

Minnesota Biological Survey
List of Plant Species Observed at
Little Turtle Lake



Lake Number: 01021700 Survey Date: 8/18/1995
County: Aitkin T: 46N R: 26W Sec: 19
Major/Minor Watersheds: Mississippi River-Brainerd/Spirit Lake
Located directly northeast of Spirit Lake.
Area surveyed: shores of the small lake.

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

<i>Eriocaulon aquaticum</i>	Pipewort
*% <i>Najas gracillima</i>	Very Slender Naiad
* <i>Potamogeton pusillus</i>	Very Small Pondweed
<i>Utricularia intermedia</i>	Intermediate bladderwort
<i>Utricularia minor</i>	Lesser bladderwort
<i>Utricularia vulgaris</i>	Greater bladderwort

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

<i>Brasenia schreberi</i>	Water shield
<i>Nuphar variegata</i>	Yellow Water Lily
<i>Nymphaea odorata</i> ssp. <i>tuberosa</i>	White Water Lily
<i>Persicaria amphibia</i>	Water smartweed
<i>Potamogeton epihydrus</i>	Ribbon-leaved Pondweed

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* *Potamogeton spirillus* Snailseed Pondweed

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

<i>Calla palustris</i>	Wild calla
<i>Dulichium arundinaceum</i>	Three-way sedge
<i>Eleocharis erythropoda</i>	Bald spikerush
<i>Eleocharis palustris</i>	Small's Spikerush
<i>Equisetum fluviatile</i>	Water horsetail
<i>Sagittaria latifolia</i>	Broad-leaved Arrowhead
<i>Sagittaria rigida</i>	Stiff Wapato, Sessile-fruited
<i>Schoenoplectus pungens</i>	Three-square bulrush
<i>Sparganium sp.</i>	Burreed
<i>Typha latifolia</i>	Broad-leaved cattail

Shoreline Plants (Plants associated with the wetland habitat)

<i>Asclepias incarnata</i>	Swamp milkweed
<i>Betula pumila</i>	Bog birch
<i>Bidens sp.</i>	Bur-Marigold; Beggar-Tick
<i>Calamagrostis canadensis</i>	Blue-joint
<i>Carex comosa</i>	Bottlebrush sedge
<i>Carex lasiocarpa</i> ssp. <i>americana</i>	Wiregrass, Woolly Sedge
<i>Cicuta bulbifera</i>	Bulb-bearing water-hemlock
<i>Eleocharis sp.</i>	Spike-Rush
<i>Glyceria grandis</i>	Tall manna grass
<i>Iris versicolor</i>	Blue Flag
<i>Leersia oryzoides</i>	Rice cut grass
<i>Lycopus uniflorus</i>	Northern bugleweed
<i>Lysimachia terrestris</i>	Swamp Candles, Loosestrife
<i>Menyanthes trifoliata</i>	Buck-bean
<i>Potentilla palustris</i>	Marsh cinquefoil
* <i>Schoenoplectus smithii</i>	Smith's bulrush
<i>Scirpus cyperinus</i>	Wool-grass
<i>Scutellaria galericulata</i>	Marsh skullcap
<i>Thelypteris palustris</i>	Northern marsh fern
<i>Triadenum fraseri</i>	Marsh St. John's-wort

* specimen to be deposited at University of Minnesota Herbarium
% occurrence recorded in Natural Heritage Rare Features Database