

Lady-Fern - *Athyrium filix-femina*



Description

Lady-fern is distinguished from other ferns by the pinnules (leaflets on the frond) exhibiting distinct teeth and tapering to a point. Additionally, the spore cases on the underside of the frond are shaped like a 'comma', and scales on the stem are brown.

The fern grows in moist, acid to neutral soils within the shady conditions of W7 and W9 woodlands.

Soil regimes

Soil pH range (R)	5
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Nutrient availability (N)	6
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