

**Minnesota Biological Survey
List of Plant Species Observed at
Hanging Kettle Lake**



Lake Number: 01017000 Survey Date: 8/23/1995

County: Aitkin T: 46N R: 27W Sec: 13

Major/Minor Watersheds: Mississippi River-Brainerd/Ripple (Mud) River

Located 4.5 miles south of the town of Aitkin.

Area surveyed: northwest shore of the lake.

Submersed Plants (Plants with most leaves growing beneath the water surface)

<i>Bidens beckii</i>	Water-marigold
<i>Ceratophyllum demersum</i>	Coontail
<i>Elodea canadensis</i>	Canadian waterweed
<i>Myriophyllum sibiricum</i>	Northern Watermilfoil
<i>Najas flexilis</i>	Bushy Pondweed, Common Naiad
<i>Potamogeton illinoensis</i>	Illinois Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton pusillus</i>	Very Small Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton richardsonii</i>	Claspingleaf Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton robbinsii</i>	Robbins' Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton zosteriformis</i>	Flatstem Pondweed
<i>Ranunculus aquatilis</i> var. <i>diffusus</i>	White water-crowfoot
<i>Stuckenia pectinata</i>	Common Sago Pondweed
<i>Utricularia vulgaris</i>	Greater bladderwort
<i>Vallisneria americana</i>	Wild Celery, Eel-grass

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Free-floating Plants (Plants that float freely on the water surface)

<i>Lemna trisulca</i>	Ivy-leaved duckweed
<i>Spirodela polyrhiza</i>	Greater duckweed
* <i>Wolffia borealis</i>	Dotted Watermeal
* <i>Wolffia columbiana</i>	Columbian Watermeal

Floating-leaf Plants (Plants with leaves that float on the water surface)

<i>Nuphar variegata</i>	Yellow Water Lily
<i>Nymphaea odorata</i> ssp. <i>tuberosa</i>	White Water Lily
<i>Potamogeton amplifolius</i>	Large-leaved Pondweed, Cabbage
<i>Potamogeton epihydrus</i>	Ribbon-leaved Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton gramineus</i>	Variable Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton natans</i>	Floating Leaf Pondweed

Emergent Plants (Plants with leaves extending above the water surface)

<i>Bolboschoenus fluviatilis</i>	River Bulrush
<i>Pontederia cordata</i>	Pickrel-weed, Moose Ear
<i>Sagittaria rigida</i>	Stiff Wapato, Sessile-fruited
<i>Schoenoplectus acutus</i> var. <i>acutus</i>	Hard-stem bulrush
<i>Sparganium</i> sp.	Burreed
<i>Zizania palustris</i>	Wild rice

Shoreline Plants (Plants associated with the wetland habitat)

<i>Alnus incana</i> ssp. <i>rugosa</i>	Speckled alder
* <i>Echinochloa muricata</i>	Barnyard grass
<i>Leersia oryzoides</i>	Rice cut grass
<i>Phalaris arundinacea</i>	Reed canary grass
<i>Salix</i> sp.	Willow

* specimen to be deposited at University of Minnesota Herbarium