

Viola suavis

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.13**

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

Flower

Flowering period: **January-May**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **2.72**

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: **Alkaline**

Nutrient relationship: **Mesotrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **6.3**

Temperature indicator value: **7**

Moisture indicator value: **4.1**

Reaction indicator value: **6.9**

Salinity indicator value: **0**

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **0.08**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.33**

Disturbance severity: **0.68**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.16**

Mowing frequency: **0.05**

Grazing pressure: **0.22**

Soil disturbance: **0.11**

Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: [CA \(FAG\) *Carpino-Fagetea sylvaticae*](#),
[CB \(PUB\) *Quercetea pubescentis*](#)

Broad habitat

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

Distribution

Continentality: **6**

Continentality amplitude: **5**