# *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)**

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