# *Melampyrum saxosum*

## Habitus and growth type

Life span: **Annual**
Life form: **Therophyte**

## Fruit, seed and dispersal

Dispersal mode: **Myrmecochory**
Dispersal distance class: **3**

## Trophic mode

Parasitism and mycoheterotrophy: **euphytoid hemiparasite**
Carnivory: **non-carnivorous**
Symbiotic nitrogen fixation: **no nitrogen-fixing symbionts**

## Taxon origin

Origin in Europe: **native**

## Ecology

### Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **0.22**
Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.34**
Disturbance severity: **0.55**
Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.2**
Mowing frequency: **0.03**
Grazing pressure: **0.2**
Soil disturbance: **0.09**

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