

Knotweed (Fallopia)



Knotweed, also known as false-bamboo, is a large perennial that can grow up to 3 meters tall at a rate of 4cm per day. There are four species of knotweed found in BC: Japanese, Bohemian, Giant, and Himalayan knotweed. They have serious economical and ecological implications; knotweed damages concrete foundations, septic systems, and outcompetes native vegetation. Report knotweed infestations immediately.