

Species Datasheet

Datasheet No. P-046.001.005
(family.genus.species)

DBT- Network Programme

1.Taxon:

Species: *Nephrolepis exaltata* (L.) Schott

Subspecies:

Variety:

Cultivar

Hybrid

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2. Synonyms:

Aspidiumexaltatum (L.) Sw.

Hypopeltisexaltata (L.) Bory

Nephrodiuemexaltatum (L.) R. Br.

Polypodiumexaltatum L.

3.Systematic Position:

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- Class: Equisetopsida C. Agardh
- Subclass: Polypodiidae Cronquist, Takht. & Zimmerm.
- Order: Polypodiales Link.
- Family: Nephrolepidaceae Pic. Serm.
- Subfamily:
- Genus: *Nephrolepis* Schott
- Species: *Nephrolepis exaltata* (L.) Schott
- Subspecies:

4.Distribution:

Global: native to tropical regions throughout the world common in humid forests and swamps, especially in northern South America, Mexico, Central America, Florida, the West Indies, Polynesia and Africa

India: North India, Central India Western Ghats

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

6. Threat Status:

IUCN:

BSI:

7. Habit and Habitat: humid forests, swamps

8. Life Form:

9. Economic Importance: Ornamental house plant

10. Probable Progenitor of:

11. DNA

C-value Methodology

2C (19.12 pg)¹⁴ Flow cytometry¹⁴

12. Basic chromosome number(s): x=41^{1, 7, 10, 17, 19, 20, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27}

13. Zygotic chromosome number(s): 2n=82^{1, 14, 17, 22, 23, 24, 28}

14. Gametic chromosome number(s): n=41^{1, 7, 10, 17, 19, 20, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27},

82¹⁶

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

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16. Ploidy level: Diploid (sexual)^{1, 7, 10, 14, 17, 19, 20, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 28},

Tetraploid (sexual)¹⁶

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17. Agametoploidy:

18. Nature of polyploidy (auto, segmental, allo, autoallo):

19. Genomic formula:

20. Aberrant chromosome number(s)(aneuploidy, aneusomy, polysomy):

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 Diploid: 41II¹, 7, 10, 17, 19, 20, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27 ,

Tetraploid: 82II¹⁶

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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; Translocation etc.):