

Centaurea rutifolia

Habitus and growth type

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **1.89**

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**

Ecology

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **1.89**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.89**

Disturbance severity: **0.43**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.43**

Mowing frequency: **0.35**

Grazing pressure: **0.34**

Soil disturbance: **0.19**

Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: [**DA \(FES\) Festuco-Brometea**](#)

Broad habitat

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