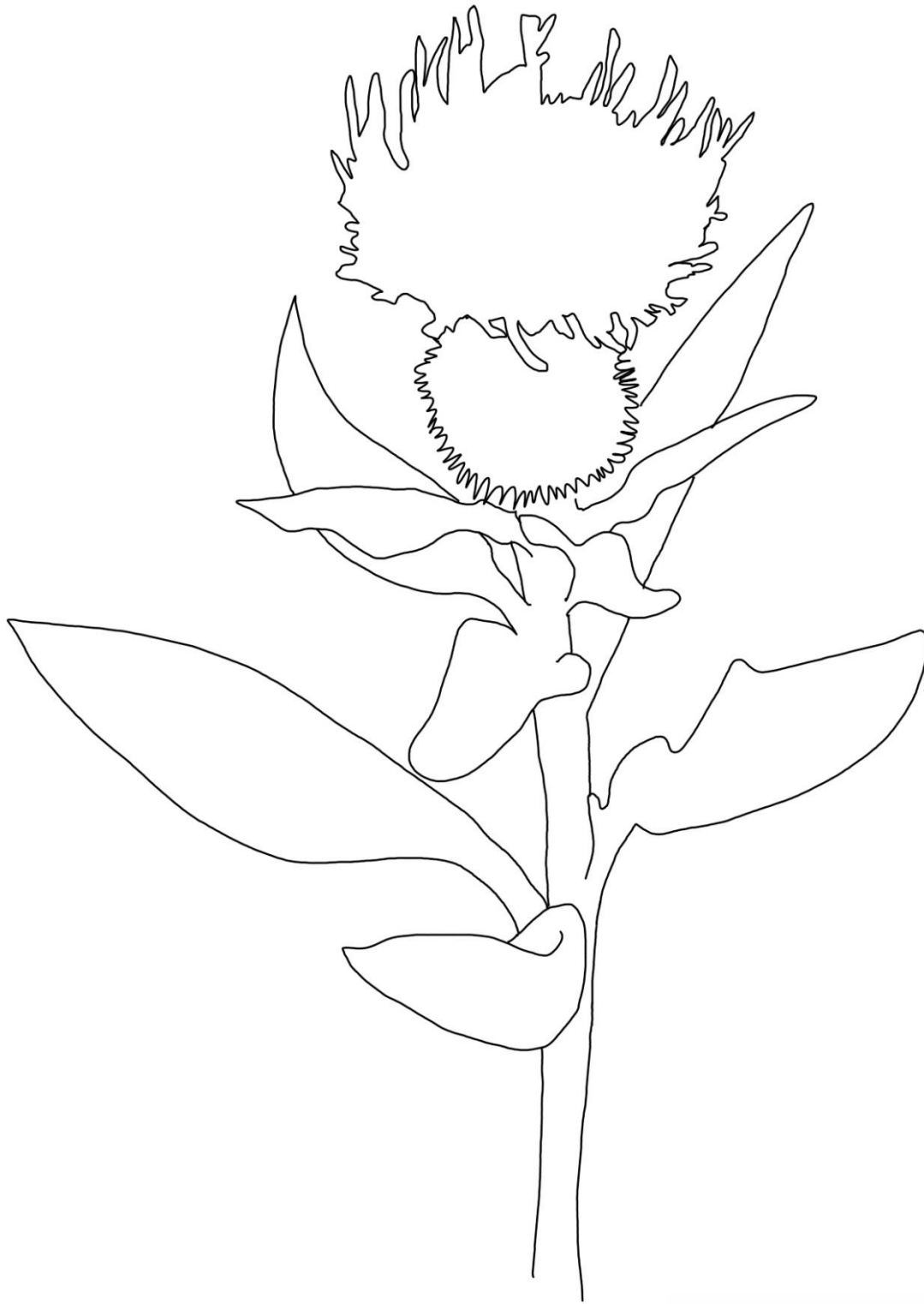


Common Knapweed

Centaurea nigra

Also known as 'Black Knapweed', common knapweed looks a bit like a thistle. It's a food plant for lots of butterflies, including common blue butterflies, marbled white butterflies and meadow brown butterflies.

Common knapweed has pinky-purple flowers.



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