

# ***Potamogeton polygonifolius***

## **Habitus and growth type**

Plant height [m]: **0.28**

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Hydrophyte**

## **Leaf**

Specific leaf area [mm<sup>2</sup>/mg]: **43.54**

## **Flower**

Flowering period: **March-June**

## **Fruit, seed and dispersal**

Seed mass [mg]: **1.72**

Dispersal mode: **Hydrochory**

## **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: **Water**

Substrate reaction relationship: **Acidic**

Nutrient relationship: **Oligotrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **7.7**

Temperature indicator value: **5.8**

Moisture indicator value: **10.9**

Reaction indicator value: **3.2**

Nutrient indicator value: **2.5**

Salinity indicator value: **0**

Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **1.4**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.44**

Disturbance severity: **0.18**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.17**

Mowing frequency: **0.06**

Grazing pressure: **0.08**

Soil disturbance: **0.16**

## Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: [\*\*NB \(POT\) Potamogetonetea, OB \(LIT\)\*\*](#)

[\*\*Littorelletea uniflorae\*\*](#)

EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: [\*\*P3f Oligotrophic-water vegetation, Q24\*\*](#)

[\*\*Intermediate fen and soft-water spring mire\*\*](#)

Constant species of EUNIS habitats: [\*\*P3f Oligotrophic-water vegetation\*\*](#)

Dominant species of EUNIS habitats: [\*\*P3f Oligotrophic-water vegetation\*\*](#)

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: [\*\*Aquatic, Mire\*\*](#)

## Distribution

Continentality: **4**

Continentality amplitude: **4**