

# *Piptatherum virescens*

## Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.8**

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

## Flower

Flowering period: **April-June**

## Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **3.46**

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: **Mesic**

Substrate reaction relationship: **Alkaline**

Nutrient relationship: **Mesotrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

### Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **5.6**

Temperature indicator value: **6.7**

Moisture indicator value: **4.8**

Reaction indicator value: **7**

Nutrient indicator value: **4.7**

Salinity indicator value: **0**

### Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **0.03**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.31**

Disturbance severity: **0.68**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.13**

Mowing frequency: **0.01**

Grazing pressure: **0.2**

Soil disturbance: **0.1**

## **Habitat and sociology**

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: [CB \(PUB\) Quercetea pubescentis](#)

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Scrub, Forest**