Hesperis matronalis

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.57**
Life span: **Biennial or short-lived, Perennial**
Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

Leaf

Specific leaf area [mm^2/mg]: **33.21**

Flower

Flowering period: **April-July**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **2.4**
Dispersal mode: **Local non-specific dispersal, Anthropochory**
Dispersal distance class: **2, 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: **Alkaline**
Nutrient relationship: **Eutrophic**
Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Moisture indicator value: **6.6**
Reaction indicator value: **6.9**
Nutrient indicator value: **7.1**
Salinity indicator value: **0**

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **0.27**
Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.34**
Disturbance severity: **0.64**

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Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.32**
Mowing frequency: **0.14**
Grazing pressure: **0.19**
Soil disturbance: **0.13**

Habitat and sociology

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Grassland (non-alpine, non-saline), Scrub, Forest, Sparsely vegetated (incl. rock and scree), Synanthropic**

Distribution

Continentality: **6**
Continentality amplitude: **3**

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