

# *Serapias cordigera*

## Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.27**

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Geophyte**

## Flower

Flowering period: **March-June**

## Fruit, seed and dispersal

Dispersal mode: **Anemochory**

Dispersal distance class: **5**

## Trophic mode

Parasitism and mycoheterotrophy: **initial or partial mycoheterotroph**

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: **Acidic**

Nutrient relationship: **Oligotrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

### Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **8.3**

Moisture indicator value: **4.3**

Reaction indicator value: **4.3**

Nutrient indicator value: **2**

Salinity indicator value: **0**

### Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **1.18**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.94**

Disturbance severity: **0.52**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.44**

Mowing frequency: **0.57**

Grazing pressure: **0.25**

Soil disturbance: **0.27**

## Habitat and sociology

### Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: [CM \(MOL\) \*Molinio-Arrhenatheretea\*](#),  
[FI \(TUB\) \*Helianthemetea guttati\*](#)

### Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Grassland (non-alpine, non-saline), Scrub**