

Silaum silaus

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.63**

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

Leaf

Specific leaf area [mm²/mg]: **17.43**

Flower

Flowering period: **May-August**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **2.38**

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

Substrate humidity relationship: **Wet**

Substrate reaction relationship: **Alkaline**

Nutrient relationship: **Oligotrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **7.4**

Temperature indicator value: **5.7**

Reaction indicator value: **6.9**

Nutrient indicator value: **3.1**

Salinity indicator value: **0.3**

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **1.89**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **2.01**

Disturbance severity: **0.49**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.49**

Mowing frequency: **1.31**

Grazing pressure: **0.22**

Soil disturbance: **0.24**

Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: [CM \(MOL\) Molinio-Arrhenatheretea](#)

EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: [R37 Temperate and boreal moist or wet oligotrophic grassland](#)

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Aquatic, Wetland, Mire, Grassland (non-alpine, non-saline)**

Distribution

Continentality: **3**

Continentality amplitude: **3**