

Alchemilla acutiloba Opiz.

Lady's Mantle

Key:

Dots refer to the native sites of the species

Numbers refer to the nearby Botanical Collections

Starting references

Family

Rosaceae

IUCN category (2001)

Vulnerable

Habit

Perennial herb (apomict).

Habitat

Neutral grassland in unimproved, species-rich hay meadows, or on the margins of meadows which have been re-seeded or are more intensively managed. Also on herb-rich road verges, and occasional on railway banks. From 140 m (Wolsingham) to 450 m (Lanehead).

Reasons for decline

Agricultural intensification

Distribution in wild

Country	Locality & Vice County	Sites (10km ² occurrences)	Population (plants)
England	Wolsingham, Lanehead, Co Durham	9	

Note: *Alchemilla* were better recorded in 1930-69 (Cheffings & Farrell, 2005).



Ex situ Collections

Gardens close to the region of distribution of the species

- 1 University of Durham Botanic Garden
- 2 Moor Bank Garden

Gardens with specialisation on genus *Alchemilla*

Cambridge University Botanic Garden

Potential to grow the species in *ex situ* Collections

Conservation information

Linkages to BAPs

Cumbria BAP

Habitat Management

Protected sites with records for *Alchemilla cotula* are listed on <http://www.searchnbn.net>

Conservation programmes

Unknown

Web References

- NBN Gateway database: <http://www.searchnbn.net>
- Images: http://www.ukwildflowers.com/Web_pages/alchemilla_acutiloba_ladys_mantle.htm