

# *Noccaea brachypetala*

## Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.22**

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

## Flower

Flowering period: **April-June**

## Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **0.23**

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

Dispersal distance class: **1**

## 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: **Slightly acidic to near-neutral**

Nutrient relationship: **Oligotrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

### Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **8**

Temperature indicator value: **3.6**

Moisture indicator value: **3.8**

Reaction indicator value: **4.5**

Nutrient indicator value: **2.5**

Salinity indicator value: **0**

### Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **0.83**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.14**

Disturbance severity: **0.38**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.32**

Mowing frequency: **0.12**

Grazing pressure: **0.22**

Soil disturbance: **0.16**

## Habitat and sociology

### Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: [CM \(MOL\) \*Molinio-Arrhenatheretea\*](#),  
[KE \(THL\) \*Thlaspietea rotundifolii\*](#)

### Broad habitat

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