Colutea

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **2.73**
Life span: **Perennial**
Life form: **Phanerophyte, Shrub**
Spinescence: **spinescent**

Leaf

Leaf type (woody plants only): **Broad deciduous or semi-deciduous**
Leaf phenology (woody plants only): **Winter deciduous**
Specific leaf area [mm^2/mg]: **12.86**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **16.5**

Trophic mode

Carnivory: **non-carnivorous**

Taxon origin

Origin in Europe: **Native**

Ecology

Environmental relationships

Substrate humidity relationship: **Dry, Mesic, Wet**
Substrate reaction relationship: **Alkaline**
Nutrient relationship: **Oligotrophic**
Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

Habitat and sociology

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Grassland (non-alpine, non-saline), Scrub, Forest, Sparsely vegetated (incl. rock and scree)**

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