

# *Carlina lanata*

## Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.29**

Life span: **Annual**

Life form: **Therophyte**

## Flower

Flowering period: **May-August**

## Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **1.38**

Dispersal mode: **Anemochory**

Dispersal distance class: **5**

## 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: **Slightly acidic to near-neutral**

Nutrient relationship: **Mesotrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Slightly saline or brackish**

### Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **7.5**

Temperature indicator value: **8.7**

Moisture indicator value: **2.5**

Reaction indicator value: **7**

Nutrient indicator value: **5.5**

Salinity indicator value: **1**

### Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **0.87**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.75**

Disturbance severity: **0.74**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.47**

Mowing frequency: **0.19**

Grazing pressure: **0.38**

Soil disturbance: **0.27**

## **Habitat and sociology**

### Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: [QC \(CHE\) Chenopodietea](#)

### EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: [S72 Eastern Mediterranean spiny heath \(phrygana\)](#)

### Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Grassland (non-alpine, non-saline), Scrub,**

**Synanthropic**