-leaved Helleborine) were looking majestic. We made one last stop at the deserted village of Valchevriere, the site of a major encounter between the Resistance and the Nazis in the Second World War. Returning to our hotel to collect our luggage, we bid farewell to our host Mme. Bonnard and her husband, and began our journey back to Lyon. We retraced the route north on the A43 and A48 we had used when we had arrived, to the airport at Lyon for our flights back to the UK.

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### **Species Lists**

### Plants

### Group/Species PTERIDOPHYTES

**Equisetaceae** Equisetum arvense Equisetum hymale Equisetum sylvatica

Aspleniaceae Asplenium fontanum Asplenium ruta–muraria Asplenium trichomanes Asplenium viride Ceterach officinarum

Dennstaedtiaceae Pteridium aquilinum

Dryopteridaceae Dryopteris carthusiana Dryopteris dilitata Dryopteris felix-mas Dryopteris villarii Polystichum lonchitis

**Ophioglossaceae** Botrychium lunaria

Polypodiaceae Polypodium australe

Woodsiaceae (Athyriaceae) Athyrium felix-femina Cystopteris fragalis Gymnocarpium robertianum

### PINOPSIDA (GYMNOSPERMS)

*Cupressaceae* Juniperus communis Juniperus thurifera

**Pinaceae** Abies alba Picea abies ssp. abies Pinus sylvestris Pinus uncinata

MAGNOLIOPSIDA (ANGIOSPERMS)

English Name(If any) FERNS & ALLIES

Horsetail Family Common Horsetail Dutch Rush Wood Horsetail

Spleenwort Family Smooth Rock Spleenwort Wall Rue Maidenhair Spleenwort Green Spleenwort Rustyback

Bracken Family Bracken

Buckler Fern Family Narrow Buckler-fern Broad Buckler-fern Male Fern

### Holly Fern

Adder's-tongue Family Moonwort

**Polypody Family** Southern Polypody

Lady Fern Family Lady Fern Brittle Bladder Fern Limestone Fern

### CONIFERS

Juniper Family Juniper French Alpine Juniper

**Pine Family** European Silver Fir Spruce Scot's Pine Mountain Pine

**FLOWERING PLANTS** 

Location

Gorges de la Bourne Canyon des Ecouges Herbouilly

Les Merciers Les Merciers Les Merciers Combe Laval

Common

La Moliere Bois des Mures La Moliere Font d'Urle Pas de l'OEille

Font d'Urle

Les Merciers

La Moliere Combe Laval Pas de l'OEille

Common Gorges de la Bourne

Villard de Lans Villard de Lans Col de Chau Pas de l'OEille

### Aceraceae

Acer campestris Acer opalus Acer pseudoplatanus Acer platanoides

### Anacardiaceae Cotinus coccygia

### Apiaceae (Umbelliferae)

Angelica sylvestris Astrantia major Bupleurum petraeum Doronicum grandiflora Erigeron alpina Erigeron annuus Eryngium campestre Heracleum sphondyllium Laserpitium c.f. gallicum Laserpitium latifolium Laserpiterum siler Meam athamanticum Peucedanum veratrum Torilis japonica Trinia glauca

Aquifoliaceae Ilex aquifolia

Araliaceae Hedera helix agg

Aristolochiaceae Asarum europaeum

Asclepiadaceae Vincetoxicum hirundinaria

Asteraceae (Compositae) Achillea millefolium Adenostyles alliariae Aposeris foetida Arcitum minus Arnica montana Artemisia absinthium Aster alpinus Aster bellidiastrum Bellis perennis Bellis sylvestris Buphthalmum salicifolium Catanache caerulea Centaurea montana

### Magnoliidae (Dicotyledons)

Maple Family Field Maple Italian Maple

Norway Maple

Sycamore

Sumach Family Smoke Bush

**Carrot Family** 

Wild Angelica Masterwort A Hare's-ear Leopard's-bane Alpine Fleabane Annual Fleabane Field Eryngo Hogweed A Sermountain A Sermountain A Sermountain Spignal Southern Masterwort Upright Hedge-parsley Honewort

Holly Family Holly

**Ivy Family** Ivy

Birthwort Family Asarabacca

Milkweed Family Swallow-wort

Daisy Family Yarrow Adenostyles Aposeris Lesser Burdock Arnica Wormwood Alpine Aster

Daisy Southern Daisy Yellow Ox-eye Catanache Perennial Cornflower Les Merciers Combe Laval Common Common

**Below Presles** 

Vif La Moliere Pas de l'OEille Pas de l'OEille Font d'Urle La Moliere Common La Moliere Presles Gorges de la Bourne La Moliere La Moliere Presles Font d'Urle Font d'Urle

Col de Chau

Lans en Vercors

Near Tourtre

Common

Common Common Font d'Urle

Rancs de Chales Pas de l'OEille Col de Rousset

Font d'Urle Gorges de la Bourne

Lans en Vercors Les Ecouges Pas de l'OEille Verges La Moliere

Cicerbita alpina Cirsium acaule Cirsium eriophorum Cirsium palustre Conyza canadensis Erigeron acer Erigeron alpina Eupatorium cannabinum Gnaphalium sylvaticum Hieracium alpinum agg Helianthus annuus Homogyne alpina Lactuca perennis Lapsana communis Leucanthimum vulgare Matricaria discoidea Mvcelis muralis Picris hieracioides Pilosella officinarum Prenanthes purpurea Pulicaria dysenterica Senecio ovatus subsp. Alpestris Senecio vulgaris Serratula tinctoria Solidago gigantea Sonchus asper Sonchus oleraceus Taraxacum agg Tussilago farfara

**Betulaceae (Corylaceae)** Betula pendula Betula pubescens

**Boraginaceae** Cynoglossum officinalis Echium plantagineum Echium vulgare Myosotis alpestris Myosotis arvensis Pulmonaria montana

### Brassicaceae (Cruciferae)

Alliaria petiolata Arabidopsis thaliana Biscutella brevicaulis Capsella bursa-pastoris Cardamine hirsuta Cardamine pratensis Draba aizoides (Over) Iberis stricta subsp. Leptophylla Sinapis arvensis

#### Buddlejaceae

### Stemless Thistle Wooly Thistle Marsh Thistle Canadian Fleabane Blue Fleabane Alpine Fleabane Hemp Agrimony Heath Cudweed Alpine Hawkweed Sunflower Alpine Coltsfoot Blue or Mountain Lettuce Nipplewort Ox-eye Daisy **Pinapple Weed** Wall Lettuce Hawkweed oxtongue Mouse-eared Hawkweed **Purple Lettuce** Fleabane

Alpine Sow Thistle

Groudsel Saw-wort

Prickly Sow-thistle Smooth Sowthistle Dandelion Colt's-foot

**Birch Family** Silver Birch Downey Birch

#### Forget-me-not Family

Hound's-tongue Purple Viper's Bugloss Viper's Bugloss Alpine Wood Forget-me-not Field Forget-me-not Mountain Lungwort

#### **Cabbage Family**

Garlic Mustard Thale Cress Buckler Mustard Shepherd's Purse Hairy Bittercress Lady's Smock or Cuckoo Flower Yellow Whitlow-grass A Candytuft Charlock

**Butterfly-bush Family** 

La Moliere La Moliere Herbouilly Wet Meadows Vif Vif Font d'Urle Vif La Moliere Pas de l'OFille Near Grenoble Isere Airport Pas de l'OEille Presles Common Font d'Urle Font d'Urle La Moliere Rancs de Chales Les Merciers Common Vif La Moliere Lans en Vercors Font d'Urle Chirens Lans en Vercors Lans en Vercors Common in meadows

Font d'Urle Font d'Urle

Gorges de la Bourne

- Pas du Serpaton Font d'Urle Presles Pas de l'OEille Above Autrans Font d'Urle
- La Moliere Lans en Vercors Font d'Urle Lans en Vercors Lans en Vercors Les geymonds Font d'Urle Below the Col de Rousset Autrans

### Buddleja davidii

#### Campanulaceae

Campanula cochlerifolia Campanula glomerata Campanula patula Campanula persicifolia Campanula ranunculoides Campanula rhomboidalis Campanula thyrsoides Campanula trotundifolia Campanula speciosa Campanula speciosa Campanula trachelium Legousia speculum- veneris Phyteuma nigra

### Cannabaceae

Humulus lupulus

### Caprifoliaceae

Lonicera alpigena Lonicera nigra Lonicera periclymenum Lonicera xylosteum Sambucus ebulus Sambucus nigra Sambucus racemosus Viburnum lantana

#### Caryophyllaceae

A.serpyllifolia ssp. serpyllifoia Cerastium arvense Cerastium fontanum Gerastium glomeratum Cerastium tomentosum Dianthus carthusianorum Dianthus furcatus Dianthus gratianopolitanus Dianthus monspessulanus Dianthus sylvaticus Gypsophila repens Lychnis flos-cuculi Minuartia verna Petrorhagia velutina Saponaria officinalis Silene acaulis Silene dioica Silene latifolia (S.alba) Silene nutans Silene rupestris Silene vulgaris Stellaria graminea Stellaria nemorum

### Butterfly-bush

### **Bellflower Family**

Fairy's Thimble Clustered Bellflower Spreading Bellflower Peach-leaved Bellflower Creeping Bellflower A Bellflower Yellow Bellflower Harebell A Bellflower Nettle-leaved Bellflower Large Venus's Looking-glass Black Rampion Round-headed Rampion

Hemp Family Hop

### Honeysuckle Family

Alpine Honeysuckle Black Honeysuckle Honeysuckle Fly Honeysuckle Dwarf Elder Elder Red-berried Elder Wayfaring Tree

### **Pink Family**

Thyme-leaved Sandwort Field Mouse-ear Common Mouse-ear Sticky Mouse-ear Snow-in-Summer Carthusian Pink

Cheddar Pink Fringed Pink Wood Pink Gypsophila Ragged Robin Spring Sandwort Pink Soapwort Moss Campion Red Campion White Campion Nottingham Catchfly Rock Catchfly Bladder Campion Lesser Stitchwort Wood Stitchwort

#### Vif

Common on rocks Bois des Mures Gorges de la Bourne Les Merciers La Moliere La Moliere Common Below the Col de Rousset Below the Col de Rousset Arable field near Grenoble Airport Verges Les Merciers

Pont en Royans

- La Moliere Les Merciers La Moliere Gorges de la Bourne Vassieux cemetery La Moliere Rancs de Chales Les Merciers
- Presles Common Common Lans en Vercors Below the Col de Rousset
- Les Merciers Pas de l'Oeille -

Common Les Merciers Fonte d'Urle Les Geymonds Les Merciers Les Merciers Les Jarrands Pas de l'OEille La Moliere Common Presles Les Ecouges Common La Moliere La Moliere Chenopodiaceae Chenopodium bonus-henricus

**Cistaceae** Helianthimum nummularium H.nummularium subsp. Grandiflorum

*Clusiaceae (Guttiferae, Hypericaceae)* Hypericum alpestris Hypericum perforatum Hypericum richeri

**Convolvulaceae** Convolvulus arvensis Cuscuta epithymum Cuscuta europaeum

**Cornaceae** Cornus sanguinea Chamaepericlymenum suecicum

**Corylaceae** Carpinus betulus Corylus avellana

Crassulaceae Sedum acre Sedum album Sedum atratum Sedum dasyphyllum Sedum rupestre Sempervivum tectorum

**Cucurbitaceae** Bryonia cretica

Dipsacaceae Dipsacus fullonum Knautia dipsacifolia Scabiosa columbaria Scabiosa lucida

Elaeagnaceae Hippophae rhamnoides

*Ericaceae* Arctostaphylos uva-ursi Calluna vulgaris Vaccinium myrtilis

**Euphorbiaceae** Euphorbia amygdaloides Euphorbia cyparissias Euphorbia peplus Mercurialis perennis Goose-foot Family Good King Henry

Rock-rose Family Common Rockrose Rockrose

**St. John's-wort Family** Alpine St.John's-wort Perforate St. John's-wort

Bindweed Family Field Bindweed Dodder Greater Dodder

**Dogwood Family** Dogwood Dwarf Cornel

Hazel Family Hornbeam Hazel

Stonecrop Family Biting Stonecrop White Stonecrop Dark Stonecrop Fat Stonecrop Large yellow Stonecrop Common Houseleek

Cucumber Family White Bryony

Teasel Family Teasel Wood Scabious Scabius Shining Scabious

Oleaster Family Sea Buckthorn

Heath family Bearberry Heather Bilberry

Spurge Family Wood Spurge Cypress Spurge Petty Spurge Dog's Mercury Fonte d'Urle

Font d'Urle Pas du l'Oeille

Les Ecouges Preles Pas du l'Oeille

Above Autrans Font d'Urle Les Merciers

La Moliere Pas du l'Oeille

Combe Laval Les Merciers

Common Presles Pas du l'Oeille Common on rocks Les Merciers Font d'Urle

Les Ecouges

Common Les Merciers Pas du l'Oeille

Vif

Font d'Urle La Moliere La Moliere

Rancs de Chales Les Merciers Lans en Vercors Woods

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Fabaceae (Leguminosae) Anthyllis montana Anthyllis vulneraria Clinopodium vulgaris Hippocrepis comosa Laburnum anagryoides Lathyrus pratensis Lotus corniculatus Lotus subbiflorus Lotus uliginosa Medicago lupulina Melilotus alba Onobrychis viciifolia Ononis natrix Ononis repens Origanum vulgare Psoralia bituminosa Securigera varia (Coronilla varia) Trifolium arvense Trifolium aureum Trifolium campestris Trifolium dubium Trifolium medium Trifolium ochroleucon Trifolium pannonicum T.pratense subsp. pratense Trifolium pratense subsp. nivale Trifolium repens Trifolium resupinatum Trifolium rubens Trifolium scabrum Vicia cracca Vicia sativa ssp. segetalis Vicia sepium

### Fagaceae

Carpinus betulus Fagus sylvatica Quercus pubescens

### Gentianaceae

Gentiana clusii Gentiana cruciata Gentiana lutea (Leaves only) Gentiana nivalis Gentianella campestris

#### Geraniaceae

Erodium cicutarium Geranium columbinum Geranium dissectum Geranium lucidum Geranium molle Geranium nodosum

#### **Pea Family**

Mountain Kidney-vetch Kidney Vetch Wild basil Horseshoe Vetch Laburnum Yellow Vetchling Bird's-foot Trefoil Hairy Bird's-foot Trefoil Large Bird's-foot Trefoil Black Medick White Melilot Sainfoin Yellow Restharrow Restharrow Wild Marioram Pitch Trefoil Crown Vetch Hare's-foot Clover Large Yellow Clover Hop Trefoil Lesser Yellow Trefoil Zigzag Clover Sulphur Clover Hungarian Clover Red Clover Red Clover White Clover Reversed Clover Red Trefoil Rough Clover Tufted vetch Common Vetch **Bush Vetch** 

### **Oak & Beech Family**

Hornbeam Beech Downy Oak

#### **Gentian Family**

Clusius's Gentian (Over) Cross gentian Yellow Gentian Snow Gentian Field Gentian

### **Geranium Family**

Common Stork's-bill Long-stalked Crane's-bill Cut-leaved Crane's-bill Shining Crane's-bill Dove's-foot Crane's-bill Knotted Crane's-bill Font d'Urle Les Merciers La Moliere Presles Below the Col de Rousset Presles La Chapelle Presles Les Geymonds La Chapelle Vif Common Verges Pas du Serpaton La Moliere Above Autrans Above Autrans Les Merciers Above Autrans Les Merciers Lans en Vercors Common Above Autrans Pas du l'Oeille Lans en Vercors Below the Col de Rousset Lans en Vercors Near grenoble Airport Maudre Les Merciers Roadsides Font d'Urle La Moliere

Combe Laval La Moliere Above Autrans

Font d'Urle Les Merciers Common Pas du l'Oeille Font d'Urle

La Chapelle Service area South of Lyon Preles Preles Rancs de Chales Geranium pyrenaicum Geranium purpureum Geranium robertianum Geranium sylvaticum

**Globulariaceae** Globularia cordifolia

**Grossulariaceae** Ribes alpinum

Juglandaceae Juglans regia

Lamiaceae (Labiatae) Acinos alpina Ajuga genevensis Ajuga pyramidalis Calamintha grandiflora Clinopodium vulgare Galeopsis angustifolius Galeopsis tetrahit agg Lamium purpureum Lavandula officinalis Lycopus europaeus Marrubium vulgare Mentha aquatica Mentha longifolia Oregano vulgare Prunella grandiflora Prunella vulgaris Salvia pratensis Sideritis hyssopifolia Stachys alpina Stachys garganica Stachys recta Stachys sylvatica Teucrium chamaedrys Teucrium montanum Thymus polytrichis

### Lentabulariaceae

Pinguicula grandiflora (Leaves)

### Linaceae

Linum catharticum Linum perenne agg L.suffrticosum ssp. salsoloides

### Loranthaceae

Viscum album Viscum album subsp. abietis

#### Lythraceae

Hedgerow Crane's-bill Little Robin Herb Robert Wood Crane's-bill **Globularia Family** 

Matted Globularia

Gooseberry Family Mountain Currant

Walnut Family Walnut

#### **Dead-nettle Family**

Alpine Basil Thyme Blue Bugle Pyramidal Bugle Large-flowered Calamint Wild basil **Red Hempnettle Common Hempnettle** Red Deadnettle Lavender Gypsywort White Horehound Water Mint Horse Mint Marjoram Large-flowered Self-heal Self-heal Meadow Clary Sideritis Alpine Woundwort Large Red Deadnettle Yellow Woundwort Hedge Woundwort Wall Germander Mountain Germander Wild Thyme

### Bladderwort Family

Large-flowered Butterwort

#### **Flax Family**

Purging or Fairy Flax Perennial Flax Pyrenean Flax

Mistletoe Family Mistletoe Mistletoe

**Loosestrife Family** 

### Pas du l'Oeille

Common

Common

Common

Font d'Urle

Les Merciers

Planted

Preles Font d'Urle Pas du l'Oeille Above Autrans Preles Rancs de Chales La Moliere La Chapelle La Moliere Vif Preles Chirens Pont en Royans Common Les Merciers Below Col de Rousset Common Coomon Common on woodland margins La Moliere Les Merciers Rancs de Chales Common on rocks Font d'Urle Les Merciers

Les Ecouges

La Moliere Pas de l'OEille Presles

Roadside on Poplar Below the Col de Rousset

### Lythrum salicaria

**Oleaceae** Fraxinus excelsior Ligustrum vulgare

**Onagraceae** Chamerion angustifolium Epilobium alpestre Epilobium fleischeri Epilobium hirsutum Epilobium montanum

**Orobanchaceae** Orobanche alba Orobanche gracilis

**Oxalidaceae** Oxalis acetosella

**Papaveraceae** Chelidonium majus Papaver rhoaes

Parnassiaceae Parnassia palustris

Plantaginaceae Plantago lanceolata Plantago majus Plantago media

**Plumbaginaceae** Armeria maritima ssp. alpina

**Polygalaceae** Polygala alpina Polygala nicaeensis

Polygonaceae Persicaria bistorta Rumex acetosa Rumex scutatus

Primulaceae Anagallis arvensis Androsace villosa (Over) Lysimachia nummularia Lysimachia vulgaris Primula auricula Primula integrifolia (Leaves) Primula veris Soldanella alpina (Leaves)

Pyrolaceae

Purple Loosestrife

**Olive Family** Ash Wild Privet

Willowherb Family Rosebay Willowherb -Alpine Willowherb Hairy Willowherb Broad-leaved Willowherb

Broomrape Family Thyme Broomrape Slender Broomrape

Wood-sorrel Family Wood-sorrel

Poppy Family Greater Celandine Corn Poppy

Grass of Parnassus Family Grass of Parnassus

**Plantain Family** Ribwort Plantain Greater Plantain Hoary or Lamb's-tail Plantain

Thrift Family Mountain Thrift

Milkwort Family Alpine Milkwort Nice Milkwort

Knotweed Family Bistort Sorrel French Sorrel

Primrose Family Scarlet Pimpernel Woolly Rock-jasmine Creeping Jenny Yellow Looestrife Bear's-ear Primrose Entire-leaved Primrose Cowslip Alpine Snowbells

Wintergreen Family

Chirens

Maudre Vif

La Moliere La Moliere Col de Chau Les Geymonds Rancs de Chales

La Moliere Les Merciers

Bois des Mures

Autrans Common

Chirens

Common Lans en Vercors Common on Roadsides

Pas du l'Oeille

Font d'Urle Font d'Urle

Common in Meadows Font d'Urle Presles

Common Font d'Urle Les Geymonds Chirens Les Ecouges Pas de l'OEille Common Pas de l'OEille

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Monotropa hypopitys Pyrola media

### Ranunculaceae

A.lycoctonum subsp. vulparia Aconitum napellus Actaea spicata Caltha palustris Clematis vitalba Helleborus foetidus Pulsatilla alpina (Over) Ranunculus aconitifolium Ranunculus platanifolius Thalictrum minus

#### Resedaceae

Reseda lutea Reseda luteola

### Rhamnaceae Rhamnus alpinus

#### Rosaceae

Agrimonia eupatorium Alchemilla alpina Alchemilla glabra Amelanchier ovalis Aruncus dioicus Crataegus monogyna Dryas octopetala Fragaria moschata Fragaria vesca Filipendula ulmaria Geum montanum Geum rivale Geum urbanum Potentilla caulescens Potentilla crantzii Potentilla reptans Potentilla valderia Rosa pendulina Rubus idaeus Rubus fruticosus agg Rubus saxatilis Sanguisorba minor agg Sorbus aria agg Sorbus aucuparia

#### Rubiaceae

Asperula rupicola Cruciata laevipes Galium aparine Galium mollugo Galium odoratum Rubia perigrina Yellow Birdsnest Intermediate Wintergreen

#### **Buttercup Family**

Wolf's Bane Common Monkshood Baneberry Kingcups Old man's-beard Stinking Hellebore Alpine Pasqueflower Aconite-leaved Buttercup

Lesser Meadow Rue

### Mignonette Family Wild Mignonette

Weld

Buckthorn Family Alpine Buckthorn

### **Rose Family**

Agrimony Alpine Lady's Mantle Smooth Lady's Mantle Amelanchier Aruncus Hawthawn Mountain Avens Hautbois Strawberry Wild Strawberry Meadowsweet Alpine Avens Water Avens Wood Avens or Herb Bennet Lax Potentilla Alpine Cinquefoil **Creeping Cinquefoil** Alchemilla-leaved Cinquefoil Alpine Rose Raspberry Bramble Stone Bramble Salad Burnet Whitebeam Rowen

### **Bedstraw Family**

A Squinancywort Crosswort Clevers Hedge Bedstraw Sweet Woodruff Wild Madder Bois de Mures Bois de Mures

La Moliere Font d'Urle Pas de l'Oeille Les Merciers Les Merciers Pas de l'OEille La Moliere Common on woodland margins Les Merciers

Below the Col de Rousset Sessenage

Les Merciers

Vif Pas de l'OEille Pas de l'OEille Col de Chau Les Ecouaes Common Font d'Urle Herbouilly Bois des Mures Les Geymonds Font d'Urle Les Gevmonds Pas de l'OEille Coombe Lavel Font d'Urle Lans en Vercors Pas de l'OEille Pas de l'OFille Gorges de la Bourne Common Bois des Mures Col de Chau Common La Moliere

Les Merciers La Moliere Les Merciers Les Ecouges Bois des Mures Vif

### Sheradia arvensis

### Salicaceae

Populus tremula Salix herderacea Salix repens Salix viminalis

### Saxifragaceae

Saxifraga exarata agg (Leaves) Saxifraga aizoides Saxifgraga granulata (Leaves) Saxifraga oppositifolia (Leaves) Saxifraga paniculata (S. aizoon) Saxifraga rotundifolia

### Scrophulariaceae

Antirrhinum latifolium Cymbalaria muralis Digitalis ambigua (D. grandiflora) Digitalis lutea Digitalis purpurea Erinus alpinus Euphrasia roskoviana Linaria repens Linaria supina (L.pyrenaica) Melampyrum nemorosum Pedicularis gyroflexa Rhinanthes angustifolius agg Rhinanthus minor agg Scrophularia canina Scrophularia nodosa Verbascum phlomoides Verbascum pulverulentum Veronica beccabunga Veronica officinalis Veronica serpyllifolia Veronica spicata

#### **Solanaceae** Solanum dulcamara

**Tiliaceae** Tilia cordata

*Thymelaeaceae* Daphne laureola Daphne mezereum

**Urticacae** Parietaria judaica Parietaria officinalis Urtica dioica

#### Valerianaceae

### Field Madder

### Poplar & Willow Family

Aspen Dwarf Willow Creeping Willow Basket Willow

### Saxifrage Family

Musky Saxifrage Yellow Saxifrage Meadow Saxifrage Purple Saxifrage Live-long Saxifrage Round-leaved saxifrage

### **Figwort Family**

Ivy-leaved Toadflax Large Yellow Foxglove Small Yuellow Foxglove Foxglove Fairy Foxglove Evebright Striped Toadflax Pyrenean Toadflax Cow-wheat Tufted Lousewort Greater Rattle Hay Rattle Dog Figwort Common Figwort Orange Mullein Hoary Mullein Brook Lime Heath Speedwell Thyme-leaved Speedwell Spiked Speedwell

Nightshade Family Bittersweet

Lime Family Small-leaved Lime

Mezereon Family Spurge Laural Mezereon

Nettle Family Pelitory of the Wall Large Pelitory of the Wall Common Nettle

### Valerian Family

### Common

Les Merciers Pas de l'OEille Chirens Vif

### Font d'Urle

Font d'Urle Very Common Font d'Urle Les Merciers Les Merciers

Near Presles

Pont en Royans Above Autrans Above Autrans Common Pas de l'OEille Les Merciers Above Autrans Combe Laval Common

Font d'Urle Les Merciers Les Merciers Pas de l'OEille

Les Ecouges Preles South of Lyon Les Ecouges La Moliere Font d'Urle Font d'Urle

Vif

Gorges de la Bourne

Herbouilly Pas du l'Oeille

Lans en Vercors Pont en Royans Lans en Vercors

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**Centranthus angustifolius** Centranthus ruber Valeriana officinalis Valeriana tripteris

**Verbenaceae** Verbena officinalis

**Violaceae** Viola riviniana Viola tricolor subsp. subalpina

### Cyperaceae

Carex biglowii Carex divulsa Carex flacca Carex pendula Carex spicata Schoenus nigricans

### Dioscoreaceae

Tamus communis

### Juncaceae

Juncus articulatus Juncus conglomeratus Juncus effusus Juncus inflexus Luzula forsteri Luzula luzuloides Luzula nivea

### Liliaceae

Allium narcissiflorum Allium oleraceum Allium rotundum Allium senescens subsp. montanum Allium shaerocephalon Allium vineale Anthericum ramosum Colchicum alpinum Colchicum alpinum Colchicum autumnale (leaves) Lilium martagon Paris quadrifolia Polygonatum verticillatum Ruscus aculeatus Veratrum album

### Orchidaceae

Anacamptis pyramidalis Cephalanthera rubra Coeloglossum viride Dactylorhiza fuchsii Red Valerian Common Valerian Three-leaved Valerian

Vervain Family Vervain

Violet Family Common Dog Violet Heartsease

### Liliidae (Monocotyledons)

Sedge Family Stiff Sedge Grey Sedge Glaucus Sedge Pendulus Sedge Spiked Sedge Black Bog-rush

Black Bryony Family Black Bryony

### **Rush Family**

Jointed Rush Compact Rush Soft Rush Hard rush Southern Woodrush White Woodrush Snowy Woodrush

### Lily Family

Narcissus-flowered Onion Field Garlic

Mountain Onion Round-headed Leek Wild Onion

-Autumn Crocus Martagon Lily Herb Paris Whorlled Soloman's Seal Butcher's-broom False White Helleborine

Orchid Family Pyramidal Orchid Red Helleborine Frog Orchid Common Spotted Orchid Below the Col de Rousset Sessenage La Moliere Font d'Urle

La Moliere

La Moliere Font d'Urle

Pas du l'Oeille Common Common Vif Pas du Serpaton Chirens

Above Autrans

### Vif

Les Geymonds Les Geymonds Les Geymonds La Moliere Bois des Mures Bois des Mures

Pas de l'OEille Col de la Machine Presles Les Merciers Font d'Urle Pas du Serpaton Presles Font d'Urle Common La Moliere Woods Woods Woods La Moliere

Presles Les Merciers Font d'Urle La Moliere Epipactis atrorubens Epipactis helleborine Epipactis microphylla Epipactis muelleri Epipogium aphyllum Goodyeara repens G.conopsea subsp. densiflora Listera ovata Neottia nidus-avis Nigritella nigra Nigritella nigra Nigritella rubra Orchis ustulata Platanthera bifolia Spiranthes aestivalis Traunsteinera globosa

### Poaceae (Gramineae)

Agrostis gigantea Arrhenathrum elatius Brachypodium sylvaticum Bromus ramosus Briza media Calamagrostis epigejos Cynosurus cristatus Dactylis glomerata Deschampsia flexuosa Elymus caninus Festuca rubra agg Hordelymus europaeus Lolium perenne Melica cilliata Millium effusum Panicum dichotimiflorum Phagmites australis Poa annua Poa nemoralis Sesleria caerulea Setaria italica Setaria verticillata Trisetum flavescens

#### Typhaceae

Typha latifolia

Dark Red Helleborine Broad-leaved Helleborine -Ghost Orchid Creeping ladies Tresses Fragrant Orchid Twayblade Birdsnest Orchid Black Vanilla Orchid Red Vanilla Orchid Burnt-tipped Orchid Lesser Butterfly Orchid Summer Ladies Tresses Round-headed Orchid

### **Grass Family**

Black Bent False Oar-grass False Brome Wood Brome Quaking Grass Wood Small Reed Crested Dog's-tail Cock's-foot Wavy Hairgrass **Bearded Couch** Red Fescue Wood Barley Perennial Rye-grass Soft Melick Wood Millet A Millet Reed Annual Meadow-grass Wood Meadow-grass Blue Moor-grass Large Bristle-grass Sticky Bristle-grass Golden Oat

Bulrush Family Reedmace Common Common Bois des Mures Bois des Mures Bois des Mures La Moliere Herbouilly Bois des Mures (Over) Font d'Urle Pas de l'OEille Les Merciers Herbouilly Chirens Pas de l'OEille

Vif La Moliere Vif La Moliere Les Merciers La Moliere Meadows Common La Moliere La Moliere Common Common in open woods Common Vif La Moliere Near Grenoble Isere Airport Vif Common Woods Les Ecouges Near Grenoble Isere Airport Near Grenoble Isere Airport La Moliere

Vif

							July				
	Common name	Scientific name	TL	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
1	Grey Heron	Ardea cinerea	•		•		•	•	•	•	•
2	Mallard	Anus platyrhynchos	•	•	•		•				
3	Griffon Vulture	Gyps fulvus	•			•			•	•	
4	Egyptian Vulture	Neophron perconopterus	•			•					
5	Short-toed Eagle	Circaetus gallicus	•		•	•		•		•	
6	Black Kite	Milvus migrans	•	•	•	•	•	•		•	•
7	Hen Harrier	Circus cyaneus	•	•							
8	Montagu's Harrier	Circus pygargus	•	•							
9	Common Buzzard	Buteo buteo	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•
10	Honey Buzzard	Pernis apivorus	•	•				•	•	•	
11	Sparrowhawk	Accipiter nisus	•		•	•		•	•		Н
12	Common Kestrel	Falco tinnunculus	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
13	Hobby	Falco subbuteo	•				•				
14	Black Grouse	Tetrao tetrix	•						Н		
15	Common Quail	Coturnix coturnix	•	Н							
16	Moorhen	Gallinula chloropus	•				н				
17	Wood Pigeon	Columba palumbus	•	•	•	•	•	•		•	•
18	Feral Pigeon / Rock Dove	Columba livia	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
19	Collared Dove	Streptopelia decaocto	•	•	•	-	•		-	•	•
20	Turtle Dove	Streptopelia turtur	•	•	•						
21	Tawny Owl	Strix aluco	•	•					•		
22	Tengmalm's Owl	Aegolius funereus	•						H		
23	Little Owl	Athene noctua	•				Н				
24	Scops Owl	Otus scops	•				•				
25	European Nightjar	Caprimulgus europaeus	•								
26	Common Swift	Apus apus	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	
20	Alpine Swift	Apus melba	•	•	•	-		•	•	•	-
28	Black Woodpecker	Dryocopus martius	•		•	Н	-	•	H	•	
20	Green Woodpecker	Picus viridis	•			•	Н	Н	H	Н	Н
30	Great-spotted Woodpecker			-	-		11		H		H
30	· · ·	Dendrocopus major	•	•	•	•	Н	•	п		
	Wryneck	Jynk torquilla	•			-					
32	Skylark	Alauda arvensis	•			•	•				
33	Crag Martin Barn Swallow	Ptyonoprogne rupestris	•		•	•		•			
34		Hirundo rustica	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
35	House Martin	Delichon urbica	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
36	Tree Pipit	Anthus trivialis	•				•				
37	Water Pipit	Anthus spinoletta	•			•			•	•	•
38	White Wagtail	Motacilla alba	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
39	Grey Wagtail	Motacilla cinerea	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
40	Dipper	Cinclus cin	•		•			•			<b>.</b>
41	Wren	Troglodytes troglodytes	•			•	•	•	•		Н
42	Dunnock	Prunella modularis	•				•				•
43	Alpine Accentor	Prunella collaris	•						•		<u> </u>
44	Robin	Erithacus rubecula	•			•	•	Н		Н	Н
44	Nightingale	Luscinia megarhynchos					LO				<u> </u>
45	Redstart	Phoenicurus phoenicurus	•				•		Н		<u> </u>
46	Black Redstart	Phoenicurus ochruros	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
47	Whinchat	Saxicola rubetra	•	LO						•	<u> </u>
48	Northern Wheatear	Oenanthe oenanthe	•			•			•	•	
49	Mistle Thrush	Turdus viscivorus	•	•	•	•			•	•	•
50	Fieldfare	Turdus pilaris	•			•					

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51	Blackbird	Turdus merula	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
52	Ring Ouzel	Turdus torquatus alpestris	•			•	•				
53	Garden warbler	Sylvia borin	•			•					
54	Blackcap	Sylvia atricapilla	•	•	•		Н	Н		•	Н
55	Reed Warbler	Acrocephalus scripaceus	•				Н				
56	Marsh Warbler	Acrocephalus palustris	•					•			
57	Chiffchaff	Phylloscopus collybita	•	•		Н	Н		•	•	Н
58	Goldcrest	Regulus regulus	•			•	•				
59	Firecrest	Regulus ignicapillus	•				•				
60	Great Tit	Parus major	•	•	Н	•	•	•	•		•
61	Coal Tit	Parus ater	•			•	•	•	•	•	•
62	Blue Tit	Parus caeruleus	•	н	•	•	Н	•	•	•	•
63	Crested Tit	Parus cristatus	•			•	•	Н	•		н
64	Long-tailed Tit	Aegithalos caudatus	•				•				
65	Willow Tit	Parus montanus	•						•		н
66	Nuthatch	Sitta europaea	•		н				Н	•	•
67	Treecreeper	Certhia familiaris	•			•					
68	Short-toed Treecreeper	Certhia brachydactyla	•							•	
69	Wallcreeper	Tichodroma muraria	•		1			4	2		
70	Red-backed Shrike	Lanius collurio	•	•		•		•		•	
71	Magpie	Pica pica	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
72	Jay	Garrulus glandarius	•		•	•	•	•		•	
73	Jackdaw	Corvus monedula	•							•	
74	Yellow-billed Chough	Pyrrhocorax graculus	•			•	•		•	•	•
75	Carrion Crow	Corvus corone	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
76	Raven	Corvus corax	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•
77	Starling	Sturnus vulgaris	•	•			•				•
78	House Sparrow	Passer domesticus	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
79	Tree Sparrow	Passer montanus	•	•							-
80	Chaffinch	Fringilla coelebs	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
81	Linnet	Acanthis cannabina	•			•			н	•	<u> </u>
82	Common Crossbill	Loxia curvirostra	•								•
83	Goldfinch	Carduelis carduelis	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
84	Citril Finch	Serinur citrinella	•				н		•		<u> </u>
85	Greenfinch	Carduelis chloris	•	Н	Н	•	•	•	•	•	•
86	Siskin	Carduelis spinus	•						•		
87	Serin	Serinus serinus	•		Н	Н	Н		•	Н	<u> </u>
88	Bullfinch	Pyrrhula pyrrhula	•		H		•				•
89	Yellowhammer	Emberiza citrinella	•			•	H	•		•	H
90	Cirl Bunting	Emberiza cirlus	•			-	•	-		-	+
91	Rock Bunting	Emberiza cia	•		•		-				
	y Totals		-	35	39	49	54	40	47	44	42

H = Heard only

LO = Leader only

### **Butterflies**

	Common name	Scientifi
1	Swallowtail	Papilio n
2	Scarce Swallowtail	Iphiclide
3	Apollo	Parnassi
4	Large White	Pieris bra
5	Black-veined White	Aporia ci
6	Small White	Artogeia
7	Berger's Clouded Yellow	Colias al
8	Cleopatra	Gonepte
9	Brimstone	Gonepte
10	Eastern Wood White	Leptidea
11	Blue-spot Hairstreak	Satyrium
12	Brown Argus	Aricia ag
13	Chalk-Hill Blue	Polyomn
14	Provence Chalk-hill Blue	Polyomn
15	Common Blue	Polyomn
16	Southern White Admiral	Limenitis
17	Red Admiral	Vanessa
18	Painted Lady	Vanessa
19	Small Tortoiseshell	Aglais ur
20	Peacock	Inachis i
21	Comma	Polygoni
22	Silver-washed Fritillary	Argynnis
23	Titian's Fritillary	Clossian
24	Heath Fritillary	Mellicta a
25	Provencal Fritillary	Mellicta
26	Marbled White	Melanarg
27	Great Banded Grayling	Kanetisa
28	Common Brassy Ringlet	Erebia ca
29	Mountain Ringlet	Erebia e
30	Arran Brown	Erebia lig
31	Meadow Brown	Maniola
32	Dusky Meadow Brown	Hyponep
33	Gatekeeper	Pyronia
34	Small Skipper	Thymelic
35	Large Skipper	Ochlode

Other Insects and Archnids

### Common name

### 1 Wartbiter Cricket

- 2 Cricket
- 3 Red-winged' Grasshopper
- 4 Rose Chafer
- 5 Frog Hopper (Orange & Black)
- 6 Soldier Beetle
- 7 Black Weevil
- 8 Carpenter Bee
- 9 Shieldbug
- 10 Spider
- 11 Spider
- 12 Hummingbird Hawkmoth
- 13 Five Spot Burnet Moth
- 14 Six Spot Burnet Moth
- 15 Pine Prosessionary Moth (Nest)
- 16 Purple Treble-bar

#### Scientific name

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### Scientific name

Decticus verrucivorus Gampsocleis glabra Oedipoda germanica Cetonia aurata Cercopis vulnerata Rhagonycha fulva Liparus glabrirostris Xylocopa violacea Eurydema ornatum Araneus quadratus Dysdera crocata Macroglossum stellatarum Zygaena trifolii Zygaena filipendulae Thaumetopoea pityocampa Aplocera praeformata

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#### Location

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#### Common name

- 17 Common Heath
- 18 Laitticed Heath

### Mammals

### Common name

- 1 Brown Hare
- 2 Alpine Marmot
- 3 Fox
- 4 Pine Marten
- 5 European Beaver
- 6 Mouflon
- 7 Chamois
- 8 Red Deer
- 9 Roe Deer
- 10 Whiskered Bat
- 11 Leisler's Bat
- 12 Common Pipistralle Bat
- 13 Savi's Pipistrelle Bat

### Reptiles & Amphibians

### Common name

- 1 Alpine Newt
- 2 Common Frog
- 3 Common Lizard
- 4 Common Wall Lizard

### Other Groups

### Common name

1 Roman Snail

### Scientific name

Ematurga atomaria atomaria Chiasmia clathrata clathrata

### Scientific name

Lepus capensis Marmotta marmotta Vulpes vulpes Martes martes Castor fiber Ovis musimon Rupicapra rupicapra Cervus elaphus Capreolus capreolus Myotis mystacinus Nyctalus leisleri Pipistrelles pipistrellus Pipistrellus (Hysago) savi

### Scientific name

Triturus triturus Rana temporaria Lacerta vivipara Podarcis muralis

Scientific name Helix pomatia

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### Location

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La Moliere Vif Herbouilly Near Grenoble Isere Airport

### Location

Les Geymonds