Pilosella sphaerocephala

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.18**
Life span: **Perennial**
Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

Flower

Flowering period: **May-July**

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: **Mesic**
Substrate reaction relationship: **Acidic**
Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **8**
Temperature indicator value: **2**
Moisture indicator value: **5**
Reaction indicator value: **4**
Salinity indicator value: **0**

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **1.69**
Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.69**
Disturbance severity: **0.33**
Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.33**
Mowing frequency: **0.07**
Grazing pressure: **0.28**
Soil disturbance: **0.1**

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Habitat and sociology

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Grassland (non-alpine, non-saline), Sparsely vegetated (incl. rock and scree)**

Distribution

Continentality: **5**
Continentality amplitude: **1**

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