

**Minnesota Biological Survey
List of Plant Species Observed at
Big Rice Lake**

Lake Number: 69066900 Survey Date: 8/4/1997
County: St Louis T: 60N R: 17W Sec: 9
Major/Minor Watersheds: Little Fork River/Rice River
Located 11 miles north of the town of Virginia.
Area surveyed: northeast shore of the lake.

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

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| * <i>Ranunculus sp.</i> | Buttercup; Crowfoot |
| <i>Utricularia vulgaris</i> | Greater bladderwort |

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

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| <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)

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| <i>Nuphar variegata</i> | Yellow Water Lily |
| <i>Nymphaea odorata ssp. tuberosa</i> | White Water Lily |
| <i>Potamogeton amplifolius</i> | Large-leaved Pondweed, Cabbage |
| <i>Potamogeton natans</i> | Floating Leaf Pondweed |
| <i>Sparganium fluctuans</i> | Wide Floatingleaf Burreed |

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

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| <i>Alisma triviale</i> | Water Plantain |
| <i>Bolboschoenus fluviatilis</i> | River Bulrush |
| <i>Dulichium arundinaceum</i> | Three-way sedge |
| <i>Eleocharis erythropoda</i> | Bald spikerush |
| <i>Eleocharis palustris</i> | Small's Spikerush |
| <i>Glyceria borealis</i> | Northern manna grass |
| <i>Phragmites australis</i> | Common reed grass, Cane |
| * <i>Pontederia cordata</i> | Pickrel-weed, Moose Ear |
| <i>Sagittaria latifolia</i> | Broad-leaved Arrowhead |
| <i>Sagittaria rigida</i> | Stiff Wapato, Sessile-fruited |
| <i>Schoenoplectus acutus var. acutus</i> | Hard-stem bulrush |
| * <i>Schoenoplectus subterminalis</i> | Subterminally Fruited Bulrush |

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<i>Schoenoplectus tabernaemontani</i>	Soft-stem bulrush
* <i>Schoenoplectus torreyi</i>	Torey's bulrush
* <i>Sparganium emersum</i>	Green-fruited Burreed
<i>Typha latifolia</i>	Broad-leaved cattail
<i>Zizania palustris</i>	Wild rice

Shoreline Plants (Plants associated with the wetland habitat)

<i>Alnus incana</i> ssp. <i>rugosa</i>	Speckled alder
<i>Bidens</i> sp.	Bur-Marigold; Beggar-Tick
* <i>Calamagrostis canadensis</i>	Blue-joint
<i>Chamomilla suaveolens</i>	Pineapple-weed
<i>Cicuta bulbifera</i>	Bulb-bearing water-hemlock
* <i>Cyperus bipartitus</i>	Stream Nut-grass
* <i>Cyperus squarrosus</i>	Awned Nut-grass
* <i>Echinochloa muricata</i>	Barnyard grass
* <i>Eleocharis ovata</i>	Ovate Spikerush
<i>Impatiens capensis</i>	Jewelweed, Spotted touch-me-not
<i>Juncus</i> sp.	Rush
* <i>Juncus bufonius</i>	Toad rush
* <i>Leersia oryzoides</i>	Rice cut grass
<i>Lysimachia terrestris</i>	Swamp Candles, Loosestrife
<i>Persicaria sagittata</i>	Arrow-leaved tearthumb
<i>Phalaris arundinacea</i>	Reed canary grass
* <i>Polygonum</i> sp.	Knotweed; Smartweed
<i>Polygonum scandens</i>	False buckwheat
<i>Ranunculus abortivus</i>	Kidney-leaf buttercup
<i>Scirpus atrovirens</i>	Dark-green Bulrush
<i>Triadenum fraseri</i>	Marsh St. John's-wort
<i>Urtica dioica</i> ssp. <i>gracilis</i>	Stinging nettle
* <i>Veronica</i> sp.	Speedwell

* specimen to be deposited at University of Minnesota Herbarium