

Table 3. E, Shortened constancy table of the dwarf cornel birch forest (Corno-Betuletum)

	Corno-Betuletum		total/ mean
	subass. of Pleurozium schreberi	subass. of Gymnomitr. corallioides	
no. of relevés	13	7	20
no. of species (total)	29.4	19.6	24.5
height of birch (m)	7.4	7.1	7.3
height of <i>Melanelia olivacea</i> (m)	0.9	1.0	0.9
coverage total (%)	94.7	97.9	96.3
tree layer (%)	52.3	58.6	55.4
shrub layer (%)	4.7	6.1	5.4
herb layer (%)	76.2	86.4	81.3
moss layer (%)	48.8	51.4	50.1
lichen layer (%)	2.9	1.6	2.2
tree layer			
<i>Betula pubescens</i> ssp. <i>czerepanovii</i>	V	V	V
shrub layer			
<i>Juniperus communis</i>	V	V	V
<i>Betula pubescens</i> ssp. <i>czerepanovii</i>	II	III	II
<i>Betula nana</i>	II	III	II
field layer			
<i>Cornus suecica</i>	V	V	V
<i>Vaccinium myrtillus</i>	V	V	V
<i>Linnaea borealis</i>	V	V	V
<i>Deschampsia flexuosa</i>	V	V	V
<i>Empetrum nigrum</i> ssp. <i>hermaphroditum</i>	V	IV	V
<i>Pleurozium schreberi</i>	V		IV
<i>Vaccinium vitis-idaea</i>	V	II	IV
<i>Solidago virgaurea</i>	IV	IV	IV
<i>Barbilophozia lycopodioides</i>	V		IV
<i>Vaccinium uliginosum</i>	III	V	IV
<i>Hylocomium splendens</i>	V		IV
<i>Lycopodium annotium</i>	IV	III	III
<i>Nephroma arcticum</i>	IV		III
<i>Gymnomitrium corallioides</i>		V	II
<i>Pedicularis lapponica</i>	III	I	II
<i>Cladonia rangiferina</i>	III	I	II
<i>Barbilophozia hatcheri</i>	III	II	II
<i>Festuca ovina</i>	III	I	II
<i>Equisetum pratense</i>	IV		II
<i>Trientalis europaea</i>	III		II
<i>Melampyrum pratense</i>	II	III	II
<i>Dicranum scoparium</i>	III		II
<i>Polytrichum commune</i>	III		II
<i>Cladonia mitis</i>	III	I	II
<i>Cladonia cornuta</i>	II	III	II
<i>Bryum spec.</i>	III		II
<i>Dicranum polysetum</i>	II	III	II
<i>Plagiothecium spec.</i>		V	II
<i>Cladonia gracilis</i>	III		II
<i>Peltigera aptosa</i>	II	I	II
<i>Hieracium spec.</i>	II	II	II
<i>Barbilophozia spec.</i>		V	II
<i>Pohlia spec.</i>		V	II
<i>Geranium sylvaticum</i>	II	I	II
<i>Cladonia deformis</i>	II	I	II
degree of presence: + = 1-10%, I = 11-20%, II = 21-40%, III = 41-60%, IV = 61-80%, V = 81-100%			