Morella faya

Habitus and growth type

Life span: **Perennial**
Life form: **Phanerophyte, Tree, Shrub**

Trophic mode

Parasitism and mycoheterotrophy: **autotroph**
Carnivory: **non-carnivorous**
Symbiotic nitrogen fixation: **symbiosis with frankia**

Taxon origin

Origin in Europe: **Native**

Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: **GC (LAU) *Pruno lusitanicae-Lauretea azoricae***, **GD (AZO) *Lauro azoricae-Juniperetea brevifoliae***

EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: **R53 Macaronesian thermophilous forest fringe**, **T23 Macaronesian laurophyllous forest**, **T28 Macaronesian heathy forest**, **T3B Pinus canariensis forest**
Constant species of EUNIS habitats: **R53 Macaronesian thermophilous forest fringe**, **T23 Macaronesian laurophyllous forest**, **T28 Macaronesian heathy forest**, **T3B Pinus canariensis forest**
Dominant species of EUNIS habitats: **T23 Macaronesian laurophyllous forest**

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Grassland (non-alpine, non-saline), Forest**

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