

Ronda and the Straits

The unknown vulture spectacle



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Birding Andalusia from the stunning mountains of Ronda to the gorgeous coasts of Tarifa, this trip brought us encounters with star species including Rüppell's Vulture, Black Wheatear, Golden Eagle, Audouin's Gull, Egyptian Vulture, Montagu's Harrier and many others!

Our mountain leg was based in the quirky blue village of Jùzcar, and the high-altitude birding was fuelled by the mouth-watering local food of our hotel's award-winning chef. Our rocky explorations brought us Blue Rock Thrushes, Rock Sparrows, Rock Buntings, Golden Eagle, Black Redstarts, Black Wheatear and more.

Descending to the Straits, the group found themselves in the thick of the autumn Griffon Vulture migration, with birds kettling in their hundreds along with a late wave of migrating Short-toed Eagles, Booted Eagles and some superb Rüppell's Vultures.

Exploration of mountains, salt pans, lagoons, intertidal habitat, cork oak forests, plains and pastureland habitat brought us encounters with fabulous bird species, some very special mammals, and a fascinating selection of reptiles, amphibians, butterflies, moths and dragonflies.

As well as being treated to some spectacular birding in Spain, the group enjoyed relaxed days taking in all the gorgeous cuisine, scenery Andalusia has to offer.

The trip was led by Simon Tonkin and Niki Williamson, with a crew of three Inglorious Bustards (Joan, John and Andrew) joined for the Playa de los Lances trip by Pip and Jane.

Day 1 Thursday 12 October

Malaga, Sierra de las Nieves, Juzcar

After a seamless mid-morning pick up from bustling Màlaga airport, the Bustards were assembled! Without further ado we headed out of town to the hills of the Serrania de Ronda, admiring the dramatic scenery as we went.

It wasn't long before we reached our lunchtime spot at the edge of the Sierra de las Nieves, right at the edge of the treeline. As Simon and Niki prepared a picnic of salads, cheeses and meats the group admired the scrubby tree habitat, made up of Holm Oak, Wild Olive and the endemic Spanish Fir, found only in Màlaga province and the Rif mountains of Morocco. Amongst the trees were many close Black and Common Redstarts, showing well enough for photographers Andrew and Joan to get some great shots.

Taking a brief walk around the area, we picked up on many singing woodland birds, including Firecrest, Crested Tit, Nuthatch, and Short-toed Creeper. Just as John asked about shrikes, an Iberian Grey Shrike decided to give us a show, singing from a perch at the top of a bush.

We could see distant Griffon Vultures circling above the rocky hills, and as we watched a Golden Eagle appeared, soaring high above us but with white underwing markings clearly visible.

We also got a great look at three Thekla Larks overhead, showing their grey underwing and singing their variable song.

The afternoon flew past and it was soon time to head to our accommodation in Jùzcar, the quirky blue village that was used as the set for the Smurfs! Movie in 2011. Here we settled in to Hotel Bandolero, taking a couple of hours to unpack, relax and explore the extraordinary *pueblo*.

The heavily anticipated food of award-winning chef Ivan did not disappoint, with astonishingly good chanterelle, pomegranate and blue cheese salad, pumpkin and shrimp risotto, and glazed chestnut mousse making the best of local seasonal produce with a twist!

Day 2 Friday 13 October

Los Riscos, Cueva del Gato, Montejaque

After a hearty breakfast, we headed out to the nearby ‘moonscape’ of Los Riscos, where the morning sun was warming the hillside. Large flocks of Corn Buntings and Linnets were bringing the farmland and olive groves to life, and an Iberian Green Woodpecker called loudly.

As we took up our positions, surveying the massive rock plateau in front of us, it wasn’t long before mountain birds were flitting across the rock wall. Blue Rock Thrush was the first to be spotted, soon to be followed by three Rock Sparrows. Fleeting glimpses of an Alpine Accentor were sadly not to be repeated, but after putting in a bit of effort we had close views of Rock Bunting and Cirl Bunting.

Cueva del Gato is a picturesque area at the foot of an 8km cave system, where the sunken river emerges from its limestone tunnels to form gorgeous turquoise pools in the shade of olive and almond trees. A confiding Grey Wagtail supplied Andrew with some superb photographic opportunities, and he also had chance to indulge his other passion – wild swimming – with a refreshing dip in the waters.

Chef Ivan’s fresh chestnut bread - which was still warm when we took it from the oven this morning – provided the centrepiece to our picnic which today included *gazpacho* and *tortilla de patatas*.

Our final stop of the day was at the other end of the cave system, high in the mountains at Montejaque Dam. Cueva del Hundidero lies at the base of a dramatic gorge which wouldn’t look out of place on a Star Wars film set. Here we watched the afternoon soften, and enjoyed unbelievable views of Black Wheatears displaying and squabbling amongst the rocks. Many low Griffon Vultures and Crag Martins passed over on their way to roost, as did a Peregrine Falcon. John and Joan were made up with cracking views of several Red-billed Chough, a lifer for them.

Our late afternoon decision to stay ‘five more minutes’ proved a good one – all at once on the rock face in front of us, we spotted a female Spanish Ibex and her kid, picking their way across the boulders! On further examination there were at least six more individuals, including two adult males with impressive horns. Masters of the mountain, they melted away as softly and quickly as they had appeared, and we returned extremely happy to Jùzcar.

Day 3 Saturday 14 October

Grazalema area, Wander in Ronda, 'Niki's Watchpoint', Huerta Grande

After a tasty breakfast with a welcome injection of lovely coffee, it was time to say goodbye to our hosts David and Ivan and head south like a migrating raptor. We made several stops in the local area on the way to Ronda, seeing more Black Wheatears and taking in gorgeous views out over the tiny *pueblos blancos* or 'white villages' dotted around the wooded hillsides of Sierra Grazalema Natural Park.

Arriving in Ronda mid-morning, we enjoyed a bit of urban birding in the Moorish city's gorgeous parks and streets, finding migratory warblers in the trees, including Common and (a probable) Iberian Chiffchaff and a late Western Bonelli's Warbler. We also had fabulous views two Common Crossbills picking buds off the trees!

We took a coffee overlooking the impressive Tajo gorge, which the town straddles by way of three eye-pleasing historic bridges – one Roman, one Moorish and one dating from the 18th century.

Over our last high-altitude lunch, we enjoyed an astonishing view down through the hills, seeing the Rock of Gibraltar and - towering over a cloud inversion in the Straits - the imposing rock of the Jebel Musa, on the northern coast of Morocco. A Dartford Warbler was calling and flitting tantalisingly among the scrub, and with a bit of teamwork everyone managed to eventually see it.

We made the scenic journey to our home at Huerta Grande in a little over an hour, and as we approached it became apparent that Vultures really were on the move here! An imposing kettle of dozens of Griffon Vultures was swirling over the hillsides just beyond our lodgings, so we chased off after them as if they were a tornado!

We got right underneath this swirling avian biomass and enjoy superb views before they moved on over the hill. In their wake they left at least ten Short-toed Eagles, hovering silently over the fields, hunting side-by-side, yellow eyes searching the scrub below for reptiles.

Day 4 Sunday 15 October

La Peña, Sierra de la Plata, Bolonia, 'Secret Valley'

We started this blustery *levante* day by heading west to more sheltered areas of the coast. During a brief stop at La Peña watchpoint, we found ourselves amid a host of hirundines flooding through the area, especially Red-rumped and Barn Swallows, and Crag and House Martins. Many passerines both resident and migratory were showing well, including Northern Wheatear, Thekla Lark and some very handsome Stonechats and Sardinian Warblers.

We took our picnic lunch amongst the hills of the Sierra de la Plata, opposite a colony of 100+ Griffon Vultures. While relaxing in the sun with a drink and a selection of salads and local cheeses, chorizos and hams, we could see these impressive birds close up, perching on and circling round the rocks.

It was difficult to distract the group from their delicious lunch to see late-migrating Honey Buzzards, Short-toed Eagles and Black Storks – as well as busily-feeding Crag Martins - but those who looked up weren't disappointed!

As the team relaxed in deck chairs in the shade, the shout went up – a Rüppell's Vulture! the Straits of Gibraltar area is the only place in Europe where this African Species can be seen, making it highly sought after. They are not easy to see and older birds can be difficult to distinguish from Griffon Vultures, but this was classic Rüppell's – around 10% smaller than the birds alongside it, chocolate brown with no contrast, and a beautiful spangle of white on the underwing. We were immeasurably chuffed with our find and the bird was low enough for us to get some great pictures too.



Higher up the hill we stopped to take in spectacular views down onto the Roman ruins of Baelo Claudia – complete with serenades from Blue Rock Thrushes and Black Redstarts.

Sea-watching from the seaside town of Bolonia (complete with ice cream!) gave us Northern Gannet and Cory's Shearwater, and flocks of Dunlin and Sanderling on the beach. Andrew headed down and we cheered him on from as a distance as, after sitting stock still for a while and finally lying face down in the sand, a Kentish Plover came and practically sat on his lens!

We took the extremely scenic route back, heading up Simon and Niki's 'Secret Valley', through the scenic pastures and cork oak forests of Los Alcornacales Natural Park. The farmland was on fire with farmland birds, including many hundreds of 'jangling' Corn Buntings, and we picked out Spanish Sparrows among the House Sparrows, which John had wanted to see.

Andrew managed a 'wild swim' in a mountain waterfall pool while we searched for dragonflies and butterflies, before heading back to Huerta Grande for dinner.

Day 5 Monday 16 October

Playa de los Lances, private farm, Huerta Grande, La Peña, Barbate

This morning we were joined by Pip and Jane, two wandering birders keen for an introduction to the area! Another blustery Straits day greeted us, and we set out to the west to take in the intertidal habitat at Playa de los Lances. The walk down through the grazed pastures gave us swirling flocks of Corn Buntings, House Sparrows and Spotless Starlings, as well as our best views yet of Crested Larks and numerous Meadow Pipits.

Reaching the hide we enjoyed Bar-tailed Godwits and Grey Plovers chilling out on the sand while flocks of Sanderling, Common Ringed and Kentish Plover scurried back and forth. Out to sea, Northern Gannets and Cory's Shearwaters were visible.

Just as we were leaving, a Short-eared Owl rose up from the tussocky vegetation at the far end of the reserve and landed on the sand right in front of us! A Short-eared Owl on the beach certainly made for a very incongruous sight!

Heading back up the hill, a dead sheep had appeared on the farm directly neighbouring Huerta Grande. With the many hundreds of Vultures that have currently built up in the area, waiting for the *levante* or easterly wind to die down, we felt sure that a bit of major carnage was about to occur! We set up camp hopefully, while some 300 Griffon Vultures jettied back and forth between the surrounding hills. Why weren't they coming down?! The farmer told us that this morning there had been a dead bull on a neighbouring farm – it appears that having had a steak breakfast they had no room for a mutton lunch!

We watched a while, enjoyed impressive views of these huge soaring birds as they passed over us repeatedly, accompanied by Common Ravens, Common Buzzard, Booted and Short-toed Eagles. The photographers in the group also particularly enjoyed the capers of two fighting Common Kestrels, seemingly oblivious to our presence.

After a while, although the Vultures weren't hungry, we certainly were! While Niki prepared our lunchtime picnic back at Huerta Grande, Simon led the group on a stroll around the grounds. Huerta Grande is set in seven hectares of Cork Oak forest at the edge of the Los Alcornacales Natural Park, so we are surrounded by woodland wildlife wherever we look. Sure enough, during the brief stroll the team got excellent views of Firecrest and Crested Tit, as well as well hearing many Short-toed Treecreepers.

Lunch duly digested, we headed out to the salt pans at Barbate. A sudden eruption of Griffon Vultures from a nearby hillside prompted a detour back up to La Peña, and soon they were all around us, both jettied past high up and swirling low over the surrounding fields. With them was a Black Kite, Booted Eagles and an Egyptian Vulture - and lo and behold another Rüppell's Vulture! Lit up from below, this beautiful chocolate brown, cream-spangled bird soared right over us in the bright blue sky.

Successful detour complete, we returned to Plan A, passing a stunning melanistic Montagu's Harrier on the way, arriving at the salt pans to find a flock of lovely Audouin's gulls waiting for us close to shore. Andrew again 'committed' to his photo, lying down on the muddy shoreline, with very worthwhile results!

A pleasing selection of waders ensued, including Redshank, Greenshank, Dunlin, Black-winged Stilt, Common Ringed and Kentish Plover and Common Sandpiper. A passing Peregrine Falcon caused a flurry of activity with many more Common Ringed and Kentish Plover flushed to our end of the marsh. Scanning them proved fun as they simply ran past the scope! Further on we found Eurasian Spoonbills and Greater Flamingoes, and a Marsh Harrier also graced us with its presence before we headed home, ready for a relax before dinner.

Day 6 Tuesday 17 October

Private farm, Tarifa old town, Huerta Grande

Straight after breakfast we headed back over to the farm to see if anything was happening with the deceased sheep. From our vantage point overlooking the hills that roll down to the sea, we enjoyed watching a rural Andalusian morning unfold, as livestock ambled back and forth, while hundreds of farmland birds including Cirl Buntings, White Wagtails, Corn Buntings and Spotless Starlings providing the soundtrack. Half a dozen Short-toed Eagles quartered and hovered over the landscape. These late season migrants have come to us all the way from Italy. Reliant as they are on thermals, Short-toed Eagles are unable to cross the Straits of Messina. Young birds winter on Sicily, but the adults travel all the way up the Italian peninsula and all the way down through central Europe and the Iberian Peninsula to cross the Straits of Gibraltar.

Apart from a group of Griffon Vultures repeatedly passing over and disappearing into the low cloud, the sheep cadaver remained ignored so we moved on to explore a little local culture, taking a coffee and a mid-morning *tostada* in the old town of Tarifa. We enjoyed views of Lesser Kestrel overhead. Local breeders in the fort at Tarifa, they are the only non-migratory Lesser Kestrels in Europe, so provide us with enjoyment year round.

Earlier, in a moment of silliness, we had indulged in a group prayer to the ornithological gods and spirits, and we like to think it was this that brought us to Cheryl and Richard. Noticing our bird-watchers T-shirts and equipment, they came over to tell us that they had a young Griffon Vulture with a leg injury – nicknamed Victor - knocking about on their farm.

We put them in contact with our friends at the Junta de Andalusia who manage a raptor rehabilitation centre, and popped in to visit the damaged youngster. Victor proved very relaxed and keen to meet us, and we were honoured to spend half an hour in his company, admiring his incredibly strong beak and talons, and his gentle-looking eyes.

We then moved on to one of our favourite picnic spots on a clifftop overlooking the narrow strip of sea between Europe and Africa. Today the feast included a flavoursome aged sheep's cheese, a local blue cheese wrapped in plantain leaves and slices of cured pork loin.

While the picnic magic was happening, the team enjoyed views of a very late migrating Honey Buzzard, Booted Eagles and Lesser Kestrels overhead, as well as dramatic views of the lively sea.

We headed back to Huerta Grande and took one last stroll around the beautiful wooded grounds, enjoying the mist-shrouded trees, where many Serins and Firecrests sang, and a wave of migrant Blackcaps and European Robins brought the undergrowth to life.



Day 7 Wednesday 18 October

Málaga, Guadalhorce wetlands

Sadly, it was now time for the Bustards team to disband, so after saying “¡Hasta luego!” to Katrin and the team at Huerta Grande, we set off for Málaga airport, where we said goodbye to John and Joan.

Andrew’s flight was later that afternoon so we spent some time exploring the wetlands at Guadalhorce. This proved a very enjoyable detour, yielding White-headed Duck, Western Osprey, Penduline Tit, Eurasian Reed Warbler, Bluethroat and three Hoopoes as well as several wildfowl and wader species.

Then, After a tasty traditional lunch at a local *venta*, Andrew too was on his way back to the UK.

Simon and Niki had some top birding – and such great fun - with John, Joan, Andrew, Pip and Jane, and we’re thoroughly looking forward to welcoming them back next year!

Inglorious Bustards - Ronda & The Straits

			12th	13th	14th	15th	16th	17th	18th
	Species	Scientific Name							
1	Gadwall	<i>Anas strepera</i>							20+
2	Mallard	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>							✓
3	Northern Pintail	<i>Anas acuta</i>							4
4	Northern Shoveler	<i>Anas clypeata</i>							10+
5	Common Pochard	<i>Aythya ferina</i>							40+
6	White-headed Duck	<i>Oxyura leucocephala</i>							2
7	Red-legged Partridge	<i>Alectoris rufa</i>		2	1				✓
8	Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>							8
9	Cory's Shearwater	<i>Calonectris diomedea</i>				2	1+		
10	Northern Gannet	<i>Morus bassanus</i>				✓			1
11	Great Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>			1		20+		50+
12	Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
13	Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>					5+		3
14	Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>					6		10
15	Black Stork	<i>Ciconia nigra</i>				1			
16	White Stork	<i>Ciconia ciconia</i>				1			3
17	Eurasian Spoonbill	<i>Platalea leucorodia</i>					6		
18	Greater Flamingo	<i>Phoenicopterus roseus</i>					18		
19	European Honey Buzzard	<i>Pernis apivorus</i>				2		1	

20	Black Kite	<i>Milvus migrans</i>					1		
21	Red Kite	<i>Milvus milvus</i>			1				
22	Egyptian Vulture	<i>Neophron percnopterus</i>			1		2		
23	Griffon Vulture	<i>Gyps fulvus</i>	10+	600+	200+	140+	1,000+	50+	
24	Ruppell's Vulture	<i>Gyps rueppellii</i>				1	1		
25	Short-toed Snake Eagle	<i>Circaetus gallicus</i>			20+	10+	c.15	10+	
26	Western Marsh Harrier	<i>Circus aeruginosus</i>					2		2
27	Montagu's Harrier	<i>Circus pygargus</i>					1melanistic		
28	Eurasian Sparrowhawk	<i>Accipiter nisus</i>			2	4	5+	10+	
29	Common Buzzard	<i>Buteo buteo</i>				2	1	1	
30	Gibraltar Buzzard	<i>Buteo buteo x Rufinus cirtensis</i>				1			
31	Golden Eagle	<i>Aquila chrysaetos</i>	1						
32	Booted Eagle	<i>Hieraaetus pennatus</i>	1	2	2	4	5	2	
33	Osprey	<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>							1
34	Lesser Kestrel	<i>Falco naumanni</i>			2	c.5		3	
35	Common Kestrel	<i>Falco tinnunculus</i>			2	10+	8	c.5	2
36	Eurasian Hobby	<i>Falco subbuteo</i>				1			
37	Peregrine Falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>		1			1		
38	Common Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>							4
39	Eurasian Coot	<i>Fulica atra</i>							1
40	Black-winged Stilt	<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>					7		
41	Little Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius dubius</i>							2
42	Common Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius hiaticula</i>					300+		2

43	Kentish Plover	<i>Charadrius alexandrinus</i>				10+	200+		
44	Grey Plover	<i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>					4		
45	Sanderling	<i>Calidris alba</i>				5+	c.500		
46	Dunlin	<i>Calidris alpina</i>					150+		1
47	Ruff	<i>Philomachus pugnax</i>							1
48	Bar-tailed Godwit	<i>Limosa lapponica</i>					20+		
49	Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>							3
50	Common Greenshank	<i>Tringa nebularia</i>					3		
51	Common Redshank	<i>Tringa totanus</i>					5		2
52	Black-headed Gull	<i>Larus ridibundus</i>					c.10		✓
53	Mediterranean Gull	<i>Larus melanocephalus</i>							1+
54	Audouin's Gull	<i>Larus audouinii</i>					10+		
55	Lesser Black-backed Gull	<i>Larus fuscus</i>					✓		
56	Yellow-legged Gull	<i>Larus michahellis</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
57	Sandwich Tern	<i>Sterna sandvicensis</i>					2		
58	Common Tern	<i>Sterna hirundo</i>							
59	Rock/Feral Dove	<i>Columba livia</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
60	Common Wood Pigeon	<i>Columba palumbus</i>	5+	10+	2+				
61	Eurasian Collared Dove	<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
62	Monk Parakeet	<i>Myiopsitta monachus</i>							150+
63	Tawny Owl	<i>Strix aluco</i>			1	1	1	1	2
64	Short-eared Owl	<i>Asio flammeus</i>					1		
65	Common Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo atthis</i>							2+

66	Hoopoe	<i>Upupa epops</i>							3
67	European Green Woodpecker	<i>Picus viridis</i>	1	1					
68	Great Spotted Woodpecker	<i>Dendrocopos major</i>		1	1				
69	Crested Lark	<i>Galerida cristata</i>			1	2	20+	10+	5+
70	Thekla Lark	<i>Galerida theklae</i>	4	5+	3+	3	2		
71	Eurasian Crag Martin	<i>Ptyonoprogne rupestris</i>	3+	50+	20+	70+	100+		40+
72	Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>				5+	20+	10+	10+
73	Red-rumped Swallow	<i>Hirundo daurica</i>				400+	70+		
74	Common House Martin	<i>Delichon urbicum</i>				10+	6	20+	3
75	Meadow Pipit	<i>Anthus pratensis</i>		2			c.10		
76	Yellow Wagtail	<i>Motacilla flava</i>			1+		5	1	2
77	Grey Wagtail	<i>Motacilla cinerea</i>		2	1	1	2	3	1
78	White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>			10+	1	6	2+	10+
79	Winter Wren	<i>Troglodytes troglodytes</i>			2			1	
80	Alpine Accentor	<i>Prunella collaris</i>							
81	European Robin	<i>Erithacus rubecula</i>	1		5	10+	5	20+	50+
82	Common Nightingale	<i>Luscinia megarhynchos</i>							
83	Black Redstart	<i>Phoenicurus ochruros</i>	20+	3+	2	2		1	
84	Common Redstart	<i>Phoenicurus phoenicurus</i>	5+		1	1	1		
85	European Stonechat	<i>Saxicola rubicola</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
86	Northern Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe oenanthe</i>				1			
87	Black Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe leucura</i>		5+	1				

88	Blue Rock Thrush	<i>Monticola solitarius</i>	1	10+	1	2			
89	Common Blackbird	<i>Turdus merula</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
90	Song Thrush	<i>Turdus philomelos</i>						3	
91	Cetti's Warbler	<i>Cettia cetti</i>		1	1	1	1	2	
92	Zitting Cisticola	<i>Cisticola juncidis</i>					5	1	
93	Eurasian Reed Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus scirpaceus</i>							1
94	Dartford Warbler	<i>Sylvia undata</i>			1				
95	Subalpine Warbler	<i>Sylvia cantillans</i>		1					
96	Sardinian Warbler	<i>Sylvia melanocephala</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
97	Garden Warbler	<i>Sylvia borin</i>							
98	Eurasian Blackcap	<i>Sylvia atricapilla</i>			30+	20+	✓	✓	✓
99	Western Bonelli's Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus bonelli</i>	1		1				
100	Common Chiffchaff	<i>Phylloscopus collybita</i>	1		5+	1		3+	4
101	Iberian Chiffchaff	<i>Phylloscopus ibericus</i>			1				
102	Common Firecrest	<i>Regulus ignicapilla</i>	2+		5+	5+	3	4+	
103	European Crested Tit	<i>Parus cristatus</i>	1	2			3	4+	
104	Eurasian Blue Tit	<i>Parus caeruleus</i>	1+	3+	5+		1	6	10+
105	Great Tit	<i>Parus major</i>	✓	✓	10+	✓	2	5+	20+
106	Eurasian Nuthatch	<i>Sitta europaea</i>	2+	5+	1				
107	Short-toed Treecreeper	<i>Certhia brachydactyla</i>	1	1	2			3	1
108	Eurasian Penduline Tit	<i>Remiz pendulinus</i>							2
109	Southern Grey Shrike	<i>Lanius meridionalis</i>	1	1	2				

110	Eurasian Jay	<i>Garrulus glandarius</i>	5+						
111	Western Jackdaw	<i>Corvus monedula</i>	10+		2		✓		✓
112	Northern Raven	<i>Corvus corax</i>			2	1	2	2	
113	Red-billed Chough	<i>Pyrhacorax pyrrhacorax</i>		4+					
114	Spotless Starling	<i>Sturnus unicolor</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
115	Common Starling	<i>Sturnus vulgaris</i>						1	
116	House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
117	Spanish Sparrow	<i>Passer hispaniolensis</i>				4+			
118	Rock Sparrow	<i>Petronia petronia</i>		20+	2				
119	Common Waxbill	<i>Estrilda astrild</i>							
120	Red Avadavat	<i>Amandava amandava</i>							
121	Common Chaffinch	<i>Fringilla coelebs</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
122	European Serin	<i>Serinus serinus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
123	European Greenfinch	<i>Carduelis chloris</i>			1	✓	✓	✓	✓
124	European Goldfinch	<i>Carduelis carduelis</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
125	Common Linnet	<i>Carduelis cannabina</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
126	Common Crossbill	<i>Loxia curvirostra</i>			2				
127	Cirl Bunting	<i>Emberiza cirlus</i>		2			1	2	
128	Rock Bunting	<i>Emberiza cia</i>		4					
129	Corn Bunting	<i>Emberiza calandra</i>	✓	✓		100+	40+		
	Other Taxa								
	Spanish Ibex	<i>Capra pyrenaica</i>		8					
	Clouded Yellow	<i>Colias croceus</i>	✓	✓			✓		

Meadow Brown	<i>Maniola jurtina</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
Small White	<i>Pieris rapae</i>		✓	✓		✓		
Lang's Short-tailed Blue	<i>Leptotes pirithous</i>		✓					
Geranium Bronze	<i>Cacyreus marshalli</i>					✓		
Blue-winged Grasshopper	<i>Oedipoda caerulescens</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
Egyptian Mantis	<i>Miomantis paykullii</i>	✓				✓		
Southern Migrant Hawker	<i>Aeshna affinis</i>		✓			✓		
Lesser Emperor	<i>Anax parthenope</i>				✓			
Kuhl's Pippistrelle Bat	<i>Pipistrellus kuhlii</i>			✓				
Mediterranean Tree Frog	<i>Hyla meridionalis</i>			1	1	✓	✓	

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