

# ***Festuca versicolor***

## **Habitus and growth type**

Plant height [m]: **0.23**

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

## **Fruit, seed and dispersal**

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

Dispersal distance class: **1**

## **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: **Alkaline**

Nutrient relationship: **Oligotrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

### **Ellenberg-type indicator values**

Light indicator value: **8.8**

Temperature indicator value: **2.5**

Moisture indicator value: **4.5**

Reaction indicator value: **7**

Nutrient indicator value: **2**

Salinity indicator value: **0**

### **Disturbance indicator values**

Disturbance frequency: **1.33**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.38**

Disturbance severity: **0.29**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.28**

Mowing frequency: **0**

Grazing pressure: **0.24**

Soil disturbance: **0.09**

## Habitat and sociology

EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: [R44 Arctic-alpine calcareous grassland](#)

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Grassland (non-alpine, non-saline), Alpine-subalpine and arctic grassland, Sparsely vegetated (incl. rock and scree)**

## Distribution

Continentality: **6**

Continentality amplitude: **2**