Silene dichotoma

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.38**
Life span: **Annual, Biennial or short-lived**
Life form: **Hemicryptophyte, Therophyte**

Leaf

Specific leaf area [mm^2/mg]: **25.28**

Flower

Flowering period: **June-August**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **0.9**
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: **Dry**
Substrate reaction relationship: **Alkaline**
Nutrient relationship: **Eutrophic**
Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **7.1**
Moisture indicator value: **4.1**
Reaction indicator value: **7.2**
Nutrient indicator value: **5.6**
Salinity indicator value: **0**

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **0.82**
Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.8**

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Disturbance severity: **0.59**
Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.51**
Mowing frequency: **0.29**
Grazing pressure: **0.22**
Soil disturbance: **0.39**

Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: **DA (FES) *Festuco-Brometea***, **FI (TUB) *Helianthemetea guttati***, **QC (CHE) *Chenopodietea***

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Grassland (non-alpine, non-saline), Sparsely vegetated (incl. rock and scree), Synanthropic**

Distribution

Continentality: **8**
Continentality amplitude: **4**

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