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A new subspecies of *Stachys cretica* (section *Eriostomum*, Lamiaceae) from Turkey

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Abstract: *Stachys cretica* L. subsp. *kutahyensis* Akçiçek subsp. *nova* is described as a new subspecies from West Anatolia, Turkey. It is related to *Stachys cretica* L. subsp. *vacillans* Rech. f. and *Stachys cretica* L. subsp. *anatolica* Rech. f., from which it differs in stem, leaf, and flower characters. Diagnostic characters, description, detailed illustrations, and taxonomic comments of the new subspecies are given. The geographical distribution of the subspecies is mapped. IUCN threat category and observations on the population are noted.

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