

Scabiosa taygetea

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.3**

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

Flower

Flowering period: **April-May**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

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

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Temperature indicator value: **8**

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **0.89**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.89**

Disturbance severity: **0.39**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.29**

Mowing frequency: **0.09**

Grazing pressure: **0.32**

Soil disturbance: **0.13**

Habitat and sociology

EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: [R17 Heavy-metal dry grassland of the Balkans](#)

Broad habitat

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