

# Japanese Knotweed Identification Card

## Spring

### Key features

- Fleshy shoot develops from ground level
- Red/green



## Summer

### Key features

#### Stem

- Maximum height 2-3m
- Green with red/purple specks
- Hollow with distinct nodes like bamboo
- Forms dense clumps

#### Leaves

- Alternate, green heart-shaped leaves 120mm long



# Autumn/Winter

## Key features

- Leaves drop after frost
- Plant dies back, but stems can persist as upright, brown, hollow stalks



## Leaf Identification

### Leaves

- Shield shaped, flat at base
- Lush green colour
- Up to 120mm long

### Flowers

- Appear late Summer/ Autumn
- Cream colour
- Clusters 80-120mm long



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