

# *Carex microglochin* Wahlenb.

Bristle Sedge

Key:

**Dots** refer to the native sites of the species

**Numbers** refer to the nearby Botanical Collections



## *Starting references*

### **Family**

Cyperaceae

### **IUCN category (2001)**

Vulnerable

### **Habit**

Shortly-rhizomatous herb (perennial).

### **Habitat**

High-level base-enriched flushes.

### **Reasons for decline**

Small, isolated population.

### **Distribution in wild**

Country	Locality & Vice County	Sites (10km <sup>2</sup> occurrences)	Population (plants)
Scotland	Ben Lawers Mid-Perth	1	

## *Ex situ Collections*

### **Gardens close to the region of distribution of the species**

- 1 University of Dundee Botanic Garden
- 2 St Andrews Botanic Garden
- 3 Branklyn Garden (NTS)
- 4 RBG Edinburgh
- 5 Younger Botanic Garden, Benmore
- 6 Glasgow Botanic Gardens

### **Botanical Collections with specialisation on genus *Carex***

Cambridge University Botanic Garden

### **Potential to grow the species in *ex situ* Collections**

## *Conservation information*

### **Linkages to BAPs**

Tayside BAP.

### **Habitat Management**

Despite the whole population lying within an NNR, the species is threatened by sheep-grazing, walkers, all-terrain vehicles and mountain bikes.

### **Conservation programmes**

Unknown

## **Web References**

- NBN Gateway database: <http://www.searchnbn.net>