

Pilosella aurantiaca

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.22**

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

Leaf

Specific leaf area [mm²/mg]: **28.27**

Flower

Flowering period: **May-August**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **0.15**

Dispersal mode: **Anemochory, Anthropochory**

Dispersal distance class: **5, 7**

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

Substrate humidity relationship: **Mesic**

Substrate reaction relationship: **Acidic**

Nutrient relationship: **Oligotrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **8**

Temperature indicator value: **3.4**

Moisture indicator value: **5.1**

Reaction indicator value: **4.5**

Nutrient indicator value: **2.8**

Salinity indicator value: **0**

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **1.15**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.27**
Disturbance severity: **0.45**
Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.43**
Mowing frequency: **0.44**
Grazing pressure: **0.2**
Soil disturbance: **0.24**

Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: [CI \(NAR\) *Nardetea strictae*](#)

EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: [R23 Mountain hay meadow](#)

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Grassland (non-alpine, non-saline), Alpine-subalpine and arctic grassland, Scrub**

Distribution

Continentality: **5**
Continentality amplitude: **4**