

# *Genista canariensis*

## Habitus and growth type

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Phanerophyte, Shrub**

## Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **5.3**

Dispersal mode: **Local non-specific dispersal**

## Trophic mode

Parasitism and mycoheterotrophy: **autotroph**

Carnivory: **non-carnivorous**

Symbiotic nitrogen fixation: **symbiosis with rhizobia**

## Habitat and sociology

### Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: [GB \(OLE\) \*Oleo cerasiformis-Rhamnetea crenulatae\*](#), [GC \(LAU\) \*Pruno lusitanicae-Lauretea azoricae\*](#)

### EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: [T28 Macaronesian heathy forest](#), [U3C Macaronesian inland cliff](#)

Constant species of EUNIS habitats: [T28 Macaronesian heathy forest](#)

### Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Scrub, Forest, Sparsely vegetated (incl. rock and scree)**