

## SUMMARY

### **Orchid sites in Ostrorog area**

Seven sites of three orchid species have been described: one site of Common Twayblade *Listera ovata*, four sites of Broad-Leaved Helleborine *Epipactis helleborine* and two sites of Broad-Leaved Marsh Orchid *Dactylorhiza majalis* ssp. *majalis*. Position of each site is shown on the map (Fig. 1). In case of one of the sites of Broad-Leaved Marsh Orchid (Fig. 1 -A) where population is relatively numerous (about 150 generative plants in area of 200 m<sup>2</sup>) individual characteristics of 50 blooming plants have been presented (Tab. 1).

Quite specific shape of lateral sepals and epichile (Fig. 2) have been found in few individuals of Broad-Leaved Helleborine in location C (Fig. 1).

Law in Poland protects all species of orchid family. Moreover Broad-Leaved Marsh Orchid and Common Twayblade belong to category of vulnerable plants in Wielkopolska region. *E. helleborin* is still described as not threatened species in Poland (Żukowski, Jackowiak 1995).