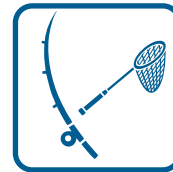
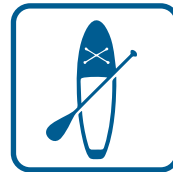


# Eurasian Watermilfoil

*Myriophyllum spicatum*

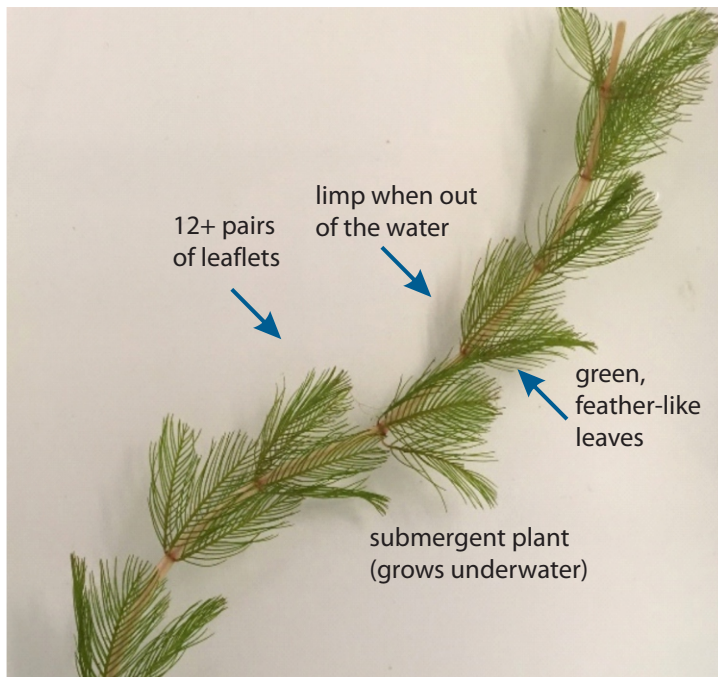


## Clean, drain and dry



Eurasian watermilfoil is most commonly spread by boaters who do not properly clean, drain and dry their boat and equipment.

**Inspect your boat and gear after every use to stop the spread!**



## Significant costs

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It is almost **impossible to get rid of** once introduced to a waterbody. Mechanical methods to reduce the amount of Eurasian watermilfoil in a lake can be very expensive.



Eurasian watermilfoil grows in thick mats in shallow water areas like beaches, creating undesirable swimming conditions. The mats also decrease oxygen in the water, negatively impacting native fish species.

## Not detected in Saskatchewan



However, Eurasian watermilfoil has infested lakes and rivers in Ontario, British Columbia and in all but two U.S. states.

## Prohibited Species

It is illegal to buy, sell, possess, import or transport Eurasian watermilfoil in Saskatchewan.



**CLEAN + DRAIN + DRY  
YOUR BOAT**