

**Minnesota Biological Survey  
List of Plant Species Observed at  
Island Lake**

Lake Number: 18012900 Survey Date: 8/26/1996  
County: Crow Wing T: 47N R: 29W Sec: 22  
Major/Minor Watersheds: Mississippi River-Brainerd/Mississippi River  
Located 6 miles north of the town of Crosby.  
Area surveyed: northwest end 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>Heteranthera dubia</i>	Water Stargrass, Mud Plantain
<i>Isoetes echinospora</i>	Braun's quillwort
<i>Myriophyllum sibiricum</i>	Northern Watermilfoil
<i>Najas flexilis</i>	Bushy Pondweed, Common Naiad
*% <i>Najas gracillima</i>	Very Slender Naiad
<i>Potamogeton foliosus</i> ssp. <i>foliosus</i>	Leafy Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton praelongus</i>	White-stemmed Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton pusillus</i>	Very Small 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>Utricularia intermedia</i>	Intermediate bladderwort
<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 trisulca</i>	Ivy-leaved duckweed
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***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>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

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*Potamogeton spirillus*  
\*% *Potamogeton vaseyi*

Snailseed Pondweed  
Vasey's Pondweed

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

*Pontederia cordata*

Pickerel-weed, Moose Ear

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

*Iris versicolor*  
*Mimulus ringens*

Blue Flag  
Monkey-flower

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