

Eichhornia crassipes

Habitus and growth type

Plant height [m]: **0.3**

Life span: **Perennial**

Life form: **Hydrophyte**

Leaf

Specific leaf area [mm²/mg]: **49.53**

Flower

Flowering period: **May-September**

Trophic mode

Parasitism and mycoheterotrophy: **autotroph**

Carnivory: **non-carnivorous**

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

Taxon origin

Origin in Europe: **Neophyte**

Habitat and sociology

Broad habitat

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