

Spain's Coto Doñana and Extremadura

Naturetrek Tour Report

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Corn Bunting



Griffon Vulture



White-headed Duck



Red Fox

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Day 1

Monday 22nd April

After an early afternoon arrival at Seville via Madrid, we arrived to warm conditions with the air rich of orange blossom scent. After picking up our minibuses we headed out of Seville on the drive towards the southwest of the city, passing colourful flowering roadside vegetation and on to Doñana National Park. After exiting the motorway we quickly started to find many of the classic Mediterranean birds of the region; Woodchat Shrikes perched on roadside fences, Bee-eaters flitted across the road in search of insects as Black Kite and Black Stork circled above. We eventually reached our comfortable hotel in Wild West styled town of El Rocio, overlooking the La Madre de las Marismas, a large lagoon behind the hotel.

After a brief siesta was enjoyed by many, we started off our holiday by exploring some of the bird life around the hotel. On the lagoon behind we found Spoonbill, Greater Flamingo, Black-winged Stilt, Whiskered Tern and Red-crested Pothard. Overhead Black Kites put in some close appearances along with a pale phase Booted Eagle and a hovering Short-toed Eagle. In the distance, scavenging Griffon Vultures soared but highlight of the afternoon was a superb adult Spanish Imperial Eagle that put in a number of appearances as it soared above the tree line. With the trip thoroughly started on a high note, we retired to the neighbouring restaurant for an enjoyable evening meal and wine.

Day 2

Tuesday 23rd April

After waking refreshed on our first full day in Spain, we headed out to explore a number of the reserves around the El Rocio area to give as an introduction to some of the species and habitats present.

After breakfast we started exploring the La Madre de las Marismas finding Cattle Egret, Black-winged Stilt, Whiskered Terns and Red-crested Potchard on the water. Golden Oriole sang from nearby trees and Red-rumped and Barn Swallows hawked around for insects. We soon moved on to the heathland at Acebron where brightly coloured Bee-eaters were numerous, perching on roadside fences along with Woodchat and a single Iberian Grey Shrike. As we explored the heath on foot we found numerous Stonechat plus obliging Dartford Warblers. Both pale and dark morph Booted Eagles hunted the skies overhead.

Moving on to explore the woods around the Palace de Acebron, we found numerous Melodious Warbler, Nightingale, Serin, Short-toed Treecreeper along with Crested tit, Lesser Spotted Woodpecker, Wryneck and Iberian Chiffchaff. Lunch was taken at Acebuches along with large parties of scavenging Azure Winged Magpies, pleasing the photographers in the group. In the full blast of the afternoon sun the wetlands at Acebuches appeared fairly quiet, but we did get a number of reeling Savi's Warblers including brief sightings of one bird along with a secretive Purple Gallinule, Little Grebes, Red-crested Potchard and Spanish Yellow Wagtail. After refreshments at the café at the visitor centre we headed back to our hotel where we enjoyed alfresco drinks before our evening meal.

Day 3

Wednesday 24th April

After an earlier breakfast we were picked up by our local guide and head off into the core protected areas of the Parque Nacional. We started off by exploring some of the parks stone pine areas in the hope of finding the elusive Iberian Lynx, unfortunately drawing a blank on this magnificent feline but not before finding a number of recent footprints in the sand. As the morning started to warm up we moved out into the marismas, Doñana's vast wildlife filled wetlands.

White Storks, Cattle Egrets, Whiskered Terns and Red Deer were found as we moved away from the wooded habitats. As we progressed along our track it became obvious that the winter rains had given the park renewed energy and the wetlands thronged with life. Along the track we discovered Crested, Short-toed and Calandra Larks, and within the flooded fields masses of Black-winged Stilts were joined by Avocet, Greenshank, Collared Pratincole, Red-crested Potchard and Squacco Heron to name a few. Several small groups of Pin-tailed Sandgrouse flew around us calling before dropping into the vegetation by the road. As we pushed on further into this wetland oasis larger pools opened up revealing large flocks of bright Greater Flamingo's along with Glossy Ibis and Purple Heron. On one roadside pool we had superb views of a drake White-headed Duck while Great Reed Warbler crunched away from waterside tamarisks. At the Jose Valverde visitor centre, the breeding season was in full swing with a large and noisy colony of Glossy Ibis, Night Heron and Cattle Egret on their nests just metres away from our comfortable refreshment stop.

From the vast wetlands, we headed back to the forests towards mid-day where we enjoyed a delicious picnic buffet in an old hunting lodge on the Coto Del Rey estate surrounded by White Storks and Bee-eaters. After lunch we moved on out into the estate finding a pair of Spanish Imperial Eagles using the pylons as perches along with Honey Buzzard and flocks of hunting Lesser Kestrel. By late afternoon we returned to our hotel to have a siesta or explore the adjacent La Madre de las Marismas before meeting up for pre-dinner drinks and an enjoyable evening meal.

After enjoying another fine evening meal we decided to brave the mosquitos and make an attempt for Red-necked Nightjar on Acebron Heath. As the light descended, we heard our first snippet of a calling bird along with a distant European Nightjar churring and Night Heron flying overhead. As we got closer to the calling bird we eventually observed two birds flying around and wing clapping before posing on nearby trees and in the road. Target bird in the bag, we headed back to the hotel before the park gates locked and a lucky few also observed an Eagle Owl flying from a roadside pylon.

Day 4

Thursday 25th April

On our final full day in Doñana, we headed over to the east of the national park to explore some of the varied wetland habitats on the other side of the Rio Guadalquivir. First stop of the day was the salinas at Bonanza and they certainly didn't disappoint with a good selection of feeding waders, terns, flamingos and gulls. The shallow salt pan lagoons here provided ideal conditions for passage and breeding waders with Curlew Sandpipers, Little Stints, Dunlin and Ringed Plover feeding busily in the shallows along with Avocet, Black Winged Stilt, and Sanderling. Kentish Plovers ran around on the dryer banks and Grey Plover were also present. Further into the beds, Slender-billed Gulls fed in the water along with a few Audouin's Gulls, while groups of Greater Flamingo and Spoonbill waded around, feeding in the lagoons and Little, Gull-billed, Black and Whiskered Terns dived on fish in the water.

The pine woods around Laguna de Tarelo provided us with our shady picnic site, so as the leaders prepared lunch the group explored the pool finding White-headed Duck, Red-crested Pochard, Common Waxbill and Squacco Heron. Melodious and Sardinian Warblers sang from the trees along with turtle Dove. Lunch complete, we headed off through the pine woods and out onto the glasswort steppe, grazing marsh and wetlands of the eastern banks of the lower Rio Guadalquivir. Common migrants were in evidence out in the open habitats with Redstart, Whinchat and Northern Wheatear using the roadside fence posts. Eventually with much searching and the eagle eyes of Peter, we found our final target bird for the day – Marbled Duck with a pair using a small roadside ditch network. Marbled Duck in the bag, we headed back to the hotel through the diverse farmed and wetland habitats before enjoying our last evening meal and wine in El Rocio.

Day 5

Friday 26th April

Our fifth day in Spain was to be our transfer day to Extremadura. We packed our bags and then spent a bit of time making one last observation of the La Madre de las Marismas and also visiting the SEO birdwatching centre that had finally opened. The usual suspects were out on the lagoon but we did get a final Doñana Spanish Imperial Eagle sat in the top of a eucalyptus tree. T-shirts and postcards bought, we headed north en-route to the second half of the holiday. By mid-day we arrived at our lunch spot for the day overlooking the impressive hydro dam of the Embalse de Alange. Here we enjoyed our picnic lunch, surrounded by chattering Alpine Swifts, Red-rumped Swallows and House Martins. On the rocks above we located Blue Rock Thrush and Rock Buntings but a much hoped for Bonelli's Eagle failed to put in an appearance.

Lunch complete, we headed up along the Rio Guadiana passed 'stork city' and paused for a stop under the spans of one of Merida's bridges over the Rio Guadiana, home to a thronging colony of Cattle and Little Egret. Alpine Swift, Crag Martin and House Martin all showed well but the highlight of the stop was a smart Penduline Tit that called from the top of a nearby bush.

Birding complete, we moved on the short distance further into Extremadura, arriving to a warm welcome at our charming family run hotel by late afternoon to settle in our rooms and enjoy the first of Belen's home cooked meals.

Day 6

Saturday 27th April

On our first full day in Extremadura, we decided to head north to enjoy the scenery and wildlife of Monfrague National Park, calling en-route at the Plaza de Torros in Trujillo to observe the Lesser Kestrel colony. Shortly after setting off north to Monfrague we called off for a brief exploration of the picturesque Rio Almonte, the water covered in flowering water crowfoot and the dehesa bright with the colours of the stunning show of wild flowers. Griffon Vultures passed overhead, joined by Short-toed and Booted Eagles plus busy feeding Bee-eaters and Crag Martins. On the river Dipper, Grey Wagtail, Common Sandpiper and Little-ringed Plover all put in an appearance. Following on from our brief foray into the dehesa habitats, we headed continued on to the national park, arriving first at the Pennafalcon rock. At our first stop in Monfrague we were immediately greeted by large numbers of Griffon Vultures swirling around the cliffs, flying past at eye level giving photographers in the group a real treat. In amongst the Griffons were several Egyptian Vultures, Black Stork, Peregrine and a massive Black Vulture. On the rocks were Rock Bunting, Blue Rock Thrush and Black Redstart. Further down the road we paused to observe a stunning male Black-eared Wheatear in the cistus scrub before moving on for lunch alongside more nesting Griffon Vultures. Joining in with the picnic was scavenging parties of Azure-winged Magpies and a tame Red Fox that fed on the scraps and posed for photos.

After lunch we moved along the Rio Tietar observing Egyptian Vulture sat on its nest next to the river plus a pair of confiding Subalpine Warblers before arriving at the Portilla del Tietar. The rocks and air thronged with Griffon Vultures but no sooner had we disembarked than we discovered one of our target birds; Spanish Imperial Eagle, a stunning adult no less, circling around just above us. We scanned the rock face for Eagle Owl but unfortunately drew a blank, although the Spanish Imperial Eagle did come back for a further fly past above us showing its distinctive white leading edge to the wings as it drifted around on the thermals overhead. Excitement over, we headed back via Almaraz with a brief pause at the wetlands at Saucedilla, finding Little Bitterns, Purple Gallinule, Savi's Warbler and Penduline Tit before enjoying a delicious traditional meal and wine at our lovely hotel.

Day 7

Sunday 28th April

After waking to a cool and breezy start, today's plans saw us set off to explore the unique steppe and dehesa habitats of Extremadura to the northwest of Trujillo around Santa Marta Magasca. The rolling dehesa quickly gave way to more open steppe grassland and cultivated land where we observed Thekla and Woodlark, Iberian Grey Shrike and in one field found Little Bustards plus groups of calling Pin-tailed Sandgrouse that flew overhead. We pushed on out into the centre of the Trujillo steppe where Crested and Calandra Larks were numerous and Corn Buntings were singing from just about every other post. Montague's Harrier, Black-bellied Sandgrouse and Short-toed Lark were found around the track but the star birds of the day were in the fields either side of us – Great Bustard. We quickly located several birds but the highlight of the morning was a male vigorously trying to impress a nearby female with his spectacular foam bath display. Unfortunately she was less than impressed us and gave him the cold shoulder. Excitement over, we headed off for lunch calling for coffee, beers and cake at a bar in Santa Marta Magasca as we headed further into the Extremadura steppe.

Lunch was enjoyed in the Tamuja valley overlooking a Bonelli's Eagle nest, attended by one of the adult birds. Here we had quite simply stunning views with both birds eventually circling above us and the nest, showing off all the diagnostic features. Lunch over, we bagged a pair of Rollers at a roadside nest box before moving out into the brightly coloured steppe to the north of Trujillo to spend the afternoon where we found more stunning Montague's Harriers and the odd Little and Great Bustard plus hunting Short-toed Eagle. After our evening meal, some of us headed out to a nearby village, where we found a number of Scops Owls calling within the village square, two of which responded to our leader's imitations, allowing us to get some good views.

Day 8

Monday 29th April

We woke today, our last full one of the holiday, to heavy skies and light rain. With breaks in the clouds, we set off on foot to explore the bird life of the hotel grounds and surroundings finding Nightingale, Woodchat and Iberian Grey Shrikes, Azure-winged Magpie and Serin. With the cloudy skies lifting and rain stopping, we headed off north to Trujillo where most of the group elected to foray into the town to see the history, tapas bars and cake, while the rest visited the nearby Belen plain. On the plain all the usual suspects were present with endless Corn Buntings, Crested and Calandra Larks plus a melanistic Montague's Harrier, Little Bustards and a stunning Greater-spotted Cuckoo perched on a rock in the grassland.

With rain threatening at mid-day, we headed back to the hotel to have our picnic under cover along with local wine provided by our hosts. In the brighter afternoon, some of the group opted for an extended siesta, while an intrepid few headed into the wooded hills around Garciaz in search of some woodland birds. The downy and holm oak woodlands here provided us with Bonelli's Warblers, Iberian Pied Flycatcher, Redstart, Woodlark and an obliging Wryneck that called in the roadside oaks. As the day drew in, we headed back to the hotel before our final delicious meal cooked by Belen at the hotel.

Day 9

Tuesday 30th April

With an early afternoon flight back home to London we packed up our belongings, had breakfast and said our farewells to our hosts before heading back to Madrid airport concluding a thoroughly enjoyable birding break.

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Species Lists

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

	Common name	Scientific name	April								
			22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
1	Great Crested Grebe	<i>Podiceps cristatus</i>	1	2	30+	5	2				
2	Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>		2	20+	10					
3	Black-necked Grebe	<i>Podiceps cristatus</i>			40+						
4	Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>				2		2			
5	Little Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus minutus</i>			1			5			
6	Night Heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>			40+	33					
7	Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>	4	8	400+	300+	300+	15+	20+	10+	10+
8	Squacco Heron	<i>Ardeola ralloides</i>			2	2	1				
9	Great Egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>	1		4	2		1			
10	Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>		4	20+	20+	6	20+			
11	Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>	10+	15+	50+	20+	10	8	20+		2
12	Purple Heron	<i>Ardea purpurea</i>			20+	4	2	3			
13	Black Stork	<i>Ciconia nigra</i>	1		1		1	7	2	1	
14	White Stork	<i>Ciconia ciconia</i>	50+	100+	270	200+	400+	80+	150+	150+	60+
15	Spoonbill	<i>Platalea leucorodia</i>	2	1	10	30+	4				
16	Glossy Ibis	<i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>			150+	40+	6				
17	Greater Flamingo	<i>Phoenicopterus ruber</i>	2		1000+	300+	10				
18	Shoveler	<i>Anas clypeata</i>			10+		7				
19	Gadwall	<i>Anas strepera</i>		4	30+	20+	10+	6			
20	Mallard	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>	30	30	30+	40+	15	30+	10+	2	8
21	Marbled Duck	<i>Marmaronetta angustirostris</i>				2					
22	Common Shelduck	<i>Tadorna tadorna</i>				2					
23	Egyptian Goose	<i>Alopochen aegyptiacus</i>							2		
24	White-headed Duck	<i>Oxyura leucocophala</i>			5	4					
25	Red-crested Pochard	<i>Netta rufina</i>	8+	20+	150+	70+	10+				
26	Pochard	<i>Aythya ferina</i>	10+	30+	50+	30+	20+	4			
27	Black Kite	<i>Milvus migrans</i>	20+	50+	40+	30+	30+	50+	400+	50+	30+
28	Red Kite	<i>Milvus milvus</i>		2	2	2	3	1	2	1	2
29	Egyptian Vulture	<i>Neophron percnopterus</i>						5			
30	Black Vulture	<i>Aegypius monachus</i>						4	4	1	
31	Griffon Vulture	<i>Gyps fulvus</i>	10+	6+	15	30+	30+	200+	105	70+	10+
32	Montagu's Harrier	<i>Circus pygargus</i>				1	1		8	1	1
33	Marsh Harrier	<i>Circus aeruginosus</i>		1	2	2	1	2			
34	Common Buzzard	<i>Buteo buteo</i>		1	1	2		1	2	3	2
35	Spanish Imperial Eagle	<i>Aquila heliaca (adalberti)</i>	1		2		1	1			
36	Bonelli's Eagle	<i>Hieraaetus fasciatus</i>							2		
37	Booted Eagle	<i>Hieraaetus pennatus</i>		10+	9	4	20+	9	5+	3	2
38	Short-toed Eagle	<i>Circaetus gallicus</i>	1		4		2	8	4		2
39	Common Kestrel	<i>Falco tinnunculus</i>	2	1	3	20+	5+	3		10+	5
40	Lesser Kestrel	<i>Falco naumanni</i>			28	2		10+	16	15	
41	Peregrine	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>						2			
42	Merlin	<i>Falco columbarius</i>							1		
43	Eurasian Hobby	<i>Falco subbuteo</i>		1					1		
44	Red-legged Partridge	<i>Alectoris rufa</i>			2			3	6	2	6
45	Common Quail	<i>Coturnix coturnix</i>							2H		
46	Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>		2	4	10+	4	2		2	
47	Coot	<i>Fulica atra</i>			30+	20+					

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			22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	
48	Purple Gallinule	<i>Porphyrio porphyrio</i>		2+	1				3			
49	Great Bustard	<i>Otis tarda</i>								14		
50	Little Bustard	<i>Tetrax tetrax</i>								14	3	
51	Black-winged Stilt	<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>	160+	160+	270	200+	110			2		
52	Stone Curlew	<i>Burhinus oediconemus</i>			1							
53	Avocet	<i>Recurvirostra avosetta</i>			2	300+						
54	Ruddy Turnstone	<i>Arenaria interpres</i>				6						
55	Red Knot	<i>Calidris canutus</i>				70+						
56	Whimbrel	<i>Numenius phaeopus</i>				2						
57	Collared Pratincole	<i>Glareola pratincola</i>			5+	20+						
58	Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius hiaticula</i>			15	30+						
59	Little Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius dubius</i>						1	1			
60	Kentish Plover	<i>Charadrius alexandrinus</i>				20+						
61	Grey Plover	<i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>				30+						
62	Lapwing	<i>Vanellus vanellus</i>			200+	2						
63	Sanderling	<i>Calidris alba</i>				100+						
64	Curlew Sandpiper	<i>Calidris ferruginea</i>				30+						
65	Dunlin	<i>Calidris alpina</i>				300+						
66	Little Stint	<i>Calidris minuta</i>				7						
67	Black-tailed Godwit	<i>Limosa limosa</i>				5						
68	Redshank	<i>Tringa totanus</i>				4	1					
69	Greenshank	<i>Tringa nebularia</i>			6	3	7					
70	Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>				4	1	2				
71	Mediterranean Gull	<i>Larus melanocephalus</i>				1						
72	Slender-billed Gull	<i>Larus genei</i>				40+						
73	Black-headed Gull	<i>Larus ridibundus</i>			7	8						
74	Yellow-legged Gull	<i>Larus cachinnans</i>			4	92						
75	Lesser Black-backed Gull	<i>Larus fuscus</i>		6+	2	8						
76	Audouin's Gull	<i>Ichthyaeetus audouinii</i>				6						
77	Gull-billed Tern	<i>Gelochelidon nilotica</i>				20+	8	2				
78	Little Tern	<i>Sternula albifrons</i>				150+						
79	Black Tern	<i>Chlidonias niger</i>		1	2	10+	8					
80	Whiskered Tern	<i>Chlidonias hybridus</i>	20+	40+	170	140+	46					
81	Black-bellied Sandgrouse	<i>Pterocles orientalis</i>								8		
82	Pin-tailed Sandgrouse	<i>Pterocles alchata</i>			20					29		
83	Wood Pigeon	<i>Columba palumbus</i>		2	4	✓	✓	4	2			✓
84	Rock Dove / Feral Pigeon	<i>Columba livia</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
85	Collared Dove	<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
86	Turtle Dove	<i>Streptopelia turtur</i>		1H	2	10		2	2			
87	Cuckoo	<i>Cuculus canorus</i>			H		H	3H	3	5	1	
88	Great Spotted Cuckoo	<i>Clamator glandarius</i>					H	2H	3	1		
89	Eagle Owl	<i>Bubo bubo</i>		H	H	H						
90	Eurasian Scops Owl	<i>Otus scops</i>					4	4	4			
91	Red-necked Nightjar	<i>Caprimulgus ruficollis</i>			3							
92	European Nightjar	<i>Caprimulgus europaeus</i>			H							
93	Alpine Swift	<i>Apus melba</i>					59					
94	Pallid Swift	<i>Apus pallidus</i>		10+			2	4				
95	Common Swift	<i>Apus apus</i>	10+	30+	40+	30+	500+	200+	300+	40+	✓	
96	European Roller	<i>Coracias gasrrulus</i>								2		
97	Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo atthis</i>					1	1				
98	Bee-eater	<i>Merops apiaster</i>	10+	40+	30+	30+	10+	20+	30+	20+	20+	

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99	Hoopoe	<i>Upupa epops</i>	3+	8+	2	2	5	13	8	8	8+	
100	Wryneck	<i>Jynx torquilla</i>		2+						1		
101	Great-spotted Woodpecker	<i>Dendrocopus major</i>		2+				H				
102	Lesser-spotted Woodpecker	<i>Dendrocopus minor</i>		1								
103	Woodlark	<i>Lullula arborea</i>		1H					2	3		
104	Thekla Lark	<i>Galerida theklae</i>							1			
105	Crested Lark	<i>Galerida cristata</i>	10+	20+	30+	30+	80+	30+	200+	100+	✓	
106	Short-toed Lark	<i>Calandrella brachydactyla</i>			4				3			
107	Calandra Lark	<i>Melanocorypha calandra</i>			10+	2			135	20+		
108	Crag Martin	<i>Ptyonoprogne rupestris</i>					4	42	9			
109	Sand Martin	<i>Riparia riparia</i>		4	4		10+	30+	10+			
110	Red-rumped Swallow	<i>Hirundo daurica</i>	2	10+	6	10+	20+	40+	7	2	5	
111	Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>	50+	150	100+	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
112	House Martin	<i>Delichon urbica</i>	200+	200+	300+	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
113	Grey Wagtail	<i>Motacilla cinerea</i>						1				
114	White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>					1	6	1			
115	Yellow (Iberian) Wagtail	<i>Motacilla flava (iberiae)</i>		1	10+	20+	5					
116	Wren	<i>Troglodytes troglodytes</i>		4	2	2		4	3	2		
117	Dipper	<i>Cinclus cinclus</i>						1				
118	Eurasian Nuthatch	<i>Sitta europaea</i>								1		
119	Nightingale	<i>Luscinia megarhynchos</i>	5+	30+	10+	20+H	3H	8H	3	3		
120	Black Redstart	<i>Phoenicurus ochruros</i>						3				
121	Common Redstart	<i>Phoenicurus phoenicurus</i>				1	1			1		
122	Whinchat	<i>Saxicola rubetra</i>				1			3	1		
123	Stonechat	<i>Saxicola torquata</i>		10+		3		10	5+	4		
124	Northern Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe oenanthe</i>			2	1			6	4		
125	Black-eared Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe hispanica</i>						1				
126	Blue Rock Thrush	<i>Monticola solitarius</i>				2		8				
127	European Pied Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula hypoleuca</i>		2	2		1			3		
128	Blackbird	<i>Turdus merula</i>		4+	2	5	3	10+	15+	20+		
129	Mistle Thrush	<i>Turdus merula</i>					1	2	1	4		
130	European Robin	<i>Erithacus rubecula</i>	1		1							
131	Savi's Warbler	<i>Locustella luscinoides</i>		2+				2				
132	Sedge Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus schoenobaenus</i>						1				
133	Zitting Cisticola	<i>Cisticola juncidis</i>	1+	1+	8	30+	3	6	4			
134	Cetti's Warbler	<i>Cettia cetti</i>		5+	3		3H	2H				
135	Great Reed Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus arundinaceus</i>			9	4	1	3H				
136	Reed Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus scirpaceus</i>	1	2	3	1	2					
137	Melodious Warbler	<i>Hippolais polyglotta</i>		4				1				
138	Western Olivaceous Warbler	<i>Hippolais pallid</i>		1								
139	Western Orphean Warbler	<i>Sylvia hortensis</i>							1	1		
140	Common Whitethroat	<i>Sylvia communis</i>					1					
141	Dartford Warbler	<i>Sylvia undata</i>		2								
142	Blackcap	<i>Sylvia atricapilla</i>		4				1		2		
143	Subalpine Warbler	<i>Sylvia cantillans</i>						2				
144	Bonelli's Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus bonelli</i>		1						4		
145	Sardinian Warbler	<i>Sylvia melanocephala</i>		3+	3	4	3	4	5+	3	1	
146	Common Firecrest	<i>Regulus ignicapilla</i>								1		
147	Willow Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus trochilus</i>					4					
148	Chiffchaff	<i>Phylloscopus collybita</i>					1					
149	Iberian Chiffchaff	<i>Phylloscopus ibericus</i>		1					1			

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			22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
150	Crested Tit	<i>Lophophanes cristatus</i>		4							
151	Blue Tit	<i>Cyanistes caeruleus</i>		5+	5+		10+	10	10+	10	6
152	Eurasian Penduline Tit	<i>Remiz pendulinus</i>					2	1			
153	Great Tit	<i>Parus major</i>		5+	5	2	3	20+	15+	15+	10
154	Long-tailed Tit	<i>Aegithalos caudatus</i>						4	10+	20+	
155	Short-toed Treecreeper	<i>Certhia brachydactyla</i>		10+	4			2			
156	Iberian Grey Shrike	<i>Lanius meridionalis</i>		1	1		2	2	3	4	2
158	Woodchat Shrike	<i>Lanius senator</i>	5+	20+	7	6	10+	15+	19	30+	6
159	Spotless Starling	<i>Sturnus unicolor</i>	50+	100+	100+	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
160	Golden Oriole	<i>Oriolus oriolus</i>	2	2+	2		3H	2H	2	3	
161	Jay	<i>Garrulus glandarius</i>						2		4	
162	Magpie	<i>Pica pica</i>		10+	6		20+	30+	20+		15
163	Azure-winged Magpie	<i>Cyanopica cyana</i>		30+	30+	10+	10+	40+	19	50+	10
164	Jackdaw	<i>Corvus monedula</i>				4		30+	8	2	
165	Raven	<i>Corvus corax</i>			3	2	2	3	7	2	
166	Tree Sparrow	<i>Passer montanus</i>		2							
167	Rock Sparrow	<i>Petronia petronia</i>							1	3	
168	House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
169	Spanish Sparrow	<i>Passer hispaniolensis</i>				1			24	30+	
170	Chaffinch	<i>Fringilla coelebs</i>		20+	20+		20+	10+	20+	20+	
171	Serín	<i>Serinus serinus</i>	10+	50+	110	20+	30+	44	40+	40+	✓
172	Greenfinch	<i>Carduelis chloris</i>	5+	20+	20+	4	1	2		3	
173	Goldfinch	<i>Carduelis carduelis</i>	10	30+	40+	20+	20+	20+	30+	30+	✓
174	Linnet	<i>Acanthis cannabina</i>			1	3	2	3	4		
175	Hawfinch	<i>Coccothraustes coccothraustes</i>						4		4	
176	Corn Bunting	<i>Miliaria calandra</i>	5+	5+	15+	20+	30+	30+	158	200+	30+
177	Rock Bunting	<i>Emberiza cia</i>					1	3			
178	Common Waxbill	<i>Estrilda astrild</i>				2					

Mammals

Fallow Deer

Rabbit

Red Fox

Red Deer

Iberian Lynx (footprint)

Herptiles

European Pond Tortoise

Iberian Wall Lizard

Turkish Gecko

Butterflies and other invertebrates

Clouded Yellow

Green-veined White

Blue tailed Damselfly

Painted Lady

Large White

Orange Tip

Red Admiral

Small Heath

Ruddy Darter

Common Darter

Lesser Emperor

Lesser Stag Beetle

Plants of note

Violet Limodore

Serapius lingua

Tassel Hyacinth

Serapius parviflora

Champagne Orchid