

Second Mediterranean Plant Conservation Week

Side Event- Critical Ecosystem Partnership Fund

Conservation and propagation of the Albanian tulip (*Tulip albanica*)

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location of *Tulipa albanica*

POPULATION TREND



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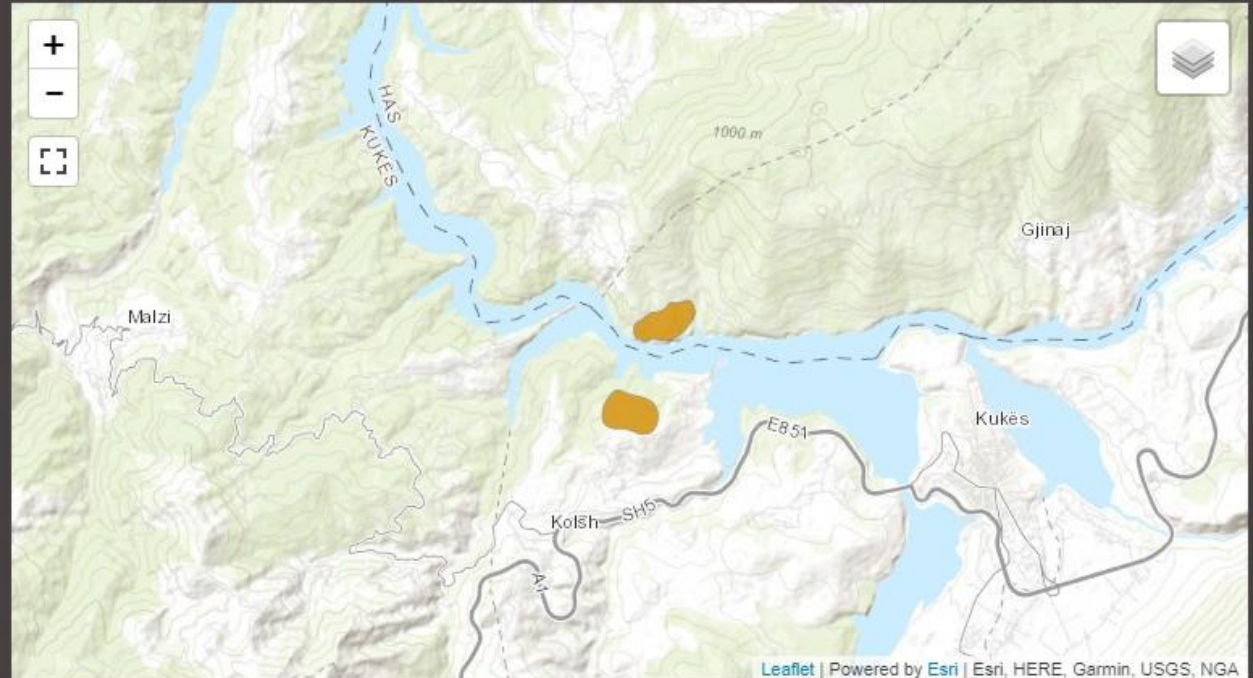
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IUCN . *Tulipa albanica*. The IUCN Red List of Threatened Species. IUCN 2018-1

Aims of the project

- ***1. Increase knowledge and skills through surveys and studies;***
- ***2. Strengthen the engagement of local inhabitants;***
- ***3. Help the emergence of a new generation of young professionals in endemic plant conservation;***
- ***4. Create a conservation plan with authorities;***
- ***5. Support innovative actions for the conservation of the two subpopulations of *Tulip albanica*;***
- ***6. Propagating the plant in other areas.***



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Project outputs

- ***Paper work: study, survey, monitoring,***
- ***Capacities and awareness raising : young professionals, local authorities, local inhabitants***
- ***Field actions: Propagation, storage of seeds, removal of invasive species, fencing of the area (accord. EIA)***
- ***Other: providing legal framework with the local authorities and survey of additional areas***

A photograph of two tulips in a field. The tulip on the left is bright yellow, and the one on the right is red with a yellow base. They are set against a backdrop of rolling green hills and snow-capped mountains under a clear blue sky. The foreground shows green leaves and some dry twigs.

Thank you!

Tulipani Shiptare
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