

Hippocrepis squamata

Habitus and growth type

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

Trophic mode

Parasitism and mycoheterotrophy: **autotroph**

Carnivory: **non-carnivorous**

Symbiotic nitrogen fixation: **symbiosis with rhizobia**

Taxon origin

Origin in Europe: **native**

Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: [FB \(ROS\) *Ononido-Rosmarinetea*](#)

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Scrub**