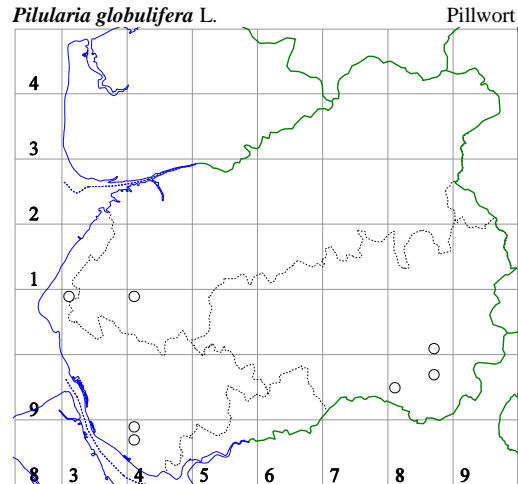


The South Lancashire Flora
(Vascular Plants Family 008 Marsileaceae)

LEPTOSPORANGIATE FERNS TRUE FERNS

MARSILEACEAE Pillwort family



Status & former distribution: Native, Nationally Uncommon, Vulnerable (Red List for England); SCINWE, Formby Marsh (SD30E, LIV, MANCH, NMW); Childwall Common (SJ48E, JL Bostock, 1802, BM); Allerton (SJ48D, 1820, J Shillito, LIV); Longford Bridge, Stretford (SJ79X & SJ89C, C Bailey, MANCH); Beswick (SJ89N, SH Bickham, 1856, GCE); Newton Bogs, Manchester (SD80Q, J Backhouse, 1804).

Last record traced: Near Ormskirk (SD40E, C Bailey, 1924, MANCH).

Habitat: Formerly occurred around the margins of peat pools.