

# *Dryopteris expansa*

## Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.58**

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Hemicryptophyte**

## Leaf

Specific leaf area [mm<sup>2</sup>/mg]: **20.77**

## Flower

Flowering period: **May-October**

## Fruit, seed and dispersal

Dispersal mode: **Anemochory**

Dispersal distance class: **3**

## Trophic mode

Parasitism and mycoheterotrophy: **autotroph**

Carnivory: **non-carnivorous**

Symbiotic nitrogen fixation: **no nitrogen-fixing symbionts**

## Habitat and sociology

### Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: [BB \(ASA\) Asaro europaei-Abietetea sibiricae](#), [KE \(THL\) Thlaspietea rotundifolii](#)

### Broad habitat

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

## Distribution

Continentality: **6**

Continentality amplitude: **5**