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*Minuartia recurva*

[Synonyms : *Alsine recurva*]

**RECURVED SANDWORT** is a mat-forming perennial. Native to central and southern Europe it has small white flowers.

It is also known as Curved sandwort, *Kuřička zakřivená* (Czech), and Sickle-leaved sandwort.

It is a protected plant in the Irish Republic under the Flora Protection Order 1987.

*Recurva* is derived from Latin *recurvo* (to bend backwards, curve backwards).