

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



Lake Number: 60020200 Survey Date: 8/12/2014
County: Polk T: 148N R: 42W Sec: 29
Major/Minor Watersheds: Clearwater River/From Tamarac Lake
Located 14 miles west of the town of Fosston, MN.
Area Surveyed: southwest shore of the lake.

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

<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 foliosus</i> ssp. <i>foliosus</i>	Leafy Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton friesii</i>	Fries' Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton praelongus</i>	White-stemmed Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton pusillus</i>	Very Small Pondweed

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<i>Potamogeton richardsonii</i>	Claspingleaf Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton zosteriformis</i>	Flatstem Pondweed
<i>Ranunculus aquatilis</i> var. <i>diffusus</i>	White water-crowfoot
<i>Stuckenia pectinata</i>	Common Sago Pondweed

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

<i>Potamogeton gramineus</i>	Variable Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton natans</i>	Floating Leaf Pondweed
<i>Sagittaria cuneata</i>	Floating Leaf Arrowhead

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

<i>Bolboschoenus fluviatilis</i>	River Bulrush
<i>Phragmites australis</i>	Common reed grass, Cane
<i>Sagittaria cristata</i>	Crested arrowhead
<i>Schoenoplectus acutus</i> var. <i>acutus</i>	Hard-stem bulrush
<i>Schoenoplectus pungens</i>	Three-square bulrush
<i>Schoenoplectus tabernaemontani</i>	Soft-stem bulrush
<i>Sparganium eurycarpum</i>	Giant Burreed
<i>Typha angustifolia</i>	Narrow-leaved cat-tail

Shoreline Plants (Plants associated with the wetland habitat)

<i>Eleocharis acicularis</i>	Needle Spike-rush
<i>Persicaria</i> sp.	Smartweed
<i>Phalaris arundinacea</i>	Reed canary grass
<i>Rumex</i> sp.	Dock; Sorrel
<i>Salix</i> sp.	Willow
<i>Scirpus atrovirens</i>	Dark-green Bulrush
<i>Sonchus</i> sp.	Sow-Thistle