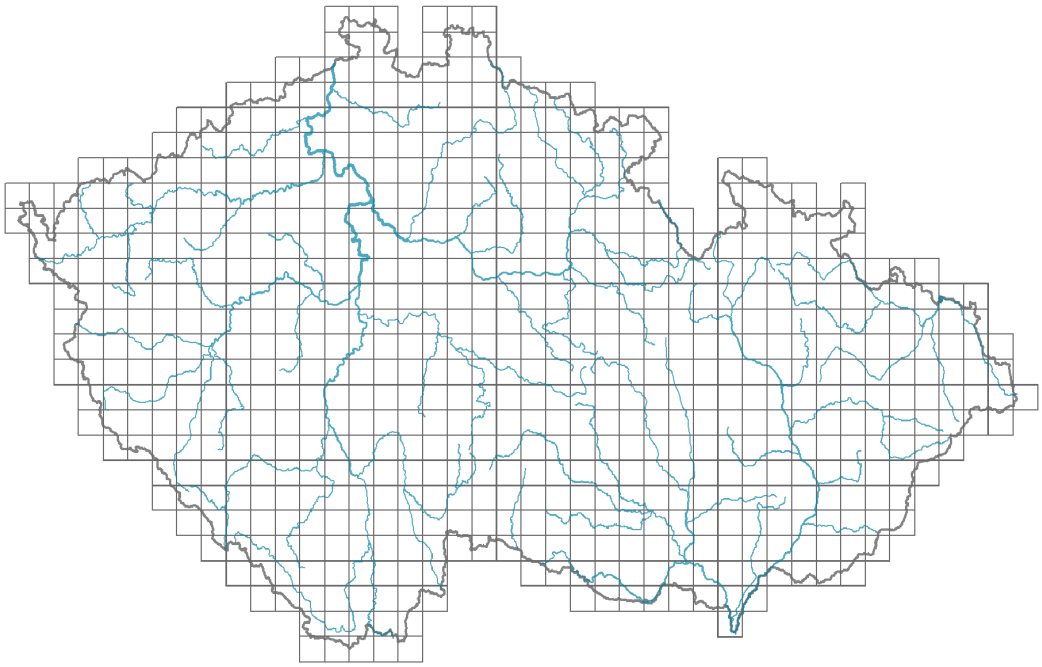
# *Basella alba*

## Distribution



Map info

revised records

unrevised records

On the map are not visualized records without the coordinates and records marked as incorrect or doubtful.

### Habitus and growth type

Life form: **hemicryptophyte**

### Leaf

Leaf presence and metamorphosis: **leaves present, not modified**
Leaf arrangement (phyllotaxis): **alternate**
Leaf shape: **simple – entire**
Stipules: **absent**
Petiole: **present**

### Flower

Flower colour: **white**
Flower symmetry: **actinomorphic**
Perianth type: **calyx present, corolla absent**
Perianth fusion: **fused**
Shape of the sympetalous corolla or syntepalous perianth: **urceolate**
Calyx fusion: **synsepalous**
Inflorescence type: **racemus**

### Fruit, seed and dispersal

Fruit type: **fleshy fruit – special type**

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Myrmecochory: **non-myrmecochorous (b)**

## Trophic mode

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

## Taxon origin

Origin in the Czech Republic: **neophyte**
Invasion status: **casual**
Geographic origin: **Asia**
Year of the first record in the wild: **1901**
Year of the last record: **1901**
Period of introduction: **Late Modern Period (1800–1950)**
Introduction pathway: **intentional – crops**

## Habitat and sociology

### Affinity to the forest environment

Affinity to the forest environment in Thermophyticum: **0 – taxon that does not spontaneously occur in Czech forests**
Affinity to the forest environment in Mesophyticum and Oreophyticum: **0 – taxon that does not spontaneously occur in Czech forests**

## Threats and protection

Red List 2017 (national categories): **taxon is not on the Red List**
Red List 2017 (IUCN categories): **LC(NA) – least concern (taxon is not on the Red List)**
Legal protection: **not protected by law**

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