

Vella spinosa

Trophic mode

Parasitism and mycoheterotrophy: **autotroph**

Carnivory: **non-carnivorous**

Symbiotic nitrogen fixation: **no nitrogen-fixing symbionts**

Taxon origin

Origin in Europe: **Native**

Ecology

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **8.4**

Temperature indicator value: **4**

Moisture indicator value: **2.5**

Reaction indicator value: **6.7**

Nutrient indicator value: **2.5**

Salinity indicator value: **0**

Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: [FB \(ROS\) Ononido-Rosmarinetea](#)

EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: [S73 Western Mediterranean mountain hedgehog-heath](#)

Constant species of EUNIS habitats: [S73 Western Mediterranean mountain hedgehog-heath](#)

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Scrub**