

Minnesota Biological Survey  
List of Plant Species Observed at  
Island Lake\_2



Lake Number: 11036000 Survey Date: 7/15/2008  
County: Cass T: 139N R: 30W Sec: 18  
Major/Minor Watersheds: Pine River/Stony Creek  
Located 17 miles south of the town of Walker, MN.  
Area surveyed: south end of the lake.

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

|                                  |                              |
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| <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 friesii</i>     | Fries' Pondweed              |
| <i>Potamogeton zosteriformis</i> | Flatstem Pondweed            |

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|--|------------------------|
| <i>Ranunculus aquatilis</i> var. <i>diffusus</i> | White water-crowfoot   |
| <i>Utricularia vulgaris</i>                      | Greater bladderwort    |
| <i>Vallisneria americana</i>                     | Wild Celery, Eel-grass |

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

|                            |                     |
|----------------------------|---------------------|
| <i>Lemna</i> sp.           | Duckweed            |
| <i>Lemna trisulca</i>      | Ivy-leaved duckweed |
| <i>Spirodela polyrhiza</i> | Greater duckweed    |

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

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| <i>Nuphar variegata</i>                      | Yellow Water Lily |
| <i>Nymphaea odorata</i> ssp. <i>tuberosa</i> | White Water Lily  |
| * <i>Potamogeton</i> sp.                     | Pondweed          |

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

|   |                         |
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| <i>Carex lacustris</i>                          | Lake Sedge              |
| <i>Phragmites australis</i>                     | Common reed grass, Cane |
| <i>Sagittaria latifolia</i>                     | Broad-leaved Arrowhead  |
| <i>Schoenoplectus acutus</i> var. <i>acutus</i> | Hard-stem bulrush       |
| <i>Typha angustifolia</i>                       | Narrow-leaved cat-tail  |
| <i>Zizania palustris</i>                        | Wild rice               |

**Shoreline Plants (Plants associated with the wetland habitat)**

|   |                            |
|---|----------------------------|
| <i>Asclepias incarnata</i>                    | Swamp milkweed             |
| <i>Bidens</i> sp.                             | Bur-Marigold; Beggar-Tick  |
| <i>Carex</i> sp.                              | Sedge                      |
| * <i>Carex diandra</i>                        | Two-stamened Sedge         |
| <i>Carex lasiocarpa</i> ssp. <i>americana</i> | Wiregrass, Woolly Sedge    |
| <i>Carex pseudocyperus</i>                    | False Cyperus sedge        |
| <i>Cicuta bulbifera</i>                       | Bulb-bearing water-hemlock |
| <i>Phalaris arundinacea</i>                   | Reed canary grass          |

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*Scirpus sp.*

Bulrush

\* specimen to be deposited at University of Minnesota Herbarium