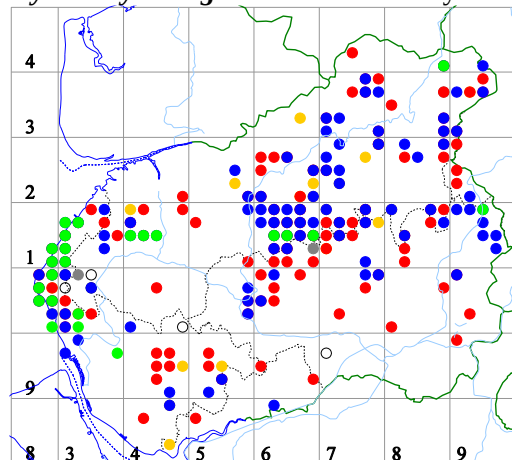


HYDROCOTYLACEAE

Pennywort family

Hydrocotyle vulgaris L. Marsh Pennywort



Ainsdale DP Earl 2008



Birkdale DP Earl 2008

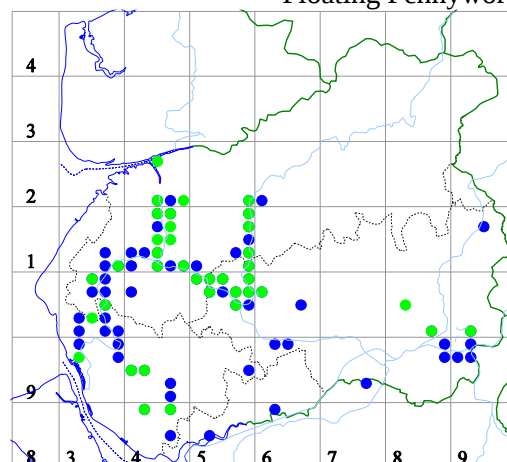
Status & distribution: Native, Near Threatened (Red List for England); Axiophyte, locally common along the coast and in the hill districts, very local elsewhere.

Habitat: Dune-slacks, flushes, mires, wet meadows, pond margins and reservoir draw-down zones.

Comments: Note the intensity of recent recording along the Sefton Coast but also the need for monitoring of inland sites.

Hydrocotyle ranunculoides L.f.

Floating Pennywort



Sankey Canal, Widnes, DP Earl 2009



Haigh, DP Earl 2020

Status & distribution: Neophyte-naturalised, INNS; increasing and now often abundant as along the Leeds & Liverpool Canal at intervals between Wheelton, Tarleton and Melling.

Earliest record traced: Ponds at Hic-Bibi (SD5612, DP & J Earl, 2002).

Habitat: Ponds, slow-flowing brooks and canals.

Comments: Native to North America.