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**

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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**

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