

# *Galium sternerii*

## Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.18**

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

## Leaf

Specific leaf area [mm<sup>2</sup>/mg]: **23.67**

## Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **0.46**

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

### Environmental relationships

Substrate humidity relationship: **Dry**

Substrate reaction relationship: **Slightly acidic to near-neutral**

Nutrient relationship: **Dystrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

### Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **9**

Temperature indicator value: **5**

Moisture indicator value: **4**

Reaction indicator value: **6**

Nutrient indicator value: **1**

Salinity indicator value: **0**

### Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **1.85**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.86**

Disturbance severity: **0.47**

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

Mowing frequency: **0.73**

Grazing pressure: **0.31**

Soil disturbance: **0.16**

## **Habitat and sociology**

Syntaxon

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

Broad habitat

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

## **Distribution**

Continentality: **2**

Continentality amplitude: **2**