

# *Succisa pratensis*

## Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.47**

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

## Leaf

Specific leaf area [mm<sup>2</sup>/mg]: **18.09**

## Flower

Flowering period: **May-August**

## Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **1.69**

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: **Slightly acidic to near-neutral**

Nutrient relationship: **Oligotrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

### Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **7.2**

Temperature indicator value: **5**

Moisture indicator value: **7.2**

Nutrient indicator value: **2**

Salinity indicator value: **0**

### Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **1.17**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.81**

Disturbance severity: **0.43**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.39**

Mowing frequency: **0.71**

Grazing pressure: **0.24**

Soil disturbance: **0.18**

## Habitat and sociology

### Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: **BC (BRA) *Brachypodio pinnati-Betuletea pendulae*, CI (NAR) *Nardetea strictae*, IA (ALN) *Alnetea glutinosae*, PA (SCH) *Scheuchzerio palustris-Caricetea fuscae***

### EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: **[Q41 Alkaline, calcareous, carbonate-rich small-sedge spring fen](#), [Q43 Tall-sedge base-rich fen](#), [R37 Temperate and boreal moist or wet oligotrophic grassland](#)**

Constant species of EUNIS habitats: **[Q23 Relict mire of Mediterranean mountains](#), [Q24 Intermediate fen and soft-water spring mire](#), [Q41 Alkaline, calcareous, carbonate-rich small-sedge spring fen](#), [Q42 Extremely rich moss-sedge fen](#), [Q43 Tall-sedge base-rich fen](#), [R37 Temperate and boreal moist or wet oligotrophic grassland](#)**

### Broad habitat

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

## Distribution

Continentality amplitude: 5