

Cryptocoryne walkeri

WATER-TRUMPET

Araceae

Common Synonyms: *Cryptocoryne beckettii*, *C. wendtii*, *C. undulata*

FLEPPC Category: -

FDACS Listed Noxious Weed: No

IFAS Assessment

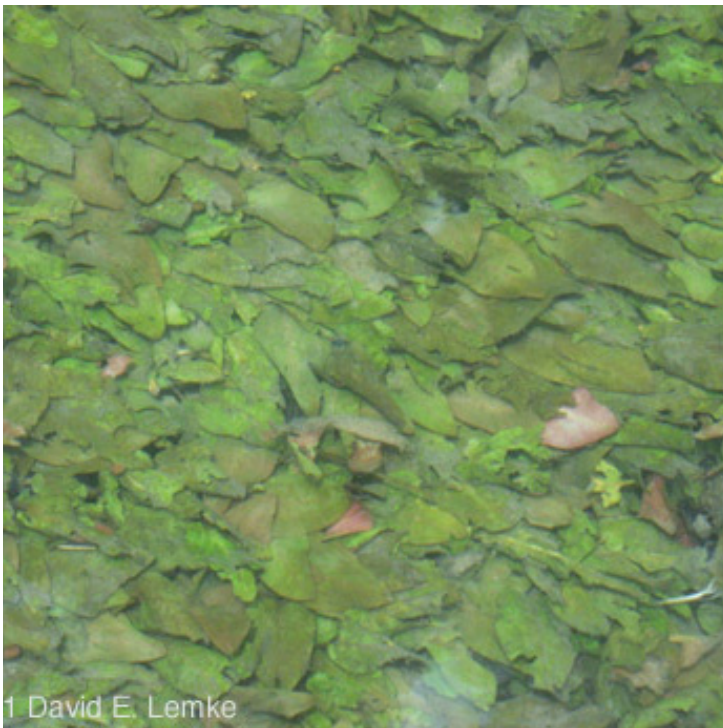
North -
Central -
South -

USDA Hardiness Zone: N/A

Growth Habit: Submersed

Aquatic

Origin: Sri Lanka



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Description: Perennial, rhizomatous, aquatic herb. Leaves basal and glabrous, ovate, 3-9 cm long, upper surface green to brown and sometimes marbled, lower surface red to brown, veins usually reddish. Flowers tiny and clustered on a 1-cm long spadix. Spathe, 4-12 cm long, greenish brown.

Habitat: Freshwater springs and rivers

Comments: Vouchered only in Alachua Co. Sold for aquarium planting. Established in the Rainbow river

Florida Introduction Date: earliest specimen vouchered in 1989

Control Methods:

No known control methods

Useful Resources:

Rosen, D.J. 2000. *Cryptocoryne beckettii* (Araceae), a new aquatic plant in Texas. *Sida* 19(2): 399-401.