

# *Sesamoides minor*

## Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.19**

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

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte, Therophyte**

## Flower

Flowering period: **April-August**

## Fruit, seed and dispersal

Dispersal mode: **Myrmecochory**

Dispersal distance class: **3**

## 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: **Acidic**

Nutrient relationship: **Oligotrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

### Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **8.5**

Temperature indicator value: **4**

Moisture indicator value: **4**

Reaction indicator value: **2.5**

Nutrient indicator value: **2**

Salinity indicator value: **0**

### Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **1.85**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.85**

Disturbance severity: **0.31**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.3**

Mowing frequency: **0.02**

Grazing pressure: **0.27**

Soil disturbance: **0.09**

## **Habitat and sociology**

EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: [R1J Cyrno-Sardean oromediterranean siliceous dry grassland](#)

Broad habitat

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