

# *Echinops microcephalus*

## Habitus and growth type

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

## Fruit, seed and dispersal

Dispersal mode: **Epizoochory**

Dispersal distance class: **6**

## 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: **1.8**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.8**

Disturbance severity: **0.53**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.5**

Mowing frequency: **0.78**

Grazing pressure: **0.35**

Soil disturbance: **0.21**