Launaea nudicaulis

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.35**
Life span: **Biennial or short-lived, Perennial**
Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

Leaf

Specific leaf area [mm^2/mg]: **9.27**

Flower

Flowering period: **March-June**

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**
Substrate reaction relationship: **Alkaline**
Nutrient relationship: **Dystrophic**
Salinity relationship: **Slightly saline or brackish**

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **9**
Temperature indicator value: **12**
Moisture indicator value: **1**
Reaction indicator value: **9**
Nutrient indicator value: **1**
Salinity indicator value: **3**

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Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: **QC (CHE) *Chenopodietea***

EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: **N1C Macaronesian coastal dune scrub**

Broad habitat

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

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