

Centaurea macroacantha

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.57**

Life span: **Biennial or short-lived**

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

Flower

Flowering period: **March-June**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

Dispersal mode: **Myrmecochory**

Dispersal distance class: **3**

Trophic mode

Parasitism and mycoheterotrophy: **autotroph**

Carnivory: **non-carnivorous**

Symbiotic nitrogen fixation: **no nitrogen-fixing symbionts**

Taxon origin

Origin in Europe: **native**

Habitat and sociology

Broad habitat

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