Tetraena alba

Habitus and growth type

Life span: **Perennial**
Life form: **Phanerophyte, Shrub**

Trophic mode

Parasitism and mycoheterotrophy: **autotroph**
Carnivory: **non-carnivorous**
Symbiotic nitrogen fixation: **likely symbiosis with rhizobia**

Taxon origin

Origin in Europe: **Native**

Ecology

Environmental relationships

Salinity relationship: **Saline**

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **9**
Temperature indicator value: **12**
Reaction indicator value: **9**
Nutrient indicator value: **7**
Salinity indicator value: **6**

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **1.73**
Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.73**
Disturbance severity: **0.55**
Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.55**
Mowing frequency: **0**
Grazing pressure: **0.11**
Soil disturbance: **0.76**

Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: **GG (MOQ) *Polycarpaeo niveae-Traganetea moquini*, JB (CRI) *Crithmo-Staticetea*, MG (SAL) *Salicornietea fruticosae***

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Coastal beach, dune or shingle, Coastal cliff, Saline vegetation**

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