

Trifolium suffocatum

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.03**

Life span: **Annual**

Life form: **Therophyte**

Flower

Flowering period: **March-May**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **0.2**

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: **Dry**

Substrate reaction relationship: **Acidic**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **8**

Temperature indicator value: **8.7**

Moisture indicator value: **4.3**

Reaction indicator value: **5**

Salinity indicator value: **0**

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **1.64**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **2.08**

Disturbance severity: **0.72**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.7**

Mowing frequency: **0.3**

Grazing pressure: **0.47**

Soil disturbance: **0.42**

Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: [FH \(BUL\) *Poetea bulbosae*](#), [QE \(POL\)](#)

[Polygono-Poetea annuae](#)

EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: [R1D Mediterranean closely grazed dry grassland](#)

Constant species of EUNIS habitats: [R1D Mediterranean closely grazed dry grassland](#)

Broad habitat

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