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Potamogeton compressus

[Synonyms : *Potamogeton zosterifolius*]

GRASS-WRACK PONDWEED is an aquatic perennial. Native to Europe it has tiny green flowers.

It is also known as *Bandnate* (Swedish), *Dyfrllys Camleswellt* (Welsh), Eelgrass pondweed, *Flachstengeliges Laichkraut* (German), *Fonteinkruid* (Dutch), *Litteäivita* (Finnish), and *Rdest smáčknutý* (Czech).

Grass-wrack pondweed is considered to be threatened in the wild in Britain.

Compressus means ‘flattened (usually laterally) or compressed’.