

# ***Pteridium***

## **Habitus and growth type**

Plant height [m]: **1.41**

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte, Geophyte**

## **Leaf**

Specific leaf area [mm<sup>2</sup>/mg]: **18.45**

## **Flower**

Flowering period: **April-September**

## **Fruit, seed and dispersal**

Seed mass [mg]: **0**

## **Trophic mode**

Carnivory: **non-carnivorous**

## **Taxon origin**

Origin in Europe: **Native, Neophyte**

## **Ecology**

Environmental relationships

Substrate humidity relationship: **Mesic**

Substrate reaction relationship: **Acidic**

Nutrient relationship: **Oligotrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

## **Habitat and sociology**

Broad habitat

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