

# *Launaea*

## Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.27**

Life span: **Biennial or short-lived, Perennial**

Life form: **Phanerophyte, Chamaephyte, Hemicryptophyte, Shrub**

Spinescence: **spinescent**

## Leaf

Specific leaf area [mm<sup>2</sup>/mg]: **13.06**

## Flower

Flowering period: **March-July**

## Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **1.76**

## Trophic mode

Carnivory: **non-carnivorous**

## Taxon origin

Origin in Europe: **Native**

## Ecology

Environmental relationships

Substrate humidity relationship: **Dry**

Substrate reaction relationship: **Alkaline**

Nutrient relationship: **Dystrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline, Slightly saline or brackish**

## Habitat and sociology

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Coastal beach, dune or shingle, Coastal cliff, Scrub, Forest, Sparsely vegetated (incl. rock and scree), Synanthropic**