

Minnesota Biological Survey  
List of Plant Species Observed at  
Little Turtle Lake



Lake Number: 31077900 Survey Date: 7/12/2001  
County: Itasca T: 59N R: 27W Sec: 10  
Major/Minor Watersheds: Big Fork River/Little Turtle Creek  
Located 4 miles northwest of the town of Marcell.  
Area surveyed: east shore 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>Myriophyllum sp.</i>	Water-Milfoil
<i>Najas flexilis</i>	Bushy Pondweed, Common Naiad
<i>Potamogeton friesii</i>	Fries' Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton illinoensis</i>	Illinois Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton praelongus</i>	White-stemmed Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton pusillus</i>	Very Small Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton richardsonii</i>	Claspingleaf Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton strictifolius</i>	Straightleaved Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton zosteriformis</i>	Flatstem Pondweed
<i>Ranunculus aquatilis</i> var. <i>diffusus</i>	White water-crowfoot

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*Stuckenia filiformis*  
*Stuckenia pectinata*  
*Utricularia vulgaris*

Blunt-tipped Sago Pondweed  
Common Sago Pondweed  
Greater bladderwort

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

*Lemna trisulca*  
*Lemna turionifera*  
*Spirodela polyrhiza*

Ivy-leaved duckweed  
Turion-forming Duckweed  
Greater duckweed

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

*Nuphar variegata*  
*Nymphaea odorata* ssp. *tuberosa*  
*Potamogeton natans*

Yellow Water Lily  
White Water Lily  
Floating Leaf Pondweed

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

*Acorus americanus*  
*Equisetum fluviatile*  
*Sagittaria* sp.  
*Schoenoplectus acutus* var. *acutus*  
*Sparganium eurycarpum*  
*Typha latifolia*

Sweet Flag  
Water horsetail  
Arrowhead  
Hard-stem bulrush  
Giant Burreed  
Broad-leaved cattail

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

*Calamagrostis canadensis*  
*Carex comosa*  
*Cicuta bulbifera*  
*Impatiens capensis*  
*Phalaris arundinacea*  
*Rumex* sp.  
*Scirpus atrovirens*  
*Scutellaria galericulata*

Blue-joint  
Bottlebrush sedge  
Bulb-bearing water-hemlock  
Jewelweed, Spotted touch-me-not  
Reed canary grass  
Dock; Sorrel  
Dark-green Bulrush  
Marsh skullcap