Elytrigia bessarabica

Habitus and growth type

Life span: **Perennial**
Life form: **Hemicryptophyte, Geophyte**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

Dispersal mode: **Local non-specific dispersal**
Dispersal distance class: **2**

Trophic mode

Parasitism and mycoheterotrophy: **autotroph**
Carnivory: **non-carnivorous**
Symbiotic nitrogen fixation: **no nitrogen-fixing symbionts**

Taxon origin

Origin in Europe: **native**

Ecology

Environmental relationships

Salinity relationship: **Slightly saline or brackish**

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **8.5**
Reaction indicator value: **8**
Nutrient indicator value: **5**
Salinity indicator value: **3**

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **0.92**
Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **0.93**
Disturbance severity: **0.3**
Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.28**
Mowing frequency: **0**
Grazing pressure: **0.12**
Soil disturbance: **0.34**

Habitat and sociology

EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: **U2A Crimean base-rich scree**
Constant species of EUNIS habitats: **U2A Crimean base-rich scree**

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Sparsely vegetated (incl. rock and scree)**

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