Artemisia herba-alba

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.6**
Life span: **Perennial**
Life form: **Chamaephyte**
Spinescence: **not spinescent**

Leaf

Specific leaf area [mm^2/mg]: **12.8**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **0.23**
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: **Mesotrophic**
Salinity relationship: **Slightly saline or brackish**

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **8.5**
Temperature indicator value: **10**
Moisture indicator value: **2**
Reaction indicator value: **8**
Nutrient indicator value: **6**
Salinity indicator value: **1**

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **1.67**
Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.76**
Disturbance severity: **0.51**

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Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.47**
Mowing frequency: **0.16**
Grazing pressure: **0.33**
Soil disturbance: **0.27**

Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: **FK (PEG) *Pegano harmalae-Salsoletea vermiculatae***

EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: **S65 Mediterranean gypsum scrub**, **S66 Mediterranean halo-nitrophilous scrub**
Constant species of EUNIS habitats: **S65 Mediterranean gypsum scrub**, **S66 Mediterranean halo-nitrophilous scrub**
Dominant species of EUNIS habitats: **S66 Mediterranean halo-nitrophilous scrub**

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Scrub**

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