

# *Calendula suffruticosa*

## Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.3**

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Chamaephyte, Hemicryptophyte**

## Flower

Flowering period: **January-December**

## Fruit, seed and dispersal

Dispersal mode: **Anemochory**

Dispersal distance class: **5**

## 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**

Nutrient relationship: **Dystrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

### Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **9**

Temperature indicator value: **9.5**

Moisture indicator value: **1.5**

Nutrient indicator value: **1**

Salinity indicator value: **0**

### Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **1.37**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **2.02**

Disturbance severity: **0.53**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.46**

Mowing frequency: **0.12**

Grazing pressure: **0.21**

Soil disturbance: **0.53**

## Habitat and sociology

### Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Coastal saltmarsh, Coastal beach, dune or shingle, Coastal cliff, Saline vegetation, Scrub, Sparsely vegetated (incl. rock and scree)**