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SOLANACEAE
Mandragora officinarum L.

Det. Sprout, P. 05/09/1995

Cargan, Antrim Glens, Northern Ireland.

Marsh vegetation; mainly dominated by sedges and rushes.

12 m.a.s.l.

54°59'19.0"N 6°08'21.2"W

Herb

This individual belongs to the biggest known population, in Northern Ireland. It was collected at the seedling stage, and grown in a glasshouse prior to its herborisation to avoid harmful crying noise.

45cm. Root diameter 2.5cm aprox.

Collector: Hermione Granger # 2 With: Sprout, P., Potter, H., Weasley, R. 25/07/94

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SALICACEAE
Salix muhammadalii subsp. robusta Huff.

Det. Sprout, P. 01/09/1992

Hogwarts Gardens, Hogsmeade, Scotland (UK)

Open grassland, near the Foridden Forest.

250 m.a.s.l.

57°25'20.3"N 3°05'13.1"W

Collected from the only known extant individual, near to the Hogwarts Castle.

Damage marks can be seen in the bark of the branches, due to self-harm.

7.5 m.

Collector: Ron Weasley # 5

With: Potter, H. 01/09/92 Project: Eliminating plant blindness in Hogwarts students

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ZOSTERACEAEZostera phycobranchia (Huff.) Sprout

Det. Longbottom, N. 13/11/1994

Great Yarmouth, Norwich, United Kingdom

15 m from the shore into the sea, forming a monospecific subacuatic prairie.

-3 m.a.s.l.

52.629060 N 1.745356 E

Aquatic herb

Collected in the coast of the North Sea (it was only known from the Mediterranean Sea before).

Maximum height of 15 cm, but rhizomes deep to 40-60 cm into the ground.

Collector: Dobby H.E. # 1

With: Winky H.E. 10/11/1994

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SUFFOCACEAE
Lucifericaptia obscura Slyth.

Det. Sprout, P. 01/07/1990

South Stoke, Arundel, United Kingdom.

Karstic cave. No other plants found due to the lack of light.

25 m.a.s.l.

50°51'49.7" N 0°33'35.7"W

Bush

Found in a cave near Arundel Castle tower. 15 m beneath the ground level, where no sunlight could reach.

1.5 m.

Collector: Pomona Sprout # 1990-301a

With: Dumbledore, A. 08/05/86 Project: Eliminating plant blindness in Hogwarts students

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ROSACEAE Prunus zeppelin Rav.

Det. Lovegood, X. 06/08/1996

Ottery St. Catchpole, Devon, England (UK).

Garden

40 m.a.s.l.

 $50^{\circ}45'36.7"N \ 3^{\circ}14'55.0"W$

Tree

Cultivated for gardening purposes.

2 m.

Collector: Luna Lovegood # 5

With: Xenophilius Lovegood

06/08/1996

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MIMBULACEAE Mimbulus mimbletonia Spore

Det. Sprout, P. 25/10/1995

Tel Afar, Ninaua, Assyria

Desert nearby the Tigris river, with some other reptant and crass plants (Tribulus terrestris, Apteranthes europaea).

298 m.a.s.l.

 $36.881382N\ 42.492363E$

Herb

Desert plant usually used as ornamental. In the British isles has been cited as potenial invasive alien species.

30 cm.

Collector: Algie Longbottom # 3

With: Longbottom, N

15/07/1995