

# *Verbascum phoeniceum*

## Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.52**

Life span: **Biennial or short-lived, Perennial**

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

## Flower

Flowering period: **May-July**

## Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **0.11**

Dispersal mode: **Local non-specific dispersal**

Dispersal distance class: **2**

## 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**

Substrate reaction relationship: **Alkaline**

Nutrient relationship: **Oligotrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

### Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **7.6**

Moisture indicator value: **3.1**

Reaction indicator value: **7.3**

Nutrient indicator value: **2.3**

Salinity indicator value: **0**

### Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **0.8**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.75**

Disturbance severity: **0.53**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.44**

Mowing frequency: **0.54**

Grazing pressure: **0.34**

Soil disturbance: **0.18**

## Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: [DA \(FES\) Festuco-Brometea](#)

EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: [R17 Heavy-metal dry grassland of the Balkans](#), [R1B Continental dry grassland \(true steppe\)](#)

Constant species of EUNIS habitats: [R1B Continental dry grassland \(true steppe\)](#)

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Grassland (non-alpine, non-saline)**

## Distribution

Continentality: **8**

Continentality amplitude: **4**