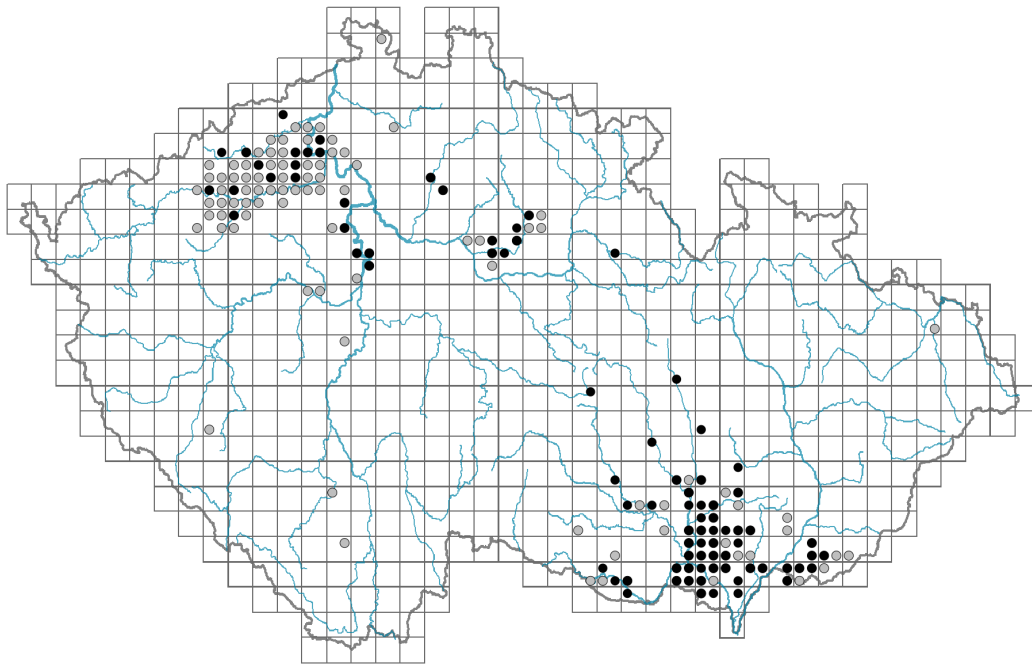


# *Artemisia pontica*

## Distribution



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### Map info

● revised records

○ unrevised records

On the map are not visualized records without the coordinates and records marked as incorrect or doubtful.



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## Habitus and growth type

Height [m]: **0.3-0.6**Growth form: **clonal herb**Life form: **hemicryptophyte**Life strategy: **CS - competitor/stress-tolerator**

## Leaf

Leaf presence and metamorphosis: **leaves present, not modified**Leaf arrangement (phyllotaxis): **alternate**Leaf shape: **simple - pinnately divided**Stipules: **absent**Petiole: **mainly present**Leaf life span: **summer green**Leaf anatomy: **scleromorphic, mesomorphic**

## Flower

Flowering period [month]: **July-October**Flower colour: **green-white**Flower symmetry: **actinomorphic**Perianth type: **calyx absent, corolla present**Perianth fusion: **fused**

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Shape of the sympetalous corolla or syntepalous perianth: **tubular**

Inflorescence type: **panicula ex anthodiis composita**

Dicliny: **gynomonoecious**

Generative reproduction type: **facultative allogamy**

Pollination syndrome: **wind-pollination**

### Fruit, seed and dispersal

Fruit type: **dry fruit - achene/cypsela/samara**

Fruit colour: **brown**

Reproduction type: **by seed/spores and vegetatively**

Dispersal unit (diaspore): **fruit, infrutescence or its part**

Dispersal strategy: **Allium (mainly autochory)**

Myrmecochory: **probably non-myrmecochorous nv**

### Belowground organs and clonality

Shoot metamorphosis: **rhizome**

Root metamorphosis: **root shoot**

Storage organ: **rhizome**

Type of clonal growth organ: **hypogeogenous rhizome**

Freely dispersible organs of clonal growth: **absent**

Shoot life span (cyclicality): **dicyclic or polycyclic shoots prevailing**

Branching type of stem-derived organs of clonal growth: **sympodial**

Primary root: **absent**

Persistence of the clonal growth organ [year]: **2**

Number of clonal offspring: **1**

Lateral spreading distance by clonal growth [m]: **0.13**

Clonal index: **4**

### Bud bank

Number of buds per shoot at the soil surface (root buds excluded): **5**

Number of buds per shoot at a depth of 0–10 cm (root buds excluded): **15**

Number of buds per shoot at a depth greater than 10 cm (root buds excluded): **0**

Size of the belowground bud bank (root buds excluded): **20**

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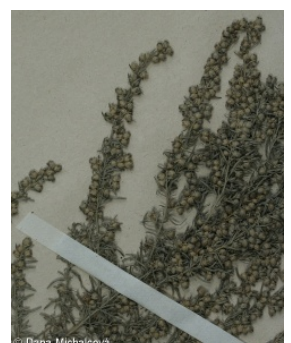
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### Trophic mode

Parasitism and mycoheterotrophy: **autotrophic**

Carnivory: **non-carnivorous**

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



## Karyology

Chromosome number (2n): **18**  
 Ploidy level (x): **2**  
 2C genome size [Mbp]: **4319.55**  
 1Cx monoploid genome size [Mbp]: **2159.78**  
 Genomic GC content: **39 %**

## Taxon origin

Origin in the Czech Republic: **native**

## Ecological indicator values

### Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **9 - full light plant, occurring only in fully irradiated places, not at less than 50% of diffuse radiation incident in an open area**

Temperature indicator value: **7 - heat indicator, occurring in relatively warm lowlands**

Moisture indicator value: **3 - missing on damp soil**

Reaction indicator value: **8 - transition between values 7 and 9, occurring mostly in calcium-rich conditions**

Nutrient indicator value: **4 - transition between values 3 and 5**

Salinity indicator value: **2 - oligohaline, often on soils with very low salt content**

### Indicator values for disturbance

Whole-community disturbance frequency indicator value: **-1.01**

Herb layer disturbance frequency indicator value: **-0.55**

Whole-community disturbance severity indicator value: **0.29**

Herb layer disturbance severity indicator value: **0.3**

Whole-community structure based disturbance indicator value: **0.61**

Herb layer structure-based disturbance indicator value: **0.57**

## Habitat and sociology

### Occurrence in habitats

#### 8 Dry grasslands

8C Narrow-leaved sub-continental steppes: **2 - optimum**

8D Broad-leaved dry grasslands: **2 - optimum**

8F Thermophilous forest fringe vegetation: **1 - rare occurrence**

#### 12 Forests

12H Peri-Alpidic basiphilous thermophilous oak forests: **2 - optimum**

12I Sub-continental thermophilous oak forests: **1 - rare occurrence**

#### 13 Anthropogenic vegetation

13D Perennial thermophilous ruderal vegetation: **2 - optimum**

### Affinity to the forest environment

Affinity to the forest environment in Thermophyticum: **0 - taxon that does not spontaneously occur in Czech forests**

Affinity to the forest environment in Mesophyticum and Oreophyticum: **0 - taxon that**



**does not spontaneously occur in Czech forests**

Diagnostic taxon

Diagnostic taxon of associations: [THD05 \*Stipetum tirsae\*](#)

Ecological specialization indices

Ecological specialization index for all vegetation types: **4.8**Ecological specialization index for non-forest vegetation: **4.9**Ecological specialization index for forest vegetation: **5.2**

Colonization ability

Index of colonization success (ICS): **4**Index of colonization potential (ICP): **8**Optimum successional age [years]: **35****Distribution and frequency**Floristic zone: **southern temperate, submeridional**Floristic region: **Europe, Western Siberia**Continental degree: **8**Distribution range extension along the continentality gradient: **5**Elevational belt in the Czech Republic: **lowlands, colline belt**Occurrence frequency in the basic grid mapping cells and quadrants of the basic grid mapping cells: **86**taxon.data.freq\_in\_quad: **172**

Commonness in vegetation plots from the Czech Republic

Occurrence frequency in vegetation plots: **0.1 %**Occurrence frequency in vegetation plots with a cover above 5%: **39.3 %**Occurrence frequency in vegetation plots with a cover above 25%: **14.3 %**Occurrence frequency in vegetation plots with a cover above 50%: **3.6 %**Mean percentage cover in vegetation plots: **10.8 %**Maximum percentage cover in vegetation plots: **63 %**

Number of habitats with taxon occurrence in the Czech Republic

Number of narrow habitats in which the taxon occurs: **6**Number of narrow habitats in which the taxon has its optimum: **4**Number of broad habitats in which the taxon occurs: **3**Number of broad habitats in which the taxon has its optimum: **3****Threats and protection**Red List 2017 (national categories): **C3 - vulnerable taxon**Red List 2017 (IUCN categories): **NT - near threatened**Legal protection: **not protected by law**