

Viola arborescens

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.17**

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Chamaephyte**

Leaf

Specific leaf area [mm²/mg]: **26.9**

Flower

Flowering period: **March-May**

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: **Dry**

Substrate reaction relationship: **Alkaline**

Nutrient relationship: **Mesotrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Slightly saline or brackish**

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **8.5**

Temperature indicator value: **8.5**

Moisture indicator value: **1.5**

Reaction indicator value: **6.5**

Nutrient indicator value: **3.5**

Salinity indicator value: **0.5**

Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

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

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Scrub**