

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



Lake Number: 21025700 Survey Date: 7/17/2003
County: Douglas T: 127N R: 39W Sec: 4
Major/Minor Watersheds: Chippewa River/Unnamed Minor Watershed
Located 11.3 miles west of the town of Alexandria.
Area surveyed: northeast bay 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>Heteranthera dubia</i>	Water Stargrass, Mud Plantain
cf <i>Myriophyllum sibiricum</i>	Northern Watermilfoil
*@ <i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>	Eurasian Watermilfoil
cf <i>Myriophyllum verticillatum</i>	Whorled Watermilfoil
<i>Najas flexilis</i>	Bushy Pondweed, Common Naiad
<i>Potamogeton foliosus</i> ssp. <i>foliosus</i>	Leafy Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton friesii</i>	Fries' Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton illinoensis</i>	Illinois Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton praelongus</i>	White-stemmed Pondweed
cf <i>Potamogeton pusillus</i>	Very Small Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton richardsonii</i>	Claspingleaf Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton zosteriformis</i>	Flatstem Pondweed

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<i>Stuckenia filiformis</i>	Blunt-tipped Sago Pondweed
* <i>Stuckenia pectinata</i>	Common Sago Pondweed
<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 turionifera</i>	Turion-forming Duckweed
<i>Spirodela polyrhiza</i>	Greater duckweed

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

<i>Persicaria amphibia</i>	Water smartweed
<i>Potamogeton natans</i>	Floating Leaf Pondweed
* <i>Potamogeton nodosus</i>	River Pondweed

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

<i>Sagittaria latifolia</i>	Broad-leaved Arrowhead
<i>Sparganium eurycarpum</i>	Giant Burreed
<i>Typha angustifolia</i>	Narrow-leaved cat-tail
<i>Typha latifolia</i>	Broad-leaved cattail

Shoreline Plants (Plants associated with the wetland habitat)

<i>Cicuta bulbifera</i>	Bulb-bearing water-hemlock
<i>Impatiens capensis</i>	Jewelweed, Spotted touch-me-not
<i>Phalaris arundinacea</i>	Reed canary grass
<i>Salix sp.</i>	Willow
<i>Scirpus sp.</i>	Bulrush

* specimen to be deposited at University of Minnesota Herbarium
@ exotic invader