

Heliotropium

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.25**

Life span: **Annual, Perennial**

Life form: **Phanerophyte, Chamaephyte, Therophyte, Shrub**

Flower

Flowering period: **May-November**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **1.87**

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, Wetland, Grassland (non-alpine, non-saline), Scrub, Synanthropic**