

Pterocephalus perennis

Habitus and growth type

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Chamaephyte**

Trophic mode

Parasitism and mycoheterotrophy: **autotroph**

Carnivory: **non-carnivorous**

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

Taxon origin

Origin in Europe: **Native**

Ecology

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **8.3**

Temperature indicator value: **7.8**

Moisture indicator value: **3.6**

Reaction indicator value: **7.1**

Nutrient indicator value: **3.4**

Salinity indicator value: **0.1**

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **0.44**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.63**

Disturbance severity: **0.54**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.38**

Mowing frequency: **0.03**

Grazing pressure: **0.32**

Soil disturbance: **0.14**

Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: [FR \(DAP\) *Daphno-Festucetea*](#)

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Oromediterranean scrub**