

Aphanes arvensis

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.11**

Life span: **Annual**

Life form: **Therophyte**

Spinescence: **not spinescent**

Leaf

Specific leaf area [mm²/mg]: **17.7**

Flower

Flowering period: **March-June**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **0.3**

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

Dispersal distance class: **1, 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: **Mesic**

Substrate reaction relationship: **Acidic**

Nutrient relationship: **Mesotrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **6.8**

Reaction indicator value: **4.7**

Nutrient indicator value: **4.9**

Salinity indicator value: **0**

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **1.83**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **2.07**

Disturbance severity: **0.8**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.79**

Mowing frequency: **0.46**

Grazing pressure: **0.19**

Soil disturbance: **0.75**

Habitat and sociology

EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: [V13 Arable land with unmixed crops grown by low-intensity agricultural methods](#), [V15 Bare tilled, fallow or recently abandoned arable land](#)

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Broad habitat

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

Distribution

Continentality: **4**

Continentality amplitude: **4**