

Cretan cyclamen

Cyclamen creticum Hildebr.

DESCRIPTION

Small and delicate plant with a tuber and heart-shaped, marbled leaves. Flowers snow-white or rarely pale pink.

HABITAT

Shady places in woodland and scrub, often in ravines or by creeks.

DISTRIBUTION

Endemic to Kriti and Karpathos (southern Aegean, Greece).



DANGER

Trade, collection from the wild for gardening.

PROTECTION

CITES Washington Convention - Annex II.

EU regulation of trade of fauna and flora - Annex B.

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