

# *Butomus umbellatus*

## Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.9**

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Geophyte, Hydrophyte**

## Leaf

Specific leaf area [mm<sup>2</sup>/mg]: **10.16**

## Flower

Flowering period: **March-July**

## Fruit, seed and dispersal

Seed mass [mg]: **0.18**

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: **Alkaline**

Nutrient relationship: **Eutrophic**

Salinity relationship: **Non-saline**

### Ellenberg-type indicator values

Light indicator value: **6.6**

Temperature indicator value: **6**

Moisture indicator value: **10.1**

Reaction indicator value: **6.8**

Nutrient indicator value: **7**

Salinity indicator value: **0.2**

### Disturbance indicator values

Disturbance frequency: **1.71**

Disturbance frequency (herb layer): **1.74**

Disturbance severity: **0.27**

Disturbance severity (herb layer): **0.27**

Mowing frequency: **0.17**

Grazing pressure: **0.08**

Soil disturbance: **0.07**

## **Habitat and sociology**

### Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: **[OD \(PHR\) Phragmito-Magnocaricetea](#)**

### EUNIS habitat

Diagnostic species of EUNIS habitats: **[V14 Inundated or inundatable cropland, including rice fields](#)**

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### Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Aquatic, Wetland, Synanthropic**

## **Distribution**

Continentality amplitude: **8**