

# *Lotus delortii*

## Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.15**

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

## Flower

Flowering period: **March-September**

## Fruit, seed and dispersal

Dispersal mode: **Local non-specific dispersal**

Dispersal distance class: **1**

## Trophic mode

Parasitism and mycoheterotrophy: **autotroph**

Carnivory: **non-carnivorous**

Symbiotic nitrogen fixation: **symbiosis with rhizobia**

## Taxon origin

Origin in Europe: **Native**

## Ecology

### Environmental relationships

Substrate humidity relationship: **Mesic**

Substrate reaction relationship: **Slightly acidic to near-neutral**

Nutrient relationship: **Mesotrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

### Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **7**

Temperature indicator value: **7**

Moisture indicator value: **6**

Reaction indicator value: **5**

Nutrient indicator value: **5**

Salinity indicator value: **0**

### Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **0.76**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.65**

Disturbance severity: **0.53**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.42**

Mowing frequency: **0.58**

Grazing pressure: **0.35**

Soil disturbance: **0.16**

## **Habitat and sociology**

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: [FP \(ONO\) Festuco hystricis-Ononidetea striatae](#)

Broad habitat

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