

Inula ensifolia

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.28**

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

Flower

Flowering period: **June-August**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **0.52**

Dispersal mode: **Anemochory**

Dispersal distance class: **5**

Trophic mode

Parasitism and mycoheterotrophy: **autotroph**

Carnivory: **non-carnivorous**

Symbiotic nitrogen fixation: **no nitrogen-fixing symbionts**

Taxon origin

Origin in Europe: **native**

Ecology

Environmental relationships

Substrate humidity relationship: **Dry**

Substrate reaction relationship: **Alkaline**

Nutrient relationship: **Oligotrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **8.1**

Temperature indicator value: **6.7**

Moisture indicator value: **3.3**

Reaction indicator value: **8**

Nutrient indicator value: **2.3**

Salinity indicator value: **0**

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **0.77**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.67**

Disturbance severity: **0.47**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.37**

Mowing frequency: **0.3**

Grazing pressure: **0.3**

Soil disturbance: **0.14**

Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: [CL \(GER\) *Trifolio-Geranietea sanguinei*](#), [DA \(FES\) *Festuco-Brometea*](#)

EUNIS habitat

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Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Grassland (non-alpine, non-saline), Forest, Sparsely vegetated (incl. rock and scree)**