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50 THREATENED SPECIES OF THE EUROPEAN FLORA IN NEED OF URGENT CONSERVATION MEASURES

The European flora includes about 13.000 species of vascular plants of which about 2 500 have to be considered as threatened. Among them, about 500 are nearing extinction and about 55 are extinct.

A part of those threatened species benefits from adequate protection measures. Another part needs urgent conservation measures either because these species are at the brink of extinction, or because they are key species in their habitat. The successful conservation of these species implies measures which should allow to preserve these species with their evolution potential as well as to maintain the direct relationships between plants and animals (pollinators, ...) and more generally the whole set of plants and animals belonging to the ecosystem.

I- METHODOLOGY

The selection of the 50 species was based on the following principles. It should be noted that many other species fill these criteria, so that ultimately, this choice is somewhat subjective.

- 1- The plants chosen do not benefit from effective conservation measures for their survival. The submission of this list of 50 species should elicit the drawing up of specific Recovery Plans.
- 2- The plants chosen are reasonably well known (taxonomy and distribution). No infraspecific or apomictic taxon has been retained. Conversely, supraspecific taxa have been retained as far as possible.
- 3- The species presumed to be extinct have been eliminated.
- 4- In order to cover the whole area of Europe, a certain geographic balance in representation has been aimed at. However, it has been necessary to take into account the fact that most of the endemic endangered species are mainly in the Mediterranean and in the Atlantic Regions. In the northern and central European countries, the selected species are mainly species with a relatively large area.
- 5- In the Mediterranean and the Atlantic Regions, we chose those really critically endangered plants which need urgent conservation measures if these species are to survive.
- 6- We have not retained species which are not threatened in any one part of their European area of distribution.
- 7- The choice of these species has been independent of official European protections (Bern Convention, Habitat Directive). Official protection should be given to all these 50 plants. The legal protection which most of these species already benefit from have been very effective towards their conservation, and sometimes their rescue. However, the selected species remain very much threatened and practical measures (Recovery Plans) should be drawn up and put into practice for each one of these species.

II- SOME COMMENTS ABOUT THE SHEETS

1- Distribution

Because of the glaciations, the tertiary relicts are generally limited to the Mediterranean and Atlantic regions. In many cases, these relicts correspond to a high taxonomic level and when they are threatened, their conservation is of high scientific and heritage priority. Therefore, in the Mediterranean and Atlantic regions, we had the choice between numerous taxa and as far as possible we have selected as far as possible old tertiary relicts of great significance (cf. Annex 1). In Malta, for example, 2 plants of the same family are growing in the same habitat with the same threats: Cremnophyton lanfrancoi and Salsola melitensis. We have chosen the monotypic Cremnophyton, on account of its relictual character.

Generally, North of $50^{\circ}N - 45^{\circ}N$, endemic species are more recent, less well defined, mostly varieties or subspecies. The only exception is *Coleanthus subtilis* which is an isolated relict which was able to settle in newly created habitats after the Glaciations.

Among the chosen plants, a number are trans-frontier plants: Slovakia/Hungary/Romania for pannonic species, lakes of Central Europe, Mediterranean littoral plants, *etc.*.

2- Cultivation

If *ex-situ* conservation of plants is generally unimportant for common species or the lesser threatened species, it may be extremely important for the critically rare species (CR). In some cases, cultivated specimens largely exceed the number of wild specimens. More, cultivation may contribute to understand the biology of these species. Integrated *in-situ* and *ex-situ* practices are by far the best way to treat urgent rescue problems. Long-term conservation of seeds is an economic way to maintain the precious gene-pool for the future.

In Europe alone, several dozen of species survive in cultivation and have been sometimes reintroduced in the wild.

Among the 50 species treated here (cf. Annex II), 33 species are in cultivation (18 in less than 6 gardens and 4 in more than 20 gardens). The wide cultivation of these 4 species is no safeguard against extinction because of cultivation hazard as well as that of fashion. The conservation in cultivation is only efficient if done in conjunction with a Recovery Program and only 13 species are cultivated with this purpose.

Long term conservation is especially beneficial in the case of critically rare species. It is necessary to cultivate each taxon in genetically viable groups and isolated from genetically compatible taxa.

3- Legal protections

Among the 50 species, one is within the territory covered by Bern Convention and Habitats Directive because it is endemic of Russia.

Two have been described too recently to be in these conventions: *Horstrissea dolinicola* and *Zelkova sicula*.

Among the 47 others, 39 are protected by the Bern Convention (cf. Annex 3) and 27 by the Habitats Directive.

A number of the 50 species are also under national or regional regulations. All these protections are necessary for their conservation and sometimes their rescue. However, these legal protections are not Recovery Plans and these 50 species have been precisely chosen because they are still in danger of extinction. About 20 of these species benefit already of partial Recovery Plan.

For each one of these 50 species, a comprehensive Recovery Plan including appropriate measures (in situ, ex-situ, legal protection, etc...) should be drawn.

4- Threats

We have used the threat categories of the Red List Assessment of the I.U.C.N. which have a universal value.

Eight main categories apply to the plants:

1-Habitat loss is involved.	95 times,
9- Intrinsic factors	31 times.
2- Invasive species	12 times.
6- Pollution	11 times.
10- Human disturbance	10 times
7- Natural disasters	7 times
3- Harvesting	3 times.
8-Changes in species dynamics	2 times.

- The main threat is **habitat loss** which is involved 95 times under different forms: infrastructure development is involved 32 times, agriculture 17 times, livestock (12), harvesting (11), land management (10), wood plantations (5).
- **Intrinsic factors** are reported 31 times. It is a very important factor of risk, but with the exception of 3 species, this factor is linked to other threats which affect small populations. However we do not forget that for its evolution potential, a species needs a certain population size and in many cases we see relicts of once abundant populations even if we do not know the prevailing previous situation.
- The third category: **invasive species** is involved 12 times. It is a relatively low number compared to oceanic islands where invasive species are the major threat. The continents are less prone to invasions.
- **Direct human disturbance** is involved 10 times of which 5 are related to disturbance by tourism.
- **Pollution** is reported 11 times. The main problem is oil spills (4 times).
- **Natural disasters** are reported 7 times of which drought 4 times. This natural disaster possibly being related to man-induced global change.
- **Harvesting** is reported 3 times. In Europe, it is not the main problem.
- Changes in population dynamics are mentioned twice.

5- Remaining gaps in our knowledge

Examining the years in which the description of these 50 species was done, one notices that 6 of them have been described after 1979. 4 are new monotypic genera (not reevaluation of well-known species) and 3 of them are trees or shrubs. 2 of them (*Horstrissea* and *Gyrocaryum*) are very small plants and *Gyrocaryum* is fugacious. This plant will probably be found in other therophytic communities. One can expect new discoveries of localized and endangered species. It is necessary to keep that in mind for conservation and research activities:

- Cremnophyton lanfrancoi 1987
- Gyrocaryum oppostifolium 1983
- Horstrissea dolonicola 1990
- Micropyropsis tuberosa 1982
- Myrica rivas-martinezii 1980
- Zelkova sicula 1992

CONCLUSION

In spite of the heterogeneity of these species, resulting in the heterogeneity of the floras of the different countries, the chosen species are important plants either for their unique character as relict species and/or for their status as key species in their habitats.

These species present interesting and various problems in conservation or rescue. They are excellent flag species.

Part of them are officially protected by European Conventions. In spite of that, these species need complete Recovery Plans.

Their conservation should involve the conservation of their habitats along with their associated floras and faunas.

50 Sheets Headings for columns

Category: Category of threat as defined by the I.U.C.N. along with Criteria.

Cult.: Frequency in cultivation:

Not in cultivation: 0 Cultivated in 1 to 5 sites: 1 Cultivated in 6 to 20 sites: 2 Cultivated in more than 20 sites: 3

Data Deficient: 4 Not evaluated: 5

Cultivation: It is the list of the sites of cultivation when below 6. They are largely Botanic Gardens and a few collections and nurseries. The coverage is worldwide. The date mentioned is the last known occurrence in the site. In any cases, the sites involved in a Recovery Plan are indicated by a star *. An estimate of the number of sites is given.

Protection: Bern Convention & Habitats Directives

Threats: The categories of threat are those of the Red List Assessment of the I.U.C.N..

Abies	Category	Cult.	Distribution	Cultivation	Protection	Threats
nebrodensis (Lojac.) Mattei	CR Criteria D	3	- Italy:Sicilia ()	*PALERMO: ORTO BOTANICO *SICILIA: Nursery of Corpo Forestale	 ☑ Bern Conv. ☑ Habitats Dir. Annex: 2 (prioritary species) 	1.1.4 - Livestock 1.3.3.1 - Small- scale subsistence 1.3.3.2 - Logging 2.3 - Hybridizers 3.3 - Fuel 7.7 - Climatic change 9.2 - Poor regeneration 9.4 - Inbreeding
2003				20-25 gardens		

This fir was widespread between 1400 and 1700 m. in the Madonie Mountains. Now it is reduced to 30 adult trees mostly of a small size. It was extensively felled for fuel and timber, and the soil has been washed by erosion.

The tree benefits from a local protection act but the fences which protect the area have been repeatedly destroyed by local farmers. The Corpo Forestale de Sicilia has obtained more than 100.000 plants in cultivation, of which 30.000 have been reintroduced, but with a high failure rate. It is due to the current adverse conditions (erosion, grazing, climatic change). The introduction of other *Abies* species in the Madonie is another threat to the genetic integrity of the Sicilian fir. The pollen may disperse up to dozens of kms and fertile hybrids are easily produced especially among the group of Mediterranean species. For the same reason the widespread cultivation of *Abies nebrodensis* is not a guarantee for its safeguard. Special cultivation sites have to be devoted to this fir (genetically viable groups in isolation).

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SCHELLEVIS, N. & SCHOUTEN, J. *in* FARJON, A. & PAGE, C.N. 1999.

Aldrovanda vesiculosa	Category	Cult.	Distribution	Cultivation	Protection	Threats
DROSERACEAE 2003	LC Criteria	3	- Austria (EX) - Bulgaria (CR) - Belarus (DD) - Switzerland (EN) - Germany (VU) - France (EX) - Hungary (VU) - Italy (CR) - Poland (NT) - Romania (VU) - Russian Federation (VU) - Slovakia (EX) - Serbia (VU) - Ukraine ()	+20 gardens	⊠ Bern Conv. ⊠ Habitats Dir. Annex: 2	1.4.3 - Tourism/recreation 2.1 - Competitors 6.3 - Water pollution

Aldrovanda is a monotypic genus and a tertiary relict.

It is a widespread plant in the Old World, but the distribution is patchy and probably relictual. It prefers the stagnant, oligotrophic acid waters.

In Europe, the plant is certainly in serious decline through pollution, eutrophication and drainage. It is extinct in several countries and extremely threatened in others. This species occurs in several countries in Tropical and South Africa, Asia and Australia.

Its occurrence in a habitat is a testimony of the good quality of the water. Recovery Plans for this species (as the 'Aldrovanda vesiculosa Project' of the Botanical Institute of Trebon in the Czech Republic) could benefit many other plants and animals. Aldrovanda is listed under Recommandation n°40 (1993) of the Permanent Committee of the Bern Convention.

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RICHARD, P. *in* OLIVIER, L., GALLAND, J.-P. & MAURIN, H. 1995.

WALTERS, S.M. in HEDBERG, I. 1979.

Allium regelianum A. Becker	EN Criteria B1+2ad	Cult.	Distribution - Russian Federation:Volgograd ()	Cultivation *ST PETERSBURG : Komarov Botanical Institute (1997)	Protection ⊠ Bern Conv. □ Habitats Dir.	Threats 1.1 - Agriculture 1.2 - Land management of non-agricultural areas 1.4 - Infrastructure development	
LILIACEAE 2003				1 garden			
			ommentary	Ç	References		
This Allium has be the Dniepr & Cauca and it has been cons discovered in severa was in the suburbs of The plant grows in The steppe with its Actions have to be heritage. The plant i	FIRSOV, G. 19 STEARN, W.T et al. 1980. TAKHTAJAN, VVEDENSKII KOMAROV, V	T. in TUTIN, T.G. , A. 1981. , A. in					

levitomentosa (E. I. Nyarady) P.D. Sell	CR Criteria B1+3e, D2	Cult.	Distribution - Romania:Moldavia ()	Cultivation	Protection ⊠ Bern Conv. □ Habitats Dir.	Threats 9.2 - Poor regeneration 9.9 - Restricted range
ASTERACEAE 2003 Described as the mono most critically endanger	3 T	Pietros	mentary sia, now a section of Andry	0 garden	Refo DIHORU, G. in SYNGE, H. 19	·

most critically endangered supraspecific taxon of Europe.

This dwarf perennial was always extremely restricted in distribution. Now, it is said to be reduced to 4 specimens on a rocky slope of Mt Pietrosul (1600-1700 m.).

Unless specific measures are taken for the propagation of this plant, the species is doomed. It seems to only reproduce vegetatively by detached buds forming new plants. It would be necessary to create ex-situ populations by cloning each survivor and then obtaining seeds by cross pollination of the different clones. This would minimize the loss of genes and would initiate a Recovery Plan.

NYARADY, E.I. 1963. SÂRBU, A. 2001. (pers. comm.) TANASE, C. 2001. (pers. comm.)

Angelica palustris (Besser) Hoffm.	LC Criteria	Cult.	Distribution - Austria () - Bulgaria (DD) - Belarus (DD) - Czech Republic (CR) - Germany (VU) - Estonia (DD) - Hungary (EN) - Lithuania (DD) - Latvia (DD) - Romania (VU) - Russian Federation	Cultivation	Protection ☑ Bern Conv. ☑ Habitats Dir. Annex: 2	Threats 1.1 - Habitat loss 1.4.6 - Dams 1.4.9 - Drainage
APIACEAE 2003			- Russian Federation (LC) - Slovakia (EX) - Serbia (VU) - Ukraine (DD)	6.20 gardans		
2003				6-20 gardens		

This isolated species is sometimes considered as the monotypic genus ${\it Ostericum}.$

It grows in the marshes of Central Europe & Asia. Its actual distribution is not well known, but in well-studied areas, the situation of the species is precarious. In the Czech Republic, it survives in one square out of 5 and in Slovakia it is now extinct. It is also extinct in Austria, Bulgaria. Conversely it survives in well protected areas such as in the Pripyat marshes of Ukraine.

A Recovery Program is urgently needed. Although this species is listed under Recommendation $n^{\circ}40$ (1993) of the Permanent Committee of the Bern Convention.

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Anthemis glaberrima (Rech. fil.) W. Greuter	CR Criteria D, E	Cult.	Distribution - Greece:Kriti:Khanya ()	Cultivation	Protection ⊠ Bern Conv. ⊠ Habitats Dir. Annex: 2	Threats 2.2 - Predators (rabbits potentially) 6.3.6 - Oil slicks 9.9 - Restricted range
ASTERACEAE 2003				0 garden		
		Co	mmentarv	0 garden	Refe	erences
Commentary This plant which belongs to the section Ammanthus represents an isolated element. It is a small annual restricted to the coastal rocks of a small islet (Agria Gramvousa) which hosts a small population and to the neighbouring islet of Gramvousa with a few specimens. Agria Gramvousa has 9 endemic Greek species and is recommended as a reserve. If the mainland flora of Kriti has evolved with herbivorous (Candiacervus now extinct, Capra aegagrus, and then domestic animals), the small islets' flora has evolved free from herbivorous.					PHITOS, D. & Z. in PHITOS, I	KYPRIOTAKIS, D. et al. 1995.

Artemisia	Category	Cult.	Distribution	Cultivation	Protection	Threats
molinieri Quézel, Barbero, R. Loisel	EN Criteria B1+B2d	1	- France:PACA:Var (83) (EN)	*Porquerolles : Conservatoire Botanique National de Porquerolles (2003) BREST : Conservatoire Botanique National (2003) La Gacilly : BG La Gacilly MARBURG : Botanischer Garten der Philipps- Universität	☐ Bern Conv. ☐ Habitats Dir.	1.1.1.2 - Small-holder farming 1.1.8 - Drainage of fields 1.2.2 - Change of management regime of non-agricultural areas 6.3.2 - Domestic water pollution 6.3.7 - Water pollution by sediment
ASTERACEAE						
2003				4 gardens		
		C	ommentary		Ref	erences
This mediterranea Provence region. T have very small, qu	wo of them	ABOUCAYA, A. 2003. (pers. comm.) COUTEAUX, M., PONS, A. 1987.				
Historically the place permanent cultivation of destroy the popular to the popula	ion of other	,	ALLAND, JP. &			
It is the only hygr is of a remote hybr very fertile species	id origin on					

Astragalus physocalyx Fischer	Category CR Criteria B1+2abd, C2b, D2	Cult.	Distribution - Macedonia (DD) - Bulgaria:Plovdiv (CR)	*SOFIA : Botanical Garden Balcik (1978)	Protection ⊠ Bern Conv. □ Habitats Dir.	Threats 1.1.1.2 - Small-holder farming 1.4.2 - Urbanization
FABACEAE 2003				1 garden		
	l .	Con	nmentary		Ref	erences
Commentary This species of steppic affinities is known from 3 populations. The 2 populations of Bulgaria are now extinct. In Bulgaria, the plant lived on rocky slopes in a rather urbanized habitat. Living material from Plovdiv has been put in cultivation, propagated in the Botanic Garden of Sofia (Bulgarian Academy of Sciences) and reintroduced in the locality of origin which became a public park. Living material from the other Bulgarian locality (Kulata) is also cultivated in Sofia. The third locality is in Macedonia, and little is known about the species' status there. This plant is the only representative of section <i>Pogonotropis</i> .					KUZMANOV, I SYNGE, H. 197	B. in LUCAS, G. & 8.

Biarum fraasianum (Schott) N. E. Br.	CR Criteria B1+2abcd, C2b, D1	Cult.	Distribution - Greece:Sterea Ellias ()	Cultivation KEW: Royal Botanic Gardens (2002) PATRAS: Patras Botanic Gardens (1995)	Protection ☐ Bern Conv. ☐ Habitats Dir.	Threats 1.1.1.2 - Cultivation 1.1.1.3 - Agroindustry farming 1.1.4.2 - Livestock 1.4.9 - Drainage 9.9 - Restricted range & small population
ARACEAE				2 gardens		
A distinct Greek aro The type-locality (The locality (Lake Kopais rediscovered recently consists of about 10 in In the Lake Kopais a and the intensive culti inhabited. There is a probabilit would be important to	BOYCE, P. 2003	ATHANASIOU, K.				

Borderea chouardii (Gaussen) Heslot	CR Criteria B1+2e	Cult.	Distribution - Spain:Aragon:Huesca ()	Cultivation	Protection ☑ Bern Conv. ☑ Habitats Dir. Annex: 2 (prioritary	Threats 1.1.4.2 - Goats 1.4.3 - Road 1.4.6 - Dams 7.6 - Landslides 9.9 - Restricted
DIOSCOREACEAE 2003				0 garden	species)	range 10.1 - Tourism

Small perennial with a local distribution in the Southern Pyrenees. It is a tertiary relict, being one of the 2 species in the genus *Borderea*, endemic to the Pyrenees, itself a member of a mainly tropical family.

The plant lives in a gorge, under a vault of limestone rocks between 800 - 840 m. The number of plants is estimated to lie between 300 - 500 mostly juveniles, spreading along about 100 m. The microclimate is relatively humid and cold within a submediterranean type of climate.

The plants would have been eliminated if the dam had been built 200 m. lower in the gorge. This dam has disturbed the flow of cold air which still flowed a few years ago. One of the 3 subpopulations has almost been eliminated by the road-works above. Presently, there is an excellent follow-up of the population. However, in such a place, any small disturbance could eliminate the species: natural fall of the vault, destruction of the nearby dam, vandalism, *etc.*. The actual threats include excessive browsing, tourism, road encroachment. The creation of 2 other viable populations in cultivation and in another site could avoid the multiple risks linked to its occurrence in a unique site. The plant has proved very difficult to cultivate.

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Cardaminopsis pedemontana (Boiss.) Burdet	CR Criteria B1?+2b,d	Cult.	Distribution - Italy:Piemonte (CR) - France:PACA:Alpes de Hte provence (04) (EX)	Cultivation	Protection ☐ Bern Conv. ☐ Habitats Dir.	Threats 12 - Unknown	
BRASSICACEAE 2003				0 garden			
		Comi	nentarv	o garden	References		
Commentary Cardaminopsis pedemontana is an endemic species of the Southern French and Italian Alps. This species occurs among rocks, on gravelly soils, and along streams often on serpentine. It was present in France (Larche: Alpes de Haute Provence) in the first half of the twentieth century, but it has not been seen again (Garraud L.). Fortunately, this species subsists in Italy, at least in 3 localities of the Piedmont (Viso Mt, Cenis Mt, and Valdesi Alps, between 1500 and 2200m). As yet no conservation measures are taken. References AYMONIN, G.G. 1974. CONTI, F. MANZI, A. & PEDROTTI, F. 1997. COSTE, H. 1899-1906. GARRAUD, L. 2003. (promm.) GUINOCHET, M. & VILMORIN de, R. 1982. JALAS J. et al. 1994. PIGNATTI, S. 1982. ROUY, G. 1893.							

Cephalaria litvinovii Bobrov	CR Criteria B2a+3e	Cult.	Distribution - Russian Federation:Voronej () - Russian Federation:Bielgorod () - Ukraine:Lougansk ()	Cultivation	Protection ☐ Bern Conv. ☐ Habitats Dir.	Threats 1.1 - Agriculture 9.9 - Restricted range
DIPSACACEAE						
2003				6 gardens		
		Co	mmentary		Refe	erences
-		_	ons of Russia and Ukraine. I it is known from very few p	·	FERGUSON, I. et al. 1976.	in TUTIN, T.G.
It lives in ravines, a distribution of the pl	TAKHTAJAN, A. 1981.					
Fortunately the plant distributed the plant			several Botanic Gardens in	Russia which have		

Colchicum arenarium Waldst.& Kit.	EN Criteria Alac	Cult.	Distribution - Hungary (EN) - Romania (EN) - Slovakia (CR) - Serbia (DD)	*NITRE: NITRE B.G. (1999) *PRESTANOCH: PRESTANOCH B.G. (1999)	Protection ☑ Bern Conv. ☐ Habitats Dir.	Threats 1.1.1.2 - Small-holder farming 1.1.1.3 - Agro-industry farming 1.1.2 - Wood plantations
LILIACEAE 2003				6 gardens		

This bulbous plant is a pannonic endemic adapted to sandy steppes.

This habitat has been widely destroyed through cultivation, forestry, etc. As a result, this *Colchicum* only occurs in very small populations. In Slovakia, it is reduced to a few dozens of specimens in one locality. Elsewhere, it is also endangered.

Slovakia has developped a conservation program for its habitat. In Hungary, this *Colchicum* has been selected as a prioritary species for conservation. A transnational Recovery Plan is urgently needed for this plant as well as for the associated animals and plants of this habitat.

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Coleanthus subtilis (Tratt.) Seidl	VU Criteria Alac	Cult.	Distribution - France:Bretagne (VU) - France:Pays de la Loire (CR) - Germany (EN) - Austria () - Czech Republic () - Slovakia (EX) - Italy (EX) - Norway (EX) - Russian Federation:Ladoga-Ilmen (EX)	Cultivation BERLIN: Botanisch Garten und Museum Berlin-Dahlem (2002) BREST: Conservatoire Botanique National (2003)	Protection ⊠ Bern Conv. ⊠ Habitats Dir. Annex: 2	Threats 1.4.3 - Tourism 1.4.5 - Channelling of rivers 1.4.6 - Dams
POACEAE 2003			- Russian Federation:Ob (EX) - Russian Federation:Ussuri (DD) - China:China Northeast:Heilongjiang (DD) - Canada:British Columbia (DD) - United States:Oregon (DD) - United States:Washington (DD)	2 gardens		

Coleanthus subtilis is the unique representative of the tribe Coleantheae, so that its conservation is extremely important.

It is a widespread North temperate species with widely separated areas of occurence. It is completely lost in some parts of its range. At present, no *Coleanthus* survives between the Czech Republic and the basin of Amur. On the other hand, some new populations have been recently detected in North America. The main concentrations occur in Brittany, in the Czech Republic and in the Amur Basin. Even in these strongholds, the plant has lost most of its populations. In the Czech Republic, the plant was present in 62 squares. Now it is present in only 25. In Brittany, the plant has lost half of its localities.

This tiny and fugacious annual plant lives in 2 types of habitats: the river banks, its primary habitat, which is now almost destroyed by various managements. The man-made lakes and ponds have become a secondary habitat, and now a refuge. It appears in vast numbers at the margins of ponds in favourable years: dry autumn or draw-down period of a pond. The seed-bank of the soil is thus increased and seeds may be dispersed by migratory birds. The species is adapted to this cycle and in some cases, up to a century has been noted between 2 appearances of the species. The maintenance of the pond's water at a constant high level is detrimental to its populations. The species is a good indicator of the quality of the habitat: presence of waterfowl, free waters, etc...

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Consolida	Category	Cult.	Distribution	Cultivation	Protection	Threats
samia P. H. Davis	CR Criteria B1, C2b	0	- Greece:Sporadhes:Samos		 ☑ Bern Conv. ☑ Habitats Dir. Annex : II (prioritary species) 	1.2.2 - Change of regime of non-agricultural areas 9.1 - Limited dispersal 9.2 - Poor reproduction 9.9 - Restricted range
RANUNCULACEAE						
2003				0 garden		
		Co	mmentary		Refe	erences
Consolida samia is c which it is eco-geogra			typical C. hellespontica (Bois	ss.) Chater, from	DAVIS, P.H. 1965. SNOGERUP, S. <i>in</i> PHITOS D.	
					et al. 1995.	
	If no conservation action is taken, any land use changes might rapidly cause its extinction. It may also occur in other similar spots of extended screes on the same side of					

Cremnophyton lanfrancoi Brullo & Pavone	VU Criteria B1+3c	Cult.	Distribution - Malta:Gozo (VU) - Malta:Malta (VU)	*MALTE : Elysium nursery CATANIA : Istituto ed Orto Botanico dell'Universita	Protection ⊠ Bern Conv. □ Habitats Dir.	Threats 1.3.1 - Quarrying 1.4.9 - Dumping 2.1 - Invasive alien species 8.5 - Pathogens/parasites
CHENOPODIACEAE 2003				2 gardens		

This endemic monospecific genus represents a paleoendemic taxon with a high patrimonial value. It seems related to the ancestors of *Atriplex* and *Halimione*.

This species is found growing on high cliffsides both in Malta and in Gozo. *Cremnophyton* is a large shrub with succulent leaves which usually grows up to 1.5m high in the wild. It grows mainly on the coralline and globigerine limestones sea-cliffs such as those of Migra Fehra, Ghar Hasan and Fomm ir-Rih in Malta, as well as patchily along the cliffs in the areas between Ta'Cenc and Rdum San Dimitri in Gozo, and on Haget il-General (Fungus Rock).

Although this species lives in rather inaccessible areas (cliffs), it is highly threatened by extinction for various reasons: a fungal disease, a low natural recruitment, alien species, quarrying and dumping of tar.

This plant is very difficult to propagate by conventional methods (seeds, cuttings). It benefits from a few measures of protection (*ex-situ* conservation, national protection, protected areas and recovery plan).

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Degenia velebitica (Degen) Hayek	EN Criteria B1+2e	Cult.	Distribution - Croatia ()	Cultivation *LJUBLJANA: LJUBLJANA B.G. (2003)	Protection ☐ Bern Conv. ☐ Habitats Dir.	Threats 1.2.3 - Lack of grazing 9.9 - Restricted range
BRASSICACEAE 2003				15-20 gardens		
A small perennial ad This monotypic gen Mountains of Croatia competition with othe grazing (by cattle and Velebit, there are 4 pt 1970s. The 3 others a Velebit, the situation The Botanic Garden 1978). Seeds are distr reintroduction.	SKOBERNE, P. STRGAR, V. in TOWNSEND, H	SYNCE, H. & I. 1979 I. & MAYER, E.				

Echium gentianoides Webb ex Coincy	VU Criteria D2	Cult.	Distribution - Spain:Canarias:La Palma ()	Cultivation	Protection ☑ Bern Conv. ☑ Habitats Dir. Annex: 2	Threats 1.1.4 - Nomadic livestock (goats) 2.2 - Invasive species: wild goats
BORAGINACEAE 2003				10.00		
2003				10-20 gardens		
		Con	nmentary		References	
This shrub lives betw Caldera de Taburiente The reduction of graz the other hand, there a wild goat) in the highl	SANTOS GUERRA, A. <i>in</i> GOMEZ-CAMPO, C. <i>et al</i> . 1996.					
which is not adapted to Helianthemum cirae.	o herbivorou	s. These	e animals have already elin	ninated the endemic		

Erucastrum palustre (Pirona) Vis.	CR Criteria B1+2abc	Cult.	Distribution - Italy:Friuli ()	Cultivation PADOVA: ORTO BOTANICO (2001)	Protection ⊠ Bern Conv. ⊠ Habitats Dir. Annex: 2	Threats 1.1.1.2 - Small-holder farming 1.1.8 - Drainage of wetlands 1.2.2 - Change of management regime 1.4.2 - Human settlement
BRASSICACEAE 2003				1 garden		
peat bogs or along spr It is a neoendemic ta	rings. xon which h	nic speci nas evolv	mentary es of Friuli growing in	nate variations during	References CONTI, F., MANZI, A. & PEDROTTI, F. 1992. CONTI, F., MANZI, A. &	
the postglacial age, w Ditch-work, drainage as agricultural encroade for this species. The distribution area betw 140 ha, and it contains Centaurea forojulensi	e and loweri chment and destruction of een 1960 and s other ender	PEDROTTI, F. 1997. PIGNATTI, S. 1982.				

VV.AA. 2000.

Eryngium viviparum Gay	EN Criteria B1+B2d	Cult.	Distribution - Spain:Galicia (EN) - France:Bretagne:Morbihan (56) (CR) - Spain:Castilla y Leon:Zamora (DD) - Portugal:Minho (EX)	*BREST: Conservatoire Botanique National (2003) *MULHOUSE: Jardin Botanique (2002) LYON: Jardin Botanique (2002)	Protection ⊠ Bern Conv. ⊠ Habitats Dir. Annex: 2 (prioritary species)	Threats 1.1.5 - Abandonment of agriculture 1.1.8 - Drainage of fields 1.2.2 - Change of management regime of non-agricultural areas	
APIACEAE 2003				3 gardens			
Commentary This endemic euatlantic species is reduced to 2 or 3 distant populations, which are 1000 km apart. Everywhere it is restricted to a very small area in a moist depression of grazed heaths.						References BENSETTITI, F. et al. 2002. BUORD, S., COUDERC, M. & COUDERC, H. & REDURON,	
the plant to a near In Brittany, it sue According to sor	extinction.		JP. 1999. CASASECA, B. 1971. OLIVIER, L., GALLAND, J.P. & MAURIN, H. 1995.				

taxonomically identical to the plants from Galicia.

Euphrasia	Category	Cult.	Distribution	Cultivation	Protection	Threats	
grandiflora Hochst.	CR Criteria B2abde, C1	0	- Portugal:Açores:Faial (EX) - Portugal:Açores:Pico (CR) - Portugal:Açores:São Jorge (DD) - Portugal:Açores:Terceira (EX)		☑ Bern Conv.☑ Habitats Dir.Annex : 2	1.1.2 - Wood plantations 1.3.3 - Logging	
SCROPHULARIACEAE 2003				0 garden			
	•	Com	mentary		References		
This hemi-parasitic plant belongs to the section <i>Atlanticae</i> , endemic of the Açores along with <i>E. azorica</i> , also a threatened species. Along with <i>E. formosissima</i> , they are the only shrubby species of the genus in Juan Fernandez (Chile).						DIAS, E. 199?. RUMSEY, F.2001. (pers. comm.) SJOGREN, E. 1984.	
It was known from 4 is survives on Sao Jorge. O grows in the better prese plant is obviously very s notoriously difficult.							

Ferula	Category	Cult.	Distribution	Cultivation	Protection	Threats
sadlerana Ledeb. APIACEAE 2003	VU Criteria A1c	1	- Hungary (VU) - Romania (VU) - Slovakia (CR)	*VACRATOT: RESEARCH INSTITUTE FOR BOTANY & ECOLOGY (1997) BREST: Conservatoire Botanique National (2003) COPENHAGEN: Kobenhavns Universitets Botaniske Have (1989) EDINBURGH: Royal Botanic garden (2003) TURKU 50: University of Turku Botanical Garden (1984)	⊠ Bern Conv. ☐ Habitats Dir.	1.1 - Agriculture 1.2.2 - Change of management regime
2003		C-		5 gardens	D.e	erences
Commentary The distribution of this pannonic relictual species is centered in Hungary where it is known from an area with several localities. Two widely separated populations also occur in Slovakia and one other in Romania. It lives in dry, rocky places. Slovakia has developed a rescue program for this species in a Biosphere Reserve. In Hungary, it is a species of high priority in Plant conservation.					ANONYMOUS CANNON, J.F.M 1968.	, 19??. M. in TUTIN et al. & GALANTAI, M. 2. NCY FOR

Gyrocaryum	Category	Cult.	Distribution	Cultivation	Protection	Threats
oppositifolium Valdés	CR Criteria B1+2a	0	- Spain:Andalucia (CR) - Spain:Castilla y Leon:Leon (CR)		☐ Bern Conv. ☐ Habitats Dir.	1.1.4 - Livestock 9.1 - Limited dispersal 9.8 - Population fluctuations 10.3 - Military manoeuvres
BORAGINACEAE 2003				0 garden		
	l	Comn	nentary	8	References	
Gyrocaryum is a newly two occasions. In Andalucia it has bee Quercus forest cover (8 found again. The popula population has been disamong a clearing of oak m2. The plant should be colleon, although there may Gyrocaryum is protect.	BLANCA, G.B. VALDES, B. 19 VV. AA. 2000.					

Helictotrichon hackelii (Henriq.) Herard	CR Criteria B1+2abcd	Cult.	Distribution - Portugal:Alentejo () - Portugal:Algarve ()	Cultivation	Protection ⊠ Bern Conv. ⊠ Habitats Dir. Annex: 2	Threats 12 - Unknown
POACEAE 2003						
2003		<u> </u>		0 garden	D 6	
T4 : 0 4h 0 11m; 0110 mommo 00			nentary	_	References GOVAERTS, R. 1993.	
It is the unique representative of the isolated section <i>Scleravenastrum</i> . This perennial grass was known from 3 locations in sandy areas of SW Portugal. In 1989, Romero Zarco considered it was still abundant in its locus classicus near Vila Nova de Milfontes. However, R. Govaerts was unable to find it in this place in 1992 as well as in the second locality in the region of Cabo Sao Vicente. However, R. Govaerts discovered a new locality near Aljezur, 100 m. from the coast. The possible extinction of several populations is all the more regrettable since the species included two varieties of which var. <i>algarbiensis</i> may now be extinct.					ROMERO-ZAR	

Horstrissea	Category	Cult.	Distribution	Cultivation	Protection	Threats
dolinicola Greuter, Gerstberger & Egli	CR Criteria B1+2c, D	0	- Greece:Kriti ()		☐ Bern Conv. ☐ Habitats Dir.	1.1.4.2 - Small holder livestock (sheep) 8.5 - Parasites 9.9 - Restricted range
APIACEAE 2003				0 garden		
	ı	Com	mentary		References	
An endemic and more This dwarf perennial 1500m (restricted to a overlooked since it is the dolines of central this area where it is sue In-vitro and in-vivo a destroyed by parasitic	l occurs with a 40x80 m ar a geophyte. Kriti has been ubject to ove germination	EGLI, B. <i>in</i> PHI 1995.	ΓOS, D. et al.			

Hypericum aciferum (W. Greuter) N.K.B. Robson	CR Criteria C2a	Cult.	Distribution - Greece:Kriti	Cultivation IRAKLION: IRAKLION B. G. (1995)	Protection ☑ Bern Conv. ☑ Habitats Dir. Annex: 2 (prioritary species)	Threats 6.3.6 - Oil slicks 9.2 - Poor recruitment/reproduction/regeneration 9.9 - Restricted range
HYPERICACEAE 2003				1 garden		
Hypericum acifer typical chasmophy tolerating frequent This species is on individuals in the lin SW Kriti. Natur These plants can conservation possi collection of ripe s	rum is an endrete, living or spraying by ly known frecus classical regenerate be vegetativeled without eeds in nature.	on vertically sea was om 2 vertically sea was, 60 in is lowely promuch dure may	pecies from Kriti al, coastal rocks (a tter. ery small populati ndividuals in the ow and poor. opagated making ifficulties. Howe be difficult.	KYPRIOTA	References KIS, Z. in PHITOS, D. et al., 1995.	

Isoetes malinverniana Cesati et De Not.	CR Criteria A2c, B2c	Cult.	Distribution - Italy:Lombardia (CR) - Italy:Piemonte (CR)	Cultivation	Protection ⊠ Bern Conv. ⊠ Habitats Dir. Annex: 2	Threats 1.3.6 - Groundwater extraction 1.4.1 - Industry 1.4.2 - Human settlement 6.3 - Water pollution 10.4 - Transport
ISOETACEAE				6-20 gardens		
Isoëtes malinverniana Lombardy. It lives in springs, and This relictual species o Despite the conservation by water pollution, coun and especially by watert Isoëtes malinverniana aquatic plant collectors.	Ref CONTI, F., MA PEDROTTI, F. CONTI, F., MA PEDROTTI, F. PIGNATTI, S. PRELLI, R. 200	1992. NZI, A. & 1997. 1982.				

Lamyropsis	Category	Cult.	Distribution	Cultivation	Protection	Threats
microcephala (Moris) Dittrich et Greuter	CR Criteria	0	- Italy:Sardegna ()		 ☑ Bern Conv. ☑ Habitats Dir. Annex: 2 (prioritary species) 	1.1.4.2 - Small holder livestock 1.4.3 - Infrastructure development for tourism 7.6 - Landslides
ASTERACEAE						9.1 - Limited dispersal 9.9 - Restricted range
2003			entary	0 garden		
Lamyropsis microcepi Sardinia. This genus is Sardinia, Greece, Turke This species occurs in the Gennargenta mouta Its reproductive capac siliceous slopes and is a skying, grazing by pigs It is legally protected	represented ey, Caucasus a very restr in range bet ities are low actively thre , etc.	AGOSTINI, R., CONTI, F., MA PEDROTTI, F., CONTI, F., MA PEDROTTI, F. DITTRICH, M. PIGNATTI, S. 1	NZI, A. & 1992. NZI, A. & 1997. 1971.			

Laserpitium longiradium Boiss.	CR Criteria A2cd, B1+2c	Cult.	Distribution - Spain:Andalucia:Granada	Cultivation CORTIJUELA: CORTIJUELA B.G.	Protection ⊠ Bern Conv. ⊠ Habitats Dir. Annex: 2 (prioritary species)	Threats 1.1.4 - Goats, cows 6.3.3 - Pollution (by mining & urbanization) 8.2 - Predation by wild boars (Sus scrofa)
APIACEAE 2003				1 garden		(Sus scrofa)

A century ago this perennial was abundant on the banks of the rio Monachil between 1450-1550m. This habitat is very much damaged by pollution, tourism, excessive grazing, *etc...* Now the species is reduced to a unique locality with less than 1000 specimens within an area less than 1 km2, and the plant is still under threat in spite of a Recovery Plan started in 1994.

The population known in the rio Genil in 1997 is not *Laserpitium longiradium* but a newly described taxon: *Laserpitium latifolium* subsp. *nevadensis*, also endangered.

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Limonium	Category	Cult.	Distribution	Cultivation	Protection	Threats
dendroides Svent. PLUMBAGINACEAE 2003	CR Criteria C2a, D2	2	- Spain:Canarias:La Gomera ()	*BREST: Conservatoire Botanique National (2003) *LAS PALMAS: Jardin Botanico "Viera y Clavijo" (2002) *PORQUEROLLES: Conservatoire Botanique National (2002) ALICANTE: ALICANTE B.G. (1997) KEW: Royal Botanic Gardens (2003) SOLLER: SOLLER B.G. (2001) 6 gardens	⊠ Bern Conv. ⊠ Habitats Dir. Annex : 2	1.1.4.2 - Small -holder livestock 2.2 - Predators (rabbits) 9.2 - Poor recruitment/reproduction/regeneration 9.4 - Inbreeding 9.9 - Restricted range

This is the only member of section *Limoniodendron*. It is probably the largest (2.5m.) & the most ligneous member of the family.

It is limited to 3 populations in dry matorral between 200 & 600 meters. They clearly represent 2 taxa. The type species in the barranco de Cabrito is represented by 3 specimens. The same plant has recently been discovered in the eastern part (about 20 specimens). This population has been propagated in BG Las Palmas and 2 dozens of healthy plants have been reintroduced under the cliffs. Another population has been propagated in Brest.

All the surviving plants grow on inaccessible cliffs but are not chasmophytes. They represent relictual and marginal populations, the remains from larger populations which would have grown on the flats. Recruitement is almost absent in the wild.

Vegetative copies have been obtained by *in-vitro* propagation at the Conservatoire Botanique National de Porquerolles. In Brest, specimens have been obtained by layerings, but propagation by cutting has proved extremely difficult

Elena Camuñas has established that the plant is strongly allogame due to the pollen / stigma incompatibility. So that the 2 types of plants are needed to obtain seeds.

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Linum dolomiticum Borb.	CR Criteria B1+3e	Cult.	Distribution - Hungary ()	Cultivation *VACRATOT: RESEARCH INSTITUTE FOR BOTANY & ECOLOGY (1997)	Protection ⊠ Bern Conv. □ Habitats Dir.	Threats 9.9 - Restricted range
LINACEAE 2003				10-15 gardens		
	1	Com	mentary	10 13 gardens	Refe	rences
Linum dolomiticum is serpentine rocks nearb species related to L. el. It is one of the rarest remains threatened bec. It is now in cultivation nurseries.	BALAZS ORI 2 KERESZTY, Z. M. 1994 OCKENDON, D M.S. in TUTIN,	& GALANTAI, O.J. & WALTERS,				

Lythrum	Category	Cult.	Distribution	Cultivation	Protection	Threats
thesioides Bieb. LYTHRACEAE	CR Criteria A2ac, B1+3ab	1	- France:Languedoc Roussillon:Gard (30) (CR) - France:PACA:Vaucluse (84) (EX) - France:Rhône Alpes:Drôme (26) (EX) - Italy:Emilia-Romagna (EX) - Italy:Veneto (EX) - Hungary (EX) - Russian Federation (DD) - Iran (Islamic Republic of):Fars (EX) - Afghanistan:Herat (EX)	PORQUEROLLES: Conservatoire Botanique National (2003)	⊠ Bern Conv. □ Habitats Dir.	1.1.1 - Agriculture 1.2.2 - Drainage
2003				1 garden		

This small annual occurs in vernal pools and other temporary wet places.

In spite of a large distribution from Southern France to Iran, it is almost extinct. Only a restricted number of localities were known. In recent years, it has been rediscovered only in one locality (in France). In the following years, the discoverers were not able to find the plant again. However the seeds of the species are adapted to long period of dormancie in the soil and the locality is therefore not considered here as extinct. In Europe and beyond, the other occurrences are old (France 4 localities, Hungary 1 loc., Italy 2 loc., Russia very few)

A taxonomic confusion has arisen between *L. thesioides* and *L. linifolium* a widespread Asian species. Within *L. thesioides*, the plants of Western Europe show differences with the plants of Russia.

The vernal pools are among the most threatened habitats of Europe with a specialized flora and fauna. They often occupy limited areas but depend on larger water-catchment.

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Micropyropsis tuberosa Romero-Zarco & Cabezudo	EN Criteria B1+3d	Cult.	Distribution - Spain:Andalucia:Huelva (EN) - Morocco (DD)	Cultivation	Protection ⊠ Bern Conv. ⊠ Habitats Dir. Annex: 2	Threats 1.1.4 - Livestock 1.6 - Change in native species dynamics (directly impacting	
POACEAE 2003				0 garden		habitat) 7.1 - Drought	
	Commentary						

This recently discovered monotypic genus is endemic to the marshes of Coto Doñana at the mouth of the Guadalquivir River and in Morocco (Wadi Loukhos).

Despite its occurence in the Parque Nacional de Doñana, this hemicryptophytic herb is threatened by both the gradual lowering of water-table level and excessive grazing by domestic livestock. The wild ongulates also contribute to the regression of this species given the present rarity of their natural predators.

However, the species is known from 3 localities in 14 sites, so that it is not immediately endangered in Spain.

Some populations are in the Biological Reserve of Coto Doñana.

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Monizia edulis Lowe	Category CR Criteria B2de+3e	Cult.	Distribution - Portugal:Madeira:Desertas (CR) - Portugal:Madeira:Madeira (CR) - Portugal:Madeira:Porto Santo (EX)	*FUNCHAL: Jardim Botanico da Madeira (2001)	Protection ⊠ Bern Conv. ⊠ Habitats Dir. Annex: 2	Threats 1.1.1.2 - Small-holder farming 1.1.4.1 - Nomadic livestock
			- Portugal:Madeira:Selvagems (EX)			1.1.4.2 - Small- holder livestock 2.2 - Invasive alien species
						(rabbits) 3.1.1 - Harvesting food (subsistence use)
APIACEAE						
2003				+6 gardens		
l .			Commontory		Dofe	ronoc

This endemic genus from Madeira, previously known from 4 groups of islands is reduced to 2 populations surviving precariously among rocks inaccessible to the introduced herbivorous.

Therefore, the relationships between the different populations are now difficult to establish. The plants from Desertas look different as well as the plants from the Selvagems: this potentially different taxon is now extinct.

In Madeira itself, it is restricted to a very small area nearby Curral das Freiras, above 1500 m. People use the leaves as a condiment. In Deserta Grande, the plant was eagerly sought after (Cenoura da rocha, Carrot-tree). The introduced rabbits and goats led the species to a near extinction. The Parque Natural da Madeira of which the islands are a part has eliminated these animals. The few surviving plants (c. 300 m.) may be expected to recover. The situation in the great eastern cliffs is difficult to ascertain. In Porto-Santo, Isla das Cenouras is a small islet where the plant probably existed. Susana Sa Fontinha sought the plant without success on this rugged islet. In the Selvagems (Selvagem Grande), it was collected by C. Cabral de Noronha before 1869 and it is certainly extinct.

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It is 'almost extinct' according to H. Schaffer.

Myosotis azorica H.C. Watson	Category CR Criteria B2d+3de	Cult.	Distribution - Portugal:Açores:Corvo () - Portugal:Açores:Flores ()	Cultivation	Protection ⊠ Bern Conv. ⊠ Habitats Dir. Annex: 2	Threats 1 - Habitat loss 2.1 - Competitors 6.3.6 - Oil slicks 9.9 - Restricted range
BORAGINACEAE 2003				0 garden		
		Co	mmentary	8	References	
Commentary Myosotis azorica and M. maritima constitute an endemic group of the Azores. Much confusion has occured regarding the taxonomy and distribution of these plants. M. azorica is one of the rarest plant of the Azores, living close to the sea in a very few localities of Corvo, and more recently in the South of Flores. A plant named "M. azorica" has been introduced in oceanic countries: California, Chile. The two species, more particularly M.azorica are especially beautiful plants, and a var. alba and a cultivar 'Imperatrice Elizabeth' have been mentioned. References CHAPELLE, A. & VIDAL, C 1998. (pers. comm.) DIAS, E. 1997. PALHINHA, R. 1966. SCHAFER, H. 2002. SJOGREN, E. 1973.						

Myosotis	Category	Cult.	Distribution	Cultivation	Protection	Threats
rehsteineri Wartm. BORAGINACEAE	EN Criteria B1+2abcd	3	- France:Rhône Alpes:Hte Savoie (74) (EX) - Germany:Bayern (EN) - Switzerland:Thurgau (EN) - Switzerland:Ticino (EX) - Switzerland:Vaud (EX) - Austria:Voralberg (CR) - Liechtenstein (DD) - Italy:Lombardia (CR) - Italy:Piemonte (CR)		☑ Bern Conv.☑ Habitats Dir.Annex : 2	1.2.2 - Change of regulation of water level 1.4.2 - Management of banks 6.3 - Water pollution 10.1 - Destruction of banks of lakes and rivers
2003				+20 gardens		

It is the component of a small assemblage of endemics from the shores of the great lakes of Central Europe. This habitat (*Deschampsietum rhenanae*) is extremely threatened by human activities and it is extinct around most of the lakes:

- -Arenaria gothica var. fugax (Switzerland): extinct,
- Armeria alpina var. purpurea (Switzerland, Germany): near extinction,
- Deschampsia littoralis (Switzerland, Germany, Austria, France): endangered,
- -Saxifraga oppositifolia var. amphibia (Switzerland, Germany, Austria): extinct.

Myosotis rehsteineri grows on bare soils which are poor in nutrients on the inundated shores of lakes in Switzerland, Germany, Austria, Lichtenstein, Italy and France. Now it is extinct in most parts of this area. The last stronghold is the Bodensee where it grows as a few dozen of populations in the 3 bordering countries (Austria, Germany, Switzerland). Most of the populations are small and perhaps opportunistic. In 1994 in Switzerland, out of 2500 individuals, 1500 were in a single locality. Since the 1990s, the conservation measures taken have allowed the situation to improve. It now survives in less than 1 hectare in Switzerland.

Pollution, maintenance of a high permanent water level and tourist activities have altogether greatly contributed to the artificialisation of this habitat.

A Recovery Program is certainly needed to preserve this original habitat.

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Myrica rivas- martinezii Santos	CR Criteria D	Cult.	Distribution - Spain:Canarias:Hierro (CR) - Spain:Canarias:La Gomera (CR) - Spain:Canarias:La Palma (CR)	Cultivation LA GOMERA: Centro de Visitantes (2003) LE PALAIS: BRIEN Y. (2003)	Protection ☐ Bern Conv. ☐ Habitats Dir. Annex: 2 (prioritary species)	Threats 1.4.3 - Tourism/recreation 1.4.4 - Forest lanes 9.2 - Poor recruitment/reproduction/regeneration 9.5 - Isolation of the adult trees 10.5 - Fire	
MYRICACEAE 2003				2 gardens			
	l .	Com	mentary	<u> </u>		References	
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Omphalodes kuzinskyana Willk.	CR Criteria B1+2ade	Cult.	Distribution - Portugal:Estremadura ()	Cultivation	Protection ⊠ Bern Conv. ⊠ Habitats Dir. Annex: 2	Threats 1.4.4 - Road construction 6.3.6 - Oil slicks 10.1 - Recreation/tourism
BORAGINACEAE 2003		Con	nmentary	7 gardens	R	eferences

This species was very localized within a small region covering the municipalities of Sintra, Cascais and Estoril. Now rapidly declining, it survives in less than a few square metres between Cabo da Roca and Praia do Abano. The greatest concentration occurs within 1 m2.

At present, the plant is threatened by a road development scheme, despite the occurrence of this last population within the Parque Natural de Sintra-Cascais.

This plant is the most threatened among a series of 3 taxa living in the sand dunes and ranging from Western Brittany to the Northern half of Portugal. This habitat is very much threatened by tourism and potential oil slicks. A single hazard could lead this species to extinction.

At this level of threat *ex-situ* conservation is of paramount importance. The plant is erratically cultivated in a few gardens of Europe.

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Onosma tornensis Jav.	EN Criteria B1+2c	Cult.	Distribution - Hungary (CR) - Slovakia (EN)	Cultivation	Protection ⊠ Bern Conv. □ Habitats Dir.	Threats 1.1.2 - Wood plantations 1.3.1 - Quarrying 1.4.1 - Industrial development
						1.4.3 - Tourism development
BORAGINACEAE				7 gardens		
2003		References				

Onosma tornensis is the most northern member of the section Stelligera.

This endemic species of the karstic Torna mountains only occurs in 4 localities within a 10×20 km range (3 in southern Slovakia and 1 in Hungary). This area is rich in rare and relictual plant populations. This perennial, xerothermic herb grows in dry, open grassland. The Hungarian subpopulation includes 200-250 mature plants, the Slovakian subpopulations are somewhat larger, and reproduction and dispersal seem effective.

Threatened by sheep overgrazing in the past, this is no longer a significant problem, but today quarrying activities, industrial development and tourism may have a negative impact.

Onosma tornensis is protected by law and benefits from the protection of the area of its occurence in Slovakia (locus classicus) and Hungary.

HOLUB, J. in CEROVSKY, J. et al. 1999.

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Phleum	Category	Cult.	Distribution	Cultivation	Protection	Threats
sardoum (Hackel) Hackel	EN Criteria B1+2c	1	- Italy:Sardegna (EN) - France:Corse (DD) - France:PACA:Var (83) (DD)	BREST: Conservatoire Botanique National (2003)	☐ Bern Conv. ☐ Habitats Dir.	6.3.6 - Oil slicks 10.1 - Recreation/tourism
POACEAE 2003				1 garden		
		C	ommentary		R	eferences
This endemic Sa di Gallura and Ar threatened by the	bus) on coas developmer	CONTI, F., MANZI, A. & PEDROTTI, F. 1992. CONTI, F., MANZI A. & PEDROTTI,				
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Pilularia minuta Durieu ex A. Braun	VU Criteria A1ac,	Cult.	Distribution - France:Languedoc Roussillon () - France:PACA (EX) - France:Corse (EN)	Cultivation	Protection ☑ Bern Conv. ☐ Habitats Dir.	Threats 1.1.1.2 - Small-holder farming 1.4.2 - Human
	B2b+3be		- Spain:Baleares (DD) - Portugal:Algarve (CR) - Italy:Lazio (EX) - Italy:Sardegna (VU) - Italy:Sicilia (EX) - Serbia (DD) - Greece (VU) - Ukraine:Crimea (EX) - Turkey:Aegean:Izmir (DD) - Algeria (EX) - Morocco (DD)			settlement 7.1 - Drought
MARSILEACEAE 2003				0 garden		
2003	References					

This tiny Pteridophyte grows in seasonally inundated areas in the Mediterranean region. In recent years, the species has been discovered in several new countries. They are probably not new localities but newly discovered sites. The destruction of a number of well known sites has been documented. Other sites could probably be discovered if searched at the appropriate time.

The populations are widely separated, most of them are small and threatened by habitat degradation and drought. Waterfowl is certainly important for the dispersal of the species.

BOUDRIE, M. *in* OLIVIER, L., GALLAND, J.-P. & MAURIN, H. 1995.

BYFIELD, A.J. in GÜNER, A. et al. 2000.

CRABBE, J.A. in TUTIN, T. G. et al. 1993.

GREUTER, W., BURDEL, M. & LONG, G. 1984.

MOLINA, J. 2003. (pers. comm.) PAIVA, J. *in* CASTROVIEJO, S. *et al.* 1986.

PRELLI, R. 2001.

Pittosporum	Category	Cult.	Distribution	Cultivation	Protection	Threats		
coriaceum Dryander ex. Aiton	CR Criteria D	2	- Portugal:Madeira:Madeira ()	*FUNCHAL : Jardim Botanico da Madeira (2002)	⊠ Bern Conv. ⊠ Habitats Dir. Annex: 2	1.1.1.2 - Small-holder farming 1.1.2 - Wood plantations 1.3.3 - Wood exploitation 2.1 - Alien competitors 9.2 - Poor recruitment/reproduction/regeneration		
PITTOSPORACEAE								
2003				8-12 gardens				
Commentary						References		
Pittosporum coriaceum, an endemic of Madeira is known from the ravines of						FERNANDEZ F 1997		

Pittosporum coriaceum, an endemic of Madeira is known from the ravines of the laurisylva. About 30 specimens are known to exist and no regeneration has been observed. The distribution range of the species is included in the Parque Natural

The plant is cultivated in a dozen of sites. These plants probably come from very few clones.

A *Pittosporum* sp. considered to be closely related to *Pittosporum coriaceum* has been discovered in the volcanic tufa of Faial (Azores) (-4000 years). Mention has been made of a native *Pittosporum* in the Canary islands.

Pittosporum coriaceum survives precariously in Madeira where the best laurisylva fragments of Macaronesia are to be found. The relations between these populations are very difficult to study due to the probable extinction of 2 populations (taxons?).

Pittosporum coriaceum is very isolated from the other members of the genus so that it can be considered it as a supraspecific entity.

FERNANDEZ, F. 1997. PRESS, J.R. & SHORT, M.J. 1994.

Polygonum	Category	Cult.	Distribution	Cultivation	Protection	Threats
robertii Loisel.	EN Criteria B1+2c,d	0	- France:Languedoc Roussillon:Aude (11) () - France:Languedoc Roussillon:Hérault (34) () - France:Languedoc Roussillon:Pyrénées O. (66) () - France:PACA:Alpes Maritimes (06) () - France:PACA:Bouches du Rhône (13) () - France:PACA:Var (83) () - Spain:Cataluña:Gerona (EN) - Spain:Cataluña:Barcelona (EN) - Italy:Liguria (EN) - Italy:Toscana (CR) - Italy:Sardegna (EX)		□ Bern Conv. □ Habitats Dir.	1.4.3 - Development of touristic infrastructures 6.3.6 - Oil slickes 10.1 - Balneal tourism
POLYGONACEAE			, , ,			
2003				0 garden		
Commentary Sometimes considered as a subspecies, <i>Polygonum robertii</i> is a perennial herb which occurs on sands, dunes and sandy-rocky soil near the sea. In Italy, this species is restricted to a very few coastal localities of Tuscany, Liguria and Sardinia. In Spain, it is strictly restricted to Catalonia. <i>P. robertii</i> seems to be rare in France (+ 8 localities), than in these two previous countries. Its habitat is very threatened by the development of coastal tourism. No conservation measure is currently taken.					AKEROYD, J. et al. 1993. BONNIER, G. 9. CONTI, F., M. PEDROTTI, F. CONTI, F., M. PEDROTTI, F. GOMEZ-CAM. GREUTER, W. & LONG, G. 1 JALAS, J. et al. KERGUELEN MOLINA, J. 2 RAFFAELLI, ROUY, G. 191	. 1992. ANZI, A. & . 1997. IPO, C. et al. 1987. ., BURDET, H.M. 989. l. 1979. , M. 1993. 003. (pers. comm.) M. 1981.

Ranunculus	Category	Cult.	Distribution	Cultivation	Protection	Threats
kykkoensis Meikle	CR Criteria B1+2c	0	- Cyprus ()		⊠ Bern Conv. ☐ Habitats Dir.	1.4.4 - Opening and widening of roads 9.9 - Restricted range 10.2 - Collects by botanists 10.6 - Amateur collectors
RANUNCULACEAE 2003				0 garden		
		Comn	nentary		Refe	rences
Ranunculus kykkoensis is an endemic species of Cyprus which is only known from 2 localities around Kykkos Monastery. This perennial plant grows on steep, moist, shaly slopes in pine forests (700-1200 m). The most serious danger for this species is the opening and the widening of the roads that pass through its habitat. Another threat is picking by amateur collectors and botanists. Kykkos forest is designated as a Natura 2000 site.					MEIKLE, R.D.	1977.

Rhazya	Category	Cult.	Distribution	Cultivation	Protection	Threats
thracica Davidov APOCYNACEAE	CR Criteria A1bc, B1+2c	3	- Greece:Thrakia () - Turkey:Turkey in Europe ()		⊠ Bern Conv. ☐ Habitats Dir.	1.2.4 - Land management 7.1 - Drought
2003				+100 gardens		

Rhazya thracica is a perennial which has been described from a small region of Greek Thrace & Turkey in Europe. Herbarium specimens are few and mainly ancient, the most recent having been made in 1972.

This plant has long been known as *Rhazya orientalis* (Decaisne) A. DC. which seems to be a different taxon known from only 2 localities and collections in Asiatic Turkey. *Rhazya orientalis* is thus an extremely rare plant considered as on the verge of extinction.

The habitat of *R. thracica* is not well known, being described as "wetplaces near the sea", "in places wet during the winter", and "garrigues".

R. thracica is rather widely cultivated as an ornamental plant.

R. orientalis a protected species in Europe corresponds to *R. thracica*, so that the species should benefit from the protection.

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Stemmacantha cynaroides (Chr. Sm.) Dittrich	EN Criteria B1+2cde	Cult.	Distribution - Spain:Canarias:Tenerife ()	*TENERIFE: Teide National Park BREST: Conservatoire Botanique National (2003) LAS PALMAS: Jardin Botanico "Viera y Clavijo"	Protection ⊠ Bern Conv. ⊠ Habitats Dir. Annex: 2	Threats 1.4.3 - Off-sites vehicules 2.2 - Alien predators (rabbits & wild sheeps) 3.5 - Collection 10.3 - Military manoeuvres
ASTERACEAE 2003		Com	nmentary	3 gardens	Dofe	erences

This perennial is endemic to the highlands of Tenerife (Cañadas) occuring between 2000 and 2600 m. Now it is endangered, being reduced to 9 populations, most of them with a small number of specimens.

The species is endangered by military manœuvres, off-site vehicles, plant collecting, etc. But by far the greatest threat, is the introduction of game: Ovis musimon, a wild sheep. As is the case for other oceanic islands where, regrettably, they have been introduced, these animals are a serious threat to the canarian ecosystem. A definitive loss of diversity is likely to happen. The management of the rarest plants is expensive and hazardous. The only solution is the complete elimination of the wild sheep as has been done in Deserta Grande de Madeira for the goats.

GARCIA-GALLO, A. et al. 1993.

RODRIGUEZ PINERO, J.C. in GOMEZ-CAMPO, C. et al. 1996.

Thesium	Category	Cult.	Distribution	Cultivation	Protection	Threats
ebracteatum Hayne	VU Criteria A1bc	0	- Austria (CR) - Belarus (DD) - Czech Republic (CR) - Germany (EN) - Denmark (EN) - Estonia (DD) - Italy (DD) - Lithuania (DD) - Latvia (CR) - Poland (DD) - Romania (EN) - Russian Federation (VU) - Ukraine (DD)		⊠ Bern Conv. ⊠ Habitats Dir. Annex: 2	1.1.1 - Agriculture 1.1.2 - Wood plantations 1.4 - Infrastructure development 12 - Unknown
2003				0 garden		
		Ref	erences			
This hemiparasite was relatively widespread in Central Europe where it is almost an endemic having a few occurrences East of the European border in Ural.					HAEUPLER, H. & SCHÖNFELDER, P. 1989.	
It is a plant of forest	glades, fores	JALAS, J. et al. 1999.				
Its precise status is a	not fully know	CEROVSKY, J. in CEROVSKY, J.				

Its precise status is not fully known, but in well-studied areas, the regression is very marked: in the Czech Republic, it survives in one square out of 20 in the *Atlas Europaea*. We can therefore expect catastrophic losses if no step is taken to reverse the trend

In Europe, out of 26 species of *Thesium*, 7 are narrow endemics (occuring in less than 3 squares). If these species suffer such regressions, some of them may soon become extinct.

The sium are considered as difficult or impossible to cultivate. The sium ebracteatum benefits form Recommendation $n^{\circ}40$ (1993) of the Permanent Committee of the Bern Convention.

CEROVSKY, J. in CEROVSKY, J. et al. 1999.

Veronica dabneyi Hochst.	EN Criteria B2b+3d	Cult.	Distribution - Portugal:Açores:Corvo (CR) - Portugal:Açores:Faial (EX) - Portugal:Açores:Flores (EN) - Portugal:Açores:São Miguel (EX)	Cultivation FAIAL: Jardim botanico do Faial (2003)	Protection ☐ Bern Conv. ☐ Habitats Dir.	Threats 1 - Habitat loss 2.3 - Hybridization
SCROPHULARIACEAE 2003				1 garden		
Commentary This shrubby Veronica, an insular relative of V. officinalis was known from 4 islands. It had not been seen since 1938. In 1999, J.C. Pereira rediscovered a few plants on Flores and Hanna Schafer found a further 16 populations with between 5-80 specimens each. The plant has also been rediscovered on Corvo in 2001. Conversely it is possibly extinct on Sao Miguel and Faial, . The comparison of the distribution areas of Veronica dabneyi and the introduced Veronica officinalis shows that V. dabneyi has become extinct in the islands where Veronica officinalis has established itself (competition or hybridization effects). V. officinalis is widespread and covers large areas. Only the western group of islands is still free from this plant where V. dabneyi survives. The species was in cultivation in the first part of the twentieth century. However, these plants which probably originated from Faial are also extinct in cultivation. It only survives as a sterile hybrid with V. officinalis.					PEREIRA, J.C & PAIVA, J. 2	., SCHAFER, H. 2002.

Veronica oetaea LA. Gustavsson	CR Criteria B1+2c	Cult.	Distribution - Greece:Sterea Ellias ()	Cultivation	Protection ⊠ Bern Conv. ⊠ Habitats Dir. Annex: 2 (prioritary species)	Threats 1.3.1 - Potential Threat of mining 1.4.4 - Building of a road 9.9 - Limited area of occupation
SCROPHULARIACEAE 2003				0 1		
2003		Comme		0 garden	Dofe	
Commentary Veronica oetaea is a species which has been recently described in 1978. It belongs to the subsection Acinifolia, so that this species would have a closer affinity with the species with an Asiatic distribution. This plant endemic to Mount Iti is only known from 2 small populations (1850-1950m) occuring in two melt-water pools. Anthesis occurs while the pools are still filled with water. These localities occur in the Iti National Park. Nevertheless, bauxite extraction from the slopes near one of the pool could be a potential threat for the small population, especially since roads have been built only a few meters away from them.						erences PHITOS, D. et al.

Zelkova	Category	Cult.	Distribution	Cultivation	Protection	Threats
sicula Di Pasquale, Garfi & Quezel	CR Criteria B1+2ce, C2b	1	- Italy:Sicilia ()	BREST: Conservatoire Botanique National (2003)	☐ Bern Conv. ☐ Habitats Dir.	1.1.4.2 - Small-holder livestock 7.1 - Drought 9.2 - Poor reproduction
ULMACEAE 2003				1 garden		

This newly discovered tree is known from a unique population spreading along 200m in a ravine at 500m.

The population is possibly largely clonal. A genetic study is necessary to explore the variability.

It lives in a vestigial community of *Quercus suber* and the habitat is damaged by human activities (wood logging, domestic animals). The area has been fenced.

This discovery should be placed in the context of other existing relictual *Zelkova species* in the Mediterranean basin:

- Z. cretica, threatened in Crete,
- Z. sp. discovered by Kotschy in Cyprus in 1882 and probably extinct,
- Z. sp. discovered as fossil in the Latium and in the region of Rome (31000BP).

Zelkova sicula has been put in cultivation. If this species is to survive, a Recovery Plan including *in-situ* and *ex-situ* measures is necessary. In the event of global climatic change, the species is certainly doomed to extinction.

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ANNEX 1 – DISTRIBUTION BY COUNTRY

Austria Aldrovanda vesiculosa L.

> Angelica palustris (Besser) Hoffm. Coleanthus subtilis (Tratt.) Seidl Myosotis rehsteineri Wartm. Thesium ebracteatum Hayne

Belarus Aldrovanda vesiculosa L.

Angelica palustris (Besser) Hoffm.

Thesium ebracteatum Hayne

Bulgaria Aldrovanda vesiculosa L.

Angelica palustris (Besser) Hoffm.

Astragalus physocalyx Fischer

Croatia Degenia velebitica (Degen) Hayek Cyprus Ranunculus kykkoensis Meikle

Czech Republic Angelica palustris (Besser) Hoffm.

Coleanthus subtilis (Tratt.) Seidl

Denmark Thesium ebracteatum Hayne

Estonia Angelica palustris (Besser) Hoffm.

Thesium ebracteatum Hayne

France Aldrovanda vesiculosa L.

> Artemisia molinieri Quézel, Barbero, R. Loisel Cardaminopsis pedemontana (Boiss.) Burdet

Coleanthus subtilis (Tratt.) Seidl

Eryngium viviparum Gay Lythrum thesioides Bieb. Myosotis rehsteineri Wartm.

Phleum sardoum (Hackel) Hackel Pilularia minuta Durieu ex A. Braun

Polygonum robertii Loisel.

Germany Aldrovanda vesiculosa L.

> Angelica palustris (Besser) Hoffm. Coleanthus subtilis (Tratt.) Seidl Myosotis rehsteineri Wartm.

Thesium ebracteatum Hayne

Greece Anthemis glaberrima (Rech. fil.) W. Greuter

Biarum fraasianum (Schott) N. E. Br.

Consolida samia P. H. Davis

Horstrissea dolinicola Greuter, Gerstberger & Egli Hypericum aciferum (W. Greuter) N.K.B. Robson

Pilularia minuta Durieu ex A. Braun

Rhazya thracica Davidov

Veronica oetaea L.-A. Gustavsson

Hungary Aldrovanda vesiculosa L.

Angelica palustris (Besser) Hoffm. Colchicum arenarium Waldst. & Kit.

Ferula sadlerana Ledeb.
Linum dolomiticum Borb.
Lythrum thesioides Bieb.
Onosma tornensis Jav.

Italy Abies nebrodensis (Lojac.) Mattei

Aldrovanda vesiculosa L.

Cardaminopsis pedemontana (Boiss.) Burdet

Coleanthus subtilis (Tratt.) Seidl Erucastrum palustre (Pirona) Vis.

Isoetes malinverniana Cesati et De Not. Lamyropsis microcephala (Moris) Dittrich et

Greuter

Lythrum thesioides Bieb. Myosotis rehsteineri Wartm.

Phleum sardoum (Hackel) Hackel Pilularia minuta Durieu ex A. Braun

Polygonum robertii Loisel. Thesium ebracteatum Hayne

Zelkova sicula Di Pasquale, Garfi & Quezel

Latvia Angelica palustris (Besser) Hoffm.

Thesium ebracteatum Hayne

Liechtenstein Myosotis rehsteineri Wartm.

Lithuania Angelica palustris (Besser) Hoffm.

Thesium ebracteatum Hayne

Macedonia Astragalus physocalyx Fischer

Malta Cremnophyton lanfrancoi Brullo & Pavone

Norway Coleanthus subtilis (Tratt.) Seidl

Poland Aldrovanda vesiculosa L.

Thesium ebracteatum Hayne

Portugal Eryngium viviparum Gay

Helictotrichon hackelii (Henriq.) Herard

Omphalodes kuzinskyana Willk.

Pilularia minuta Durieu ex A. Braun

Portugal: Açores Euphrasia grandiflora Hochst.

Myosotis azorica H.C. Watson

Veronica dabneyi Hochst.

Portugal:Madeira Monizia edulis Lowe

Pittosporum coriaceum Dryander ex. Aiton

Romania Aldrovanda vesiculosa L.

Andryala levitomentosa (E. I. Nyarady) P.D. Sell

Angelica palustris (Besser) Hoffm. Colchicum arenarium Waldst. & Kit.

Ferula sadlerana Ledeb.

Thesium ebracteatum Hayne

Russian Federation Aldrovanda vesiculosa L.

Allium regelianum A. Becker

Angelica palustris (Besser) Hoffm.

Cephalaria litvinovii Bobrov

Coleanthus subtilis (Tratt.) Seidl

Lythrum thesioides Bieb.

Thesium ebracteatum Hayne

Serbia Aldrovanda vesiculosa L.

Angelica palustris (Besser) Hoffm.
Colchicum arenarium Waldst. & Kit.

Pilularia minuta Durieu ex A. Braun

Slovakia Aldrovanda vesiculosa L.

Angelica palustris (Besser) Hoffm.

Colchicum arenarium Waldst. & Kit.

Coleanthus subtilis (Tratt.) Seidl

Ferula sadlerana Ledeb. Onosma tornensis Jav.

Spain Borderea chouardii (Gaussen) Heslot

Eryngium viviparum Gay

Gyrocaryum oppositifolium Valdés Laserpitium longiradium Boiss. Micropyropsis tuberosa Romero-Zarco &

Cabezudo

Pilularia minuta Durieu ex A. Braun

Polygonum robertii Loisel.

Spain: Canarias Echium gentianoides Webb ex Coincy

Limonium dendroides Svent.

Myrica rivas-martinezii Santos

Stemmacantha cynaroides (Chr. Sm.) Dittrich

Switzerland Aldrovanda vesiculosa L.

Myosotis rehsteineri Wartm.

Turkey Pilularia minuta Durieu ex A. Braun

Rhazya thracica Davidov

Ukraine Aldrovanda vesiculosa L.

Angelica palustris (Besser) Hoffm.

Cephalaria litvinovii Bobrov

Pilularia minuta Durieu ex A. Braun

Thesium ebracteatum Hayne

ANNEX 2 – EVALUATION OF THE CULTIVATION BY SPECIES

	Number of garden(s)	Garden(s) participating to a Recovery Plan
Abies nebrodensis (Lojac.) Mattei	20-25	2
Aldrovanda vesiculosa L.	+20	0
Allium regelianum A. Becker	1	1
Andryala levitomentosa (E. I. Nyarady) P.D. Sell	0	0
Angelica palustris (Besser) Hoffm.	6-20	0
Anthemis glaberrima (Rech. fil.) W. Greuter	0	0
Artemisia molinieri Quézel, Barbero, R. Loisel	4	1
Astragalus physocalyx Fischer	1	1
Biarum fraasianum (Schott) N. E. Br.	2	0
Borderea chouardii (Gaussen) Heslot	0	0
Cardaminopsis pedemontana (Boiss.) Burdet	0	0
Cephalaria litvinovii Bobrov	6	0
Colchicum arenarium Waldst. & Kit.	6	1
Coleanthus subtilis (Tratt.) Seidl	2	0
Consolida samia P. H. Davis	0	0
Cremnophyton lanfrancoi Brullo & Pavone	2	1
Degenia velebitica (Degen) Hayek	15-20	1
Echium gentianoides Webb ex Coincy	10-20	0
Erucastrum palustre (Pirona) Vis.	1	0
Eryngium viviparum Gay	3	1
Euphrasia grandiflora Hochst.	0	0
Ferula sadlerana Ledeb.	5	1
Gyrocaryum oppositifolium Valdés	0	0
Helictotrichon hackelii (Henriq.) Herard	0	0
Horstrissea dolinicola Greuter, Gerstberger & Egli	0	0
Hypericum aciferum (W. Greuter) N.K.B. Robson	1	0
Isoetes malinverniana Cesati et De Not.	6-20	0
Lamyropsis microcephala (Moris) Dittrich et Greuter	0	0
Laserpitium longiradium Boiss.	1	0

Limonium dendroides Svent.	6	3
Linum dolomiticum Borb.	10-15	1
Lythrum thesioides Bieb.	1	0
Micropyropsis tuberosa Romero-Zarco & Cabezudo	0	0
Monizia edulis Lowe	+6	1
Myosotis azorica H.C. Watson	0	0
Myosotis rehsteineri Wartm.	+20	0
Myrica rivas-martinezii Santos	2	0
Omphalodes kuzinskyana Willk.	7	0
Onosma tornensis Jav.	7	0
Phleum sardoum (Hackel) Hackel	1	0
Pilularia minuta Durieu ex A. Braun	0	0
Pittosporum coriaceum Dryander ex. Aiton	8-12	1
Polygonum robertii Loisel.	0	0
Ranunculus kykkoensis Meikle	0	0
Rhazya thracica Davidov	+100	0
Stemmacantha cynaroides (Chr. Sm.) Dittrich	3	1
Thesium ebracteatum Hayne	0	0
Veronica dabneyi Hochst.	1	0
Veronica oetaea LA. Gustavsson	0	0
Zelkova sicula Di Pasquale, Garfi & Quezel	1	0

ANNEX 3
LEGAL PROTECTION IN THE TWO EUROPEAN CONVENTIONS BY SPECIES

	Bern Convention	Habitats Directive
Abies nebrodensis (Lojac.) Mattei	YES	YES
Aldrovanda vesiculosa L.	YES	YES
Allium regelianum A. Becker	YES	NO
Andryala levitomentosa (E. I. Nyarady) P.D. Sell	YES	NO
Angelica palustris (Besser) Hoffm.	YES	YES
Anthemis glaberrima (Rech. fil.) W. Greuter	YES	YES
Artemisia molinieri Quézel, Barbero, R. Loisel	NO	NO
Astragalus physocalyx Fischer	YES	NO
Biarum fraasianum (Schott) N. E. Br.	NO	NO
Borderea chouardii (Gaussen) Heslot	YES	YES
Cardaminopsis pedemontana (Boiss.) Burdet	NO	NO
Cephalaria litvinovii Bobrov	NO	NO
Colchicum arenarium Waldst.& Kit.	YES	NO
Coleanthus subtilis (Tratt.) Seidl	YES	YES
Consolida samia P. H. Davis	YES	YES
Cremnophyton lanfrancoi Brullo & Pavone	YES	NO
Degenia velebitica (Degen) Hayek	NO	NO
Echium gentianoides Webb ex Coincy	YES	YES
Erucastrum palustre (Pirona) Vis.	YES	YES
Eryngium viviparum Gay	YES	YES
Euphrasia grandiflora Hochst.	YES	YES
Ferula sadlerana Ledeb.	YES	NO
Gyrocaryum oppositifolium Valdés	NO	NO
Helictotrichon hackelii (Henriq.) Herard	YES	YES
Horstrissea dolinicola Greuter, Gerstberger & Egli	NO	NO
Hypericum aciferum (W. Greuter) N.K.B. Robson	YES	YES
Isoetes malinverniana Cesati et De Not.	YES	YES
Lamyropsis microcephala (Moris) Dittrich et Greuter	YES	YES
Laserpitium longiradium Boiss.	YES	YES
Limonium dendroides Svent.	YES	YES
Linum dolomiticum Borb.	YES	NO
Lythrum thesioides Bieb.	YES	NO

Micropyropsis tuberosa Romero-Zarco & Cabezudo	YES	YES
Monizia edulis Lowe	YES	YES
Myosotis azorica H.C. Watson	YES	YES
Myosotis rehsteineri Wartm.	YES	YES
Myrica rivas-martinezii Santos	YES	YES
Omphalodes kuzinskyana Willk.	YES	YES
Onosma tornensis Jav.	YES	NO
Phleum sardoum (Hackel) Hackel	NO	NO
Pilularia minuta Durieu ex A. Braun	YES	NO
Pittosporum coriaceum Dryander ex. Aiton	YES	YES
Polygonum robertii Loisel.	NO	NO
Ranunculus kykkoensis Meikle	YES	NO
Rhazya thracica Davidov	YES	NO
Stemmacantha cynaroides (Chr. Sm.) Dittrich	YES	YES
Thesium ebracteatum Hayne	YES	YES
Veronica dabneyi Hochst.	NO	NO
Veronica oetaea LA. Gustavsson	YES	YES
Zelkova sicula Di Pasquale, Garfi & Quezel	NO	NO