Silene flos-cuculi

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.46**
Life span: **Perennial**
Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

Leaf

Specific leaf area [mm^2/mg]: **12.79**

Flower

Flowering period: **April-August**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **0.16**
Dispersal mode: **Local non-specific dispersal, Anthropochory**
Dispersal distance class: **2, 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: **Wet**
Substrate reaction relationship: **Slightly acidic to near-neutral**
Nutrient relationship: **Mesotrophic**
Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **7.3**
Temperature indicator value: **4.9**
Moisture indicator value: **7.3**
Reaction indicator value: **5**
Salinity indicator value: **0**

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **1.31**
Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.92**

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Disturbance severity: **0.52**
Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.49**
Mowing frequency: **0.91**
Grazing pressure: **0.21**
Soil disturbance: **0.22**

Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: **CM (MOL) *Molinio-Arrhenatheretea*, IA (ALN) *Alnetea glutinosae***

EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: **R34 Submediterranean moist meadow, R35 Moist or wet mesotrophic to eutrophic hay meadow**

Constant species of EUNIS habitats: **R22 Low and medium altitude hay meadow, R34 Submediterranean moist meadow, R35 Moist or wet mesotrophic to eutrophic hay meadow, R37 Temperate and boreal moist or wet oligotrophic grassland**

Broad habitat

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

Distribution

Continentality amplitude: **5**

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