

Minnesota Biological Survey
List of Plant Species Observed at
Rice Lake



Lake Number: 77006100 Survey Date: 6/24/2003
County: Todd T: 131N R: 32W Sec: 29
Major/Minor Watersheds: Long Prairie River/Turtle Creek
Located 15.3 miles southeast of the town of Staples.
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>Najas flexilis</i>	Bushy Pondweed, Common Naiad
*% <i>Najas guadalupensis</i> ssp. <i>olivacea</i>	Olivaceous Guadalupe Island Naiad
<i>Potamogeton friesii</i>	Fries' Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton praelongus</i>	White-stemmed Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton richardsonii</i>	Claspingleaf Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton zosteriformis</i>	Flatstem Pondweed
<i>Stuckenia pectinata</i>	Common Sago Pondweed

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

<i>Lemna trisulca</i>	Ivy-leaved duckweed
<i>Lemna turionifera</i>	Turion-forming Duckweed

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Spirodela polyrhiza

Greater duckweed

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

Nuphar variegata

Yellow Water Lily

Nymphaea odorata ssp. *odorata*

Fragrant Water Lily

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

Acorus americanus

Sweet Flag

Carex utriculata

Beaked Sedge, Bottle-shaped

Phragmites australis

Common reed grass, Cane

Sagittaria latifolia

Broad-leaved Arrowhead

Sparganium eurycarpum

Giant Burreed

Typha angustifolia

Narrow-leaved cat-tail

Zizania palustris

Wild rice

Shoreline Plants (Plants associated with the wetland habitat)

Bidens sp.

Bur-Marigold; Beggar-Tick

Carex comosa

Bottlebrush sedge

Carex pseudocyperus

False Cyperus sedge

Cicuta bulbifera

Bulb-bearing water-hemlock

Cicuta maculata

Water-hemlock

Impatiens capensis

Jewelweed, Spotted touch-me-not

Lycopus americanus

Cut-leaved bugleweed

Lycopus uniflorus

Northern bugleweed

Lysimachia thyrsiflora

Tufted loosestrife

Phalaris arundinacea

Reed canary grass

Rumex sp.

Dock; Sorrel

Salix sp.

Willow

Scutellaria galericulata

Marsh skullcap

Sium suave

Water-parsnip

* specimen to be deposited at University of Minnesota Herbarium

% occurrence recorded in Natural Heritage Rare Features Database