

Minnesota Biological Survey  
List of Plant Species Observed at  
Pillager Lake



Lake Number: 11032000 Survey Date: 6/17/2008

County: Cass T: 133N R: 30W Sec: 5

Major/Minor Watersheds: Crow Wing River/Pillager Creek

Located 14 miles west of the town of Brainerd.

Area surveyed: south shore of the lake.

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

*Ceratophyllum demersum*

*Myriophyllum sibiricum*

*Myriophyllum verticillatum*

*Potamogeton friesii*

*Potamogeton illinoensis*

*Potamogeton praelongus*

Coontail

Northern Watermilfoil

Whorled Watermilfoil

Fries' Pondweed

Illinois Pondweed

White-stemmed Pondweed

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<i>Potamogeton zosteriformis</i>	Flatstem Pondweed
<i>Stuckenia pectinata</i>	Common Sago Pondweed
<i>Utricularia minor</i>	Lesser bladderwort
<i>Utricularia vulgaris</i>	Greater bladderwort

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

<i>Lemna trisulca</i>	Ivy-leaved duckweed
* <i>Lemna turionifera</i>	Turion-forming Duckweed
<i>Spirodela polyrhiza</i>	Greater duckweed

***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

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

* <i>Carex aquatilis</i> var. <i>substricta</i>	Aquatic Sedge
* <i>Carex lacustris</i>	Lake Sedge
<i>Eleocharis erythropoda</i>	Bald spikerush
<i>Schoenoplectus acutus</i> var. <i>acutus</i>	Hard-stem bulrush
<i>Sparganium</i> sp.	Burreed
<i>Typha latifolia</i>	Broad-leaved cattail
<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>Betula pumila</i>	Bog birch
* <i>Carex interior</i>	Inland sedge
* <i>Carex prairea</i>	Prairie Sedge
<i>Iris versicolor</i>	Blue Flag
<i>Thelypteris palustris</i>	Northern marsh fern

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\* specimen to be deposited at University of Minnesota Herbarium