

Carex diandra

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.42**

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte, Geophyte**

Leaf

Specific leaf area [mm²/mg]: **13.9**

Flower

Flowering period: **April-July**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **0.54**

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

Environmental relationships

Substrate humidity relationship: **Wet**

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

Nutrient relationship: **Oligotrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **8**

Temperature indicator value: **5**

Moisture indicator value: **9**

Reaction indicator value: **5.7**

Nutrient indicator value: **2.8**

Salinity indicator value: **0**

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **1.26**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.46**
Disturbance severity: **0.22**
Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.18**
Mowing frequency: **0.22**
Grazing pressure: **0.11**
Soil disturbance: **0.17**

Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: [IA \(ALN\) *Alnetea glutinosae*](#), [PA \(SCH\) *Scheuchzeria palustris-Caricetea fuscae*](#)

EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: [Q24 Intermediate fen and soft-water spring mire](#), [Q42 Extremely rich moss-sedge fen](#), [Q44 Calcareous quaking mire](#)

Constant species of EUNIS habitats: [Q42 Extremely rich moss-sedge fen](#), [Q44 Calcareous quaking mire](#)

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Aquatic, Spring, Wetland, Mire, Forest**

Distribution

Continentality: **6**

Continentality amplitude: **6**