

Carex caudata

Habitus and growth type

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte, Geophyte**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

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

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **8**

Temperature indicator value: **6**

Moisture indicator value: **4**

Reaction indicator value: **9**

Nutrient indicator value: **1**

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **0.03**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.32**

Disturbance severity: **0.68**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.12**

Mowing frequency: **0.02**

Grazing pressure: **0.21**

Soil disturbance: **0.1**

Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: [CA \(FAG\) *Carpino-Fagetea sylvaticae*](#)

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Forest**