Azolla cristata

Habitus and growth type

Life span: **Annual**
Life form: **Hydrophyte**

Fruit, seed and dispersal

Dispersal mode: **Epizoochory, Anthropochory**
Dispersal distance class: **6, 7**

Trophic mode

Parasitism and mycoheterotrophy: **autotroph**
Carnivory: **non-carnivorous**
Symbiotic nitrogen fixation: **no nitrogen-fixing symbionts**

Taxon origin

Origin in Europe: **Neophyte**

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: **7.3**
Temperature indicator value: **7.2**
Moisture indicator value: **11**
Reaction indicator value: **6.5**
Nutrient indicator value: **7**
Salinity indicator value: **0**

Habitat and sociology

Syntaxon

Diagnostic species of phytosociological classes: **NA (LEM) *Lemnetea***

Broad habitat

Occurrence in broad habitats: **Aquatic**

Distribution

Continentality: **4**

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Continentality amplitude: **2**

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