

Carex viridula

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.14**

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

Leaf

Specific leaf area [mm²/mg]: **16.38**

Flower

Flowering period: **April-August**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **0.51**

Dispersal mode: **Myrmecochory**

Dispersal distance class: **3**

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: **Alkaline**

Nutrient relationship: **Oligotrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Slightly saline or brackish**

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **8.1**

Moisture indicator value: **8.3**

Reaction indicator value: **6.4**

Nutrient indicator value: **2.4**

Salinity indicator value: **1.1**

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **1.53**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.75**

Disturbance severity: **0.36**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.34**

Mowing frequency: **0.32**

Grazing pressure: **0.28**

Soil disturbance: **0.17**

Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: [CM \(MOL\) *Molinio-Arrhenatheretea*](#),
[PA \(SCH\) *Scheuchzerio palustris-Caricetea fuscae*](#)

EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: [N1H Atlantic and Baltic moist and wet dune slack](#)

Constant species of EUNIS habitats: [N1H Atlantic and Baltic moist and wet dune slack](#)

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Aquatic, Wetland, Mire, Grassland (non-alpine, non-saline), Scrub, Forest**

Distribution

Continentality amplitude: **6**