

Minnesota Biological Survey
List of Plant Species Observed at
Potato Lake



Lake Number: 29024300 Survey Date: 7/6/2006
County: Hubbard T: 141N R: 35W Sec: 23
Major/Minor Watersheds: Crow Wing River/Potato River
Located 6 miles north of the town of Park Rapids.
Area surveyed: northwest bay of the lake.

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

Ceratophyllum demersum

Elodea canadensis

Heteranthera dubia

Hippuris vulgaris

Myriophyllum sibiricum

Najas flexilis

Potamogeton friesii

Potamogeton illinoensis

Coontail

Canadian waterweed

Water Stargrass, Mud Plantain

Mare's-tail

Northern Watermilfoil

Bushy Pondweed, Common Naiad

Fries' Pondweed

Illinois Pondweed

Potatoe Lake continued...

<i>Potamogeton praelongus</i>	White-stemmed Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton richardsonii</i>	Claspingleaf Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton zosteriformis</i>	Flatstem 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 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
<i>Potamogeton natans</i>	Floating Leaf Pondweed

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

<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 latifolia</i>	Broad-leaved cattail
<i>Zizania palustris</i>	Wild rice

Shoreline Plants (Plants associated with the wetland habitat)

<i>Impatiens capensis</i>	Jewelweed, Spotted touch-me-not
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