

Minnesota Biological Survey  
List of Plant Species Observed at  
Whitewater Lake



Lake Number: 69037600 Survey Date: 7/24/2013  
County: St Louis T: 58N R: 14W Sec: 18  
Major/Minor Watersheds: St. Louis River/Partridge River  
Located one mile southwest of the town of Hoyt Lakes, MN.  
Area surveyed: northeast 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 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 intermedia</i>	Intermediate bladderwort

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

* <i>Callitriche hermaphroditica</i>	Hermaphroditic Water starwort
<i>Potamogeton natans</i>	Floating Leaf Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton spirillus</i>	Snailseed Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton vaseyi</i>	Vasey's Pondweed
<i>Sparganium angustifolium</i>	Narrow Floatingleaf Burreed

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

<i>Eleocharis palustris</i>	Small's Spikerush
* <i>Glyceria borealis</i>	Northern manna grass
<i>Schoenoplectus acutus</i> var. <i>acutus</i>	Hard-stem bulrush
<i>Schoenoplectus tabernaemontani</i>	Soft-stem bulrush
<i>Typha angustifolia</i>	Narrow-leaved cat-tail

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

<i>Alnus incana</i> ssp. <i>rugosa</i>	Speckled alder
<i>Cornus sericea</i>	Red-osier dogwood
<i>Eleocharis acicularis</i>	Needle Spike-rush
* <i>Glyceria striata</i>	Fowl manna grass
<i>Juncus tenuis</i>	Path rush
<i>Lycopus uniflorus</i>	Northern bugleweed
<i>Mentha arvensis</i> var. <i>canadensis</i>	Common mint
<i>Persicaria</i> sp.	Smartweed
<i>Phalaris arundinacea</i>	Reed canary grass
<i>Potentilla palustris</i>	Marsh cinquefoil
<i>Rumex</i> sp.	Dock; Sorrel
<i>Salix</i> sp.	Willow
<i>Scirpus atrocinctus</i>	Black-spiked bulrush
<i>Scirpus atrovirens</i>	Dark-green Bulrush
<i>Scirpus cyperinus</i>	Wool-grass

\* specimen to be deposited at University of Minnesota Herbarium