The Herbarium of MJG – Herbarium Garganicum

The Herbarium Garganicum arose between 1985 and 2009. In the year 2008 Dr. Schreiber incorporated his herbarium with 640 specimens in the Herbarium Garganicum. Meanwhile the herbarium comprises about 6500 collections of approximately 1200 taxa, this is more than half of entire Gargano species population. The attached table "MJG-Gargano collections" gives an overview of population.

Without further discussion the nomenclature follows almost always CONTI & al. (2005, 2007), LICHT (2008) goes for base of identification.

There can be many collections of different years (and therefore at different stages of age) of the same species of the same place, it's a particularity of herbarium. Some taxa have a lot of specimens: from 48 taxa there are 20 or more for example. Orchids generally not be considered.

Many taxa are revised by recognized specialists. In addition, the herbarium undergoes a complete revision at the moment. In the file "MJG-Gargano Notulae" particularities of individual specimens are gathered. Also the herbarium is one of the bases for "Conspectus florae garganicae praecursor", in which all mentioned taxa for the Gargano were checked critically for plausibility.

Despite completed revision some questions remain open. Here any further help is very welcome.

The order of revision is always aligned to alphabetical sequence of families. The boundary of families takes place in "classical sense" and corresponds to about "Flora Europaea" or PIGNATTIS "Flora d'Italia".

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