

Minnesota Biological Survey
List of Plant Species Observed at
Turtle Lake



Lake Number: 77008800 Survey Date: 6/20/2003
County: Todd T: 131N R: 32W Sec: 6
Major/Minor Watersheds: Long Prairie River/Turtle Creek
Located 11.3 miles south of the town of Staples.
Area surveyed: north bay of the lake.

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

<i>Ceratophyllum demersum</i>	Coontail
<i>Heteranthera dubia</i>	Water Stargrass, Mud Plantain
<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 illinoensis</i>	Illinois Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton praelongus</i>	White-stemmed Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton richardsonii</i>	Claspingleaf Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton strictifolius</i>	Straightleaved Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton zosteriformis</i>	Flatstem Pondweed
<i>Stuckenia filiformis</i>	Blunt-tipped Sago Pondweed
<i>Stuckenia pectinata</i>	Common Sago Pondweed
<i>Utricularia vulgaris</i>	Greater bladderwort

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Vallisneria americana

Wild Celery, Eel-grass

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

Lemna turionifera

Turion-forming Duckweed

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)

Carex lacustris

Lake Sedge

Eleocharis palustris

Small's Spikerush

Sagittaria sp.

Arrowhead

Schoenoplectus acutus var. *acutus*

Hard-stem bulrush

Schoenoplectus tabernaemontani

Soft-stem bulrush

Sparganium eurycarpum

Giant Burreed

Typha latifolia

Broad-leaved cattail

Shoreline Plants (Plants associated with the wetland habitat)

Carex diandra

Two-stamened Sedge

Carex pseudocyperus

False Cyperus sedge

Cicuta bulbifera

Bulb-bearing water-hemlock

Eleocharis sp.

Spike-Rush

Lysimachia sp.

Loosestrife

Phalaris arundinacea

Reed canary grass

Potentilla palustris

Marsh cinquefoil

Rumex sp.

Dock; Sorrel

Salix sp.

Willow

Thelypteris palustris

Northern marsh fern