Appendix II. Mean cover percent values and frequency classes of species recorded in 40 vegetational relevés (10 m x 10 m), 20 in mown and 20 in abandoned meadows. Nomenclature follows Conti et al. (2005).

	Mown me	Mown meadows		Abandoned meadows		
Species	Mean cover (%)	Freq. class	Mean cover (%)	Freq. class		
Achillea millefolium L.	0.18	II	0.08	I		
Acinos alpinus (L.) Moench subsp. alpinus	0.05	Ι	-	-		
Agrostis capillaris L.	6.65	v	21.50	v		
Ajuga reptans L.	0.05	I	0.29	ш		
Alchemilla glaucescens Wallr.	0.11	II	1.83	V		
Allium vineale L.	0.07	Ι	-	-		
Anemone ranunculoides L.	0.02	Ι	-	-		
Anthoxanthum odoratum L. subsp. odoratum	2.73	v	1.21	IV		
Anthyllis vulneraria L. subsp. weldeniana (Rchb.) Cullen	0.09	Ι	-	-		
Arabis hirsuta (L.) Scop.	0.55	IV	0.04	Ι		
Armeria canescens (Host) Ebel	0.23	III	0.33	IV		
Asperula cynanchica L.	0.34	IV	0.13	I		
Asperula purpurea (L.) Ehrend. subsp. purpurea	0.23	II	-	-		
Avenula praetutiana (Parl. ex Arcang.) Pignatti	1.64	IV V	0.04	I		
Bellardiochloa variegata (Lam.) Kerguelen Bellis perennis L.	0.32 0.07	v I	0.13 0.04	I I		
Biscutella laevigata L. subsp. laevigata	0.07	I	-	-		
Botrychium lunaria (L.) Sw.	0.02	I	0.08	Ι		
Brachypodium genuense (DC.) Roem. et Schult.	28.75	v	88.75	v		
Brachypodium rupestre (Host) Roem. et Schult.	0.07	I	0.04	I		
Briza media L.	1.08	Ш	0.42	III		
Bromus erectus Huds. subsp. erectus	27.50	v	12.85	v		
Bunium bulbocastanum L.	0.05	Ι	-	-		
Campanula glomerata L.	1.05	v	2.58	V		
Campanula micrantha Bertol.	1.13	v	8.00	v		
Carex caryophyllea Latourr.	0.50	III	0.04	Ι		
Carex macrolepis DC.	2.09	III	4.71	V		
Carlina acaulis L. subsp. caulescens (Lam.) Schubl. et G. Martens	-	-	0.17	П		
Cerastium arvense L. subsp. suffruticosum (L.) Ces.	5.02	V	0.88	V		
Crocus vernus (L.) Hill subsp. vernus	0.77	III	0.54	III		
Cruciata glabra (L.) Ehrend. subsp. glabra	0.02	I -	1.25 0.04	IV I		
Cruciata laevipes Opiz Cyanus triumfetti (All.) Dostál ex Á. et D. Löve	1.34	v	0.46	II		
Cynosurus cristatus L.	1.34	IV IV	0.40	Ш		
Cytisus hirsutus L. subsp. polytrichus (M. Bieb.) Hayek	0.09	I	0.08	I		
Dactylis glomerata L. subsp. glomerata	-	-	0.46	ш		
Dactylorhiza sambucina (L.) Soó	1.08	v	0.67	V		
Danthonia alpina Vest	0.09	Í	-	-		
Danthonia decumbens (L.) DC. subsp. decumbens	0.05	Ι	-	-		
Deschampsia flexuosa (L.) Trin. subsp. flexuosa	0.05	Ι	0.38	П		
Dianthus carthusianorum L. subsp. tenorei (Lacaita) Pignatti	0.07	Ι	0.08	Ι		
Dianthus monspessulanus L.	1.18	v	1.54	v		
Festuca circummediterranea Patzke	2.55	v	3.88	v		
Festuca rubra L. subsp. commutata (Gaudin) MarkgrDann.	3.23	II	18.75	V		
Filipendula vulgaris Moench	3.05	V	7.50	V		
Galium anisophyllon Vill.	0.60	II	0.88	V		
Galium corrudifolium Vill.	0.32	IV	0.17	П		
Galium verum L. subsp. verum	2.45	IV	5.58	IV		
Gentiana lutea L. subsp. lutea	1.08	III II	0.29	III I		
Gentiana verna L. subsp. verna	0.16 0.14	II	0.04 0.38	IV		
Gymnadenia conopsea (L.) R. Br. Helleborus bocconei Ten. subsp. bocconei	0.14	Ш	0.04	I		
Helianthemum nummularium (L.) Mill. subsp. obscurum (Celak.) Holub	0.23	I	0.04	III		
Hieracium cymosum L.	0.32	I	0.67	V		
Hieracium pilosella L.	0.50	Ш	-	-		
Hypericum perforatum L. s.l.	0.45	П	1.88	III		
Knautia purpurea (Vill.) Borbás	2.07	v	2.08	v		
Koeleria lobata (M. Bieb.) Roem. et Schult.	0.88	Ι	0.08	Ι		
Lathyrus pratensis L.	-	-	0.17	II		
Leontodon cichoraceus (Ten.) Sanguin.	0.05	Ι	0.33	IV		
Leontodon hispidus L.	0.27	I	0.67	III		
Leucanthemum adustum (W.D.J. Koch) Gremli	0.18	II	0.54	IV		
Lilium bulbiferum L. subsp. croceum (Chaix) Jan	0.07	Ι	0.08	Ι		
Linum alpinum Jacq.	0.36	П	-	-		
Linum catharticum L. subsp. catharticum	0.02	I	-	-		
Lotus corniculatus L. subsp. corniculatus	1.52	V	10.00	V		
Luzula campestris (L.) DC.	1.32	V	-	- I		
Luzula multiflora (Ehrh.) Lej. Luzula sylvatica (Huds.) Gaudin subsp. sieberi (Tausch) K. Richt	1.45	I II	0.04	II		
	1.00		0.50			
Minuartia verna (L.) Hiern subsp. collina (Neilr.) Domin Myosotis alpestris F. W. Schmidt	0.09 0.14	I II	- 0.04	- I		
Myosotis arvensis (L.) Hill subsp. arvensis	0.14	-	0.04	I		
Nyosons arvensis (L.) Hin subsp. arvensis Narcissus poëticus L.	0.27	ш	1.67	V		
Nardus stricta L.	1.37	V	1.29	V I		
Orchis mascula (L.) L. subsp. mascula	0.14	и	0.08	I		
Paeonia officinalis L. subsp. italica N.G. Passal. et Bernardo	1.43	II	0.04	Î		
Pedicularis tuberosa L.	0.09	I	0.29	ш		
Phyteuma orbiculare L.	-	-	0.17	П		
Plantago argentea Chaix	0.77	IV	0.58	IV		

Plantago atrata Hoppe subsp. atrata	0.14	II	0.18	п
Plantago lanceolata L.	0.78	IV	0.25	III
Plantago media L. subsp. media	0.14	II	-	-
Poa alpina L. subsp. alpina	0.09	Ι	0.17	II
Poa bulbosa L.	0.05	Ι	-	-
Poa molinerii Balb.	-	-	0.04	Ι
Poa trivialis L.	-	-	0.04	Ι
Polygala alpestris Rchb.	0.18	Π	0.17	Π
Potentilla rigoana Th. Wolf	1.27	IV	0.29	III
Primula veris L. subsp. suaveolens (Bertol.) Gutermann et Ehrend.	0.11	II	0.13	Ι
Ranunculus apenninus (Chiov.) Pignatti	0.09	Ι	0.09	Ι
Ranunculus breyninus Crantz	0.11	Π	0.50	III
Ranunculus ficaria L. subsp. ficaria	-	-	0.02	Ι
Ranunculus pollinensis (N. Terracc.) Chiov.	1.12	IV	1.67	v
Rhinanthus minor L.	0.85	Ш	-	-
Rhinanthus wettsteini (Sterneck) Soó	0.18	П	-	-
Rumex acetosa L. subsp. acetosa	0.16	П	0.92	v
Rumex nebroides Campd.	0.11	П	0.46	ш
Sanguisorba minor Scop. subsp. balearica (Bourg. ex Nyman) Muñoz Garm. et C. Navarro	1.41	I	-	-
Saxifraga bulbifera L.	0.11	п	0.17	П
Scilla bifolia L.	0.01	I	0.01	Ī
Sedum sexangulare L.	0.20	ш	-	-
Sedum rupestre L. subsp. rupestre	0.32	IV	0.13	П
Senecio doronicum (L.) L.	0.11	П	-	-
Senecio provincialis (L.) Druce	0.05	Ĩ	_	-
Senecio scopolii Hoppe et Hornsch. ex Bluff et Fingerh.	1.12	IV	9.45	v
Silene ciliata Pourr. subsp. graefferi (Guss.) Nyman	0.09	Ĩ	0.08	Ĭ
Stachys officinalis (L.) Trevis.	1.05	IV	0.21	ш
Thesium linophyllon L.	0.41	I	0.42	Ш
Thymus longicaulis C. Presl subsp. longicaulis	2.33	IV	0.29	ш
Tragopogon pratensis L. subsp. pratensis	0.18	П	0.27	V
Trifolium alpestre L.	1.10	v	1.63	iv
Trifolium montanum L. subsp. rupestre (Ten.) Pignatti	3.95	v	3.08	V
Trifolium ochroleucum Huds.	0.27	и́	0.08	Ĭ
Trifolium pratense L. subsp. pratense	0.14	П	0.29	m
Valeriana tuberosa L.	0.05	I	-	
Veronica officinalis L.	-	-	0.25	m
Veronica orsiniana Ten. subsp. orsiniana	0.11	П	0.04	I
Vicia cracca L.	-	-	0.13	П
Vicia cracca E. Viola eugeniae Parl. subsp. eugeniae	0.23	л. Ш	0.13	ш
viola cageniae i an subsp. cageniae	0.25	111	0.42	

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