

Table 2 Comparison of 8 grass species with special reference to the tolerance to submergence

Species	Submerged days														
	2 d	4 d	7 d	10 d	14 d	18 d	25 d	32 d	40 d	50 d	60 d	70d	80d	100d	120d
<i>V. zizanioides</i>	Normal	Normal	Normal	Slightly damaged	Damaged	No death	No death	No death	No death	No death	No death	One pot died	No new death	No new death	On-going
<i>P. notatum</i>	Normal	Normal	Normal	Damaged	Damaged	No death	No death	No death	No death	No death	Two pots died	All died	/	/	
<i>C. aciculatus</i>	Normal	Normal	Normal	Damaged	Damaged	No death	Two pots died	All died	/	/	/	/	/	/	
<i>C. dacyton</i>	Normal	Normal	Normal	Damaged	Damaged	No death	No death	No death	No death	No death	No death	One pot died	No new death	No new death	On-going
<i>A. compressus</i>	Normal	Normal	Normal	Damaged	Damaged	No death	No death	No death	All died	/	/	/	/	/	
<i>S. secundatum</i>	Normal	Normal	Normal	Damaged	Damaged	Two pots died	No new death	All died	/						
<i>P. conjugatum</i>	Normal	Normal	Slightly damaged	Damaged	Damaged	No death	Two pots died	All died	/	/	/	/	/	/	
<i>E. ophiuroides</i>	Normal	Slightly damaged	One pot died	All died	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	