Thymus longicaulis

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.05**
Life span: **Perennial**
Life form: **Chamaephyte**

Flower

Flowering period: **March-August**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **0.13**
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: **Alkaline**
Nutrient relationship: **Oligotrophic**
Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **7**
Temperature indicator value: **7.5**
Moisture indicator value: **4**
Reaction indicator value: **7**
Nutrient indicator value: **3**
Salinity indicator value: **0**

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **0.96**
Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.73**
Disturbance severity: **0.48**
Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.41**

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Mowing frequency: **0.31**
Grazing pressure: **0.31**
Soil disturbance: **0.14**

Habitat and sociology

EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: **R14 Perennial rocky grassland of the Italian Peninsula**, **R17 Heavy-metal dry grassland of the Balkans**, **R19 Dry steppic submediterranean pasture of the Amphi-Adriatic region**, **S34 Balkan-Anatolian submontane genistoid scrub**

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Broad habitat

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

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