

Minnesota Biological Survey  
List of Plant Species Observed at  
Ochotto Lake



Lake Number: 73012200 Survey Date: 7/7/2015  
County: Stearns T: 125N R: 30W Sec: 21  
Major/Minor Watersheds: Mississippi River-Sartell/Spunk Creek  
Located 1 mile north of the town of Avon, MN.  
Area Surveyed: southeast shore of the lake.

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

*Ceratophyllum demersum*  
*Elodea canadensis*  
*Heteranthera dubia*  
*Myriophyllum sibiricum*  
*Myriophyllum verticillatum*  
*Najas flexilis*  
*Potamogeton illinoensis*  
*Zannichellia palustris*

Coontail  
Canadian waterweed  
Water Stargrass, Mud Plantain  
Northern Watermilfoil  
Whorled Watermilfoil  
Bushy Pondweed, Common Naiad  
Illinois Pondweed  
Horned pondweed

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

*Lemna turionifera*

Turion-forming Duckweed

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

*Nuphar variegata*

Yellow Water Lily

*Nymphaea odorata* ssp. *tuberosa*

White Water Lily

*Potamogeton amplifolius*

Large-leaved Pondweed, Cabbage

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

*Schoenoplectus acutus* var. *acutus*

Hard-stem bulrush

*Typha angustifolia*

Narrow-leaved cat-tail

*Zizania palustris*

Wild rice

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

*Phalaris arundinacea*

Reed canary grass