

Moricandia arvensis

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.39**

Life span: **Biennial or short-lived**

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

Leaf

Specific leaf area [mm²/mg]: **9.45**

Flower

Flowering period: **March-September**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **0.76**

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: **Dry**

Substrate reaction relationship: **Alkaline**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **8.5**

Temperature indicator value: **8.5**

Moisture indicator value: **2**

Reaction indicator value: **6.5**

Salinity indicator value: **0**

Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: [QC \(CHE\) Chenopodietea](#)

Broad habitat

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