Potentilla cinerea

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.08**
Life span: **Perennial**
Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

Leaf

Specific leaf area [mm^2/mg]: **13.24**

Flower

Flowering period: **February-June**

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: **Dry**
Substrate reaction relationship: **Alkaline**
Nutrient relationship: **Oligotrophic**
Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **9**
Moisture indicator value: **3.3**
Nutrient indicator value: **1.7**
Salinity indicator value: **0**

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **1.32**
Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.81**
Disturbance severity: **0.47**
Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.43**

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Mowing frequency: **0.52**
Grazing pressure: **0.36**
Soil disturbance: **0.19**

Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: **FP (ONO) *Festuco hystricis-Ononidetea striatae***

EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: **R11 Pannonian and Pontic sandy steppe**, **R1B Continental dry grassland (true steppe)**

Constant species of EUNIS habitats: **R11 Pannonian and Pontic sandy steppe**, **R1B Continental dry grassland (true steppe)**

Broad habitat

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

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