Calicotome infesta

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **2.25**
Life span: **Perennial**
Life form: **Phanerophyte, Shrub**
Spinescence: **spinescent**

Flower

Flowering period: **March-May**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **6.72**
Dispersal mode: **Local non-specific dispersal**
Dispersal distance class: **2**

Trophic mode

Parasitism and mycoheterotrophy: **autotroph**
Carnivory: **non-carnivorous**
Symbiotic nitrogen fixation: **symbiosis with rhizobia**

Taxon origin

Origin in Europe: **Native**

Ecology

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **7.5**
Temperature indicator value: **8.6**
Moisture indicator value: **3.5**
Reaction indicator value: **5.7**
Nutrient indicator value: **3.8**
Salinity indicator value: **0.1**

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **0.19**
Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.34**
Disturbance severity: **0.69**
Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.22**
Mowing frequency: **0.03**
Grazing pressure: **0.3**
Soil disturbance: **0.12**

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Habitat and sociology

EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: **S54 Thermomediterranean arid scrub**

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Scrub, Forest**

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