

# *Cuscuta*

## Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.49**

Life span: **Annual**

Life form: **Therophyte, Herbaceous liana**

Spinescence: **not spinescent**

## Flower

Flowering period: **April-September**

## Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **1.86**

## Trophic mode

Carnivory: **non-carnivorous**

## Taxon origin

Origin in Europe: **native, neophyte**

## Ecology

### Environmental relationships

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

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

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

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

## Habitat and sociology

### Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Coastal beach, dune or shingle, Aquatic, Wetland, Grassland (non-alpine, non-saline), Oromediterranean scrub, Scrub, Forest, Sparsely vegetated (incl. rock and scree), Synanthropic**