

Taxonomic revision of the genus *Chamaecytisus*(Leguminosae) (Dániel Pifkó, Zoltán Barina, MyroslavShevera)

The genus *Chamaecytisus* is significant in the legume family regarding their species richness, variety of forms and number of transient forms. Nearly 300 different species, subspecies and forms have been described and classified from 28 to 35 species, according to the most recent studies.

Our research team started the revision of the genus *Chamaecytisus* in 2004, which includes the re-examinations of the largest Hungarian and European herbaria (about 30 collections), their typification, nomenclature and floristical data, as well as a phytogeographical assessment. We endeavoured to revise the entire accessible material; therefore, in addition to the Carpathian Basin, our team collected specimens from the Ukraine, Russia, Slovenia and the whole Balkan area. We have also reviewed the herbaria, that are significant in terms of the genus and discovered new species in Albania, Hungary and Macedonia.