

# PLANT CHECKLIST

South Black River Peatland  
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## MINNESOTA SCIENTIFIC AND NATURAL AREAS



Natural places worth knowing



| Species  | Confidence |
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| <b>CLIMBERS/VINES AND EPIPHYTES</b>  |            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> dwarf mistletoe ( <i>Arceuthobium pusillum</i> )                      | 2          |
| <b>FORBS</b>   |            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> dragon's mouth ( <i>Arethusa bulbosa</i> )                            | 1          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> marsh cinquefoil ( <i>Comarum palustre</i> )                          | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> English sundew ( <i>Drosera anglica</i> ) <sup>SPC</sup>              | 1          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> round-leaved sundew ( <i>Drosera rotundifolia</i> )                   | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> three-leaved false Solomon's seal<br>( <i>Maianthemum trifolium</i> ) | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> buckbean ( <i>Menyanthes trifoliata</i> )                             | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> pitcher plant ( <i>Sarracenia purpurea</i> )                          | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> scheuchzeria ( <i>Scheuchzeria palustris</i> )                        | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> seaside arrowgrass ( <i>Triglochin maritima</i> )                     | 2          |
| <b>GRAMINOIDS</b>  |            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> aquatic sedge ( <i>Carex aquatilis</i> )                              | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> creeping sedge ( <i>Carex chordorrhiza</i> )                          | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> fen wiregrass sedge ( <i>Carex lasiocarpa</i> )                       | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> candle-lantern sedge ( <i>Carex limosa</i> )                          | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> lead-colored sedge ( <i>Carex livida</i> )                            | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> poor sedge ( <i>Carex magellanica</i> )                               | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> bog wiregrass sedge ( <i>Carex oligosperma</i> )                      | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> few-flowered sedge ( <i>Carex pauciflora</i> )                        | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> three-seeded bog sedge ( <i>Carex trisperma</i> )                     | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> flattened spikerush ( <i>Eleocharis compressa</i> )                   | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chamisso's cottongrass ( <i>Eriophorum russeolum</i> )                | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> delicate cottongrass ( <i>Eriophorum tenellum</i> )                   | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> tussock cottongrass ( <i>Eriophorum vaginatum</i> )                   | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> tawny cottongrass ( <i>Eriophorum virginicum</i> )                    | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> clustered muhly grass ( <i>Muhlenbergia<br/>glomerata</i> )           | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> white beak rush ( <i>Rhynchospora alba</i> )                          | 2          |
| <b>TREES AND SHRUBS</b>  |            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> bog rosemary ( <i>Andromeda polifolia</i> )                           | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> bog birch ( <i>Betula pumila</i> )                                    | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> leatherleaf ( <i>Chamaedaphne calyculata</i> )                        | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> creeping snowberry ( <i>Gaultheria hispidula</i> )                    | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> bog laurel ( <i>Kalmia polifolia</i> )                                | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> tamarack ( <i>Larix laricina</i> )                                    | 2          |

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| <input type="checkbox"/> black spruce ( <i>Picea mariana</i> )                | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Labrador tea ( <i>Rhododendron groenlandicum</i> )   | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> bog willow ( <i>Salix pedicellaris</i> )             | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> lowbush blueberry ( <i>Vaccinium angustifolium</i> ) | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> small cranberry ( <i>Vaccinium oxycoccos</i> )       | 2          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> lingonberry ( <i>Vaccinium vitis-idaea</i> )         | 2          |

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## Plant Groups (Physiognomy) Defined

**Aquatics** - floating, emergent, submerged

**Climbers/vines and epiphytes** (grows on other plants)

**Ferns and lycophytes** - spore-bearing plants

**Forbs** - herbaceous flowering plants

**Graminoids** - grasses, sedges, and rushes

**Succulents** - cactus-like

**Trees and shrubs** - woody plants

**Mosses** - non-flowering plants that lack true roots

## Rare and Introduced Status Keys

**END** - Endangered (State), **E** - Endangered (Federal)

**THR** - Threatened (State), **T** - Threatened (Federal)

**SPC** - Special Concern

**WL** - Watchlist

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\* - Introduced or \*\* - Undetermined

## Data Confidence Key

**1** - Vouchered record (specimen in herbarium collection)

**2** - Vetted record (confirmed by DNR staff)

**3** - Unverified record

Data for this checklist were gathered from the [Minnesota Biodiversity Atlas](#), MN DNR staff and contractors, [iNaturalist](#), and [EDDMapS](#) records. Checklist nomenclature for scientific name follows the most current [Flora of North America](#) and the preferred MN DNR common name (see [MNTaxa](#) for details).

Plant collecting is not allowed at any Scientific and Natural Area. Scientists may be allowed collections through a research permit.

**Resources:** [Minnesota Wildflowers](#) (species profiles and phenology), [Rare Species Guide](#), [invasive plants](#), Minnesota Biodiversity Atlas (range maps and herbarium specimens).

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