

# **Rubiaceae**

## **Habitus and growth type**

Plant height [m]: **0.36**

Life span: **Annual, Perennial**

Life form: **Phanerophyte, Chamaephyte, Hemicryptophyte, Therophyte, Woody liana**

Spinescence: **spinescent**

## **Leaf**

Specific leaf area [mm<sup>2</sup>/mg]: **25.56**

## **Fruit, seed and dispersal**

Seed mass [mg]: **5.57**

## **Trophic mode**

Carnivory: **non-carnivorous**

## **Taxon origin**

Origin in Europe: **Native**

## **Ecology**

Environmental relationships

Substrate humidity relationship: **Dry, Mesic, Wet**

Substrate reaction relationship: **Acidic, Slightly acidic to near-neutral, Alkaline**

Nutrient relationship: **Dystrophic, Oligotrophic, Mesotrophic, Eutrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline, Slightly saline or brackish**

## **Habitat and sociology**

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Coastal saltmarsh, Coastal beach, dune or shingle, Coastal cliff, Aquatic, Spring, Wetland, Mire, Grassland (non-alpine, non-saline), Alpine-subalpine and arctic grassland, Saline vegetation, Semi-desert, Heathland, Oromediterranean scrub, Scrub, Forest, Sparsely vegetated (incl. rock and scree), Synanthropic**