

Species Datasheet

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(family.genus.species)

DBT- Network Programme

1. Taxon:

Species: *Blechnum occidentale* L.

Subspecies:

Variety:

Cultivar

Hybrid

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2. Synonyms:

Blechnum campylotis (Kunze) J. Sm.

Blechnum cartilagineum Sw.

Blechnum cognatum C. Presl

Blechnum × *falciculatum* C. Presl

Blechnum mucronatum Fée

Blechnum occidentale var. *occidentale*

Blechnum rugosum T. Moore

Blechnum uburbicum Vell.

Lomariacampylotis Kunze

Mesothemacampylotis (Kunze) C. Presl

3. Systematic Position:

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- Class: Equisetopsida C. Agardh
- Subclass: Polypodiidae Cronquist, Takht. & Zimmerm.
- Order: Polypodiales Link.
- Family: Blechnaceae Newman
- Subfamily:
- Genus: *Blechnum* L.
- Species: *Blechnum occidentale* L.
- Subspecies:
- Variety:

4. Distribution:

Global:found in the Americas, from Texas and Florida in the USA, down as far south as Argentina and Paraguay in South America, and including some islands in the Caribbean

India:

5.Indigenous/Exotic/Endemic;Cultivated/Wild:Cultivated

6.Threat Status:

IUCN:

BSI:

7.Habit and Habitat:Terrestrial, inhabits the interior of forests, most often growing along forest edges, trails, roads and rarely on rocks near streams , 40 and 1600 m

8.Life Form:

9.Economic Importance:

10. Probable Progenitor of:

11.DNA

C-value Methodology

12.Basic chromosome number(s): $x=3$ 1¹, 4, 5, 7, 16, 23, 24, 28, 32, 33 , 32^{15, 29}

13. Zygotic chromosome number(s): $2n=64$ ^{15, 29} , 92⁷ , c.93²⁸ , 124^{1, 4, 5, 7, 16, 23, 24, 33} , 132²⁹

14. Gametic chromosome number(s):62^{12, 32, 33}

15.Specialized chromosomes (B chromosomes/Sex chromosomes/Polytene chromosomes/Neocentric chromosomes):

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16.Ploidylevel:Diploid (sexual)^{15, 29} ,

Triploid ⁷ ,

Tetraploid (sterile hybrid)^{1, 4, 5, 12, 23, 24} ,

Tetraploid (sexual) ^{7, 16, 31}

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17.Agametoploidy:

18.Nature of polyploidy (auto, segmental, allo, autoallo): Autoalloploid ^{23, 24}

19.Genomicformula: AABC ^{23, 24}

20.Aberrant chromosome number(s)(aneuploidy, aneusomaty, polysomaty):

21.Somatic chromosomes:

Karyotype

Chromosome size

NOR chromosome(s)

Degree of asymmetry

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22. Banding pattern(s):

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23.Physical mapping of chromosomes:

In situ hybridization

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Fluorescent in situ hybridization:

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24.Genomic in situ hybridization:

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25. Linkage map:

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26.Chromosome associations:

Female meiosis

Male meiosis

Triploid:c. 31II+31I²⁸,

Tetraploid: Irregular with IIs and Is^{1, 5}, 40II+44I^{23, 24}, 62II^{12, 32, 33}

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27.Chromosome distribution at anaphase I:

28. Genetic diversity:

Chromosomal level

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DNA level

29.Any other information (Apomixis; Inversion; Male sterility;Pollen grain mitosis; Pollen stainability;Translocationsetc.):