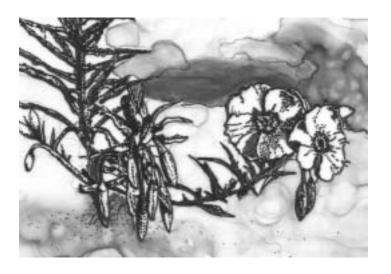


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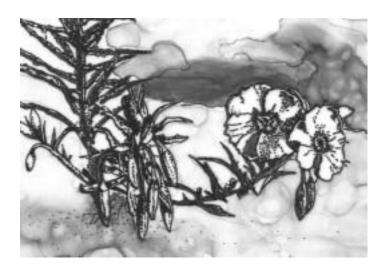
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Executive Summary

This report provides an updated listing of the vascular plants present on and near the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) Hanford Site. This document updates a listing of plants prepared by Sackschewsky et al. (1992). Since that time, the botanical knowledge of the Hanford Site has significantly increased. The current listing is based on an examination of herbarium collections held at Pacific Northwest National Laboratory (PNNL), Washington State University (WSU)-Tri Cities, WSU-Pullman, Brigham Young University, and the University of Washington, and on examination of ecological literature derived from the Hanford Site and Benton County areas over the last 100 years.

Based on the most recent analysis, there are approximately 725 different plant species that have been documented on or around the Hanford Site. This represents an approximate 20% increase in the number of species reported in Sackschewsky et al. (1992).

This listing directly supports DOE and contractor efforts to assess the potential impacts of Hanford Site operations on the biological environment, including impacts to rare habitats and species listed as endangered or threatened. This document includes a listing of plants currently listed as endangered, threatened, or otherwise of concern to the Washington Natural Heritage Program or the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, as well as those that are currently listed as noxious weeds by the state of Washington.

Also provided is an overview of how plants on the Hanford Site can be used by people. This information may be useful in developing risk assessment models and as supporting information for clean-up level and remediation decisions.

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1.0 Introduction

The 586-square-mile (1,517-square-kilometer) Hanford Site, owned by the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), represents one of the largest undisturbed tracts of native sagebrush steppe remaining in Washington State. A wide variety of habitat types and associated plant communities can be found on the Hanford Site, ranging from talus slopes, unstabilized dunes, riparian, wetlands, and high-elevation basalt outcrops to vast expanses of sagebrush/bunchgrass communities. Associated with these various habitat types is a surprising array of plant species.

An understanding of the local flora is critical if DOE is to make important decisions regarding cleanup, land management, and land use. An accurate listing of local plant species is a fundamental part of the environmental characterization activities performed in support of these types of decisions. These characterizations are performed to determine if any rare or endangered species are present in project areas, delineate any sensitive community types, aid in the identification and determination of transport pathways for ecological and human health risk assessments, and help in determining endpoints and goals for environmental cleanup.

Although several earlier lists were available, the first truly comprehensive plant list for the Hanford Site was Sackschewsky et al. (1992). That document included 596 species and was the first to combine listings covering all parts of the Hanford Site and the first to take a historical look at the regional flora to predict what other species are likely to occur in the area. Since the publication of Sackschewsky et al. (1992), the amount of botanical knowledge about the Hanford Site has increased significantly. This document is intended to build on the foundation of Sackschewsky et al. (1992) and update that list with the additional information learned from 1992 through 2001. Sackschewsky et al. (1992) went through at least three printings, and over 3,000 copies have been distributed to individuals and organizations throughout the Northwest. We hope that this revision proves to be as useful to as many people as the original.

The land area covered by this plant listing ("our region") includes all lands within the boundaries of the Hanford Site (which now includes the Hanford Reach National Monument, managed by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and DOE), plus the islands of the Columbia River within the Hanford Reach, and the White Bluffs on the eastern side of the river from the Hanford townsite to the 300 Area (Figures 1.1 and 1.2). The western limit is less well defined, but includes the portions of Umtanum Ridge and Rattlesnake Ridge that are within Benton County, including the upper portions of the western slope of Rattlesnake Mountain. The south and west side of the Columbia River from the vicinity of midway, Priest Rapids Dam, and extending essentially to Saddle Mountain Gap is also included. This encompasses slightly more area to the northwest of the Hanford Site boundaries than did Sackschewsky et al. (1992) and includes the areas examined by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983). The northern boundary is the crest of the Saddle Mountains. The southern limit is not well defined, but is essentially the Yakima River. However, the list includes a few species found along the Columbia River near Kennewick and at a few other locations within the Tri-Cities. Figure 1.2 provides locations for many of the geographic features mentioned in the text.

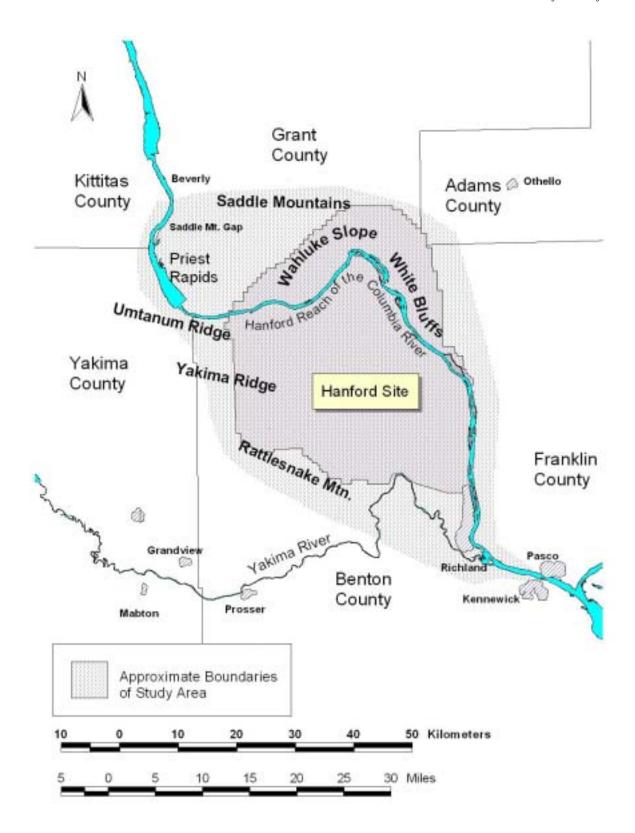


Figure 1.1. Approximate Boundaries of the Region Included in the Hanford Site Plant List

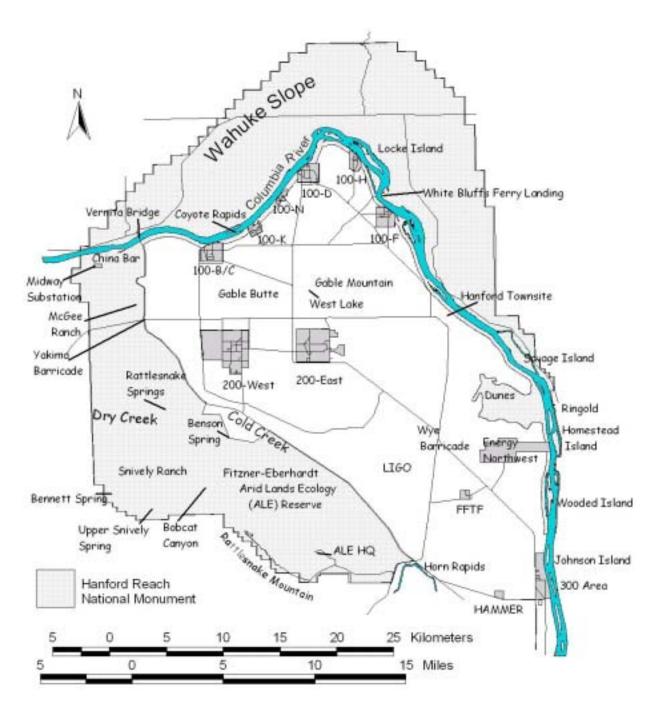


Figure 1.2. Major Geographic Features of the Hanford Site

1.1 Basis for the Hanford Site Plant List

The list of vascular plants of the Hanford Site provided in Section 3.0 is based primarily on specimens collected by numerous Hanford Site workers from 1950 to 2001. This includes the excellent botanical work conducted by Kathryn Beck and Florence Caplow, who surveyed large areas on the Hanford Site as part of the biodiversity inventory conducted by The Nature Conservancy (TNC) during the mid-to late-1990s (Caplow and Beck 1994, 1996, 1997). Additional species were culled from other published lists for the region and other reports on local plant ecology. Attempts were made to locate and examine locally collected specimens for each of the listed species; over 95% of the listed species are documented by preserved specimens. A few species that have been observed by the authors, but have not been collected or reported elsewhere, are also included.

There have been significant changes in the taxonomic nomenclature for a number of groups of plants in our area, including a number of the most common and dominant grasses and shrubs. However, because workers in our area do not have a complete, technical replacement, the taxonomy used in this document follows Hitchcock and Cronquist (1973). We have provided the currently accepted name for each species if it is different from that in Hitchcock and Cronquist (1973); we derived these synonyms from Kartesz and Meacham (1999). In some cases, differentiation of currently accepted taxa requires the use of other references such as Hickman (1993) or Cronquist et al. (1977-1994). Hitchcock et al. (1955-1969) provided additional information about some species. We followed Bailey (1949) for domesticated plants. Horticultural plants that are part of currently maintained landscapes (i.e., around buildings) were not included in this list; those that have persisted without active cultivation are included.

The earliest listing of local plant species specific to our region is the St. John and Jones (1928) catalog for Benton County. This list is derived primarily from specimens collected by J. S. Cotton from 1901 to 1903, prior to the formation of Benton County. Many of his specimens were collected in the Rattlesnake Hills. From the elevation data provided on the specimens (2,500 ft-3,500 ft), he must have been working on or very near the present day Hanford Site. St. John and Jones also referred to a number of specimens from Lake and Hull, who collected in the vicinity of White Bluffs during early August 1892; to Miss Ruth Bennett, a local woman who collected around her home in the Rattlesnake Hills during the 1920s; and to their own collections from the 1920s. Several other collectors were referenced for smaller numbers of species.

For our purposes, we have included only those species from the St. John and Jones listing that we are reasonably sure were collected on or very near the present day Hanford Site. We did make an exception for a couple of species that were collected along the Columbia River near Kennewick but were probably also present elsewhere along the river. Many of the St. John and Jones collections were made in the vicinities of White Bluffs and the Hanford townsite. Most specimens used as the basis for St. John and Jones (1928) were deposited in the Washington State University Herbarium, now the Marion Owenby Herbarium. The specimens for most species that have not been found in subsequent years were examined at Washington State University Herbarium. Specimens for five of those could not be found. The species on the St. John and Jones (1928) list were included for two primary reasons: First, their listing is perhaps the best available record of the true native vegetation of the region, and is thus a good indicator of what may be present in the area today. Second, relatively little of the Hanford Site has been thoroughly

examined botanically, and many of the species on this earlier list may still be found on site. A number of species on the Sackschewsky et al. (1992) list that were included solely because of St. John and Jones (1928) have been reconfirmed during recent years.

Before the publication of Sackschewsky et al. (1992), the most comprehensive list of vascular plants of the Hanford Site was included as Appendix II.3-G, part 2, in ERDA (1975). That list included approximately 270 taxa, but did not include information about the distributions of these species. Another list, Price and Rickard (1973), documented the flora associated with the 200 Areas waste storage sites. They produced a list of approximately 100 species with some general distribution characteristics.

The ERDA (1975) list was primarily based on the collections of J. T. and T. P. O'Farrell, who collected on the Fitzner/Eberhardt Arid Land Ecology (ALE) Reserve during the early 1970s (O'Farrell 1972). The majority of their collection was donated to the Washington State University Herbarium. At the time that Sackschewsky et al. (1992) was published, 35 of the 270 species included in ERDA (1975) had not been subsequently documented by other workers—most of these have now been confirmed either during recent biological investigations or by the extension of our defined region represented by the work near Priest Rapids by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983).

Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) prepared an excellent analysis of the vegetation on the south and west side of the Columbia River in the vicinity of Priest Rapids. Portions of their study area included the extreme western edge of the Hanford Site and the part of the eastern edge of the Yakima Training Center. We have chosen to include the species from their listing because the study area at least partially overlapped the region covered within Sackschewsky et al. (1992), and because their list provides confirmation or redundancy for a number of observations on the Hanford Site proper. In some cases, Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) provides confirmatory observations for species that have not been observed on the Hanford Site for 70 to 100 years. Much of their study area, at least at the time, may have been even less disturbed than the Hanford Site, and was therefore a partial surrogate area for our native plant communities. Specimens for most of the species reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill were found at the Marion Owenby Herbarium at WSU, Pullman.

Price and Rickard (1973) lists approximately 100 plant species from the 200 Areas. Most specimens collected in support of this list are currently held in the herbarium curated by PNNL. This herbarium was formerly maintained by Westinghouse Hanford Company and was referred to as "WHC" in Sackschewsky et al. (1992). Other major contributors to the PNNL herbarium include G. I. Baird, J. Lietz, V. A. Uresk, and M. R. Sackschewsky. These workers collected specimens from the late 1970s to the present. G. I. Baird also donated over 1,000 Hanford Site plant specimens to the herbarium at Brigham Young University (BRY).

The herbarium formerly maintained by PNNL at the ALE Reserve ("PNL" in Sackschewsky et al. [1992]) is now located on the WSU-Tri Cities campus (PNNL-TC). It contains a number of specimens collected by J. J. Davis in the early 1950s and by Pendleton in the late 1950s. Other major contributors include J. L. Warren, R. H. Sauer (and associates), R. E. Fitzner, W. H. Rickard, and J. F. Cline. Most of these workers collected during the mid-1970s to the early 1980s in support of a variety of projects.

1.2 Summary of the Hanford Plant List

Based on the sources described in Section 1.1, 725 species are included on the current listing of vascular plants of the Hanford Site. These species are spread over 355 genera in 90 families. The largest family is the Asteraceae, with 108 species in 53 genera, followed by the Poaceae with 85 species in 41 genera. These are followed by (with species/genera): Brassicaceae (42/23), Fabaceae (39/16), Cyperaceae (32/6), Boraginaceae (29/12), Scrophulariaceae (29/14), Polygonaceae (26/5), and Rosaceae (23/11). These 9 families (10% of all families) account for 57% of the total species and 51% of all the genera. Thirty-four families are monospecific in our region. The largest genus is *Carex* with 16 species, followed by *Eriogonum* with 12 species, and *Astragalus* with 11 species, *Juncus*, *Poa*, and *Cryptantha* have 10 species each. *Salix*, *Polygonum*, and *Lomatium* are each represented by 9 species; 6 genera are represented by 8 species each, and 2 genera have 7 species each. Six genera are represented by 6 species each, and 13 genera have 5 species each. The largest 10% of the genera account for 36% of the total number of species; 222 genera (63% of our genera) are monospecific in our region. The family, genus, and species distribution among higher levels of classification is provided in Table 1.1.

		Gymnosperms	ms Angiosperms (Magnoliophyta)		
	Vascular Cryptogams	Pinophyta	Monocots - Liliopsida	Dicots - Magnoliopsida	Total
Families	3	2	14	71	90
Genera	6	3	68	278	355
Species	10	4	165	546	725

Table 1.1. Phylogenetic Distribution of Hanford Site Vascular Plants

1.3 Document Contents and Uses

This document is intended to be useful for a broad range of applications and users. Appendices A and B are compact, alphabetical listings of the known Hanford flora (Appendix A by genus, Appendix B by family); these are designed to function as a quick reference for biologists working in the field. Section 2.0 of this report provides an overview of the plant communities on Hanford Site, including their characteristics and distribution, as well as the overall ecological and geological setting of the Hanford Site. Section 3.0 presents the annotated plant list. Section 4.0 provides a brief overview of the Hanford Site plant species currently listed by either Washington State or the federal government as threatened, endangered, sensitive, or otherwise of concern. Because the official status of any species is always subject to change, the comprehensive list that makes up the bulk of this document will allow for the presence or absence of new species of concern on the Hanford Site to be readily determined. The general distribution and abundance of such species could also be deduced based on the information included in Sections 2.0 and 3.0. Section 4.0 also lists species that are currently considered noxious weeds by the state of Washington. An overview of the interactions between humans and the local flora is provided in Section 5.0. This section is provided as an introduction to the variety of uses that people have and will find for the local flora and as an aid to developing risk assessments and modeling potential pathways to humans that may occur through the use of local plants for food or medicinal purposes.

2.0 Plant Communities on the Hanford Site

The semi-arid lands of the Hanford Site represent one of the last, large relatively undisturbed tracts of shrub-steppe in eastern Washington. Shrub-steppe vegetation once covered more than 200,000 square miles of the American West and represented the largest non-forested region in North America. However, many stands of native vegetation have been replaced since Lewis and Clark first described the shrubs, grasses, and herbs found in our area in 1805. As a result of expanded agricultural and urban development, much of the native shrub-steppe in Washington has been eliminated or fragmented. The shrub-steppe lands of the Hanford Site represent a valuable resource that has been afforded relative protection from private development for agriculture, grazing, and industry.

The designation shrub-steppe refers to the plants classed as dominants within the vegetative communities, that is, shrubs and steppe grasses. In describing the vegetation zones and plant associations of the eastern Washington steppe, Daubenmire (1970) originally included all the Hanford Site in the zone he called the *Artemisia tridentata/Agropyron spicatum* zone or big sagebrush/bluebunch wheatgrass zone (*Agropyron spicatum* has since been reclassified as *Pseudoroegneria spicata* [Pursh] A. Löve). This large zone covers the most arid interior of eastern Washington extending west to the Cascade Mountains, north into the Okanogan Valley, and south into portions of northcentral Oregon. Within this zone a number of different shrub-steppe plant community types exist according to climatic conditions, topographic conditions, soil type and depth, and land disturbance history.

At Hanford, the climate is semi-arid with hot, dry summers and cold, wet winters. Most of the effective precipitation is received between October and April, and a precipitation gradient coincides with the elevation gradient (Stone et al. 1983). The highest elevation on the Hanford Site is on the crest of Rattlesnake Mountain (3,500 ft; 1,150 m), which receives approximately 12 to 14 in. (30 to 35 cm) of precipitation annually. This northeast-facing anticlinal ridge falls steeply about 1,600 ft (487 m) elevation, where slopes become more moderate (8 to 10 in. [20 to 25 cm] of precipitation), but continue to descend to approximately 500 ft (152 m) in Cold Creek Valley and eastward to the Columbia River where annual average precipitation is 4.7 in. (12 cm) (Rickard et al. 1988). The 200 Area Plateau rises a few hundred feet above the rest of the central portion of the site, with Gable Butte and Gable Mountain rising fairly steeply to 773 ft (236 m) and 1,085 ft (331 m) respectively (Figure 2.1). Soils range from silt loams, stony silt loams, talus and basalt scree on the slopes of Rattlesnake Mountain and Gable Mountain to sandy loams, loamy sands, and dune sands on the Columbia River Plain (Figure 2.2) (Rickard et al. 1988; Hajek 1966). The different soils found on Hanford along with the elevation and precipitation gradient from the river to the top of Rattlesnake Mountain allow a variety of shrub-steppe plant communities to exist within a relatively short distance. Soil maps for the portions of the Hanford site lying within Franklin and Grant counties are not currently available.

In addition to shrub-steppe vegetation, riparian (streamside) vegetation on the Hanford Site is found along the banks of the Columbia River, along several intermittent streams occurring on the ALE Reserve, and on the shores of several irrigation waste-water ponds on the Saddle Mountain National Wildlife Refuge. Riparian vegetation is limited in extent, with narrow bands or buffers near the water consisting

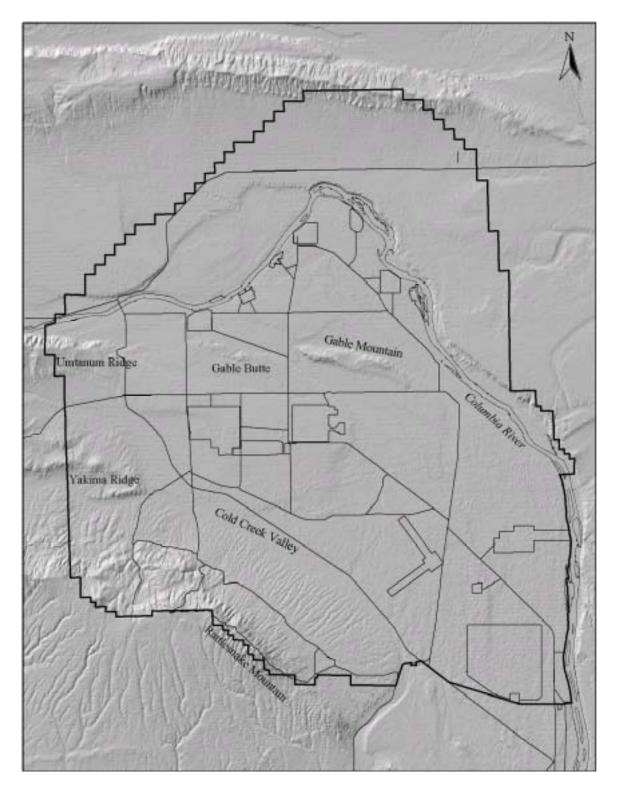


Figure 2.1. Shaded Relief Map of the Hanford Site Indicating Dominant Topographic Features (Major roads and outlines of the Hanford Site areas are included for reference.)

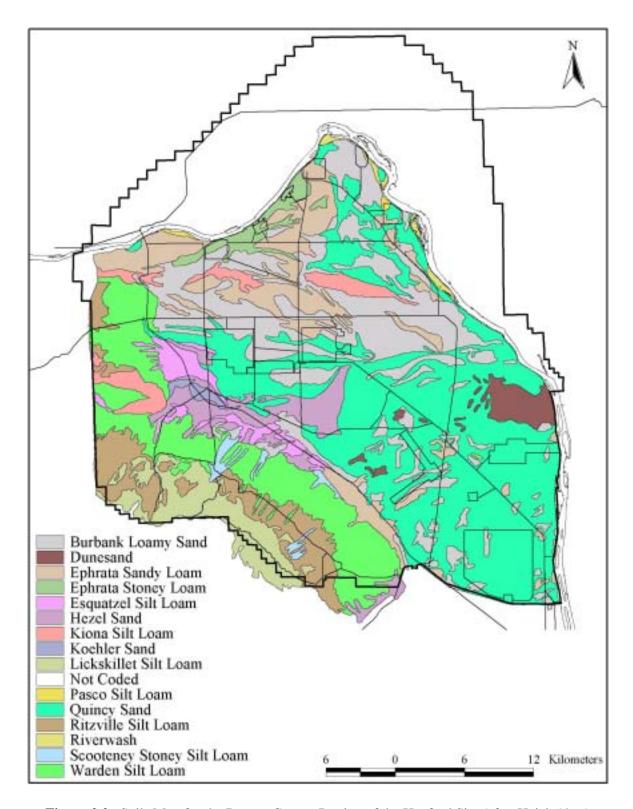


Figure 2.2. Soils Map for the Benton County Portion of the Hanford Site (after Hajek 1966)

of a number of forbs, grasses, sedges, reeds, rushes, cattails, and deciduous trees and shrubs. Much of the riparian zone has also been successfully invaded by exotic plant species that can act to displace native species. Along the Hanford Reach, mulberry (*Morus alba* L.) and Russian olive (*Elaeagnus angustifolia* L.) trees are more frequent than the native black cottonwood (*Populus trichocarpa* Torr. & Gray ex Hook). In places along the Columbia River shoreline, the native cattails (*Typha latifolia* L.), sedges, and rushes may be displaced by reed canarygrass (*Phalaris arundinacea*).

During the past decade, the existing and potential plant communities of the upland areas on the Hanford Site have been mapped in detail through cooperative efforts supported by DOE, Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife, TNC of Washington, and PNNL. The following section describes the plant associations most commonly found on the uplands of the Hanford Site.

2.1 Shrub-Steppe Plant Communities

Plant communities of the shrub-steppe region are usually named and recognized according to the dominant shrub and grass species found within the community (Figure 2.3). Within the shrub-steppe plant communities on Hanford, big sagebrush (*Artemisia tridentata* Nutt.) is often the dominant shrub with herbaceous grasses and forbs (herbaceous plants other than grasses) growing between and beneath shrub canopies (understory species). Other shrub species also occur in sagebrush steppe communities or may be the dominant shrub in seral or edaphic plant communities on Hanford. Common shrub species on Hanford besides sagebrush include the following:

- Gray rabbitbrush (Chrysothamnus nauseosus [Pallas ex Pursh.] Britt.)
- Green rabbitbrush (*Chrysothamnus viscidiflorus* [Hook.] Nutt.)
- Antelope bitterbrush (*Purshia tridentata* [Pursh.] DC.)
- Spiny hopsage (*Grayia spinosa* [Hook.] Moq.)
- Threetip sagebrush (Artemisia tripartita Rydb.)
- Black greasewood (Sarcobatus vermiculatus [Hook.] Torr.).

In some areas, particularly in ecotones at the boundaries of stands or in areas with soil mosaics, big sagebrush can co-occur with bitterbrush, threetip sagebrush, rigid sagebrush, and buckwheat species. Franklin and Dyrness (1973) expanded Daubenmire's (1970) classification to also recognize several of these shrubs as dominant species in shrub/Sandberg's bluegrass (*Poa sandbergii*) climax vegetation associations within the sagebrush/bluebunch wheatgrass vegetation zone.

Sagebrush is a particularly important plant in eastern Washington and throughout the Intermountain West. Mature stands of big sagebrush (where plants are large enough to have developed a woody branching structure) provide important habitat for species that rely on sagebrush to survive. The loggerhead

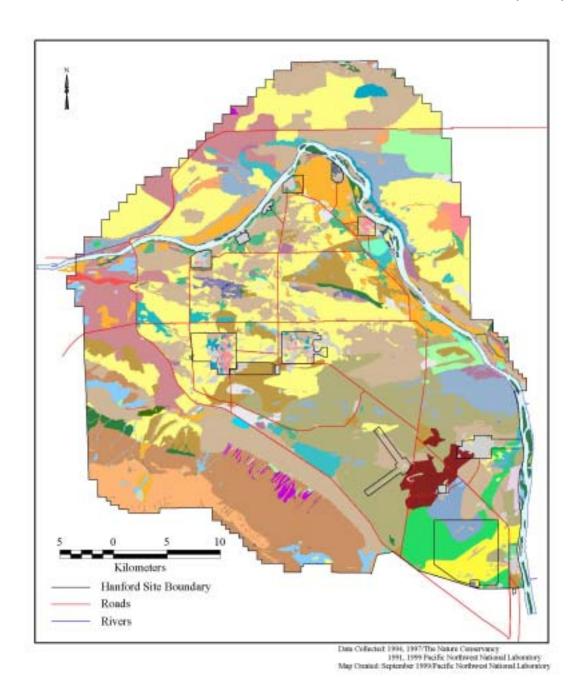


Figure 2.3. Vegetation Cover Types Found on the Hanford Site before the 2000 Command Fire. Because mapping was conducted over a 5-year period between 1994 and 1999, cover types may not reflect the current conditions. Readers are referred to the Ecosystem Monitoring web page (http://www.pnl.gov/ecology/ecosystem) to obtain the most current versions available for map layers.



Figure 2.3. (contd)

shrike, sage thrasher, and sage sparrow all require mature shrubs for nesting. Other species of conservation concern in Washington, such as the greater sage grouse, require the leaves of big sagebrush as a food source. Black-tailed jackrabbits also rely heavily on big sagebrush for food, protective cover, and shade. Of the three sagebrushes found on the Hanford Site, only stiff sagebrush is deciduous. Big sagebrush and threetip sagebrush are not deciduous, and their leaves can be an important food source for some wildlife in winter months when other shrubs are leafless. Stiff sagebrush (*Artemisia rigida*), which is less common on the Hanford Site because it is restricted to rock outcrops and rocky, shallow soils, is a winter deciduous shrub. The sagebrush communities of the Hanford Site represent a particularly important natural resource for the state because other lands within eastern Washington have been developed for agriculture and industry.

On the Hanford Site, bluebunch wheatgrass (*Agropyron spicatum* [Pursh.] Scribn. & J.G. Sm.), Sandberg's bluegrass (*Poa sandbergii* Vasey), a variety of flowering plants (forbs), and a cryptogamic soil crust form the understory of the big sagebrush/bluebunch wheatgrass zone. The understory vegetation comprises those species that grow below the tallest shrubs or trees in a plant community, that is the forbs and grass species. Most native perennial grass species commonly found on the Hanford Site are cool-season bunchgrasses, including needle-and-thread grass (*Stipa comata* Trin. & Rupr.), Indian ricegrass (*Oryzopsis hymenoides* Roemer & J. A. Schultes), Cusick's bluegrass (*Poa cusickii* Vasey), and Idaho fescue (*Festuca idahoensis* Elmer). When no shrubs are present in the community, the dominant grass species are used to describe the habitat, as shown in Figure 2.3—the bluebunch wheatgrass/Sandberg's bluegrass community. Table 2.1 shows the common shrub-steppe plant communities of the lower Columbia Basin. The general soil type and elevation for each community type also are listed. The predominant plant communities depicted in Figure 2.3 are described in more detail in the following paragraphs.

Table 2.1. Common Shrub-Steppe Plant Communities of the Hanford Site

Plant Community Type	Soils	Elevation ^(a) (m)		
Big sagebrush/Sandberg's bluegrass	Loams and sandy loams	100 - 300		
Big sagebrush/cheatgrass	Loams and sandy loams	Above 100		
Big sagebrush/needle-and-thread grass	Sands and loamy sands	100 - 300		
Big sagebrush bluebunch wheatgrass	Loams and silt loams	Above 200		
Bitterbrush/bluebunch wheatgrass	Sands, loams, silt loams	100 - 300		
Bitterbrush/needle-and-thread grass	Sands and loamy sands	100 - 300		
Bitterbrush/Indian ricegrass	Sands	100 - 300		
Hopsage/Sandberg's bluegrass	Loams, silt loams	100 - 300		
Greasewood/saltgrass	Loams, silt loams	100 - 300		
Threetip sagebrush/bluebunch wheatgrass	Loams, silt loams	400 - 800		
Threetip sagebrush/Idaho fescue	Loams, silt loams	400 - 1,000		
Stiff sagebrush/Sandberg's bluegrass	Stony loams/lithosol	100 - 500		
Thyme buckwheat/Sandberg's bluegrass	Stony loams/lithosol	Above 500		
Rock buckwheat/Sandberg's bluegrass	Stony loams/lithosol	Above 250		
Narrow-leaved goldenweed/Sandberg's bluegrass	Stony loams/lithosol	Above 250		
(a) Elevation bands described here are intended only to describe the approximate distribution of the communities on the Hanford Site; exceptions are likely to occur.				

2.1.1 Big Sagebrush/Sandberg's Bluegrass

Communities dominated by big sagebrush/Sandberg's bluegrass occur below elevations of 800 to 900 ft (about 250 to 275 m) above sea level in the driest parts of the Columbia Basin. The extremes in temperature and low precipitation levels found in the lower Columbia Basin create one of the driest and harshest environments dominated by the evergreen big sagebrush. In some places where significant human-related disturbances (intense livestock grazing, construction) have occurred, the introduced winter annual grass cheatgrass becomes the dominant or co-dominant grass species. Other native bunchgrasses, including Indian ricegrass, needle-and-thread grass, and bottlebrush squirreltail may be scattered throughout this community type.

Spiny hopsage also occurs often in this community, and in some areas it may co-dominate the shrub layer. Green rabbitbrush, gray rabbitbrush, and bitterbrush may also represent a minor component within the community. Common native forb species include Carey's balsamroot (*Balsamorhiza careyana* Gray), long-leaved phlox (*Phlox longifolia* Nutt.), yarrow (*Achillea millefolium* L.), and daisy fleabane (*Erigeron* spp.). Turpentine springparsley (*Cymopterus terebinthinus* Hook.) also often occurs on sandy soils dominated by this community type. Species diversity often is lower in this community than in communities found in the surrounding foothills.

Across some portions of the Hanford Site, the understory grasses have been replaced to some degree by cheatgrass resulting in Sandberg's bluegrass-cheatgrass complexes. The big sagebrush/Sandberg's bluegrass-cheatgrass cover type is common across central Hanford.

2.1.2 Big Sagebrush or Bitterbrush/Needle-and-Thread Grass

In limited areas of the Columbia River Plain, sandy soils and loamy sands support plant communities where needle-and-thread grass is the dominant understory species with a shrub component of mostly big sagebrush or antelope bitterbrush or a mix of the two shrubs. Other perennial native grasses in the understory include Sandberg's bluegrass and prairie junegrass (*Koelaria cristata*). Many of the forbs found in the bitterbrush/Indian ricegrass and dune complex communities can also be found in these communities. The low-growing snow buckwheat (*Eriogonum niveum* Dougl. Ex Benth.) is commonly found within these communities in the sandy loams and sands found on central Hanford. Snow buckwheat may become the dominant shrub component in this habitat when the larger shrubs are removed by wildfire. Gray rabbitbrush may also be a dominant shrub in these communities if big sagebrush is removed by wildfire. This climax community is not well represented in the rest of eastern Washington, and areas on Hanford consisting of big sagebrush/needle-and-thread grass are considered an element occurrence by the Washington State Natural Heritage Program (see Rare Plant Communities and Element Occurrences).

2.1.3 Bitterbrush/Indian Ricegrass and Dune Complex

This shrub-steppe plant community is associated with stabilized sand dunes such as those found on the Hanford Site. Unstabilized sand dunes occur over a large area on the west side of the Columbia River just north of Energy Northwest. Indian ricegrass and needle-and-thread grass are particularly well suited for growing in these dry sandy soils and help stabilize dune sands. Other dune-stabilizing species are pale evening primrose (*Oenothera pallida*), sand dock (*Rumex venosus*), thickspike wheatgrass (*Agropyron dasystachyum* [Hook.] Scribn. & J.G. Sm.), scurfpea (*Psoralea lanceolata* Pursh.), turpentine springparsley, and green rabbitbrush (*Chrysothamnus viscidiflorus* [Hook.] Nutt.). Snow buckwheat can also be a significant component of these community types and can be the most obvious species in the stand following wildfires. In sandy or cobbly portions of central Hanford, big sagebrush may co-dominate with bitterbrush to varying degrees with bunchgrasses in the understory.

Sand dunes can be a difficult place for plants to colonize because the dunes are constantly shifting, and plant seeds can easily blow away or be covered too deeply to germinate. Other constraints also exist that may decrease seed germination and recruitment on dune soils, including the soil texture and water holding capacity. Because the dune soils are so coarse, water quickly infiltrates, and the soil surface dries rapidly after precipitation events. Even so, over time dunes can support a richly diverse plant community of species that are well adapted to sandy soils. These sandy soil areas with varying topography create a number of microclimates, and thus, niches that support different plant life forms. The aspect and slope of the dune influence which plants grow where. For example, north-facing slopes of the sand dunes often support a dense stand of needle-and-thread grass, whereas the crests of the sand dunes support a mix of shrubs and grasses.

2.1.4 Sand Dropseed-Sandberg's Bluegrass

Sand dropseed (*Sporobolus cryptandrus* [Torr.] Gray) growing in association with Sandberg's bluegrass likely represents a climax community at the interface between riparian and upland areas of the shrub-steppe. It is found in cobble and sandy soils near the river. Many of these areas have also been heavily disturbed either during the years when those areas were farmed or during Hanford reactor construction and Hanford Site operations. In some stands, gray rabbitbrush or big sagebrush shrubs provide a shrub component.

2.1.5 Greasewood/Saltgrass and Spiny Hopsage/Sandberg's Bluegrass

In low-lying, flat areas of the Columbia Basin with silt loam and loam soils, spiny hopsage- and greasewood-dominated plant communities occur. These two shrubs are salt- or alkali-tolerant plants (called halophytes) that can thrive in areas where other shrubs cannot. Greasewood plant communities are usually found adjacent to either above-ground or near-surface water such as creeks and springs because greasewood requires root contact with groundwater for survival. Sodium accumulates and is partitioned in the leaves of the winter deciduous greasewood shrubs. Spiny hopsage tolerates alkaline soils and accumulates significant amounts of potassium in its leaves before the leaves senesce and drop to the ground during the dry summer months.

Greasewood/saltgrass (*Distichlis stricta* [Torr.] Rydb.) plant communities on the Hanford Site occur in association with ephermeral and permanent water courses such as Rattlesnake Springs and irrigation waste-water lakes on the Wahluke Slope. Sandberg's bluegrass often co-occurs with saltgrass in the understory. Intershrub spaces may support grasses or contain small areas where alkaline compounds coat the soil surface. Greasewood is a winter deciduous shrub and resprouts from the root crown after burning.

Spiny hopsage/Sandberg's bluegrass communities are less common in the Columbia Basin landscape. Several stands on central Hanford were burned during the 2000 wildfire, but spiny hopsage still occurs as a dominant shrub in communities found on the Franklin County side of the Hanford Reach. The understory of hopsage stands is often invaded by cheatgrass and other exotic annual species. Spiny hopsage drops its leaves in the dry summer months and remaining brownish grey branches appear dead until the following spring. Hopsage is usually killed by wildfires and appears to have a very poor chance of re-establishing naturally during the following decades. The reasons prohibiting establishment are not well understood, but possible explanations for the lack of seedling recruitment of this shrub include seed predation, competition with non-native species, and herbivory.

2.1.6 Big Sagebrush/Bluebunch Wheatgrass

The slopes of Rattlesnake Mountain, as well as the north-facing slopes of Gable Mountain support big sagebrush/bluebunch wheatgrass plant communities. This community occurs primarily above elevations of 800 to 900 ft (250 to 275 m) on Hanford in deep loam and silt loam soils. When wildfires kill big sagebrush, the perennial bunchgrasses usually survive, producing communities dominated by bluebunch wheatgrass growing with Sandberg's and Cusick's bluegrass, and Thurber's needle-and-thread grass (*Stipa thurberiana* Piper). This community usually supports a richer species diversity than big sagebrush communities at lower elevations. Common forbs include Carey's balsamroot (*Balsamorhiza careyana* Gray), long-leaved phlox, yarrow (*Achillea millefolium* L.), cushion pussytoes (*Antennaria dimorpha* [Nutt.] Torr. & Gray), Cusick's sunflower (*Helianthus cusickii* Gray), slender hawksbeard (*Crepis atribarba* Heller), silver and sulpher lupine (*Lupinus leucophyllus* Dougl. Ex Lindl. and *Lupinus sulphureus* Dougl. Ex Hook.), and several daisy fleabanes (*Erigeron* species). Microbiotic crusts consisting of lichens, mosses, cyanobacteria, and green algae cover interplant spaces between bunchgrasses and shrubs.

2.1.7 Threetip Sagebrush/Bluebunch Wheatgrass

At the highest elevations in the hills surrounding the lower Columbia Basin and the Yakima Valley, threetip sagebrush sometimes replaces big sagebrush as the dominant shrub. Bluebunch wheatgrass and Sandberg's bluegrass are still important grasses in the understory of threetip sagebrush; however, Idaho fescue (*Festuca idahoensis* Elmer) another bunchgrass, becomes abundant only at higher elevations and on north-facing slopes where more soil moisture is available. The presence of threetip sagebrush and increased abundance of Idaho fescue is related to increased precipitation and decreased air and soil temperatures occurring at higher elevations. Threetip sagebrush and big sagebrush can also often occur as co-dominant shrub species on the hillsides of the Columbia Basin. Unlike big sagebrush, threetip sagebrush can resprout following wildfires.

2.1.8 Plant Communities on Lithosols (stony soils)

Lithosol is a term for the gravelly, rocky, talus soils associated with basalt outcrops and cliffs. Basalt outcrops, cliffs (scarps), and loose rock at the base of cliffs or on slopes (called screes) are found along the crests and slopes of the Rattlesnake Hills, Yakima Ridge, Umtanum Ridge, the Saddle Mountains, Manashtash Ridge, and Gable Mountain. This type of habitat is also common in the areas known as the

channeled scablands, Yakima Canyon, and along the eastern end of the Columbia River Gorge. This type of landform in the lower Columbia Basin is determined by the underlying basalts, which may be exposed above the soil on ridgetops or where wind and water erode the fine soils away. As the basalt weathers, a rocky soil type is formed—lithosol. On Hanford, these soils are found on Gable Butte, Gable Mountain, Umtanum Ridge, Yakima Ridge, and Rattlesnake Mountain.

The plant communities that establish on these stony soils can be quite diverse. Usually lithosols support scattered short-statured shrubs and grasses such as those found in communities dominated by rock buckwheat (*Eriogonum sphaerocephalum* Dougl. Ex Benth.)/Sandberg's bluegrass, thyme buckwheat (*Eriogonum thymoides* Benth.)/Sandberg's bluegrass, rigid sagebrush/Sandberg's bluegrass, and narrowleaf goldenweed (*Haplopappus stenophyllus* Gray)/Sandberg's bluegrass. Characteristic species found on ridgetops include rosy balsamroot (*Balsamorhiza rosea* A. Nels. & J.F. Macbr.), thyme buckwheat, Hood's phlox (*Phlox hoodii* Richards.), and daggerpod (*Phoenicaulis cheiranthoides* Nutt.). Many wildflowers found on deeper soils at lower elevations also occur on lithosols, but plants growing along the wind-swept ridgetops are usually shorter than similar ones found at lower elevations.

The shrub component of several of these communities is often co-dominated by big sagebrush especially at the margins or ecotonal boundaries of the community where soils may become deeper and less rocky. Rigid (or stiff) sagebrush communities may occur as islands where pockets of lithosols or basalt outcrops occur within the boundaries of larger big sagebrush stands. Rock and slender (*Eriogonum microthecum* Nutt.) buckwheat may also have similar distributions within big sagebrush stands, or may exist as co-dominant shrubs on shallow rocky soils.

2.1.9 Abandoned Fields

Cultivated fields along the western and eastern shores of the Columbia River, along the Cold Creek Valley, and in the Snively Basin on the ALE Reserve were abandoned in 1943 when the federal government acquired the land for what is now the Hanford Site. The most extensive of these old-field habitats are located west of the Columbia River near the Hanford townsite and White Bluffs townsite. Residents were relocated, and farming and livestock grazing ceased. Exotic annual species, particularly cheatgrass, tumble mustard (*Sisymbrium altissimum*), jagged chickweed (*Holosteum umbellatum*), and Russian thistle (*Salsola kali*) now dominate the vegetation on these fields. On the Snively Ranch above 1,950 ft (600 m) in the Rattlesnake Hills, black rye (*Secale cereale*) dominates the old fields, while lower elevation old fields are occupied by cheatgrass (*Bromus tectorum* L.) and bulbous bluegrass (*Poa bulbosa* L.).

Other areas of the lower Columbia Basin that have been disturbed by wildfire, livestock grazing, and heavy machinery or construction activities may support similar vegetation as that seen in old fields. Cheatgrass and other exotic annuals often dominate these communities because they have excellent seed germination and dispersal and are adapted to the climate. Shrub species such as green and gray rabbit-brush are sometimes able to colonize these sites. In some abandoned fields along the Columbia River, the native warm-season bunchgrass, sand dropseed has successfully re-established in sandy and cobble substrates. Shade trees planted around scattered farm houses on the Hanford Site and other areas of the Basin—mostly black locust, Siberian elm, and white poplar—have survived for more than 50 years without irrigation water.

2.1.10 Rare Plant Communities and Element Occurrences

Because the Hanford Site has not been subject to the same pressures for agricultural and urban development over the past 50 years, some plant communities on site are relatively rare outside the Site boundaries. In addition, the protection from grazing and other types of land use has allowed plant communities within the Hanford Site boundaries to retain native forb species and biotic soil crusts that are lacking or poorly represented in other areas in eastern Washington. When the vegetation cover mapping for the Hanford Site was conducted (Figure 2.3), plant communities were rated as to the condition and size of the stand as well as the rarity of the stand. Community characteristics were evaluated, and certain stands were designated as element occurrences within Washington State by the Washington Natural Heritage Program (part of the Department of Natural Resources). Characteristics evaluated for each shrub-steppe community included the acreage of the community within the state, the relative amount of alien species in the community, and the condition of the microbiotic crust. Figure 2.4 indicates the element occurrences designated on the Hanford Site.

Other plant community types or features exist that have special habitat status on the site. These include vernal ponds—small bodies of water that exist seasonally and have distinctive vegetational patterns that occur below the ridgelines of Gable Butte and Gable Mountain and at the extreme eastern end of Umtanum Ridge. The Nature Conservancy has also designated portions of the plant communities found at the base of the north side of Gable Mountain as special habitat areas because they potentially include populations of rare annual native species not found elsewhere on the site. The top of Umtanum Ridge is also designated as a special habitat area for similar reasons.

Another special habitat area encompasses the sand dune complex found just west of the Columbia River. This area represents one of the few moving sand dune areas in Washington State and harbors a great deal of plant species diversity. Few invasive alien species are present within the dunes, and the plant communities represent unique resources within the state. This area has also been included as part of the Hanford National Monument.

2.2 Disturbance Effects on Habitats and Seral Stages

Certain landscape-scale events and types of land use can drastically alter the composition and structure of the native shrub-steppe plant communities found on the Hanford Site. One of the most dramatic influences in the shrub-steppe is wildfire. Wildfires typically occur in late summer and early fall in the Mid-Columbia region. At this time of year, most of the perennial cool-season grasses and perennial forbs have completed a reproductive cycle and are beginning to senesce and become dormant until either fall rains provide additional moisture or spring growth occurs the following year. Many Hanford Site native plants are not seriously damaged by wildfire because they are dormant or semi-dormant, and many

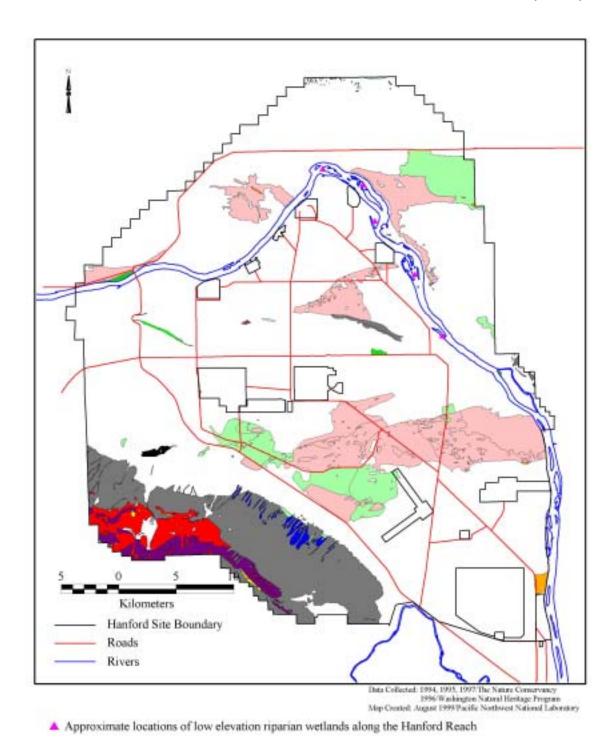


Figure 2.4. Locations and Types of Element Occurrences on the Hanford Site



Figure 2.4. (contd)

perennial plants can resprout from roots in the late fall or early spring following the fire. This is not the case for big sagebrush, which must propagate from seed, and is typically killed by wildfire. Sagebrush seeds can germinate and begin to re-establish in the spring months following the fire if environmental and vegetative conditions are favorable—that is, precipitation, soil moisture and temperature and adequate for germination, and the area has not been heavily invaded by competing alien weed species. Sagebrush seedlings do not appear to be successful in establishing within cheatgrass or other alien species monocultures. Gray and green rabbitbrush can resprout after fires and often establish as the dominant shrub in the years following wildfires.

Other disturbances that impact community structure and function are those associated with prior construction and development activities. Areas that have been graveled or paved as parking lots, old streets (such as those at the Hanford townsite) and homesteads exhibit a number of different species and cover types. Gray and green rabbitbrush appear to be particularly well-suited to re-invading areas where soils were compressed, the top soils removed, and gravels or asphalt applied. Many such areas now support gray rabbitbrush/Sandberg's bluegrass cover.

In describing the current plant communities found on the Hanford Site, it is important to recognize and understand the role of introduced invasive plant species. A number of exotic or alien species have been introduced to the Intermountain West since the turn of the century that can successfully invade sagebrush-dominated communities and drastically change community composition, structure and function. When native plants are displaced by Mediterranean exotic species, the introduced plants can become the dominant or common species in many places. Of the over 700 species of vascular plants in this area, approximately 20% are considered non-native.

Exotic species that invade communities and readily displace native forbs include a number of noxious weeds such as rush skeletonweed (*Chondrilla juncea*) and especially the knapweeds: white knapweed (*Centaurea diffusa* Lam.), Russian knapweed (*Centaurea repens* L.), yellow star-thistle (*Centaurea solstitialis* L.), and spotted knapweed (*Centaurea maculosa* Lam.). The term noxious is actually a legal description, and these weeds are regulated by state and county weed boards depending on the distribution of the species and its potential threat. A noxious weed is a non-native plant that is generally highly aggressive, which can cause problems for natural areas, agriculture, and/or recreation. See Section 4.2 for a list of noxious weeds currently found here.

Another type of invasion most often occurs after some type of ground breaking disturbance or stress to soils and vegetation. Cheatgrass or downy brome, Russian thistle (*Salsola kali L.*), and tumble mustard (*Sisymbrium altissimum L.*) are common weedy species introduced in the late 1800s and early 1900s that can rapidly invade and dominate disturbed soils on the site. Historical farm sites along the Columbia River on the Hanford Site that were abandoned in 1943 were invaded by cheatgrass and tumble mustard and are still identified as monocultures of these alien species.

In the lower Columbia Basin, distribution and abundance of native plants has been significantly altered by the introduction of cheatgrass. Plant communities dominated by cheatgrass are a persistent and widespread feature of the Columbia Basin landscape. These monocultures and the persistence and dominance of cheatgrass in native shrub stands compound the effects of wildfires on the shrub-steppe.

Although most plants of the shrub-steppe survive wildfires to grow again the following year, a number of shrub species do not. Because cheatgrass is a winter annual grass, it grows, flowers, and produces seed very early in the growing season. Most cheatgrass at elevations below 984 ft (300 m) will senesce and die before the middle of May in a normal rainfall year in the Columbia Basin. The remaining standing dead grass is highly flammable and can act to carry the fire more efficiently from shrub to shrub or produce very hot, fast fires in monocultures of cheatgrass. Unfortunately, cheatgrass seeds that are buried in the soil or even lying on the soil surface are seldom all burned and killed by the fire. This seed source can then germinate after fall rains, and the annual cheatgrass begins to establish and may dominate a site in the years following a fire. The progression of succession and the invasion of the shrub-steppe plant communities by invasives such as cheatgrass after wildfire is highly dependent on the composition and condition of the plant community before the fire as well as the climate during the years following the fire.

Grazing is another type of disturbance that can impact the composition of shrub-steppe communities found in the Columbia Basin. Shrub-steppe land evolved without the influence or presence of large grazing mammals. Before the 1800s, grazing in the lower Columbia Basin was limited to small numbers of deer, wapiti (elk), and antelope. Livestock-palatable native bunchgrasses, which form the understory of the shrub-steppe, are easily damaged by overgrazing, and the grass often is unable to recover. Trampling by livestock can destroy the microbiotic crust and damage the grasses leaving the bare soils open to invasion by non-natives. In places that have been heavily grazed, non-native plant species such as cheatgrass and tumble mustard quickly invade.

3.0 Vascular Plants of the Hanford Site

In the following pages, we have provided information about each species that has been identified on or near the Hanford Site. Species are listed alphabetically within families, which are also listed alphabetically. We, therefore, have made no attempt to arrange the taxa in any phylogenetic or systematic fashion.

Information provided for each species includes the scientific name with taxonomic authority, varietal designations, where appropriate, and an accepted common name. Common synonyms for the scientific name are also provided. In most cases, we have assigned scientific names based on Hitchcock and Cronquist (1973), acknowledging that there are more recent taxonomic treatments of many groups. We feel that as long as Hitchcock and Cronquist (1973) remains the most commonly used and most authoritative guide to the flora of the Pacific Northwest, these names will be most often encountered by persons attempting to identify plants in our area. We have attempted to provide the most current and appropriate synonym for all species, which we have most often obtained from the *Synthesis of the North American Flora* (Kartesz and Meacham 1999). We hope this information will be useful to those who are interested in becoming more familiar with recent developments in plant taxonomy. We have also provided the accepted U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) code for each species (USDA 2001); when more than one code is listed, the official USDA code is listed first, followed by the code usually used during field work on Hanford.

Additional information provided for each species includes the life form (graminoid, herb, tree, shrub, etc.), life span (annual or perennial), and origin (introduced or native). Determination of native or alien status is relative and not always obvious. Many plants that may not have been present prior to European settlement of the Columbia Basin, may still be natives of the general region. Species that are clearly of Eurasian origin, or clearly brought in from other parts of North America, are considered introduced; otherwise, species are considered native. We have probably been fairly liberal in assigning native status to some species. Where possible, we followed indications about species origin provided in Hitchcock et al. (1955-1969). Finally, we have provided a brief description of the Hanford Site distribution, taxonomic notes, and other information about each species, followed by a list of specimens collected on or near the Hanford Site, with the herbarium where each can be found.

There have been several changes in the herbarium designations used since the previous Hanford plant list was published (Sackschewsky et al. 1992). The herbarium that was previously housed at the ALE Headquarters and formerly designated as "PNL" is now housed at the WSU Tri-Cities campus and is designated as "PNNL-TC." The herbarium formerly maintained by Westinghouse Hanford Company (WHC) is now maintained by PNNL, and is designated "PNNL." Other herbariums where specimens are located include "WS" – the Marion Owenby Herbarium at Washington State University, Pullman, WA; "WTU" – University of Washington Herbarium, Seattle, WA; and "BRY" – Brigham Young University Herbarium, Provo, UT.

Aceraceae

Acer saccharinum L. silver maple

USDA Code: Acsa2 (Acsa) lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced tree, persisting at Hanford townsite.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1284; (PNNL): CZM 348

Aizoaceae (Molluginaceae)

Mollugo verticillata L. carpetweed

USDA Code: Move lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon in wet ground along the Columbia River at 100-B Area and

around buildings in north Richland.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1345a; (PNNL): MRS 295

Alismataceae

Alisma gramineum Lej. narrow-leaf waterplantain

USDA Code: Algr lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Occasional in wetland areas, collected on the Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS 276

Sagittaria cuneata Sheldon wapato

USDA Code: Sacu lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Known from older specimens collected near Kennewick and reported by

TNC along the Columbia River through Hanford and on ALE.

Collections: (WS): Jones 375; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95121

Amaranthaceae

Amaranthus albus L. white pigweed

USDA Code: Amal (Amalb) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced, widespread weed of disturbed areas, collected in Dry Creek

Valley and at 100-H Area.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1277, 1245; (WS): O'Farrell 72-246

Amaranthus graecizans L. prostrate pigweed

Amaranthus blitoides S. Wats.

USDA Code: Ambl lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Reported from central Hanford by TNC.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95049

Anacardiaceae

Rhus glabra L. smooth sumac

USDA Code: Rhgl lifeform: tree origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Commonly scattered along waterways, occasionally planted and

persisting, e.g., Snively Springs and south of the 300 Area.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1138; (PNNL): CZM 441; (PNNL-TC): Warren 8-16-78;

(WS): O'Farrell 72-251

Rhus radicans L. poison ivy

Toxicodendron rydbergii (Small ex. Rydb.) Greene

USDA Code: Tory (Rhra6) lifeform: vine origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common, widespread species, reported from ALE during the 1970s, but

the O'Farrell specimen was not found at WSU, also reported by

Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) from Priest Rapids area, but a specimen

was not found at WSU.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 74-307

Apiaceae

Anthriscus scandicina (Weber ex. Wiggers) Mansf.

bur chervil

Anthriscus caucalis Bieb.

USDA Code: Anca14 (Ansc) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced weedy species, widespread in shady bottom land, collected

along the Yakima River at Richland and reported by TNC on ALE.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 14

Berula erecta (Huds.) Coville cut-leaf water parsnip

USDA Code: Beer lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) from wet areas in the Priest

Rapids region.

Collections: Mastrogiuseppe 2592, 2643

Cicuta douglasii (DC.) Coult. & Rose western water hemlock

USDA Code: Cido lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) from wet areas in the Priest

Rapids region. Also observed along Yakima River.

Collections: Mastrogiuseppe 2425, 2641

Cymopterus terebinthinus (Hook.) Torr. & Gray turpentine springparsley

Pteryxia terebinthina (Hook.) Coult. & Rose var. terebinthina

USDA Code: Pttet (Cyte) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Very common in sandy areas throughout Hanford.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-51; P&R-55; JGL-1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6; (BRY): Baird 26, 199,

539, 569, 649; (PNNL-TC): Davis 4-2-52; Rickard 4-16-86; (WS):

O'Farrell 72-179, 71-180; St. John 8111, 8130

Daucus carota L. Queen Anne's lace

USDA Code: Daca4 (Daca) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) from wet areas in the Priest

Rapids region.

Collections: None Available

Lilaeopsis occidentalis Coult. & Rose

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USDA Code: Lioc lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Scattered in mudflats along Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL): GLF 170; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94067

Lomatium canbyi (Coult. & Rose) Coult. & Rose Canby's desertparsley

USDA Code: Loca4 (Loca) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Local on dry, rocky areas on top of Rattlesnake and Umtanum ridges. Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1553; (BRY): Baird 786; (PNNL-TC): Johnson &

Rickard 4-22-56; (WS): O'Farrell 72-188; Cotton 567

Lomatium dissectum (Nutt.) Mathias & Constance fernleaf desertparsley

USDA Code: Lodi lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Local on rocky north slopes and talus near the top of Rattlesnake

Mountain.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-789; (PNNL-TC): Woodley & Sauer 5-18-76; (WS):

O'Farrell 71-45, 72-196; Cotton 332

Lomatium geyeri (S. Wats.) Coult. & Rose Geyer's desertparsley

USDA Code: Loge2 (Loge) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local on loamy talus slopes of Umtanum Ridge.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1544; (BRY): Baird 635; (WTU): Caplow & Beck

95016

Lomatium gormanii (T.J. Hoell) Coult. & Rose

Gorman's desertparsley

USDA Code: Logo lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Scattered on loamy, often rocky areas, primarily on the slopes and top of

Rattlesnake Mountain, but also collected on north slope of Gable

Mountain. TNC also found this species at various locations on the North

Slope and along the Columbia River.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 557, 584, 757, 785; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 4-9-76;

Schlessmann 3-24-76; Schlessmann 3-29-76; Pendleton 3-11-59; (WS):

St. John 8090; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95007

Lomatium grayi (Coult. & Rose) Coult. & Rose

Gray's desertparsley

USDA Code: Logr lifeform: forb origin: Native *duration:* perennial Very common and widespread throughout Hanford, especially in rocky-Distribution/Notes:

silty soils along moist or drying drainages and water courses, e.g.,

Rattlesnake Mountain, Snively Canyon, China Bar, and 100 Areas.

(PNNL): Baird-787; MRS-99; JGL-07; (BRY): Baird 604, 608, 712, Collections:

968; (PNNL-TC): Davis 4-2-52; Schlessmann 4-9-76; Sauer 5-30-75 #4,

6-17-75 #11, 4-12-78, 5-15-80; Rickard & Cline 5-1-70; McShane

4-29-79; (WS): O'Farrell 71-1; St. John 8118, Beattie 3960

Lomatium hambleniae Mathias & Constance

Coeur d'Alene desertparsley

Lomatium farinosum (Hook.) Coult. & Rose var. hambleniae (Mathias & Constance)

USDA Code: Lofah (Loha) lifeform: forb origin: Native *duration:* perennial

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon on Hanford, collected on ALE, and reported from the

Wahluke Slope and the Priest Rapids vicinity.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 72-173, 72-177; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94023

Lomatium macrocarpum (Nutt. Ex Torr. & Gray)

bigseed desertparsley

USDA Code: Loma3 (Loma) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread in a number of habitats, as on Rattlesnake and

Gable mountains, the Central Plateau, and across the Wahluke Slope.

(PNNL): MRS-78; P&R-56; JGL-08; (BRY): Baird 550, 575, 622, 694, Collections:

784; (PNNL-TC): no name 4-11-73; (WS): O'Farrell 71-8, 72-178;

Cotton 564, Beattie 3961

Lomatium triternatum (Pursh) Coult. & Rose

nineleaf desertparsley

USDA Code: Lotr2 (Lotr) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Common and widespread in rocky-loamy soils on slopes of main hills and Distribution/Notes:

ridges in area, mostly with bunchgrasses, e.g., Rattlesnake Mountain,

Snively Basin, and Umtanum Ridge.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 580, 641, 722, 754, 796; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-17-75 #12;

Rickard & Cline 5-1-70; (WS): St. John 8082; O'Farrell 71-76, 74-298

Lomatium tuberosm Hoover

Hoover's desertparsley

USDA Code: Lotu lifeform: forb origin: Native *duration:* perennial

Washington State threatened species endemic on steep basalt talus slopes Distribution/Notes:

in the Umtanum Ridge/Priest Rapids area. Found on the extreme western

edge of the Hanford Site.

(PNNL): Baird-1543, 1552, 1558; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 4-20-78; (WS): Collections:

Mastrogiuseppe 3236, 3237

Perideridia gairdneri (Hook. & Arn.) Mathias

Gairdner's yampah

USDA Code: Pega3 (Pega) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes:

Collected at White Bluffs and in the Rattlesnake Hills. Not observed on

or near Hanford Site since the early 20th century.

(WS): Lake & Hull 8-1-1892; Cotton 661 Collections:

Apocynaceae

Apocynum cannabinum L. common dogbane

USDA Code: Apca lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Very common in wet areas along the Columbia River, around springs,

and at Cold Creek.

(PNNL): MRS-161; CZM 387, 466; (BRY): Baird 1229, 1372; (PNNL-Collections:

TC): Sauer & Durham 8-7-75 #16; (WS): O'Farrell 71-104

Apocynum sibiricum Jacq.

Indian hemp

Apocynum cannabinum L.

USDA Code: Apca (Apsi) lifeform: forb origin: Native *duration:* perennial Distribution/Notes: Collected at Rattlesnake Springs, now included within A. cannibinum.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 71-104

Asclepiadaceae

Asclepias fascicularis Dene. narrow-leaved milkweed

USDA Code: Asfa duration: perennial lifeform: forb origin: Native Distribution/Notes: Rare in our area; collected on Island 11 in the Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-6-80

showy milkweed Asclepias speciosa Torr.

USDA Code: Assp lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Local, often in moist disturbed areas near the Columbia River, the Distribution/Notes:

Hanford townsite, river islands, and ALE.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1098; (PNNL-TC): Sauer & Durham 8-7-75 #10, (PNNL):

CZM 394

Asteraceae

Achillea millefolium L. yarrow

USDA Code: Acmi lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Very common and widespread in a number of habitats, especially with

sagebrush and bunchgrass.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-38, PB-01; (BRY): Baird 20, 1050, 1144b, 1187;

(PNNL-TC): Newsome & Sauer 9-27-77; Sauer 6-10-75 #11; Sauer 5-30-75 #10; Sauer & Durham 8-7-75 #3; no name 5-7-80; Rickard

5-22-86; (WS): O'Farrell 71-84

Agoseris glauca (Pursh) Raf.

pale mountain dandelion

USDA Code: Aggl lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Relatively uncommon, collected in dry sites in the 200 Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-37; CZM 362, JGL-09

Agoseris grandiflora (Nutt.) Greene

showy mountain dandelion

USDA Code: Aggr lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Occasional in moist soil, collected along the Columbia River at 100-K

Area and on Rattlesnake Ridge in and above Snively Basin.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1130; (BRY): Baird 1202, 1304; (PNNL-TC): Uresk

5-29-73

Agoseris heterophylla (Nutt.) Greene

annual mountain dandelion

USDA Code: Aghe2 (Aghe) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Scattered throughout central Hanford and ALE, often in disturbed areas.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 973; (PNNL): MRS 214

Ambrosia acanthicarpa Hook.

bur ragweed

USDA Code: Amac2 (Amac) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common, widespread native weed of disturbed sandy or gravelly areas. *Collections:* (PNNL): P&R-15; JGL-10, 11; /RFG-01; /VAU-01; (BRY): Baird 1444;

(PNNL-TC): Pendleton 9-16-58; Sauer & Newsome 9-27-77; (WS):

O'Farrell 71-152; Cotton 630

Anaphalis margaritacea (L.) Benth.

pearly everlasting

USDA Code: Anma lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced ornamental, persisting at Hanford townsite.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Sauer & Newsome 9-27-77

Antennaria dimorpha (Nutt.) Torr. & Gray

low pussytoes

USDA Code: Andi2 (Andi) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common on dry loamy slopes and stony areas on top of the main hills and

ridges in the region; occasionally observed among sagebrush at lower

elevations.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS 214; JGL-12; (BRY): Baird 551, 577, 643, 721; (PNNL-

TC): Pendleton 4-10-59; Warren 4-18-78; (WS): O'Farrell 71-10,

Langham 209; St. John 8085, 8099

Antennaria microphylla Rydb. rosy pussytoes

USDA Code: Anmi3 (Anmi) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Reported on the ALE Reserve by TNC.

Collections: (PNNL): Caplow & Beck 94038

Antennaria umbrinella Rydb. umber pussytoes

USDA Code: Anum lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Collected on northern slopes of Rattlesnake Hills; also observed by TNC.

Collections: (WS): Cotton 1280, 570

Arctium minus Bernh. burdock

USDA Code: Armi2 (Armi) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed of disturbed areas, collected at Snively Springs and

reported on Wahluke Slope and along the Columbia River by TNC.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 72-241

Arnica sororia Greene twin arnica

USDA Code: Arso2 (Arso) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) from wet areas in the Priest

Rapids region.

Collections: Mastrogiuseppe 2422

Artemisia campestris L.

Pacific sagebrush

ssp. borealis (Pallas) Hall & Clements var. scouleriana (Hook.)

USDA Code: Arca12 (Arca) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Var. scouleriana - common along the Columbia River, primarily above

the high water mark. Variety *wormskioldii* - very rare taxon known from near Beverly, WA; probably does not occur on the Hanford Site proper.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1432; MRS-179; JGL-13; GIB-40; (PNNL-TC): Warren

8-12-80; Sauer et al. 5-12-80

Artemisia douglasiana Bess. Douglas' sagebrush

USDA Code: Ardo3 (Ardo) lifeform: sub-shrub origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Located in Cold Creek in the vicinity of gate 120.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-8-1-97; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94050

Artemisia dracunculus L. tarragon

USDA Code: Ardr4 (Ardr) lifeform: sub-shrub origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Widespread, often of waste or disturbed places, observed along the

Columbia River, scattered in the 100 Areas, within the former 1100 Area,

and collected at Snively Springs.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 72-256

Artemisia lindleyana Bess Columbia River mugwort

USDA Code: Arli2 (Arli) lifeform: sub-shrub origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: State Watch List species scattered in moist ground along the shore of the

Columbia River, e.g., 100-D Area and China Bar; can be confused with

A. ludoviciana.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Davis 9-28-51; Warren 8-5-80, 8-12-80; Sauer 5-1-80;

(WTU): Caplow & Beck 95135, 95137

Artemisia ludoviciana Nutt. prairie sagebrush

USDA Code: Arlu lifeform: sub-shrub origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread in a variety of habitats, both dry and wet, but

primarily along the shores of the Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-109, 114, 142, 167; GIB-41; (BRY): Baird 174, 1231,

1309, 1330, 1399, 1431; (PNNL-TC): Warren, 8-12-80, 8-5-80; Pendleton 8-25-59; Sauer & Durham 8-7-75 #19; Newsome & Sauer

9-27-77; no collector 5-7-80; Sauer et al. 5-12-80

Artemisia rigida (Nutt.) Gray stiff sagebrush

USDA Code: Arri2 (Arri) lifeform: shrub origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Locally common on dry, rocky outcrops such as Gable Mountain, Gable

Butte, and Umtanum Ridge.

Collections: (PNNL): JGL-14, 15, 16; (BRY): Baird 179; (PNNL-TC): Sauer &

Thorp 4-22-77

Artemisia tridentata Nutt. big sagebrush

USDA Code: Artr2 (Artr) lifeform: shrub origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Dominant shrub over most of the Hanford Site. On the Site, most are

assignable to subspecies wyomingensis, but some (i.e., near Yakima River

delta) are assignable to subspecies tridentata.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-11; JGL-17, 18, 19; VAU-02; (BRY): Baird 1279, 1335,

1443; (WS): O'Farrell 71-171; (PNNL-TC): Sauer & Durham 8-7-75

#12; Sauer 8-5-74, 8-24-76

Artemisia tripartita Rydb. threetip sagebrush

USDA Code: Artr4 (Artrp) lifeform: shrub origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local on rocky loam; the dominant shrub at many locations along the

upper slopes of Rattlesnake Ridge.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM 455; (BRY): Baird 1305; (WS): O'Farrell 73-275;

(PNNL-TC): Pendleton 4-10-59

Aster campestris Nutt.

western meadow aster

Symphyotrichum campestre (Nutt.) Nesom var. campestre

USDA Code: Sycac (Ascam) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Scattered along the Columbia River in moist or wet ground, as at Hanford

Slough and 100-D Area gravel bar.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Warren & Sauer 10-6-80; Warren 8-12-80; Sauer &

Durham 8-7-75 #15

Aster frondosus (Nutt.) Torr. & Gray

alkali aster

Symphyotrichum frondosum (Nutt.) Nesom

USDA Code: Syfr2 (Asfr) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Occasional in wet areas, collected at Hanford townsite, reported from

Priest Rapids.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Newsome & Sauer 9-29-77

Aster hesperius Gray

western marsh aster

Symphytrichum lanceolatum (Willd.) Nesom ssp. hesperium (Gray) Nesom

USDA Code: Syla6 (Ashe) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common in wet areas, especially along the Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1320, 1392; MRS-182, 192; GIB-46; (BRY): Baird

1076, 1121, 1374; (PNNL-TC): Warren & Sauer 10-6-80; Warren no

date

Aster occidentalis (Nutt.) Torr. & Gray var. intermedius Gray

western mountain aster

Symphytrichum spathulatum (Lindl.) Nesom var. intermedium (Gray) Nesom

USDA Code: Syspi (Asoc) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Occasional near the Columbia River, as on slopes of Umtanum Ridge. Collections: (PNNL-TC): Davis 10-18-51; Pendleton 9-10-58; (PNNL): MRS 257

Aster pansus (Blake) Cronq.

heath-leaved aster

Symphyotrichum ericoides (L.) Nesom var. pansum (Blake) Nesom

USDA Code: Syerp2 (Aspa) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) from flood bars in the Priest

Rapids region.

Collections: None Available

Aster subspicatus Nees

Douglas' aster

Symphyotrichum subspicatum (Nees) Nesom var. subspicatum

USDA Code: Sysu4 (Assub) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local in waste areas, collected at Hanford townsite.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Sauer & Newsome 9-29-77

Balsamorhiza careyana Gray Carey's balsamroot

USDA Code: Baca lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread in sandy and loamy areas throughout Hanford,

often with sagebrush.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-31; JGL-20, 21; RFG-02; (BRY): Baird 15, 540, 560,

623; (WS): O'Farrell 71-34; (PNNL-TC): Pendleton 4-17-59; Sauer

5-17-75; Davis 4-10-52

Balsamorhiza hookeri (Hook.) Nutt.

Hooker's balsamroot

USDA Code: Baho lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local on steep rocky-loamy slopes of Umtanum Ridge.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 634; (PNNL-TC): unknown collector 4-2-80

Balsamorhiza rosea A. Nels. & J.F. Macbr. rosy balsamroot

USDA Code: Baro2 (Baro) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: State Watch List species local in rocky areas, on tops of highest hills and

ridges, such as Rattlesnake and Umtanum ridges, Badger Mountain, and

Jump-off-Joe. Occasionally hybridizes with *B. careyana*.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-763; (BRY): Baird 558, 578, 590, 784, 798; (WS):

O'Farrell 71-16; (PNNL-TC): Johnson & Rickard 4-22-78; Pendleton

4-20-59; Sauer 5-17-76

Bidens cernua L. nodding beggerticks

USDA Code: Bice lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Collected from wet areas along the Columbia River near Kennewick. Not

reported from Hanford vicinity since the 1920s.

Collections: (WS): Jones 376

Bidens frondosa L. leafy beggerticks

USDA Code: Bifr lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Widespread in wet areas, collected in 200 Area, reported along the

Columbia River and on Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-28; (PNNL-TC): Warren and Sauer 6-10-80

Brickellia oblongifolia Nutt. thoroughwort

USDA Code: Brob lifeform: sub-shrub origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Collected in rocky gulches in the Rattlesnake Hills, also recently

observed in Pit 30 within the Central Plateau.

Collections: (WS): Cotton 710

Centaurea diffusa Lam. tumble knapweed

USDA Code: Cedi3 (Cedi) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced noxious weed of disturbed areas; widespread, especially along

the Columbia River and the 100-F and 100-H Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1209

Centaurea maculosa auct. Non Lam.

spotted knapweed

Centaurea biebersteinii DC.

USDA Code: Cebi2 (Cema) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced noxious weed; observed near Energy Northwest and the

Hanford townsite.

Collections: None Available

Centaurea repens L.

Russian knapweed

Acroptilon repens (L.) DC.

USDA Code: Acre3 (Cere) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced noxious weed of disturbed areas: widespread, as at White

Notes: Introduced noxious weed of disturbed areas; widespread, as at White Bluffs townsite, 100-F Area, McGee Ranch, and along Army Loop Road.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1208, DL 1; (BRY): Baird 198; (PNNL-TC): Sauer

6-5-80; Klepper & Sauer 6-26-74; Davis 5-18-52

Centaurea solstitialis L. yellow starthistle

USDA Code: Ceso3 (Ceso) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Introduced noxious weed of disturbed areas; locally common, as at

Hanford townsite.

Collections: (PNNL): GIB-01, 02, 03; CZM 390; (BRY): Baird 1268, 1282

Chaenactis douglasii (Hook.) Hook. & Arn. hoary falseyarrow

USDA Code: Chdo lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread throughout the Hanford Site, often in sand.

(PNNL): Baird-875; MRS-119; P&R-70; JGL-22, 23, 24; (BRY): Baird

923, 932, 964, 982, 1042; (WS): O'Farrell 71-62; (PNNL-TC): Warren 5-22-80; Rickard & Cline 6-1-70; Sauer 6-26-74, 5-30-75 #15, 6-10-75

#3; Rickard 5-23-86

Chondrilla juncea L. rush skeletonweed

USDA Code: Chju lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced noxious weed, primarily scattered throughout southern

portions of the Hanford Site.

Collections: None Available

Chrysopsis villosa (Pursh) Nutt. Ex DC

hairy golden-aster

Heterotheca villosa (Pursh) Shinners.

USDA Code: Hevi4 (Hevi) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local in sandy-gravels along the Columbia River, as at White Bluffs and

100-H Area.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1087; MRS-156; GIB-45; (BRY): Baird 195, 204, 997;

(PNNL-TC): Sauer 5-30-75 #23; Sauer & Durham 8-7-75 #2; Sauer

5-28-80; Fitzner 5-11-78; Sauer et al. 5-12-80; Hall 5-21-85

Chrysothamnus nauseosus (Pallas ex Pursh) Britt.

gray rabbitbrush

ssp. albicaulis (Nutt.) Hall & Clements

Ericameria nauseosa (Pallas ex Pursh) Nesom & Baird ssp. nauseosa var. speciosa (Nutt.)

USDA Code: Ernas2 (Chna) lifeform: shrub origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common shrub found throughout Hanford in a variety of habitats;

dominates some disturbed areas.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-24; JGL-25; VAU-03; (BRY): Baird 1434; (WS):

O'Farrell 72-248; (PNNL-TC): Sauer & Newsome 9-27-77; Pendleton

10-3-58; Whittaker 10-1-52

Chrysothamnus viscidiflorus (Hook.) Nutt.

green rabbitbrush

USDA Code: Chvi8 (Chvi) lifeform: shrub origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common shrub found throughout Hanford in a variety of habitats.

Primarily var. *viscidiflorus*, but some plants on ALE appear to be var.

lanceolatus (Nutt.) Hall & Clements.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-17; JGL-26, 27; VAU-04, 05; (BRY): Baird 1302; (WS):

O'Farrell 71-170; (PNNL-TC): Pendleton 10-3-58; Sauer 5-31-78,

9-27-77

Cichorium intybus L. chicory

USDA Code: Ciin lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed; scattered along the Columbia River and at Snively

Canyon Springs.

Collections: (PNNL): GIB-32; (WS): O'Farrell 72-255a; (PNNL-TC): Warren

8-16-78

Cirsium arvense (L.) Scop. Canada thistle

USDA Code: Ciar4 (Ciar) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced troublesome weed; widespread, mostly near water courses, as

at Bobcat Springs, Cold Creek, and Hanford townsite.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1286; (BRY): Baird 1232, 1337; (WS): O'Farrell

72-234; (PNNL-TC): Warren 8-16-78

Cirsium undulatum (Nutt.) Spreng. wavyleaved thistle

USDA Code: Ciun lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered in a variety of habitats on Hanford, e.g., Bobcat Canyon Spring,

Priest Rapids, and White Bluffs townsite.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1094, 1185; (PNNL-TC): Pendleton 6-19-59; Sauer &

Durham 8-7-75 #6; Warren 8-16-78

Cirsium vulgare (Savi) Ten. bull thistle

USDA Code: Civu lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed, scattered in disturbed sites, near the Columbia River,

Cold Creek Valley, and north Richland.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM 400; (BRY): Baird 1241; (WS): O'Farrell 72-235;

(PNNL-TC): Davis 7-20-52

Conyza canadensis (L.) Cronq. horseweed

USDA Code: Coca5 (Coca) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common weed of moist sites, widespread including along the Columbia

River, White Bluffs townsite, West Lake, and Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS 291; P&R-20; VAU-06; (BRY): Baird 1430, 1437;

(WS): O'Farrell 72-245

Coreopsis atkinsoniana Dougl. Ex Lindl.

Columbia tickseed

Coreopsis tinctoria Nutt. var. atkinsoniana (Dougl. Ex Lindl.) H.M. Parker ex E.B. Sm.

USDA Code: Cotia (Coat) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common along the shores of the Columbia River, mostly below high

water mark.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-154; GIB-04, 05; (BRY): Baird 166, 192, 1079, 1181,

1207, 1395; (PNNL-TC): Warren & Sauer 10-6-80; Newsome and Sauer 9-27-77; Sauer and Durham 8-7-75 #20; Sauer & Owzarski 5-15-80

Crepis atrabarba Heller

slender hawksbeard

Crepis atribarba Heller ssp. originalis (Babcock & Stebbins) Babcock & Stebbins

USDA Code: Crato (Crat) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Scattered but common in sagebrush communities in sandy and silty soils.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-71, 248; P&R-63; CZM 358; JGL-28; (BRY): Baird 838,

905, 1060; (WS): O'Farrell 71-106; (PNNL-TC): Rogers & DW Uresk

5-31-73; Rickard & Cline no date; Rickard & Fitzner 5-22-86

Crepis barbigera Leib. Ex Coville

Leiberg's hawksbeard

Crepis atribarba Heller ssp. originalis (Babcock & Stebbins) Babcock & Stebbins

USDA Code: Crato (Crba) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local, collected on Rattlesnake Ridge within snow patch vegetation. This

taxon is now included within C. atribarba ssp. originalis.

(PNNL-TC): D. Watson 6-10-59; (WS): Daubenmire 59156 Collections:

Crepis intermedia Gray Gray's hawksbeard

USDA Code: Crin4 (Crpin) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local, collected on the White Bluffs.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 699

Crepis modocensis Greene

low hawksbeard

Crepis modocensis Greene ssp. rostrata (Coville) Babcock & Stebbins

USDA Code: Crmor (Crmo) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Local in rocky areas on top of main hills and ridges in the area.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 555; (WS): O'Farrell 71-79, 72-215

Crepis occidentalis Nutt. ssp. conjuncta (Jepson) western hawksbeard

USDA Code: Crocc (Croc) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes:

Local; collected on top of Rattlesnake Ridge; reported on lithosols in the

Priest Rapids vicinity.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-10-75 #12

Crepis runcinata (James) Torr. & Gray

dandelion hawksbeard

ssp. *hispidulosa* (T.J. Howell ex Rydb.) Babcock & Stebbins

USDA Code: Crruh2 (Crru) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Reported from wet areas in the Priest Rapids vicinity by Mastrogiuseppe

and Gill (1983).

Collections: Mastrogiuseppe 2450

Crocidium multicaule Hook.

spring gold

USDA Code: Crmu lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Occasional along the Columbia River, possibly collected on Hanford but

no location given on specimen label (other specimens at PNNL-TC are

from Umatilla, OR).

Collections: (PNNL-TC): no collector 5-80

Eatonella nivea (D.C. Eat.) Gray

white eatonella

USDA Code: Eani lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Washington State threatened species; local on steep, sandy slopes near

Vernita Bridge.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95036 Erigeron annuus (L.) Pers. daisy fleabane

USDA Code: Eran lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; found along the Columbia River, collected near Coyote

Rapids.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-313

Erigeron corymbosus Nutt. longleaf fleabane

USDA Code: Erco5 (Ercor) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local on upper slopes of Rattlesnake Ridge.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Thorp 7-13-76; (WS): O'Farrell 71-140; Cotton 689;

(WTU): Caplow & Beck 95061

Erigeron divergens Torr. & Gray diffuse fleabane

USDA Code: Erdi4 (Erdi) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Scattered along the shore of the Columbia River, as at Vernita and 100-F

Area, also collected in Snively Canyon.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1120, CZM 665; (BRY): Baird 168

Erigeron filifolius (Hook.) Nutt. threadleaf fleabane

USDA Code: Erfi2 (Erfi) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common, widespread, mostly with sagebrush and bunchgrass, throughout

the Hanford Site.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-889, 921; MRS-73, 77, 130; P&R-65; PB-02; /VAU-07;

/GIB-06; (BRY): Baird 930, 953, 965, 1045, 1113; (WS): O'Farrell 71-64; Cotton 363, 701; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 5-16-75 #5; Rickard & Cline

6-1-70; unknown collector 5-31-73; Rickard 5-22-86

Erigeron linearis (Hook.) Piper desert yellowdaisy

USDA Code: Erli lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Scattered throughout Hanford, as along Cold Creek, on the White Bluffs,

along the Columbia River near Vernita, and near top of Rattlesnake

Ridge.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-884, 976; MRS-134; CZM 340, 666; JGL-29; (BRY):

Baird 159, 773, 1046, 1295; (WS): O'Farrell 71-110; Lake & Hull

8-9-1892; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-10-75 #6, #28

Erigeron piperianus Cronq. Piper's daisy

USDA Code: Erpi3 (Erpi) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Scattered throughout Hanford, collected at 100-H Area, Horn Rapids, and

the 200 Areas; Washington State sensitive species, but quite common among bunchgrass along the lower to middle slopes of Rattlesnake Ridge.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-128, 129; CZM 320; JGL-30; (BRY): Baird 143, 725,

728, 996; (WS): O'Farrell 71-145, 74-296; (PNNL-TC): Warren 5-3-79;

Sauer 5-16-75; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94029

Erigeron poliospermus Gray cushion fleabane

USDA Code: Erpo2 (Erpo) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread, often on gravelly substrates, from hilltops to

the Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-21, 107, 153; /JGL-31, 32; (BRY): Baird 45, 548, 589,

615, 705, 716, 954, 972, 1043, 1196; (WS): O'Farrell 71-80; Cotton 331; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-10-75 #2, #22, 4-12-78; Pendleton 4-21-59; Davis

4-15-53; Gano 5-1-79

Erigeron pumilus Nutt. shaggy fleabane

USDA Code: Erpu2 (Erpu) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread, mostly with sagebrush-bunchgrass, throughout

Hanford.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-995; CZM 664; MRS-53, 74; /VAU-08; P&R-75; (BRY):

Baird 841, 874, 966, 971, 988, 1047, 1160; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-16-75;

no collector 5-7-80

Eriophyllum lanatum (Pursh) Forbes var. integrifolium (Hook.) Smiley woolly sunflower

USDA Code: Erlai (Erla) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Local in rocky-silty sites in drainages of Rattlesnake Ridge, Snively

Basin, and at Priest Rapids.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 601, 769, 860; (WS): O'Farrell 71-109, 74-299; Cotton

405; Bennett no #; (PNNL): Pendleton 6-19-59; Davis 5-6-53; Rickard &

Cline 5-1-70; Rotenberry 5-29-75 #4; Warren 5-31-78

Filago arvensis L. field fluffweed

Logfia arvensis (L.) Holub

USDA Code: Loar5 (Fiar) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed. Uncommon on Hanford; collected on lower slopes of

Umtanum Ridge and at the Basalt Waste Isolation Project borehole site,

west of the 200 West Area.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 177, 1269

Gaillardia aristata Pursh blanket flower

USDA Code: Gaar lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common among cobbles all along the Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-93, 208; CZM 354; (BRY): Baird 153, 709, 886, 999,

1008, 1077, 1394; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 5-30-75 #1, #11; Pendleton 9-10-58; Davis 5-11-53; Sauer 8-7-75 #18; Warren 5-80; Sauer &

Owzarski 5-15-80; Warren 5-6-80; (WS): Beattie 3959

Gaillardia X grandiflora Van Houtte Indian blanket flower

USDA Code: Gagr lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Hybrid garden plant; escaped and persisting along Horn Rapids Road.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 170, 1129

Gnaphalium chilense Spreng.

cottonbatting cudweed

Pseudognaphalium stramineum (Kunth) W.A. Weber

USDA Code: Psst7 (Gnch) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Scattered in wet areas near the Columbia River and at West Lake, ALE,

and Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1357; P&R-21, 29; GIB-07, 08; (BRY): Baird 1411,

1436; (WS): O'Farrell 72-239; (PNNL-TC): Warren 8-12-80

Gnaphalium microcephalum Nutt. var. thermale (E. Nels.) Kartesz

slender cudweed

Pseudognaphalium canescens (DC.) W.A. Weber ssp. thermale (E. Nels.) Kartesz

USDA Code: Pscat (Gnmi) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported from wet areas near Priest Rapids by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill

(1983).

Collections: Mastrogiuseppe 2680

Gnaphalium palustre Nutt.

lowland cudweed

USDA Code: Gnpa lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common on wet gravel-bars along Columbia River, as at 100-B, 100-H,

and 100-K Areas and other moist areas.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-178; GIB-57; (BRY): Baird 175, 959, 1314, 1347, 1375;

(PNNL-TC): Warren & Sauer 10-6-80

Grindelia columbiana (Piper) Rydb.

Columbia River gumweed

USDA Code: Greo lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Widespread, mostly along the Columbia River but occasional in drier

disturbed areas, e.g., 100-D and 100-H Areas, White Bluffs townsite, and

200 East Area.

Collections: (PNNL): JGL-33; (BRY): Baird 1377, 1397, 1433; (PNNL-TC): Sauer

6-6-80; (WS): Lake & Hull 8-11-1892

Haplopappus resinosus (Nutt.) Gray

Columbia goldenweed

Ericameria resinosa Nutt.

USDA Code: Erre8 (Hare) lifeform: sub-shrub origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local on basalt cliffs and talus slopes of Umtanum Ridge.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 178

Haplopappus stenophyllus Gray

narrowleaf goldenweed

Stenotus stenophyllus (Gray) Greene

USDA Code: Stst5 (Hast) lifeform: sub-shrub origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common in rocky areas on the tops of main hills and ridges.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 720, 750, 765, 772; (WS): O'Farrell 71-53; Bennett 36;

Cotton 346; (PNNL-TC): Johnson & Rickard 4-22-66; Sauer 6-10-75

#10; Warren 4-18-78; Gano 5-1-79

Helenium autumnale L. sneezeweed

USDA Code: Heau lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common in wet areas long the Columbia River, as at 100-D, 100-B, and

100-H Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-185, 191; GIB-33; (BRY): Baird 1324, 1393; (PNNL-

TC): Warren & Sauer no date; Newsome & Sauer; unknown collector

9-10-58

Helianthus annuus L. common sunflower

USDA Code: Hean3 (Hean) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Widespread in disturbed sites, mostly along the Columbia River or near

roads, as White Bluffs townsite.

Collections: (PNNL): VAU-9; (BRY): Baird 1312

Helianthus cusickii Gray Cusick's sunflower

USDA Code: Hecu2 (Hecus) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common in silty soil at middle elevations of Rattlesnake Mountain, and

along the Cold Creek drainage and McGee Ranch areas; scattered

elsewhere, as on the White Bluffs.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-970; MRS-152; JGL-34, 35; (BRY): Baird 700, 726,

800; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-21-74; Warren 5-22-80; Sauer 6-5-80; no collector 5-79; (WS): O'Farrell 71-60; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94021,

97037

Hieracium cynoglossoides Arv.-Touv. houndstongue hawkweed

USDA Code: Hicy lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Collected in early 1900s on steep north slope of Rattlesnake Hills;

elevation 3,500 feet, also observed on ALE by TNC.

Collections: (WS): Cotton 677

Hymenopappus filifolius Hook.

Columbia cutleaf

USDA Code: Hyfi lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common in sandy areas and dunes, as along Army Loop Road, the

300 Area, and White Bluffs townsite.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM 406A; JGL-36, 37; (BRY): Baird 818, 1092; (WS):

O'Farrell 73-264; (PNNL-TC): Klepper & Sauer 6-21-74; Davis 5-21-53; Pendleton 10-3-58; Davis 5-23-53; Pendleton 6-18-54; Sauer

6-10-75 #4; Sauer & Owzarski 5-15-80

Iva axillaris Pursh poverty weed

USDA Code: Ivax lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Collected along Highway 24 north of the Yakima barricade.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS 7-25-00

Iva xanthifolia Nutt sumpweed

USDA Code: Ivxa lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Collected in Snively Canyon.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM 443; (WS): O'Farrell 72-252

Lactuca serriola L. prickly lettuce

USDA Code: Lase lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced; common, widespread, and sometimes troublesome weed of

disturbed areas throughout the Hanford Site.

Collections: (PNNL): JGL-38; VAU-10, 11; (BRY): Baird 1416; (PNNL-TC):

Rickard & Cline 9-4-70; Warren 8-16-78; Rickard 7-17-86

Lagophylla ramosissima Nutt.

rabbitleaf

USDA Code: Lara lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; widely scattered in uplands, 100 and 200 Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS 321

Layia glandulosa (Hook.) Hook. & Arn. white-daisy tidytips

USDA Code: Lagl5 (Lagl) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Relatively common in sandy areas, throughout central and southern

Hanford.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-43; P&R-34; JGL-39; /RFG-03, 04; (BRY): Baird 707;

(WS): O'Farrell 74-286; (PNNL-TC): Warren 4-14-78; Warren & Sauer

10-6-80; Anderson 4-20-85; Sauer & Owzarski 5-15-80

Machaeranthera canescens (Pursh) Gray

hoary aster

USDA Code: Maca2 (Maca) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Widespread in both natural and disturbed places, mainly in sandy soil,

widespread in actival and disturbed places, mainly in saidy son

throughout Hanford.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-145; P&R-13; JGL-40; /RFG-05; (WS): O'Farrell

71-151; (PNNL-TC): Combs 8-1-75 #1; Sauer & Newsome 9-27-77; Pendleton 10-3-58; Davis 10-1-52; Anderson 25-85; Rickard 7-17-86;

Combs 8-1-75

Madia exigua (Sm.) Gray little tarweed

USDA Code: Maex lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Collected at crest of Rattlesnake Mountain.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 72-229

Matricaria chamomilla L. 1755 & 1763, non 1753

wild chamomile

Matricaria recutita L.

USDA Code: Mare6 (Mach) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced and uncommon; collected at Bennett Spring.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1340

Matricaria matricarioides auct. Non (Less.) Porter

pineapple weed

Matircaria discoidea DC.

USDA Code: Madi6 (Mama) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed; collected at waste places near the Columbia River at

Richland.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 674

Microseris troximoides Gray

false mountain dandelion

Nothocalais troximoides (Gray) Greene

USDA Code: Notr2 (Mitr) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Rocky areas on Rattlesnake Ridge, Umtanum Ridge, and Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS 196; (BRY): Baird 556, 616, 761; (WS): O'Farrell

72-197; Cotton 323; (PNNL-TC): Pendleton 4-17-59

Onopordum acanthium L. Scotch thistle

USDA Code: Onac lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Very large species of thistle observed near south gate of 300 Area.

Collections: None Available

Senecio hydrophilus Nutt. alkali-marsh groundsel

USDA Code: Sehy2 (Sehy) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Collected in wet areas along the Columbia River at Kennewick and on

ALE.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 71-72; Jones 371

Senecio integerrimus Nutt. var. exaltatus (Nutt.) Cronq. lambstongue groundsel

USDA Code: Sein2 (Sein) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Local in bunchgrass areas on upper slopes and top of Rattlesnake Ridge

and in washes near Priest Rapids.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 777; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-10-75 #9

Senecio pauperculus Michx.

balsam groundsel

Packera paupercula (Michx.) A. & D. Löve

USDA Code: Papa20 (Sepa) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Occasional along the shore of the Columbia River, such as at Vernita and

White Bluffs townsite.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 880, 1007; (WS): Beattie 3963; (PNNL-TC): Sauer

5-15-80; no collector 5-7-80

Senecio serra Hook. butterweed groundsel

USDA Code: Sese2 (Sese) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Collected on north slopes of Rattlesnake Hills. Not observed in Hanford

vicinity since the early 20th century.

Collections: (WS): Cotton 675

Senecio vulgaris L. common groundsel

USDA Code: Sevu lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Widespread garden/lawn weed reported along the Columbia River.

Collections: None Available

Solidago canadensis L.

meadow goldenrod

var. salebrosa (Piper) M.E. Jones & var. gilvocanescens Rydb.

USDA Code: Soca6 (Soca) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local in wet areas; collected along the stream at Rattlesnake Springs.

Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) reported two varieties in the Priest

Rapids vicinity.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS 183; (BRY): Baird 1358

Solidago gigantea Ait. smooth goldenrod

USDA Code: Sogi lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local in wet areas; collected south of Hanford townsite.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Pendleton 10-7-58

Solidago graminifolia (L.) Salisb.

bushy goldenrod

Euthamia graminifolia (L.) Greene var. graminifolia

USDA Code: Eugr5(Sogr) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered in wet areas, as at 100-D Area gravel bar and Hanford slough.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS 310; (PNNL-TC): Warren & Sauer 10-6-80

Solidago missouriensis Nutt. Missouri goldenrod

USDA Code: Somi2 (Somi) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered in wet areas, as at 100-F Area gravel bar and streams in the

Rattlesnake Hills.

Collections: (WS): Cotton 480; St. John 8091; (PNNL-TC): Warren no date

Solidago occidentalis (Nutt.) Torr. & Gray

western goldenrod

Euthamia occidentalis Nutt.

USDA Code: Euoc4 (Sooc) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common in wet or moist areas, as at Hanford slough, Hanford townsite,

and Snively Springs.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-190; GIB-47; (BRY): Baird 1400; (WS): O'Farrell

71-156; (PNNL-TC): Warren 8-12-80; Newsome & Sauer 9-27-77;

Warren 8-16-78

Sonchus asper (L.) Hill prickly sowthistle

USDA Code: Soas lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed of wet or moist areas; collected at Rattlesnake Springs;

reported from ALE and Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 71-236, 71-238

Sonchus oleraceus L. common sowthistle

USDA Code: Sool lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Local on disturbed sites; collected in North Richland.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-224

Sonchus uliginosus Bieb.

marsh sowthistle

Sonchus arvensis L. ssp. uliginosus (Bieb.) Nyman

USDA Code: Soaru (Soul) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed of wet or moist areas; collected in 200 Areas ditches,

West Lake, and north Richland.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS 324; GIB-34; (BRY): Baird 1199

Stephanomeria paniculata Nutt.

stiff wirelettuce

USDA Code: Stpa2 (Stpan) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Scattered in dry areas, mostly where sandy, e.g., Dry Creek Valley,

200 Areas, and Basalt Waste Isolation Project borehole site; reported

from flood bars near Priest Rapids.

Collections: (PNNL): unknown collector; (BRY): Baird 1218, 1243, 1270; (WS):

Lake & Hull 690

Stephanomeria tenuifolia (Raf.) Hall

bush wirelettuce

Stephanomeria minor (Hook.) Nutt.

USDA Code: Stmi13 (Stte) lifeform: sub-shrub origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered in loamy or silty soils on slopes of Rattlesnake and Umtanum

ridges, Gable Mountain, and along Cold Creek.

Collections: (PNNL): GIB-09, 10; (BRY): Baird 165, 201, 1233, 1240, 1306, 1336;

(WS): O'Farrell 71-143; Lake & Hull 812

Taraxacum officinale G.H. Weber ex Wiggers

dandelion

USDA Code: Taof lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced ubiquitous weed of many habitats, primarily moist areas. (PNNL): P&R-45; (WS): O'Farrell 72-181; St. John 8127; (PNNL-TC): Collections:

Rickard & Cline 5-1-70; Rickard 4-16-86

Tetradymia canescens DC.

gray horsebrush

USDA Code: Teca2 (Teca) lifeform: shrub origin: Native duration: perennial Locally dominant shrub of sagebrush-bunchgrass areas on and near the Distribution/Notes:

top of Rattlesnake Ridge.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM 454; (BRY): Baird 1299, 1333; (WS): O'Farrell 72-141,

74-308; Cotton 695; (PNNL-TC): Pendleton 6-19-59

Townsendia florifer (Hook.) Gray

showy Townsend-daisy

Townsendia florifera (Hook.) Gray

USDA Code: Tofl2 (Tofl) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread in sandy-gravelly areas, as at the bergmounds

near the Yakima barricade, the west end of Gable Mountain, and south of

the Hanford townsite.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-40, 80, 219; P&R-50; GIB-11; /JGL-41; (BRY): Baird

44, 600, 828, 931, 952, 1044, 1108; (WS): O'Farrell 71-43; Beattie 3955;

Bennett 44; (PNNL-TC): Whittaker 5-6-52; Sauer 6-16-75 #3

Tragopogon dubius Scop. yellow salsify

USDA Code: Trdu lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced, common and widespread weed, especially in disturbed areas,

throughout Hanford.

(PNNL): JGL-42, 43, 44; VAU-12; (BRY): Baird 906; (PNNL-TC): Collections:

Sauer 4-12-78: Rickard & Fitzner 5-22-86

Xanthium strumarium L. cocklebur

USDA Code: Xast lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Widespread weed of disturbed areas, especially near the Columbia River,

i.e., near 100-D Area.

(PNNL): GIB-11a; (BRY): Baird 1396; (WS): O'Farrell 71-163; Collections:

(PNNL-TC): Warren & Sauer 10-6-80; Sauer & Durham 8-7-75 #7

Betulaceae

Betula occidentalis Hook. red birch

USDA Code: Beoc2 (Beoc) lifeform: tree origin: Native duration: perennial Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) in washes and other wetter Distribution/Notes:

areas in the Priest Rapids vicinity.

Collections: Mastrogiuseppe 2134

Bignoniaceae

Catalpa bignonioides Walt. catalpa

USDA Code: Cabi8 (Cabi) lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced ornamental tree, persisting on the floodplain at White Bluffs

townsite and near the Columbia River north of Ringold.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1266; (PNNL): CZM 375

Boraginaceae

Amsinckia intermedia Fisch. & C.A. Mey.

ranchers fiddleneck

Amsinckia menziesii (Lehm.) A. Nels. & J.F. Macbr. var. intermedia (Fisch & C.A. Mey.) USDA Code: Ammei2 (Amin) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) near Priest Rapids.

Collections: Mastrogiuseppe 1340

Amsinckia lycopsoides Lehm.

fiddleneck

USDA Code: Amly lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common, widespread weed, often in disturbed areas, throughout Hanford.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1086; MRS-26; (BRY): Baird 527, 581, 811, 993;

(PNNL-TC): Sauer 4-12-78; Pendleton, 4-21-59; McShane 4-30-79;

Gano 5-2-79

Amsinckia retrorsa Suksdorf

rigid fiddleneck

Amsinckia menziesii (Lehm.) A. Nels. & J.F. Macbr. var. menziesii

USDA Code: Amme (Amre) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) near Priest Rapids.

Collections: Mastrogiuseppe 2375

Amsinckia tessellata Gray

devil's lettuce

USDA Code: Amte3 (Amte) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common, widespread weed, often in disturbed areas, throughout Hanford. (PNNL): MRS-34; P&R-76; JGL-45, 46; (BRY): Baird 2, 535, 693, 945, 1051, 1156; (WS): O'Farrell 71-23; (PNNL-TC): no collector 5-10-73;

Rogers 5-6-75

Asperugo procumbens L.

catchweed

USDA Code: Aspr lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) from wet areas in the Priest

Rapids vicinity.

Collections: Mastrogiuseppe 2402

Coldenia nuttallii Hook.

desert mat

Tiquilia nuttallii (Hook.) A. Richards.

USDA Code: Tinu2 (Conu) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Scattered in sandy areas near Gable Mountain, 200 West Area, and Army

Loop Road.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-645; Baird-1064; MRS-151; JGL-47; (BRY): Baird

1069, 1274; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 5-13-77; Pendleton 8-29-59

Cryptantha ambigua (Gray) Greene

obscure cryptantha

USDA Code: Cram3 (Cram) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected in sagebrush area along Route 11-A and in

Rattlesnake Hills.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-72, 236; (WS): Griffiths & Cotton 24

Cryptantha circumscissa (Hook. & Arn.) I.M. Johnston

matted cryptantha

USDA Code: Crci2 (Crci) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread on sand with sagebrush and in dune areas.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-48; P&R-51; VAU-13; /JGL-48, 49, 50; (BRY): Baird

141, 328, 804, 989, 1063, 1071; (WS): O'Farrell 71-56; (PNNL-TC):

Rickard 5-20-86

Cryptantha fendleri (Gray) Greene

Fendler's cryptantha

USDA Code: Crfe3 (Crfe) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Widespread, although relatively uncommon in sandy areas, as at the 200

and 300 Areas and Hanford townsite.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1139; MRS-64, 223, 237; VAU-14; /GIB-12, 13;

/JGL-51, 52; (BRY): Baird 975; (PNNL-TC): Thorpe 6-5-75; Whittaker 4-29-52; Warren & Hinds 5-20-80; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95070,

97034

Cryptantha flaccida (Dougl. Ex Lehm.) Greene

weak-stemmed cryptantha

USDA Code: Crfl4 (Crfl) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC on ALE and central Hanford.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94025, 95032

Cryptantha interrupta (Greene) Payson

bristly cryptantha

USDA Code: Crin4 (Cryin) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local on the White Bluffs and reported from the Rattlesnake Hills. These

specimens are probably assignable to C. spiculifera.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 148; (WS): Cotton 359

Cryptantha leuophaea (Dougl. Ex Lehm.) Payson

gray cryptantha

USDA Code: Crle6 (Crle) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Locally common on open sand and sand dunes, as south of the Hanford

townsite. Washington State sensitive species.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-898, 1106; MRS-32, 144; ARJ-01; (BRY): Baird 35;

(PNNL-TC): Sauer 5-13-77; Warren & McShane 5-12-80; (WTU):

Caplow & Beck 94031

Cryptantha pterocarya (Torr.) Greene

winged cryptantha

USDA Code: Crpt lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread, especially on sand and sandy areas.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM 648; MRS-29, 55, 69; P&R-47; JGL-53, 54, 55; (BRY):

Baird 32, 526, 545, 592, 702, 725a, 833, 1110; (WS): O'Farrell 71-24, 71-58; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 4-26-76; Whitaker 4-29-52; Rickard 5-20-86

Cryptantha scoparia A. Nels.

desert cryptantha

USDA Code: Crsc2 (Crsc) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Reported from ALE by TNC. This species is on the 1997 Washington

State Review 1 list.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95010

Cryptantha spiculifera (Piper) Payson

Snake River cryptantha

USDA Code: Crsp4 (Crsp) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Due to taxonomic revisions, previous reports of C. interrupta on the Hanford Site probably refer to this species: the true C. interrupta occi

Hanford Site probably refer to this species; the true *C. interrupta* occurs in northeast Nevada and adjacent Idaho. Local on the White Bluffs; reported from Rattlesnake Hills. Washington State sensitive species.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 148; (WS): Cotton 359; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94027,

94071, 94072

Cryptantha torreyana (Gray) Greene

Torrey's cryptantha

USDA Code: Crto4 (Crto) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Reported from ALE by TNC.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94033, 94044

Hackelia arida (Piper) I.M. Johnston

sagebrush stickseed

Hackelia diffusa (Lehm.) I.M. Johnston var. arida (Piper) R.L. Carr

USDA Code: Hadia (Haar) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Rocky-gravelly areas on north side of Rattlesnake and Umtanum ridges.

Using Hitchcock and Cronquist (1973) some populations will key to this; all are probably var. *cottonii* (Piper) Carr X var. *arida* intermediates. The variety *cottonii* is not recognized by Hitchcock and Cronquist; see Gentry

and Carr (1976) for additional information.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 628, 780; (WS): Cotton 360, 579, 650

Hackelia diffusa (Lehm.) I.M. Johnston

diffuse stickseed

Hackelia diffsa (Lehm.) I.M. Johnston var. cottonii (Piper) R.L. Carr

USDA Code: Hadic (Hadi) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collections from the base of Umtanum Ridge (Davis) and from ALE; as with the preceding species, populations are probably var.

arida X var. cottonii intermediates.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS 243; (WS): O'Farrell 71-75, 72-206, 73-282, 74-306;

(PNNL-TC): Davis 6-11-53; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94024

Heliotropium curassavicum L.

salt heliotrope

USDA Code: Hecu3 (Hecur) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Weed of waste places; collected at Richland.

Collections: (PNNL): WHR 8-23-95; (BRY): Baird 172; (WTU): Caplow & Beck

Lappula redowskii auct. Non (Hornem.) Greene

western stickseed

Lappula occidentalis (S. Wats.) Greene var. occidentalis

USDA Code: Laoco (Lare) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon but widespread throughout Hanford in a number of habitats,

as at Hanford townsite, Priest Rapids, and slopes of Rattlesnake Ridge.

(PNNL): MRS-39; JGL-56, 57; (BRY): Baird 46, 548a, 584a, 724a; Collections:

(WS): O'Farrell 74-305; Cotton 407; (PNNL-TC): Rickard & Cline

6-22-70; Sauer 4-12-78; Warren & Hines 5-20-80

Lithospermum arvense L.

corn gromwell

Buglossoides arvensis (L.) I.M. Johnston

USDA Code: Buar3 (Litar) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced *duration*: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed; scattered on the upper slopes of the Rattlesnake Ridge

in bunchgrass areas.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 771

Lithospermum ruderale Dougl. Ex Lehm.

western gromwell

USDA Code: Liru4 (Liru) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common on slopes and hills, mostly with bunchgrass, such as Rattlesnake

Ridge.

(BRY): Baird 713, 727, 779; (WS): O'Farrell 71-37; (PNNL-TC): Collections:

Rickard & Cline 5-1-70; Sauer 6-17-75 #2, 5-31-78; Warren 5-2-79

Mertensia longiflora Greene

small bluebells

USDA Code: Melo4 (Melo) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Local along drainages near the top of Rattlesnake Ridge; collected near

Bennett Ranch.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 751; (WS): O'Farrell 72-191 Mertensia oblongifolia (Nutt.) G. Don leafy bluebells

USDA Code: Meob lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local on slopes of Rattlesnake and Umtanum ridges.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1557; (WS): O'Farrell 71-74; Cotton 328; (PNNL-TC):

Pendleton 4-20-59

Myosotis laxa Lehm. small forget-me-not

USDA Code: Myla lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Local in moist areas along the Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1020; MRS-163; (BRY): Baird 1287; (PNNL-TC):

Pendleton 6-27-53

Myosotis micrantha auct. Non Pallas ex Lehm.

blue forget-me-not

Myosotis strica Link ex Roemer & J.A. Schultes

USDA Code: Myst2 (Mymi) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed of moist areas; scattered near the Columbia River;

reported by TNC on ALE and the Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-87

Pectocarya linearis (Ruiz & Pavó) DC.

winged combseed

var. *penicillata* (Hook. & Arn.) M.E. Jones *Pectocarya penicillata* (Hook. & Arn.) A. DC.

USDA Code: Pepi26 (Peli) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected on major ridges, Cold Creek Valley, and near

100-N Area. Currently on the Washington State Review 1 list.

Collections: (PNNL): GLF 177; MRS 217; (BRY): Baird 594; (WS): Griffiths &

Cotton 22; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95043

Pectocarya setosa Gray bristly combseed

USDA Code: Pese lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: State Watch List species local on steep slopes above Vernita Bridge.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95037, 95052

Plagiobothrys tenellus (Nutt. ex Hook.) Gray

Pacific popcornflower

USDA Code: Plte lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected in sandy areas north of Richland.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 844

Brassicaceae

Arabidopsis thaliana (L.) Heynh. common wallcress

USDA Code: Arth lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed of waste places; collected at Richland near the Columbia

River; also observed on Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 675

Arabis cusickii S. Wats. Cusick's rockcress

USDA Code: Arcu lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Local in rocky areas on slopes and tops of Rattlesnake and Umtanum

ridges, Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1555, 1563; (WS): O'Farrell 72-189; (PNNL-TC):

Warren 4-7-78

Arabis sparsiflora Nutt. elegant rockcress

USDA Code: Arsp lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Observed and collected at Rattlesnake Hills and Priest Rapids. *Collections:* (WS): O'Farrell 71-73, 72-198, 73-261; St. John 8095; Cotton 562

Camelina microcarpa DC. littlepod falseflax

USDA Code: Cami2 (Camic) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Local on Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (PNNL): Caplow & Beck 94043

Capsella bursa-pastoris (L.) Medik. shepherd's purse

USDA Code: Cabu2 (Cabu) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced, widespread weed of disturbed areas throughout the west, but

uncommon on Hanford.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 12; (PNNL-TC): Rickard 4-20-78

Cardamine oligosperma Nutt. little western bittercress

USDA Code: Caol lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Scattered along the Columbia River and moist areas on the Wahluke

Slope.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS 296

Cardamine pensylvanica Muhl. Ex Willd. Pennsylvania bittercress

USDA Code: Cape3 (Cape) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Scattered along the Columbia River; collected near the 300 Area and west

of 100-K Area.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS 209 213; (PNNL-TC): Davis 5-7-53

Cardaria chalapensis (L.) Hand.-Maz.

hoarycress

USDA Code: Cach10 (Cach) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed of disturbed areas, as at White Bluffs townsite; also

reported on ALE and Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-993A; JGL-58

Cardaria draba (L.) Desv. whitetop

USDA Code: Cadr lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Noxious weed, infesting Rattlesnake Springs.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 71-105

Cardaria pubescens (C.A. Mey.) Jarmolenko

globepodded hoarycress

USDA Code: Capu6 (Capu) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Locally common at 100-F Area; reported from ALE and Priest Rapids.

Collections: (PNNL): GLF-181

Chorispora tenella (Pallas) DC.

blue mustard

USDA Code: Chte2 (Chte) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed; widespread and common in disturbed areas.

Collections: (PNNL): JGL-59; (BRY): Baird 22; (WS): O'Farrell 71-25;

(PNNL-TC): Rickard 4-18-86

Descurainia pinnata (Walt.) Britt.

western tansymustard

USDA Code: Depi2 (Depi) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common; widespread in many areas and habitat types; tends to increase

with disturbance.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-106; P&R-61; VAU-15, 16; RFG-06; JGL-59, 60, 61, 62,

63, 64, 65, 66; (BRY): Baird 25, 537, 542, 561, 582, 701; (WS):

O'Farrell 71-19, 73-277; Beattie 3967; Cotton 364; (PNNL-TC): Davis 4-23-52; Sauer 4-12-78, 4-18-78; Rickard 5-20-86, 4-16-86, 4-18-86

Descurainia richardsonii O.E. Schulz

Richardson's tansymustard

Descurainia incana (Bernh. Ex Fisch. & C.A. Mey.) Dorn

ssp. incisa (Engelm.) Kartesz & Gahndi ssp. viscosa (Rydb.) Kartesz & Gandhi

USDA Code: Dein5 (Deri) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Observed primarily in the Priest Rapids/Umtanum Ridge area; TNC

reported var. *sonnei* (Robins.) Hitchc.; Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983)

reported var. viscosa (Rydb.) Peck.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Sauer 4-20-78; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 97001

Descurainia sophia (L.) Webb ex Prantl

flixweed

USDA Code: Deso2 (Deso) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed; common and widespread in disturbed areas.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-25; rfg-07; VAU-17; JGL-67; (BRY): Baird 664; (WS):

O'Farrell 73-273; (PNNL-TC): no collector 5-10-73; Davis 4-16-52;

Rickard & Cline 5-1-70; Sauer 4-18-78

Draba nemorosa L. Wood's whitlowgrass

USDA Code: Drne lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Local and uncommon along the Columbia River, as at White Bluffs

townsite.

Collections: (PNNL): unknown collector (3-29-59); (PNNL-TC): Davis 4-21-53,

5-7-53, Pendleton 4-13-59

Draba verna L. spring whitlowgrass

USDA Code: Drve2 (Drve) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Common; early spring herb widespread throughout Hanford.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-46; RFG-08; (BRY): Baird 39, 583, 753; (WS):

O'Farrell 71-4; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 4-12-78, 3-30-76; Pendleton 3-15-59

Erucastrum gallicum (Willd.) O.E. Schulz

dog mustard

USDA Code: Erga lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC from ALE, central Hanford, and Wahluke Slope.

Collections: None Available

Erysimum asperum (Nutt.) DC.

rough wallflower

Erysimum capitatum (Dougl. Ex Hook.) Greene var. capitatum

USDA Code: Ercac (Eras) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common spring wildflower of sandy areas throughout Hanford.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-62; P&R-60; JGL-68, 69, 70; RFG-09; ARJ-02; (BRY):

Baird 18, 536, 567, 1112; (WS): O'Farrell 71-20; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 4-12-78; McShane 4-30-79; Gano 4-27-79; Hinds 5-20-80; Rickard

4-16-86, 5-20-86

Erysimum occidentale (S. Wats.) B.L. Robins.

pale wallflower

USDA Code: Eroc3 (Eroc) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Occasional and scattered; easily confused with the preceding species;

collected in the Rattlesnake Hills and at Hanford along the Columbia

River and at Priest Rapids.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 935; (WS): Bennett 26; St. John 8112; (PNNL-TC):

Sauer 5-22-75 #3; Davis 5-5-52, 5-5-52; Rickard & Cline 6-1-70

Hutchinsia procumbens (L.) Desv.

hutchinsia

USDA Code: Hupr lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC on central Hanford (probably in the vicinity of

Umtanum Ridge); also reported at Priest Rapids by Mastrogiuseppe and

Gill (1983).

Collections: (WS): Mastrogiuseppe 2254; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 97004

Idahoa scapigera (Hook.) A. Nels. & J.F. Macbr.

scalepod

USDA Code: Idsc lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) in lithosols and washes near

Priest Rapids.

Collections: (WS): Mastrogiuseppe 2260

Lepidium densiflorum Schrad.

prairie pepperweed

USDA Code: Lede lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Local in sandy areas near the Columbia River east of 100-D Area.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-18; CZM 322

Lepidium dictyotum Gray

veiny peppergrass

USDA Code: Ledi2 (Ledi) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC on central Hanford.

Collections: None Available

Lepidium latifolium L.

broadleaf pepperweed

USDA Code: Lela2 (Lela) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed; widespread in disturbed areas, mostly in deep soils and

bottomlands, rarely or not in sand.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS 322; (BRY): Baird 208, 1230

Lepidium perfoliatum L.

clasping pepperweed

USDA Code: Lepe2 (Lepe) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common; widespread weed of disturbed areas.

Collections: (PNNL): JGL-71; VAU-18; (BRY): Baird 11, 639; (WS): O'Farrell

72-208; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-26-75 #1, 4-18-78

Lepidium virginicum L.

tall pepperweed

Probably var. pubescens (Greene) Thellung

USDA Code: Levi3 (Levi) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Scattered on gravelbars and wet areas near the Columbia River, e.g.,

100-F and 100-K Areas. Reported from Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-82; (BRY): Baird 1126, 1131

Lesquerella douglasii S. Wats.

Columbia bladderpod

USDA Code: Ledo2 (Ledo) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common along the Columbia River, above and below the high water

mark, Priest Rapids (China Bar), 100-B Area, between 100-D and

100-H Areas, and the White Bluffs.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM 377; Baird-887; JGL-72, 73; (BRY): Baird 107, 606,

651, 610, 887; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 5-26-76, 5-30-75 #16a,b; Hanson

5-18-61; Davis 4-22-53; Fitzner, 5-11-78; Warren 4-30-79

Lesquerella tuplashensis Rollins, F. Beck & F. Caplow

White Bluffs bladderpod

USDA Code: Letu7 (Letu) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Washington State endangered species endemic to the White Bluffs; first

discovered by TNC in 1994.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94001, 94002, 95004, 95005, 95053, 97052

Malcolmia africana (L.) Ait. F.

malcolmia

USDA Code: Maaf lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Observed on ALE along the 1,200-foot road; TNC noted the plant on

Umtanum Ridge.

Collections: None Available

Phoenicaulis cheiranthoides Nutt.

daggerpod

USDA Code: Phch lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Local on rocky slopes and hilltops, e.g., Rattlesnake and Umtanum

ridges.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1548; (BRY): Baird 774; (WS): O'Farrell 71-18;

(PNNL-TC): Warren 4-7-78

Raphanus sativus L. wild radish

USDA Code: Rasa2 (Rasa) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC on the Wahluke Slope.

Collections: None Available

Rorippa columbiae (Suksdorf ex B.L. Robins.) Suksdorf ex T.J. Howell Columbia yellowcress Hitchcock and Cronquist lists this taxa as:

Rorippa calycina (Engelm.) Rydb. var. columbiae (Suksdorf ex B.L. Robins.) Rollins

USDA Code: Roco3 (Roco) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local in gravel and cobble of the Columbia River's edge; submerged for

much of the year but must be above water to successfully reproduce. Extirpated from much of its range and now primarily known only from the section of the Columbia River flowing through the Hanford Site.

Listed as threatened in Washington State.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1401, 1423, 1429; MRS-173, 330; (BRY): Baird 1010,

1089, 1351,1369, 1420, 1421, 1422, 1424; (PNNL-TC): Warren 8-12-80,

5-30-80; Davis 5-8-53; Sauer 9-10-82, 10-22-82, 10-29-82

Rorippa curvisiliqua (Hook.) Bess. Ex Britt. western yellowcress

USDA Code: Rocu lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Local on gravelbars and wet areas along the Columbia River, as at 100-B

Area.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS 210; (BRY): Baird 1009, 1354, 1365; (WS): St. John

8121

Rorippa islandica (Oeder) Borbás

marsh yellowcress

Rorippa palustris (L.) Bess.

USDA Code: Ropa2 (Rois) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Somewhat common on gravelbars and wet areas along the Columbia

River; collected at 100-B and 100-D Areas and Hanford townsite.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1355; MRS-174, 298, 302, 308; GLF-173; GIB-35;

(BRY): Baird 1310, 1328, 1367, 1403; (PNNL-TC): Sauer & Warren

10-6-80; Newsome & Sauer 9-27-77; Warren & Hinds 5-20-80

Rorippa nasturtium-aquaticum (L.) Hayek

watercress

USDA Code: Rona2 (Rona) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced and widespread in wet areas, mainly near or in the Columbia

River, as at White Bluffs townsite, Rattlesnake Springs, and Snively

Canyon.

Collection: (PNNL): VAU-19; (BRY): Baird 1011, 1368; (WS): O'Farrell 71-93,

71-138

Rorippa obtusa (Nutt.) Britt.

bluntleaf yellowcress

Rorippa curvipes Greene var. truncata (Jepson) Rollins

USDA Code: Rocut (Roob) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common on gravelbars and wet areas along the Columbia River, as at

100-B, 100-D, 100-K, and 100-H Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1326; GLF-169; MRS-293; GIB-48; (BRY): Baird 1027,

1144, 1327, 1352, 1353, 1366, 1402; (PNNL-TC): Warren 8-5-80

Schoenocrambe linifolia (Nutt.) Greene

lavacress

USDA Code: Scli lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local on slopes of Umtanum Ridge at Priest Rapids.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS 245; (PNNL-TC): Davis 5-6-53; Warren 4-20-78

Sisymbrium altissimum L. Jim Hill's tumblemustard

USDA Code: Sial lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced; ubiquitous weed of disturbed areas.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-79; JGL-74, 75; VAU-20, 21; (BRY): Baird 3, 538;

(WS): O'Farrell 72-213; (PNNL-TC): Fitzner 5-11-78; Sauer 5-30-75

#24: Rickard 5-20-86

Sisymbrium loeselii L. Loesel's tumblemustard

USDA Code: Silo3 (Silo) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed; local and uncommon along the Columbia River, at base

of Umtanum Ridge, and at Hanford townsite.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-246; Baird-913; (BRY): Baird 200, 202, 913;

(PNNL-TC): Sauer 5-30-80

Streptanthella longirostris (S. Wats.) Rydb. beaked sandcress

USDA Code: Stlo4 (Strlo) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected in Cold Creek Valley and dunes north of the Wye

barricade. Reported from Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS 27, 206; (WS): O'Farrell 74-287; (WTU): Caplow &

Beck 95003

Thelypodium integrifolium (Nutt) Endl. Ex Walp. entireleaved thelypody

USDA Code: Thin lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) in wet areas near Priest

Rapids.

Collections: Mastrogiuseppe 2683, 2652

Thelypodium laciniatum (Hook.) Endl. Ex Walp. cutleaf ladysfoot mustard

USDA Code: Thla lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered and locally common in sandy areas, often with sagebrush, i.e.,

200 Area, Wahluke Slope, and Umtanum Ridge.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-41; RFG-10, /VAU-22; (BRY): Baird 17, 565, 646, 950;

(WS): O'Farrell 71-32; Cotton 1109; (PNNL-TC): Rickard 4-16-86;

Gano 5-6-79

Cactaceae

Opuntia erinacea Engelm. & Bigelow ex Engelm.

prickly pear

var. columbianum (Griffiths) L. Benson

USDA Code: Operc2 (Oper) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Probably occurs on the Hanford Site and may be common form, although

not included in Hitchcock and Cronquist (1973). More specimens from the area need to be examined to determine abundance and distribution.

Collections: None Available

Opuntia fragilis (Nutt.) Haw. brittle pricklypear

USDA Code: Opfr lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported growing on roadside in 100 Areas and possibly near 100-B/C

Area; no collection made. Possibly misidentified as per discussion under *O. polycantha*. *O. fragilis* is currently on the Washington State Review 1

list.

Collections: None Available

Opuntia polyacantha Haw. starvation pricklypear

USDA Code: Oppo lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread in sandy areas, mostly with sagebrush,

throughout Hanford. However, populations may represent either *O. erinacea* var. *columbiana* (which is not included in Hitchcock and Cronquist 1973) or could be hybrids of *O. polycantha*, *O. erinacea* var.

columbiana, and/or O. fragilis (Benson 1982).

Collections: (PNNL): 848A; CZM 640; (BRY): Baird 848a; (WS): O'Farrell 73-266;

Dunn 203

Pediocactus simpsonii (Engelm.) Britt. & Rose

hedgehog cactus

var. robustior (Coult.) L. Benson

USDA Code: Pesir (Pesi) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Found mainly to the west and northwest of the Hanford Site; reported by

Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) from lithosols near Priest Rapids.

Currently on the Washington State Review 1 list.

Collections: None Available

Callitrichaceae

Callitriche palustris L. water starwort

USDA Code: Capa52 (Capa) lifeform: forb origin: native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Known only from older (1920s) collection along the Columbia River at

Kennewick; specimen not found at Washington State University.

Collections: (WS): Jones 369

Cannabinaceae

Cannabis sativa L. hemp

USDA Code: Casa3 (Casa) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced; once cultivated for fiber and now an occasional weed. Found

growing on lower slopes of Umtanum Ridge; local and uncommon.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 181

Capparidaceae

Cleome lutea Hook. yellow bee-plant

USDA Code: Cllu2 (Cllu) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Scattered, mainly in dry soil near the Columbia River, as at 100-D Area

and Hanford townsite.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-101; CZM 472; GIB-14, 15; (BRY): Baird 158, 203,

1068, 1182; (WS): O'Farrell 71-164; (PNNL-TC): Warren & Hines

5-20-80

Caprifoliaceae

Sambucus caerulea Raf. blue elderberry

Sambucus nigra L. ssp. caerulea (Raf.) R. Bolli

USDA Code: Saca3 (Saca) lifeform: shrub origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local in drainages of Rattlesnake and Umtanum ridges.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM 444; (BRY): Baird 183; (WS): O'Farrell 71-132;

(PNNL-TC): Sauer 5-31-78; Warren 8-16-78

Symphoricarpos albus (L.) Blake common snowberry

USDA Code: Syal lifeform: shrub origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Reported from ALE by TNC.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94035

Symphoricarpos oreophilus Gray mountain snowberry

USDA Code: Syor2 (Syor) lifeform: shrub origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Observed in moist areas in the Rattlesnake Hills; uncommon.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 71-117; Cotton 694

Caryophyllaceae

Arenaria franklinii Dougl. Ex Hook. Franklin's sandwort

USDA Code: Arfr lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Local in sandy areas, e.g., dune fields, 200 West Area, Umtanum Ridge.

Some specimens may key to var. thompsonii, which is a rare species.

Collections: (PNNL): JGL-76, 77; (BRY): Baird 33, 859; (WS): O'Farrell 71-28;

(PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-10-75 #27; Rickard 5-23-86 - potentially var. *thompsonii*; (PNNL): Baird-895; MRS-30; (BRY): Baird 926;

(PNNL-TC): Sauer et al. 4-12-80; Sauer et al. 5-22-8

Arenaria pusilla S. Wats.

dwarf sandwort

Minuartia pusilla (S. Wats.) Mattf.

USDA Code: Mipu7 (Arpu) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC within central Hanford. **Collections:** (WTU): Caplow & Beck 97007, 97013

Cerastium nutans Raf. nodding chickweed

USDA Code: Cenu2 (Cenu) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon along the Columbia River; collected at the Hanford townsite,

reported from the Wahluke Slope by TNC.

Collections: (WS): St. John 8124; (PNNL-TC): Davis 5-7-53

Cerastium viscosum auct. Non L.

sticky chickweed

Cerastium glomeratum Thuill.

USDA Code: Cegl2 (Cevi) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Uncommon introduced weed; collected along the Columbia River at

Hanford townsite.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-118; (BRY): Baird 911

Cerastium vulgatum L. 1762, non 1755

common chickweed

Cerastium fontanum Baumg. ssp. vulgare (Hartman) Greuter Burdet

USDA Code: Cefov2 (Cevu) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered weed of disturbed and cultivated areas; collected at Richland

and Allard.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-211; (PNNL-TC): Davis 5-9-53

Dianthus armeria L. grass pink

USDA Code: Diar lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed, or escaped from cultivation, locally persisting along the

Columbia River. Collected along the Columbia River at 100-H Area.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-158

Gypsophila paniculata L. baby's breath

USDA Code: Gypa lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed, often cultivated; locally established at Hanford townsite

and elsewhere on central Hanford.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1285; CZM 411

Holosteum umbellatum L. jagged chickweed

USDA Code: Houm lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Introduced and naturalized; very common throughout Hanford.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-84; JGL-78, 79; (BRY): Baird 525; (WS): O'Farrell

71-6; (PNNL-TC): Rickard 4-18-86

Loeflingia squarrosa Nutt. ssp. squarrosa

loeflingia

USDA Code: Losqs (Losq) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Populations in the vicinity of Gable Mountain are disjunct from primary

distribution of the species; Hanford has the only known populations in

Washington of this state threatened species.

Collections: (PNNL): Caplow & Beck 95023; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95039, 97023

Sagina procumbens L. procumbent pearlwort

USDA Code: Sapr lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed collected in north Richland.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS 266

Saponaria officinalis L. bouncingbet

USDA Code: Saof4 (Saof) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Escaped from cultivation; persisting in north Richland.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM 672

Silene douglasii Hook. Douglas' catchfly

USDA Code: Sido lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local in bunchgrass areas on Rattlesnake Ridge.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1301; (WS): O'Farrell 71-119; Cotton 676

Silene menziesii Hook Menzies' catchfly

ssp. menziesii var. viscosa (Greene) C.L. Hitchc. & Maguire

USDA Code: Simev2 (Sime) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; found in Cold Creek Valley, near Priest Rapids, and at

Rattlesnake Springs.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 71-97, 73-278; Cotton 398

Spergularia marina (L.) Griseb.

saltmarsh sandspurry

Spergularia salina J.& K. Presl

USDA Code: Spsa5 (Spma) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC - central Hanford. **Collections:** (WTU): Caplow & Beck 97047

Stellaria longipes Goldie longstalk starwort

USDA Code: Stlo2 (Stlo) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: Perennial Distribution/Notes: Collected near Cold Creek in early 20th century; not reported since.

Collections: (WS): Cotton 397

Stellaria nitens Nutt. shining starwort

USDA Code: Stni lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Diminutive herb; often overlooked; local on grassy slopes at base of

Umtanum Ridge and along the Columbia River.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 633a

Ceratophyllaceae

Ceratophyllum demersum L. coontail

USDA Code: Cede4 (Cede) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported in Watson et al. (1984) to occur in the Columbia River.

Collections: None Available

Chenopodiaceae

Atriplex nuttallii S. Wats. ssp. falcata (M.E. Jones)

saltsage

Atriplex falcata (M.E. Jones) Standl.

USDA Code: Atfa (Atnu) lifeform: shrub origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Collected on White Bluffs north of Ringold.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-374; RR-1, 2; Beck & Caplow 94026; (WTU): Caplow

& Beck 97030

Atriplex patula L. var. hastata auct. Non (L.) Gray

fat-hen saltbush

Atriplex prostrata Bouchér ex DC.

USDA Code: Atpr (Atpa) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Widespread weed; collected at Rattlesnake Springs.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1360

Atriplex rosea L. tumble saltbush

USDA Code: Atro lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed; collected at Rattlesnake Springs.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 71-161

Atriplex truncata (Torr. Ex S. Wats.) Gray wedgescale orache

USDA Code: Attr lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC from central Hanford.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 97050

Bassia hyssopifolia (Pallas) Kuntz smotherweed

USDA Code: Bahy lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed; locally common in alkaline areas, as at West Lake,

Rattlesnake Springs, and near Priest Rapids.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-14; (BRY): Baird 1439; (WS): O'Farrell 71-159,

71-160; (PNNL-TC): Fitzner 7-15-74

Chenopodium album L. lamb's quarters

USDA Code: Chal7 (Chal) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common, widespread weed of disturbed and waste places.

Collections: (PNNL): GIB-36, 42; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 8-9-74

Chenopodium botrys L. Jerusalem oak

USDA Code: Chbo2 (Chbo) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed; widespread, often along moist drainages and streams

where sandy or gravelly.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Sauer 8-9-74

Chenopodium leptophyllum (Moq.) Nutt. ex S. Wats. slimleaf goosefoot

USDA Code: Chle4 (Chle) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Scattered in a variety of moist to dry habitats, as at the 200 Areas, along

the Columbia River at 100-K Area, Dry Creek Valley, and slopes of

Rattlesnake Ridge.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-653; MRS-75; P&R-42; (BRY): Baird 830, 1210, 1244,

1334; (WS): O'Farrell 71-101; (PNNL-TC): Sauer & Hines 7-5-74

Chenopodium rubrum L. red goosefoot

USDA Code: Chru lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Local in saline marshes around West Lake.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1435

Corispermum hyssopifolium L. p.p.

common bugseed

Corispermum pacificum Mosyakin

USDA Code: Copa37 (Cohy) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced; uncommon; collected in dunes north of the Wye Barricade.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Pendleton 10-3-58

Ceratoides lanata (Pursh) J.T. Howell

winterfat

Krascheninnikovia lanata (Pursh) A.D.J. Meeuse & Smit

Listed as Eurotia lanata (Pursh) Moq. In Hitchcock and Cronquist (1973)

USDA Code: Krla2 (Cela) lifeform: shrub origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common shrub, mostly with bunchgrass and sagebrush; widespread on

Hanford, as on Gable Mountain, the White Bluffs, Saddle Mountains, and

slopes of Rattlesnake Ridge.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-270; CZM 376; GIB-58; (BRY): Baird 146, 695, 723,

1248; (WS): O'Farrell 71-144; Dunn 184; (PNNL-TC): Gano 5-2-79

Grayia spinosa (Hook.) Moq.

spiny hopsage

Listed as *Atriplex spinosa* in Hitchcock and Cronquist (1973)

USDA Code: Grsp lifeform: shrub origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common shrub; often found with sagebrush in more alkaline or clay

soils; widespread on Hanford.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-80; JGL-80; VAU-23; ARJ-03 WJW-01; (BRY): Baird

27, 541, 568, 619, 946; (WS): O'Farrell 71-82; Scott 5-31-22; St. John 8109; (PNNL-TC): Davis 5-5-52; Pendleton 4-13-59; Warren 4-27-78, 5-1-79; Sauer 4-20-78; McShane 4-30-79; Rickard & Fitzner 5-22-86;

Rickard 4-18-86

Kochia scoparia (L.) Schrad.

summer cypress

Bassia scoparia (L.) A.J. Scott

USDA Code: Basc5 (Kosc) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common around the southern and eastern edges of the Hanford Site and

throughout Richland.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM 373

Salsola kali L. Russian thistle

Salsola tragus L. (?)

USDA Code: Satr12 (Saka) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced, ubiquitous, troublesome weed. Normally one of the first

colonizers of disturbed areas throughout Hanford. Confusing taxonomy;

species has also been assigned to S. iberica, which is currently

subsummed by S. traegus.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-08, 44; JGL-81, 82, 83, 84, 85; /VAU-24; /WJW-02;

(BRY): Baird 1140, 1273; (WS): O'Farrell 71-162

Sarcobatus vermiculatus (Hook.) Torr.

greasewood

USDA Code: Save4 (Save) lifeform: shrub origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Dominant shrub of alkaline soils; often found in soils with higher clay

content, as at Rattlesnake Springs and on the White Bluffs; also reported

from the Priest Rapids area.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-445; Baird-1364; (WS): O'Farrell 71-148

Suaeda occidentalis (S. Wats.) S. Wats.

slender seepweed

Suaeda calceoliformis (Hook.) Moq.

USDA Code: Suca2 (Suoc) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Known from very old collections along the Columbia River at White

Bluffs townsite; also observed at Borden Spring above Priest Rapids by

Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983).

Collections: (WS): Lake & Hull 678 (8-9-1892); Mastrogiuseppe 2645

Convolvulaceae

Convolvulus arvensis L. field bindweed

USDA Code: Coar4 (Coar) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed in a wide range of habitats, both wet and dry. Often

near the Columbia River; sometimes growing where periodically

submerged. Widespread on Hanford.

Collections: (PNNL): GIB-16; (BRY): Baird 1163, 1915; (PNNL-TC): Sauer &

Durham 8-7-75 #5

Cornaceae

Cornus stolonifera Michx. red-osier dogwood

Cornus sericea L.

USDA Code: Cost lifeform: shrub origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Tall shrub of moist or wet areas, especially on bottom land near streams

known from Snively and Bobcat canyons, and canyons near Priest

Rapids.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 73-258; (PNNL-TC): Warren 8-16-78, 8-16-78,

5-11-79; Gano 5-2-79

Crassulaceae

Crassula aquatica (L.) Schoenl. pigmy-weed

USDA Code: Craq lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Reported from along the Columbia River by TNC.

Collections: None Available

Sedum leibergii Britt. Leiberg's stonecrop

USDA Code:Selelifeform:forb origin:Nativeduration:perennialDistribution/Notes:Locally common on rocky or gravelly areas on top Rattlesnake Ridge.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM 677; (WS): O'Farrell 73-280; Cotton 703

Cucurbitaceae

Echinocystis lobata (Michx.) Torr. & Gray wild cucumber

USDA Code: Eclo lifeform: vine origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common on moist bottom land along rivers; collected at Richland along

the Yakima River.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1389

Cupressaceae

Juniperus occidentalis Hook Western Juniper

USDA Code: Juoc lifeform: tree origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Collected west of Richland near the Yakima River; one individual located

south of Gable Butte.

Collections: (WS): Willmsen 11-23-26

Juniperus scopulorum Sarg. Rocky Mountain juniper

USDA Code: Jusc2 (Jusc) lifeform: tree origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Scattered and relatively uncommon on the Hanford Site; mainly found

near the Columbia River between Priest Rapids Dam and the 100-B Area.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1198; MRS-105; GIB-17, 18; (BRY): Baird 207, 1155;

(WS): Jones 421; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 5-15-80

Thuja orientalis L. Oriental arborvitae *Platycladus orientalis* (L.) Franco

USDA Code: Plor80 (Thjoc) lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced tree; persisting where planted, as at homestead north of

Ringold, and Army sites on the Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM 484; MRS-328

Cuscutaceae

Cuscuta denticulata Engelm. desert dodder

USDA Code: Cude2 (Cude) lifeform: vine origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: A Washington State sensitive species. Very local, small population found

along a dry drainage in Cold Creek Valley in early 1980s. Also found by TNC on the White Bluffs during mid-1990s; parasitic on desert shrubs.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1238; Caplow & Beck 94047; (WTU): Caplow & Beck

94047, 94048, 94051

Cuscuta epithymum (L.) L. common dodder

USDA Code: Cuep lifeform: vine origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced parasite, often on crop plants; collected growing on Artemisia

ludoviciana on Locke Island in the Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Sauer 5-30-80

Cuscuta indecora Choisy plain dodder

USDA Code: Cuin lifeform: vine origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Widespread parasite; troublesome on crop plants; local on roadside weeds

at Hanford townsite; probably not native to this region.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1281; (PNNL-TC): Davis 7-30-53

Cuscuta pentagona Engelm. var. calycina Engelm.

field dodder

Cuscuta pentagona Engelm. var. pentagona

USDA Code: Cupep2 (Cupe) lifeform: vine origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported from a variety of locations on the Hanford Site by TNC.

Collections: None Available

Cyperaceae

Carex amplifolia Boott big-leaf sedge

USDA Code: Caam10 (Caam) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Collected in Snively Creek on ALE. *Collections:* (PNNL): Caplow & Beck 94049

Carex aperta Boott Columbia sedge

USDA Code: Caap3 (Caap) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Uncommon in wet areas along the Columbia River, e.g., gravelbars at

100-F Area.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-24; (BRY): Baird 1123a; (WS): Beattie 3936

Carex aquatilis Wahlenb. water sedge

USDA Code: Caaq lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; reported by TNC from along the Columbia River.

Collections: None Available

Carex athrostachya Olney slenderbeak sedge

USDA Code: Caat3 (Caat) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common sedge found along the Columbia River and in other wet areas. Collections: (PNNL): MRS-194; (BRY): Baird 1001, 1014, 1034, 1260; (PNNL-TC):

Warren & Sauer 10-6-80; Warren 8-12-80

Carex aurea Nutt. golden sedge

USDA Code: Caau3 (Caau) **lifeform:** graminoid **origin:** Native **duration:** perennial **Distribution/Notes:** Collected in the Rattlesnake Hills during the early 20th century.

Collections: (WS): Cotton 709

Carex brevior (Dewey) Mackenzie

short-beaked sedge

USDA Code: Cabr10 (Cabr) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; scattered along the Columbia River; collected between

100-N and 100-D Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-259

Carex diandra Schrank lesser panicled sedge

USDA Code: Cadi4 (Cadi) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) from wet areas in the Priest

Rapids vicinity.

Collections: None Available

Carex douglasii Boott Douglas' sedge

USDA Code: Cado2 (Cado) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common along the Columbia River and other wet areas.

(PNNL): MRS-91, 115, 116, 117; (BRY): Baird 611, 1033; (WS): Collections:

O'Farrell 71-111; Cotton 572

Carex filifolia Nutt. threadleaf sedge

USDA Code: Cafi lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Older collection from moist areas in the Rattlesnake Hills. Also observed

by TNC on ALE.

Collections: (WS): Cotton 329

Carex hystericina Muhl. Ex Willd.

porcupine sedge

USDA Code: Cahy4 (Cahy) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) from wet areas in the Priest

Rapids vicinity.

Collections: Mastrogiuseppe 2440, 2659

Carex lanuginosa auct. Non Michx.

woolly sedge

Carex pellita Muhl ex Willd.

USDA Code: Cala30 (Cala) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Collected in wet areas along the Columbia River, as at 100-F and 100-K

Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS -207, 240, 258, 261; (BRY): Baird 1035, 1123

Kellogg's sedge Carex lenticularis Michx.

Carex lenticularis Michx. (could be var. lipocarpa (Holm) L.A. Standly

USDA Code: Cale8 (Cale) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Collected in wet areas along the Columbia River, as at Vernita and east

White Bluffs.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-227; Baird-1015; (BRY): Baird 1261

Carex microptera MacKenzie smallwinged sedge

USDA Code: Capr5 (Capr) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes:

Collected in moist areas in the Rattlesnake Hills, 3,500-foot elevation.

Not reported since the early 20th century.

(WS): Cotton 700 Collections:

shining flatsedge

Carex praegracilis W. Boott clustered field sedge

USDA Code: Capr5 (Capr) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected at McGee Well and reported at Priest Rapids by

Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983).

Collections: (BRY): Baird 802

Carex siccata Dewey silvertop sedge

USDA Code: Casi12 (Casi) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) from wet areas in the Priest

Rapids vicinity.

Collections: None Available

Carex vulpinoidea Michx. fox sedge

USDA Code: Cavu2 (Cavu) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Scattered along shore of the Columbia River. *Collections:* (PNNL): MRS-260, 278, 290, 304, 309

Cyperus aristatus Rottb. awned flatsedge

Cyperus squarrosus L.

USDA Code: Cyar3 (Cyar) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Somewhat common on gravelbars and flats along the Columbia River, as

at Coyote Rapids and 100-F Area.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-172, 268; GIB-49, 59; (BRY): Baird 1380; (PNNL-TC):

Warren 8-12-80

Cyperus erythrorhizos Muhl. redroot flatsedge

USDA Code: Cyer2 (Cyer) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Collected at Hanford townsite along the Columbia River near high water

mark.

Collections: (PNNL): GLF-176; MRS-193; (PNNL-TC): Sauer & Newsome 9-27-77

Cyperus esculentus L. yellow flatsedge

USDA Code: Cyes lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Uncommon weedy species of gardens and waste places such as near

Richland and on Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1388; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95141

Cyperus bipartitus Torr.

Cyperus rivularis Kunth

USDA Code: Cybi6 (Cyri) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: State sensitive species found scattered in wetlands along the Columbia

River.

Collections: (PNNL): GLF-174; (UW?): R. Schuller 2090, 8-29-84; (WTU): Caplow

& Beck 94055, 95110, 95123

Cyperus strigosus L. straw-colored flatsedge

USDA Code: Cyst lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) from flood bars in the Priest

Rapids vicinity and by the TNC.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95134

Eleocharis acicularis (L.) Roemer & J.A. Schultes

needle spikerush

USDA Code: Elac lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Somewhat common in wet gravels near the Columbia River, i.e., 100-B

Area, Hanford townsite, and Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1293, 1349

Eleocharis ovata (Roth) Roemer & J.A. Schultes

ovoid spikerush

could be *E. ovata*, *E. englemanii* Steud. or *E. obtusa* (Willd.) J.A. Schultes)

USDA Code: Elov lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected along the Columbia River at 100-D Area.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1405; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94062

Eleocharis palustris (L.) Roemer & J.A. Schultes

common spikerush

USDA Code: Elpa3 (Elpa) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common in wet areas all along the Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-83; (BRY): Baird 1000, 1016, 1032, 1292, 1331, 1338;

(WS): O'Farrell 72-220a; (PNNL-TC): Warren 8-12-80

Eleocharis rostellata (Torr.) Torr.

beaked spikerush

USDA Code: Elro2 (Elro) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) from wet areas in the Priest

Rapids vicinity.

Collections: None Available

Eriophorum gracile W.D.J. Koch

slender cottongrass

USDA Code: Ergr8 (Ergr) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) from wet areas in the Priest

Rapids vicinity.

Collections: Mastrogiuseppe 3254

Hemicarpha micrantha (Vahl) Pax

aristulate lipocarpha

Lipocarpha aristulata (Coville) G. Tucker

USDA Code: Liar6 (Hemi) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Scattered in mudflats along the Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL): GLF-171; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94054

Scirpus acutus Muhl. Ex Bigelow

hardstem bulrush

Schoenoplectus acutus (Muhl. Ex Bigelow) A. & D. Löve var. acutus

USDA Code: Scac3 lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Widespread in wet areas, such as Gable Mountain Pond, West Lake,

Rattlesnake Springs, and Bennett Springs.

(PNNL): P&R-19; (BRY): Baird 892, 1136, 1339, 1361; (PNNL-TC): Collections:

Fitzner 7-15-74

Scirpus americanus Pers.

threesquare bulrush

Schoenoplectus americanus (Pers.) Volk. Ex Schinz & R. Keller

(but ours may be a variety of *S. pungens* Vahl)

USDA Code: Scam6 (Scam) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Widespread in wet areas, as on ALE, West Lake, and Wahluke Slope. (PNNL): P&R 22; (BRY): Baird 894, 1441; (WS): O'Farrell 71-99; Collections:

(PNNL-TC): Fitzner 7-15-74

Scirpus maritimus L.

seacoast bulrush

Schoenoplectus maritimus (L.) Lye

USDA Code: Scma8 (Scma) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes:

Widespread in wet areas such as along the Columbia River, on Wahluke

Slope; formerly at Gable Mountain Pond.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-04, 69; GIB-37; (BRY): Baird 1440; (PNNL-TC):

Fitzner 7-15-74

Scirpus microcarpus J.& K. Presl

small-fruited bulrush

USDA Code: Scmi2 (Scmi) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) from wet areas in the Priest

Rapids vicinity.

Collections: None Available

Scirpus validus Vahl

softstem bulrush

Schoenoplectus tabernaemontani (K.C. Gmel.) Palla

USDA Code: Scta2 (Scva) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Widespread in wet areas, as at White Bluffs slough and Hanford townsite; Distribution/Notes:

formerly at Gable Mountain Pond.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-68; (WS): O'Farrell 72-214; (PNNL-TC): Newsome &

Sauer 9-27-77; Warren 8-12-80; Fitzner 7-15-74

Dipsicaceae

Dipsacus sylvestris Huds. teasel

Dipsacus fullonum L.

USDA Code: Difu2 (Disy) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Scattered along the Yakima River.

Collections: None Available

Elaeagnaceae

Elaeagnus angustifolia L. Russian olive

USDA Code: Elan lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced tree; now well established along rivers and wetter areas

throughout the region.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-382; unknown collector; (BRY): Baird 983

Equisetaceae

Equisetum arvense L. common horsetail

USDA Code: Eqar lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Occasional along the Columbia River in wet sites, as at 100-H and 100-K

Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-658; (BRY): Baird 1038, 1315, 1385; (WS): O'Farrell

71-102

Equisetum hyemale L. Dutch scouringrush

USDA Code: Eqhy lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered along the Columbia River in wet areas, north Richland, and

Island 12.

Collections: (PNNL): /JGL-87; (PNNL-TC): Pendleton 6-18-59; Sauer & Durham

8-7-75 #9

Equisetum laevigatum A. Braun smooth scouringrush

USDA Code: Eqla lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common along the Columbia River in wet sites, Hanford townsite, 100-D

and 100-H Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-346; Baird-917; P&R-67; (BRY): Baird 1124, 1154,

1168

Equisetum palustre L. marsh horsetail

USDA Code: Eqpa lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Uncommon along the Columbia River in wet areas; collected at 100-B

Area.

Collections: (PNNL): GIB-60

Equisetum variegatum Schleich. Ex F. Weber & D.M.H. Mohr northern scouringrush

USDA Code: Eqva lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Occasional along the Columbia River in wet sites, such as at the Hanford

townsite, 100-H and 100-K Areas.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 917a, 1332, 1386

Euphorbiaceae

Eremocarpus setigerus (Hook.) Benth.

doveweed

Croton setigerus Hook.

USDA Code: Crse11 (Erse) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Very local, but common, on dry, sparsely vegetated desert pavement, near

the Columbia River east of Vernita, and along roadways north of Vernita

Bridge.

Collections: (PNNL): GIB-61; MRS-326

Euphorbia esula L. leafy spurge

USDA Code: Eues lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Noxious weed reported on ALE by TNC.

Collections: None Available

Euphorbia glyptosperma Engelm.

corrugate-seed spurge

Chamaesyce glyptosperma (Engelm.) Small

USDA Code: Chgl13 (Eugl) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Scattered in dry, sandy areas, as near Basalt Waste Isolation Project

borehole site.

Collections: (PNNL): VAU-25; (BRY): Baird 1272; (WS): Lake & Hull 641

Euphorbia serpyllifolia Pers.

thymeleaf spurge

Chamaesyce serpyllifolia (Pers.) Small

USDA Code: Chse6 (Euse) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Common weed; occasionally found in moist sand and gravel along the

Columbia River, on ALE, and the Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1317, 1373, 1404; (PNNL-TC): Sauer & Durham 8-7-75

#8

Euphorbia supina Raf.

milk spurge

Chamaesyce maculata (L.) Small

USDA Code: Chma15 (Eusu) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Collected in Richland.
Collections: (PNNL): Zufelt 7-24-00

Fabaceae

Alhagi pseudalhagi (Bieb.) Desv. ex B.Keller & Schaparenko

camelthorn

Alhagi maurorum Medik.

USDA Code: Alma12 (Alps) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Noxious weed reported from along irrigation canals on Wahluke Slope;

may have been eradicated.

Collections: None Available

Astragalus caricinus (M.E. Jones) Barneby

buckwheat milkvetch

USDA Code: Asca12 (Asca) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread in sagebrush areas on sandy loams.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-320; Baird-888, 978; MRS-33, 38; P&R-87; (BRY):

Baird 36, 431, 534, 543, 602, 704, 724, 813, 908, 920, 933, 978, 980, 986,

1053; Caplow & Beck 97027; (PNNL-TC): Baird 36

Astragalus columbianus Barneby

Columbia milkvetch

USDA Code: Asco9 (Asco) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Washington State threatened species; endemic to the northwest part of the

Hanford Site and southeast portion of the Yakima Training Center, from near the Columbia River to the top of Umtanum and Yakima ridges.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS 201, 202; CZM 418; Baird-605; (BRY): Baird 169, 599,

629, 642, 648, 1239; Beck & Caplow 94004; (PNNL-TC): Sauer

4-22-77, Mastrogiuseppe 1288

Astragalus conjunctus S. Wats.

Dr. Bill's locoweed

var. rickardii Welsh, F. Caplow and K. Beck

USDA Code: Ascor2 (Ascor) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Endemic to the northwest faces of Rattlesnake Mountain, Horse Heaven

Hills, and in Wasco County, Oregon. Currently on the Washington State Review 1 list. Earlier reports of *A. reventiformis* and possibly *A. arrectus* from our area may actually refer to this taxon. Variety not in Hitchcock

and Cronquist (1973).

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-775; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94046, 95083; (BRY):

Caplow & Beck 95038

Astragalus geyeri Gray Geyer's milkvetch

USDA Code: Asge lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: An annual milkvetch that occurs on the Wahluke Slope, near the top of

the White Bluffs. Listed as sensitive in Washington State.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94042

Astragalus lentiginosus Dougl. Ex Hook.

freckled milkvetch

USDA Code: Asle8 (Aslen) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected on Rattlesnake Ridge near Bennett Ranch.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 755

Astragalus purshii Dougl. Ex Hook.

woolly-pod milkvetch

vars. glareosus (Dougl.) Barnaby and purshii.

USDA Code: Aspu9 (Aspu) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread with sagebrush; most collections assignable to

var. *purshii*, but some collections, mainly from the top of the Rattlesnake Ridge, are var. *glareosus* (Dougl.) Barneby (Baird 795, Johnson &

Rickard 4-22-66, and Genoway 4-9-53).

Collections: (PNNL): JGL-88, 89; (BRY): Baird 101, 107, 547, 576, 617, 703, 718,

759, 795; (WS): O'Farrell 71-11, 71-17, 71-27; Cotton 552; Bennett 23; (PNNL-TC): Johnson & Rickard 4-22-66; Genoway 4-9-53; Sauer 4-26-76, 5-16-75, 6-10-75 #23, 4-20-78; Warren 4-18-78, 4-7-78; no

collector 4-2-80; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95006

Astragalus reventiformis (Rydb.) Barneby

Yakima milkvetch

USDA Code: Asre6 (Asre) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Many of the earlier reports of this species from the Rattlesnake Hills are

now probably referable to A. conjunctus var. rickardii. Otherwise, this

species occurs on all major ridges and hills in the area.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 109, 633, 794; (PNNL-TC): no collector 6-11-76

Astragalus sclerocarpus Gray

stalked-pod milkvetch

USDA Code: Assc6 (Assc) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: State Watch List species that is common and widespread throughout

Hanford, primarily on open sand with sagebrush and dunes.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-900, 908, 979; MRS-16, 52, 54, 65, 70; P&R-82, 90;

JGL-90, 91, 92, 93, 94; (BRY): Baird 16, 521, 806, 826, 851, 934, 942, 1061, 1096, 1109; (WS): O'Farrell 71-31, 71-55, 71-57; (PNNL-TC): Pendleton 4-15-58; Sauer 5-20-75; Warren, 5-9-78; Sauer 6-6-80, 5-9-78,

5-20-80; Sauer & Owzarski 5-80; Rickard 5-20-86

Astragalus spaldingii Gray Spalding's milkvetch

USDA Code: Assp4 (Assp) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local in bunchgrass areas near the top of Rattlesnake Ridge.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM 446, 663; (BRY): Baird 768, 862, 1298; (PNNL-TC):

Sauer 6-17-75, 5-31-78; Rickard 6-1-70; (WS): Griffiths & Cotton 3, 23;

L Smith 6-23-29

Astragalus speirocarpus Gray

medick milkvetch

USDA Code: Assp7 (Asspe) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Locally common in canyons and drainages just to the west and northwest

of Hanford; collected at Priest Rapids. Some reports of this species in

Cold Creek Valley (e.g., Brandt et al. 1990) probably refer to

A. sclerocarpus.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Sauer 4-28-78

Astragalus succumbens Dougl. Ex Hook.

crouching milkvetch

USDA Code: Assu7 (Assu) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: State Watch List species that is common, widespread and often abundant

in sagebrush areas. Perhaps the showiest milkvetch in our area.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM 324, 418; Baird-920, 977; MRS-50, 56, 138; P&R-35;

GIB-19; /JGL-95, 96; (BRY): Baird 21, 42, 549, 571, 572, 645, 697, 719, 729, 919, 951, 981, 1041; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 5-22-75, 6-5-80; Whittaker

5-12-52; Warren 4-20-78

Caragana arborescens Lam.

Siberian peatree

USDA Code: Caar18 (Caar) lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced tree; persisting where planted around old building sites off of

Army Loop Road, near the Yakima barricade.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 969

Gleditsia triacanthos L. honey locust

USDA Code: Gltr lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced tree; persisting along the Columbia River as at 100-H Area.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-396; (BRY): Baird 1276

Glycyrrhiza lepidota Pursh

licorice

USDA Code: Glle lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reportedly common along the Yakima River, near Richland and Horn

Rapids.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS 265; (WS): H.E. Willmsen 10-23-26; (WTU): Caplow &

Beck 97038

Lotus purshianus F.E. & E.G. Clem.

Spanish clover

Lotus unifoliolatus (Hook.) Benth.

USDA Code: Loun (Lopu) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Occasional along the Columbia River, as at China Bar and 100-B Area. Collections: (PNNL): MRS-311; Baird-1251; (BRY): Baird 1357a; (WS): Cotton

692

Lupinus laxiflorus Dougl. Ex Lindl.

spurred lupine

Lupinus arbustus Dougl. Ex Lindl. ssp. calcaratus (Kellogg) D. Dunn

USDA Code: Luar6 (Lula lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Locally abundant on upper slopes of the Rattlesnake Ridge, Bennett

Spring.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 872; (WS): O'Farrell 71-71, 72-212; (PNNL-TC): Sauer

6-10-75 #8

Lupinus lepidus Dougl. Ex Lindl. var. aridus (Dougl.) Jepson

prairie lupine

Lupinus aridus Dougl. ssp. aridus

USDA Code: Luara6 (Lulep) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common along the Columbia River, in dry gravels and cobbles near high

water mark.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1159; MRS-20, 92, 98, 110; (BRY): Baird 609, 711,

1180; (WS): O'Farrell 74-291; Beattie 3946, 3947, 3948; (PNNL-TC):

Warren 8-12-80

Lupinus leucophyllus Dougl. Ex Lindl.

velvet lupine

USDA Code: Lule3 (Luleu) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common on slopes of Rattlesnake and Umtanum ridges. Some years

flowering abundantly enough to give a lavender shade to the hills.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM 430, 478; (BRY): Baird 630, 863; (WS): O'Farrell

71-83; (PNNL-TC): Rotenberry 6-23-75 #1; Sauer 9-8-74, 6-21-74,

7-5-74, 6-17-75 #9, 10; 5-16-75 #9

Lupinus pusillus Pursh low lupine

USDA Code: Lupu lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Annual species, common in spring on open sand and dunes especially

throughout the 200 Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-388; Baird-807; MRS-61; P&R-86; JGL-97, 98; (BRY):

Baird 563, 909, 927, 940, 1066; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 5-22-75 #4

Lupinus saxosus T.J. Howell

rock lupine

USDA Code: Lusa2 (Lusa) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Widespread species, primarily on basalt, known from Hanford by a

single, unusual collection on Locke Island.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Pendleton 4-18-58

Lupinus sericeus Pursh ssp. sericeus var. sericeus

silky lupine

and var. fikeranus (C.P. Sm.) C.L. Hitchc.

(Now) var. *flexuosus* (Lindl. Ex J.G. Agardh) C.P. Sm.

USDA Code: Luses4 (Luse) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Uncommon in sandy areas near the Columbia River, as at base of

Umtanum Ridge.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-122; (BRY): Baird 197; (PNNL-TC): Rickard & Hanson

5-5-70; Sauer & Durham 8-7-75; Sauer 5-30-75 #19, 5-22-75 #1a; Fitzner

5-11-78; no collector

Lupinus sulphureus Dougl. Ex Hook. var. subsaccatus (Suksdorf) C.L. Hitchc.

sulfur lupine

Lupinus bingenensis Suksdorf var. subsaccatus Suksdorf

USDA Code: Lube3 (Lusu) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread with sagebrush, as on Rattlesnake Ridge and

other main hills in region.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-203; CZM 342; JGL-99, 100, 101; (BRY): Baird 1, 102,

103, 104, 552, 574, 587, 603, 647, 715, 776; (WS): O'Farrell 71-28, 71-40, 71-42, 71-112; Bennett 41; (PNNL-TC): Rickard & Cline 5-1-70, 5-5-70, 4-11-73; Sauer 6-17-75 #5, 5-16-75 #6, 6-10-75 #21; no collector

4-11-73, 6-22-70, 5-79

Lupinus wyethii S. Wats. Wyeth's lupine

USDA Code: Luwy lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common along the Columbia River in sandy-cobble of the riverbank, as

at China Bar, White Bluffs townsite, and 100-H and 100-K Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-96, 97, 292; (BRY): Baird 154, 610, 882, 998, 1023,

1078, 1091

Medicago lupulina L. black medick

USDA Code: Melu lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed of moist waste places, widespread.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-125; (BRY): Baird 792, 1019; (WS): O'Farrell 72-247;

(PNNL-TC): Newsome & Sauer 9-27-77

Medicago sativa L. alfalfa

USDA Code: Mesa lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced forage plant, escaping and established widely.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS 323; (BRY): Baird 974

Melilotus alba Medik. white sweetclover

Melilotus officinalis (L.) Lam.

USDA Code: Meof2 (Meal) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced forage plant; established all along the Columbia River,

occasionally forming dense stands, often along old roads. White flowers.

Now subsummed within *M. officinalis*.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-904; MRS-155; (BRY): Baird 1184, 1223; (WS):

O'Farrell 72-237

Melilotus officinalis (L.) Lam.

yellow sweetclover

lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial USDA Code: Meof2 (Meof) Distribution/Notes: Similar in appearance and distribution as M. alba, but with yellow

flowers, perhaps not quite as abundant.

(PNNL): Baird-903; GIB-20; VAU-26 Collections:

Onobrychis viciaefolia Scop.

holyclover

USDA Code: Onvi lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed; collected along a roadside east of Benton City.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 78

Petalostemon ornatum Dougl. Ex Hook.

western prairieclover

Dalea ornata (Dougl. Ex Hook.) Eat. & J. Wright

USDA Code: Daor2 (Peor) *lifeform:* forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes:

Widespread, mainly in sandy areas, as along Horn Rapids Road,

Rattlesnake Mountain, and the Columbia River near Energy Northwest

pump house.

(PNNL): JGL-102; VAU-27, 28; (BRY): Baird 856; (WS): O'Farrell Collections:

73-265; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-10-75 #5, 6-26-74; Pendleton 6-18-59;

Sauer & Owzarski 5-15-80

Psoralea lanceolata Pursh

dune scurfpea

Psoralidium lanceolatum (Pursh) Rydb.

USDA Code: Psla3 (Psla) *lifeform:* forb *origin:* Native *duration:* perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread in sandy areas, especially sand dunes.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-68; CZM 370; CJK-sn; JGL-103; (BRY): Baird 814,

910; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-17-75 #1; Pendleton 10-7-58; Warren & Hines

5-20-80; (WS): Snodgrass 07-1903; Dunn 9-16-1902; Lake & Hull 664; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 97036

Robinia pseudo-acacia L. black locust

USDA Code: Rops lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced tree; well established in region, but also often planted and

persisting, especially along the Columbia River throughout the 100 Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-808; CZM-351; (WS): O'Farrell 73-263; (PNNL-TC):

Warren 8-16-78

Swainsona salsula (Pallas) Taubert

salt rattlepod

Sphaerophysa salsula (Pallas) DC.

USDA Code: Spsa3 (Swsa) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed; forming dense patches in heavy, alkaline soils, as at

West Lake and Rattlesnake Springs; also observed near White Bluffs boat

launch.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-384; P&R-30; ARJ-04, 05; GIB-50; (BRY): Baird 110,

1134, 1363; (WS): O'Farrell 71-98; (PNNL-TC): Newsome & Sauer 6-11-76; Sauer & Newsome 9-27-77; Fitzner 7-15-74; Sauer 7-16-74

Trifolium fragiferum L. strawberry clover

USDA Code: Trfr2 (Trfr) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) on flood bars near Priest

Rapids.

Collections: Mastrogiuseppe 2635

Trifolium macrocephalum (Pursh) Poir. bigheaded clover

USDA Code: T rma3 (Trfma) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) on lithosols near Priest

Rapids.

Collections: None Available

Trifolium repens L. white clover

USDA Code: Trre3 (Trre) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced; widespread weed in moist places near the Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1018

Vicia americana Muhl. Ex Willd. American vetch

USDA Code: Viam lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Local; collected in Snively Basin and Cold Creek, reported from Priest

Rapids.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 73-259; Cotton 399; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 5-31-78;

Rickard and Cline 6-1-70

Vicia cracca L. bird vetch

USDA Code: Vicr lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed; locally common, mostly in disturbed areas and around

old buildings, potentially occurring at Hanford townsite and near Vernita.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird 879, 910; MRS-102; (BRY): Baird 138, 139

Vicia villosa Roth hairy vetch

USDA Code: Vivi (Vivil) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC from various locations near the Columbia River. Some

specimens previously identified as *V. cracca* may be assignable here.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Newsome & Sauer 9-27-77; J. A. Hall 5-26-85

Fagaceae

Juglans nigra L. black walnut

USDA Code: Juni lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced tree; planted and persisting at White Bluffs townsite.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM 485; (BRY): Baird 1022

Quercus sp. oak

Quercus sp.

USDA Code: Oak lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC near shoreline of the Columbia River.

Collections: None Available

Gentianaceae

Centaurium exaltatum (Griseb.) W. Wight ex Piper western centaury

USDA Code: Ceex lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; found along drainages; collected along Cold Creek and in

drainage ponds on Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-277; (BRY): Baird 1221; (WS): O'Farrell 72-243;

Cotton 665

Geraniaceae

Erodium cicutarium (L.) L'Hér. Ex Ait. storksbill

USDA Code: Erci lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Introduced; very common weed of early spring; very widespread in a

number of habitats.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-355; JGL-108, 109; (BRY): Baird 34; (WS): O'Farrell

71-26; (PNNL-TC): Fitzner 5-11-78; Sauer 5-30-75 #22

Geranium viscosissimum Fisch. & C.A. Mey. Ex C.A. Mey. sticky geranium

USDA Code: Gevi2 (Gevi) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Collected in the Rattlesnake Hills during the early 20th century; not

reported since then.

Collections: (WS): Cotton 467

Grossulariaceae

Ribes aureum Pursh golden currant

USDA Code: Riau lifeform: shrub origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered along drainages, water courses, and the Columbia River;

widespread on Hanford.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM 436; (BRY): Baird 13, 764; (WS): O'Farrell 71-35;

Cotton 561; Bennett 32; (PNNL-TC): Pendleton 4-18-59; Rickard &

Cline 5-1-70; Warren 8-16-78

Ribes cereum Dougl. squaw currant

USDA Code: Rice lifeform: shrub origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered on hills and slopes of Rattlesnake and Umtanum ridges.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-337; (BRY): Baird 162, 781, 865; (WS): O'Farrell

71-44; Cotton 553, 559, 560; Bennett 2; (PNNL-TC): Pendleton 6-19-59;

Rickard and Cline 5-1-70; Sauer 4-13-78; Warren 8-16-78

Haloragaceae

Myriophyllum spicatum L. spiked water-milfoil

USDA Code: Mysp2 (Mysp) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Scattered in the Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-408

Hydrangeaceae

Philadelphus lewisii Pursh mockorange

USDA Code: Phle4 (Phle) lifeform: shrub origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Local in canyons and drainages of Rattlesnake and Umtanum ridges.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM 442; (BRY): Baird 190; (WS): O'Farrell 71-125;

(PNNL-TC): Sauer & Newsome 6-11-76; Rickard & Cline 6-1-70; Sauer

5-31-78; Warren 8-16-78

Hydrocharitaceae

Elodea canadensis Michx. Canadian waterweed

USDA Code: Elca7 (Elca) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC as well as in Watson et al. (1984) as occurring in the

Columbia River and waste ponds; no specimen cited; also reported along

Priest Rapids by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983).

Collections: Mastrogiuseppe 2733

Elodea nuttallii (Planch.) St. John Nuttall's waterweed

USDA Code: Elnu2 (Elnu) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Widespread species; occasionally found on Hanford; collected in the

Columbia River at 100-F Area.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1128

Hydrophyllaceae

Hydrophyllum capitatum Dougl. Ex Benth. Ballhead waterleaf

USDA Code: Hyca4 (Hyca) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) in wet areas, Priest Rapids.

Collections: Mastrogiuseppe 2420

Nama densum J.G. Lemmon var. parviflorum (Greenm.) C.L. Hitchc. purplemat

USDA Code: Nadep (Nade) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Occasional on open sands and dunes, especially in 200 Areas; currently

on the Washington State Review 1 list.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-150; CZM 650; (BRY): Baird 527, 770, 805, 836, 1065,

1072; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 97005, 97019

Phacelia glandulifera Piper sticky scorpionweed

USDA Code: Phgl2 (Phgl) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected in sandy areas west of 200 West Area.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM 651A; (PNNL-TC): Rickard 5-20-86

Phacelia hastata Dougl. Ex Lehm. whiteleaf scorpionweed

USDA Code: Phha lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common on open sand and dunes; widespread on Hanford.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-809, 897; MRS-63; JGL-104, 105; (BRY): Baird 38,

850, 861, 928, 991; (WS): O'Farrell 71-129; Griffiths & Cotton 26; (PNNL-TC): Rickard & Cline 6-1-70; Sauer 6-10-75 #29, 6-1-70 #15; Pendleton 6-18-59, 6-8-59, 6-19-59; Sauer et al. 5-12-80; no collector

5-7-80

Phacelia heterophylla Pursh virgate scorpionweed

USDA Code: Phhe2 (Phhe) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local; collected on rocky slopes at base of Umtanum Ridge.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-244; (BRY): Baird 164

Phacelia linearis (Pursh) Holz. threadleaf scorpionweed

USDA Code: Phli lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread in a variety of habitats; found often where

sandy but also in rocky sites.

Collections: (PNNL): GLF-182; Baird-896; MRS-31; P&R-36; JGL-106, 107;

/VAU-29, 30; /RFG-11; (BRY): Baird 187, 588, 625, 708, 842, 870; (WS): O'Farrell 71-113; Cotton 330; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 4-18-78, 4-27-76; Davis 5-7-53; Rickard 6-22-70; Rotenberry 5-29-75 #1; Warren 4-18-78, 5-8-79; Rogers 5-6-75; Gano 5-7-79; Warren & Hinds 5-20-80

Phacelia ramosissima Dougl. ex Lehm.

basalt scorpionweed

USDA Code: Phra2 (Phra) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local on basalt talus at base of Umtanum Ridge.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-160; (BRY): Baird 163; (WS): O'Farrell 73-276

Hypericaceae (Clusiaceae)

Hypericum formosum Kunth

western St. John's-wort

Hypericum scouleri Hook.

USDA Code: Hysc5 (Hyfo) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Known from older collections from moist ground in the Rattlesnake Hills.

Also reported from Priest Rapids by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983).

Collections: (WS): Cotton 693; St. John 8093

Hypericum majus (Gray) Britt. Canadian St. John's-wort

USDA Code: Hyma2 (Hyma) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Washington State sensitive species. Uncommon; scattered in wet areas

along the Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL): Caplow & Beck 95108; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94069, 95115

Hypericum perforatum L. Klamath weed

USDA Code: Hype lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common along the shore of the Columbia River, often below the high

Common along the shore of the Columbia Kiver, often below the high

water mark, as at Priest Rapids, 100-D and 100-K Areas, and White

Bluffs townsite.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-406; GIB-62; (BRY): Baird 191, 1088, 1125, 1183, 1206

Iridaceae

Iris missouriensis Nutt. western blue flag

USDA Code: Irmi lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Observed in bottom lands along the Yakima River; no collections made.

Reported in wet areas near Priest Rapids.

Collections: None Available

Iris pseudacorus L. yellow flag

USDA Code: Irps lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Along the Columbia River in the Hanford townsite slough; also present in

the Yakima River delta.

Collections: None Available

Juncaceae

Juncus articulatus L. jointed rush

USDA Code: Juar4 (Juar) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered along the shore of the Columbia River, as at Hanford townsite

and White Bluffs slough; also on ALE and Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-263; CZM-469; (BRY): Baird 1003, 1036, 1234;

(PNNL-TC): Newsome & Sauer 9-27-77; Warren 8-12-80

Juncus balticus Willd. Baltic rush

USDA Code: Juba lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered along the shore of the Columbia River, as at White Bluffs

slough and Priest Rapids.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-90, 229; (BRY): Baird 652, 1036a; (PNNL-TC): Warren

8-12-80; Davis 4-24-52; Sauer 5-15-80

Juncus bufonius L. toad rush

USDA Code: Jubu lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Local, wet areas along the Columbia River and elsewhere; collected in

moist ground along Cold Creek.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 960

Juncus ensifolius Wikstr. var. montanus (Engelm.)

dagger-leaf rush

Juncus saximontanus A. Nels.

USDA Code: Juen lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) from wet areas in the

vicinity of Priest Rapids.

Collections: Mastrogiuseppe 2445

Juncus mertensianus Bong. Merten's rush

USDA Code: Jume3 (Jume) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Occasional along the shore of the Columbia River; collected near White

Bluffs townsite.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1084, 1085

Juncus nevadensis S. Wats. var. columbianus (Coville) St. John Sierra rush

USDA Code: Junec (June) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Wetland areas along the Columbia River and in moist drainages in the

Rattlesnake Hills.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-294; (WS): Cotton 668, 669 in part

Juncus nodosus L. tuberous rush

USDA Code: Juno2 (Juno) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered along the Columbia River in moist ground, as at Hanford

townsite.

Collections: (PNNL): GIB-63; (PNNL-TC): Newsome & Sauer 9-27-77

Juncus regelii Buch. Regel's rush

USDA Code: Jure lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Known only from very old reports from along Snipes Creek on west side

of Rattlesnake Mountain; specimen not found at WSU herbarium.

Collections: (WS): Cotton 669 in part

Juncus tenuis Willd. slender rush

Juncus tenuis Willd.; Juncus occidentalis Wieg.; or Juncus dudleyi Wieg.

USDA Code: Jute lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common along the shore of the Columbia River; widespread on Hanford.

Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) report both var. *conjestus* and var.

dudleyi from the Priest Rapids area.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-262; Baird-1002, 1037; (BRY): Baird 1017, 1153, 1211,

1262; (WS): O'Farrell 71-95

Juncus torreyi Coville Torrey's rush

USDA Code: Juto lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Occasional along the shore of the Columbia River; collected at Coyote

Rapids.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1381; (WS): O'Farrell 72-250

Juncaginaceae

Triglochin maritimum L. seaside arrowgrass

USDA Code: Trma4 (Trgma) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered along the Columbia River, and in drainage ponds on Wahluke

Slope. Collected near Allard pumphouse.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-287; (PNNL-TC): Pendleton 8-25-59; (PNNL): Caplow

& Beck 95122

Triglochin palustre L. marsh arrowgrass

USDA Code: Trpa6 (Trpa) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Uncommon along the shore of the Columbia River; collected at White

Bluffs townsite.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1080

Lamiaceae

Agastache occidentalis (Piper) Heller western horsemint

USDA Code: Agoc lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common in rocky-loamy soils atop Rattlesnake Ridge.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-676; (BRY): Baird 1303; (WS): O'Farrell 71-116;

(PNNL-TC): Pendleton 6-19-59; Watson 6-10-59; Warren 8-16-78

Glechoma hederacea L. field balm

USDA Code: Glhe2 (Glhe) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced species, reported from ALE by TNC.

Collections: None Available

Lycopus americanus Muhl. Ex W. Bart. cut-leaf bugleweed

USDA Code: Lyam lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; scattered along the Columbia River near 100-N Area.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-316

Lycopus asper Greene rough bugleweed

USDA Code: Lyas lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Uncommon, along the Columbia River in moist ground such as near

100-B Area and Priest Rapids.

Collections: (PNNL): GIB-56

Marrubium vulgare L. horehound

USDA Code: Mavu lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed; occasional in disturbed areas; collected in Snively

Canyon.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-440; (WS): O'Farrell 71-123; (PNNL-TC): Rickard &

Cline 9-4-70

Mentha arvensis L. field mint

USDA Code: Mear4 (Mear) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Collected in the Rattlesnake Hills, elevation 3,400 feet. Reported from

central Hanford, along the Columbia River, and from Wahluke Slope by

TNC.

Collections: (WS): Cotton 699

Mentha piperita L. peppermint

Mentha x piperita L. (pro sp.)

USDA Code: Mepi lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Collected near upper Snively Spring.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-476

Mentha spicata L. spearmint

USDA Code: Mesp3 (Mensp) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced and cultivated, often escaping; found at Rattlesnake Springs.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 71-154

Monardella odoratissima Benth. coyote mint

USDA Code: Mood lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local on rocky slopes and canyons of Umtanum Ridge and reported from

Rattlesnake Ridge and White Bluffs.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 185; (WS): O'Farrell 72-233; Cotton 760; St. John 8089;

Lake & Hull 705

Nepeta cataria L. catnip

USDA Code: Neca2 (Neca) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed; occasional in moist areas, as at Hanford townsite,

Coyote Rapids, and elsewhere.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1224, 1290, 1371

Physostegia parviflora Nutt. Ex Gray purple dragonhead

USDA Code: Phpa10 (Phypa) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected at Hanford townsite.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Warren no date

Prunella vulgaris L. selfheal

USDA Code: Prvu lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common weed elsewhere; rare; often of disturbed areas; collected at

White Bluffs townsite; reported from Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (PNNL): GIB-43

Salvia dorrii (Kellogg) Abrams

grayball sage

USDA Code: Sado4 (Sado) lifeform: shrub origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Occasional and scattered in gravelly or rocky areas, often with sagebrush. Collections: (PNNL): MRS-146; JGL-110, 111, 112, 113; (BRY): Baird 41, 692,

857, 967; (WS): O'Farrell 71-85; Cotton 388, 467; Griffiths & Cotton 25; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-17-75 #14; Davis no date; Hanson 6-10-61;

Gano 5-2-79; McShane 5-12-79

Stachys palustris L.

swamp hedge-nettle

Stachys pilosa Nutt.

USDA Code: Stpi6 (Stpau) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; scattered along the Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL): GLF-172; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95120

Lemnaceae

Lemna minor L. duckweed

USDA Code: Lemi3 (Lemi) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Widespread floating aquatic plant of ponds and pools; sometimes forming

large mats on still water.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 873; (WS): O'Farrell 72-240

Liliaceae

Allium acuminatum Hook. Hooker's onion

USDA Code: Alac4 (Alac) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported from the Rattlesnake Hills by TNC and others; neither of the

older referenced specimens could be located at WS. Also reported from various habitats in the Priest Rapids area by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill

(1983).

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 73-274; Bennett 4-26; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94039

Allium cernuum Roth nodding onion

USDA Code: Alce2 (Alce) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Occasional along the shores of the Columbia River, as at Vernita Collections: (PNNL): MRS-169, 288; GIB-21, 22; (WS): Lake & Hull 8-11-1892

Allium douglasii Hook. Douglas' onion

USDA Code: Aldo lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local; collected on upper slopes of Rattlesnake Ridge.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-667; (BRY): Baird 1294

Allium macrum S. Wats. rock onion

USDA Code: Alma5 (Alma) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered on rocky flats on top of Rattlesnake Ridge and other main

ridges and hills in region.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 762, 1562; (WS): O'Farrell 71-15; Bennett 4-13-26;

Daubenmire 5817; (PNNL-TC): Pendleton 4-27-59

Allium robinsonii Henderson Robinson's onion

USDA Code: Alro lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common and scattered in a variety of habitats, usually near the Columbia

River, as at China Bar, Hanford slough, and Coyote Rapids, but also with sagebrush, as on the Wahluke Slope, Horn Rapids, and Badger Mountain;

State Watch List species.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-194; JGL-114; (BRY): Baird 564, 573, 614;

(PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-4-80, 4-17-76, 4-20-78; Davis 4-22-53; Pendleton

4-17-59; no collector 4-79; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95002

Allium schoenoprasum L. chives

USDA Code: Alsc (Alsch) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread along the shores of the Columbia River, mostly

in gravels.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-314; JGL-115, 116; (BRY): Baird 193, 607, 825, 1090,

1398; (WS): Beattie 3964; St. John 3319; Lake & Hull 8-9-1892; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-5-80; Sauer & Durham 8-7-75 #14; Rickard 4-20-61; Davis 4-24-53, 4-24-52; Sauer et al. 5-12-80; Warren 5-8-79

Allium scilloides Dougl. Ex S. Wats. squill onion

USDA Code: Alsc2 (Alsci) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: State Watch List species; local on lower slopes and canyons of Umtanum

Ridge.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-216; Baird-1550; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95008

Asparagus officinalis L. asparagus

USDA Code: Asof lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced crop plant; escaping and now widespread in deep soils near

the Columbia River, as at Hanford townsite and Horn Rapids.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-352; P&R-01, VAU-31; (BRY): Baird 839; (PNNL-TC):

Newsome and Sauer 9-27-77

Brodiaea douglasii S. Wats.

Douglas' clusterlily

Triteleia grandiflora Lindl. var. grandiflora

USDA Code: Trgrg2 (Brdo) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread, especially in sandy or loamy soils as on

Rattlesnake Ridge and throughout the 200 Area plateau.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-44; P&R-39; VAU-32; JGL-117, 118, 119; (BRY): Baird

19, 523; (WS): O'Farrell 71-29; Bennett 4-19-26; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-10-75 #20, 4-18-78; Pendleton 4-21-59; Rickard & Cline 5-1-70; no

collector 5-11-73

Brodiaea howellii S. Wats.

Howell's clusterlily

Triteleia grandiflora Lindl. var. howellii (S. Wats) Hoove

USDA Code: Trgrh (Brho) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Collected on 200 Area plateau, not as common as B. douglasii.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-53

Calochortus macrocarpus Dougl.

sagebrush mariposa lily

USDA Code: Cama5 (Cama) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common late-spring flower, mostly with sagebrush; widespread on

Hanford.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-337; Baird-922; MRS-148; JGL-120; /GIB-23;

/RFG-12,13; (BRY): Baird 144, 1048; (WS): O'Farrell 71-88; (PNNL-TC): Rickard & Cline 6-1-70; Rickard & Fitzner 5-22-86;

(WTU): Caplow & Beck 97078

Fritillaria pudica (Pursh) Spreng.

yellow bell

USDA Code: Frpu2 (Frpu) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered in a variety of habitats, sometimes becoming locally abundant,

as in 200 Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1554; JGL-121, 122; VAU-33, 34; RFG-14; (BRY):

Baird 696, 723a, 783, 1554; (WS): O'Farrell 72-174, 72-187; Bennett 4-19-26; St. John 8113; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 4-9-76; Pendleton 4-10-59; Davis 3-26-53, 4-2-52; Rickard 3-21-61; Warren & McShane 5-12-80

Smilacina stellata (L.) Desf.

starflower

Maianthemum stellatum (L.) Link

USDA Code: Mast4 (Smst) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local; collected at Bobcat Spring and the Rattlesnake Hills.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 72-205; Cotton 578; (PNNL-TC): Gano 5-79

Yucca filamentosa L. Adam's needle

USDA Code: Yufi lifeform: sub-shrub origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced ornamental, persisting around old buildings and building sites;

collected near 100-D Area.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1179

Yucca glauca Nutt. soapweed

USDA Code: Yugl lifeform: sub-shrub origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced ornamental, persisting around old buildings or building sites;

collected in sandy areas of north Richland.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-427; (BRY): Baird 853, 1137

Zigadenus paniculatus (Nutt.) S. Wats.

foothill deathcamas

USDA Code: Zipa2 (Zipa) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected on Gable Butte and the ALE Reserve. *Collections:* (PNNL): JGL-124; (WS): O'Farrell 71-30; Cotton 336; Bennett

Zigadenus venenosus S. Wats.

meadow deathcamas

USDA Code: Zive lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread in dry to moist sites, especially on Rattlesnake

Ridge.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-42; JGL-123; VAU-35; (BRY): Baird 100; (PNNL-TC):

Rickard & Cline 5-1-70; Gano 5-30-79

Linaceae

Linum perenne L. wild blueflax

USDA Code: Lipe2 (Lipe) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Local, mainly in grassy areas, as on slopes of Rattlesnake Ridge.

Collections: (WS): Cotton 424; Bennett 50; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 5-20-80; McShane

5-7-79; Gano 5-7-79; Warren 5-11-79

Loasaceae

Mentzelia albicaulis (Dougl. Ex Hook.) Dougl. Ex Torr. & Gray whitestem stickleaf

USDA Code: Meal6 (Menal) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread, mostly in sandy areas.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-641; Baird-832; MRS-45; P&R-32; JGL-126, 127;

/VAU-36, 37; /PB-03; (BRY): Baird 706, 803, 938, 1062, 1107; (WS): O'Farrell 71-33, 71-59; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 4-26-76; Rickard 5-3-61, 5-20-86; Whittaker 5-6-52; McShane 4-30-79; Gano 5-10-79; Warren

5-2-79

Mentzelia laevicaulis (Dougl. Ex Hook.) Torr. & Gray

blazingstar

USDA Code: Mela2 (Mela) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered, mostly in gravelly areas, as at Gable Butte, Priest Rapids,

Bobcat Canyon, and along roadcuts south of West Lake; also reported

from Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-410; GIB-24, 25, 38; (BRY): Baird 150, 1226; (WS):

O'Farrell 71-66; (PNNL-TC): Davis 6-26-52; Warren 8-16-78, Sauer

8-9-74

Lythraceae

Ammannia coccinea Rottb

scarlet ammannia

Ammannia robusta Heer & Regel

USDA Code: Amro (Amro) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Scattered along the Columbia River in wet ground; currently on the

Washington State Review 1 list.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94065

Lythrum hyssopifolium L. Hyssop loosestrife

USDA Code: Lyhy2 (Lyhy) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC along the Columbia River.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 97048

Lythrum salicaria L. purple loosestrife

USDA Code: Lysa2 (Lysa) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced, noxious weed. Increasing at many wetland areas along the

Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-284, 289

Rotala ramosior (L.) Koehne toothcup

USDA Code: Rora lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Uncommon and local in wet ground of the Columbia River's edge;

currently on the Washington State Review 1 list.

Collections: (PNNL): GLF-8-29-95; (BRY): Baird 1406; (PNNL-TC): Warren &

Sauer 10-6-80; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94060

Malvaceae

Sphaeralcea ambigua Gray apricot globemallow

USDA Code: Spam2 (Spam) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Cultivated, but escaped and occasionally persisting; north Richland.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-397

Sphaeralcea grossulariifolia (Hook. & Arn.) Rydb. gooseberry-leaved globemallow

USDA Code: Spgr2 (Sphgr) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) from shrub-steppe area near

Priest Rapids; also collected west of the Yakima barricade.

Collections: Mastrogiuseppe 2358; Grable 2538

Sphaeralcea munroana (Dougl. Ex Lindl.) Spach ex Gray Munro's globemallow

USDA Code: Spmu2 (Spmu) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread, mostly in dry silty soils, as along Cold Creek

Valley and in the 100 Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-336; P&R-66; VAU-38, 39; JGL-128, 129, 130, 131;

(BRY): Baird 801 812, 854, 876, 985; (WS): O'Farrell 71-81; (PNNL-TC): Fitzner 5-11-78; Sauer 5-30-75 #13; Rickard & Cline 6-1-70; Davis 5-28-53; Pendleton 5-7-58; Sauer & Owzarski 5-15-80; McShane 5-17-79; Warren 5-8-79; Rickard 5-22-86; Rickard and Fitzner

5-22-86

Marsileaceae

Marsilea vestita Hook. & Grev. clover fern

USDA Code: Mave2 (Mave) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common in wet or, at least seasonally wet areas; often in gravel, mostly

along the shore of the Columbia River but also on Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1143; MRS-89, 121; (BRY): Baird 1158, 1197, 1204,

1316; (PNNL-TC): Davis 7-30-53

Moraceae

Morus alba L. white mulberry

USDA Code: Moal lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced tree; widely planted and occasionally escaping along the

Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM 344, 398; (BRY): Baird 822

Nyctaginaceae

Abronia mellifera Dougl. Ex Hook. white sand verbena

USDA Code: Abme lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common in open sand and dunes; widespread in region.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-28; P&R-72; JGL-132, 133; VAU-40, 41, 42; (BRY):

Baird 941; (PNNL-TC): Newsome and Sauer 6-11-76; Davis 5-15-53, 5-28-53; Sauer 5-9-78; Sauer et al. 5-12-80; (WTU): Caplow & Beck

97022

Oleaceae

Fraxinus pennsylvanica Marsh. green ash

USDA Code: Frpe lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced tree; planted and persisting at 100-H Area.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-431; Baird-994

Syringa vulgaris L. lilac

USDA Code: Syvu lifeform: shrub origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced ornamental shrub; persisting at Snively Springs and

occasionally around abandoned buildings in the 200 Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-397; (WS): O'Farrell 73-260; (PNNL-TC): Rickard and

Cline 5-1-70; Warren 8-16-78

Onagraceae

Boisduvalia glabella (Nutt.) Walp.

smooth spikeprimrose

Epilobium pygmaeum (Speg.) Hoch & Raven

USDA Code: Eppy4 (Bogl) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Reported from near the Columbia River by TNC.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95109

Boisduvalia stricta (Gray) Greene

stiff spikeprimrose

Epilobium torreyi (S. Wats.) Hoch & Raven

USDA Code: Epto4 (Bost) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Collected in canyons of the Rattlesnake Hills during very early 20th

century; not observed on Hanford since that time.

Collections: (WS): Cotton 690

Epilobium angustifolium L.

fireweed

Chamerion angustifolium (L.) Holub

USDA Code: Chan9 (Epan) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local along water courses; collected at head of Z-ditch, in Upper Snively

Basin, and reported from Snipes Creek.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-477; Baird-1200; (WS): Cotton 883; (PNNL-TC): Sauer

5-31-78

Epilobium glaberrimum Barbey

smooth willowherb

USDA Code: Epgl (Epglb) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; found along water courses; collected along Cold Creek.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 961; (WS): O'Farrell 71-150

Epilobium glandulosum Lehm. var. tenue (Trel.) C.L. Hitchc.

common willowherb

Epilobium halleanum Hausskn.

USDA Code: Epha (Epgln) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported on flood bars near Priest Rapids by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill

(1983).

Collections: Mastrogiuseppe 2602, 2620

Epilobium minutum Lindl. Ex Lehm. small willowherb

USDA Code: Epmi lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected along Cold Creek Wash and along Horn Rapids

Road.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 176; (PNNL-TC): Hinds 4-25-80

Epilobium palustre L. swamp willowherb

Epilobium palustre L. or Epilobium leptophyllum Raf.

USDA Code: Eppa (Eppl) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported in wet areas at Priest Rapids by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill

(1983).

Collections: Mastrogiuseppe 2433

Epilobium paniculatum Nutt. ex Torr. & Gray

tall willowherb

Epilobium brachycarpum K. Presl

USDA Code: Epbr3 (Eppa) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread in sandy soil, especially disturbed areas in

sagebrush.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-07; JGL-134; VAU-43, 44; (WS): O'Farrell 71-165,

72-255b; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 8-5-75 #1a; Combs 8-1-75 #2; Rickard

7-17-86; Sauer 8-8-74

Epilobium watsonii Barbey

Watson's willowherb

Epilobium ciliatum Raf. ssp. watsonii (Barbey) Hoch & Raven or ssp. glandulosum (Lehm.)

USDA Code: Epci (Epwa) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Very common in wet areas along the Columbia River and other water

courses.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-473; MRS-188, 282, 315; (BRY): Baird 1203, 1225,

1291, 1308, 1319, 1341, 1414; (PNNL-TC): Warren & Sauer 10-6-80

Gayophytum diffusum Torr. & Gray

spreading gayophytum

USDA Code: Gadi2 (Gadi) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC on central Hanford.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95025

Gayophytum ramosissimum Torr. & Gray

hairstem gayophytum

USDA Code: Gara2 (Gara) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Cold Creek valley; reported by TNC from central Hanford. *Collections:* (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95057; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-11-75

Ludwigia palustris (L.) Ell. false loosestrife

USDA Code: Lupa lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC from moist areas along the Columbia River, central

Hanford, and Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94061, 95113, 95118

Oenothera andina Nutt.

obscure desertprimrose

Camissonia andina (Nutt.) Raven

USDA Code: Caan14 (Caan) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected in the 200 Areas, and Rattlesnake Hills; scattered

elsewhere.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-88; (WS) Cotton 415

Oenothera caespitosa Nutt. (var. caespitosa and purpurea)

rockrose

Oenothera caespitosa Nutt. ssp. caespitosa

USDA Code: Oece2 (Oece) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Washington State sensitive species occurring in cobbled soil near the

Columbia River, mostly above the high water mark, as at China Bar. Also found on steep rocky slopes and ridges, i.e., Yakima Ridge near

Rattlesnake Springs.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1253; (PNNL-TC): Davis 5-6-53; (WTU): Caplow &

Beck 94030

Oenothera contorta Dougl. Ex Lehm.

bentpod desertprimrose

Camissonia contorta (Dougl. Ex Lehm.) Kearney

USDA Code: Caco34 (Caco) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected in Cold Creek Valley; reported from ALE. Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 74-292; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95019, 95027

Oenothera hilgardii Greene

Hilgard's desertprimrose

Camissonia hilgardii (Greene) Raven

USDA Code: Cahi12 (Cahi) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected at crest of Rattlesnake Mountain and Cold Creek

Valley.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 71-137; Cotton 400

Oenothera minor (A. Nels.) Munz

small-flowered desertprimrose

Camissonia minor (A. Nels.) Raven

USDA Code: Cami23 (Camin) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Washington State review list species. Uncommon: scattered on ALE,

near Gable Mountain, and in a gravel pit between the 200 Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-392; GLF-179; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95026, 95067,

95074

Oenothera pallida Lindl. pale evening primrose

USDA Code: Oepa lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common on open sand and sand dunes; widespread.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-331; MRS-46; P&R-81; JGL-135; PB-04; (BRY): Baird

9, 929, 992; (WS): O'Farrell 71-86; Snodgrass 7-1903; Beattie 3945; (PNNL-TC): Fitzner 5-11-78; Sauer 6-13-75 #1, 5-30-75 #17; Sauer and Durham 8-7-75 #4; McShane 4-30-79; Gano 5-3-79; Warren 5-8-79

Oenothera parvula Nutt. ex Torr. & Gray

small desertprimrose

Camissonia parvula (Nutt. ex Torr. & Gray) Raven

USDA Code: Capa39 (Capa) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected on stable sand dunes, 200 Areas; reported from

Wahluke Slope by TNC.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 835; (PNNL-TC): specimen, but no information ID by

Caplow & Beck; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95018

Oenothera pygmaea Dougl. Ex Lehm.

dwarf desertprimrose

Camissonia pygmaea (Dougl. Ex Lehm.) Raven

USDA Code: Capy5 (Capy) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Washington State threatened species. Local in dry, silty soil on the White

Bluffs, near Vernita Bridge, and Pit 11. Reported from ALE.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS 255, 267; (BRY): Baird 151; (WTU): Caplow & Beck

95029, 95033, 97026

Oenothera strigosa (Rydb.) Mackenzie & Bush

common eveningprimrose

Oenothera villosa Thunb. ssp. strigosa (Rydb.) W. Dietr. & Raven

USDA Code: Oevi (Oest) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Scattered along the shores of the Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-356; MRS-162, 180; (BRY): Baird 206, 1205;

(PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-6-80

Orchidaceae

Epipactis gigantea Dougl. Ex Hook. giant helleborine

USDA Code: Epgi lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) at springs near Priest

Rapids.

Collections: Mastrogiuseppe 2438, 2677

Spiranthes romanzoffiana Cham.

ladies's tresses

USDA Code: Spro lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC along the Columbia River, central Hanford.

Collections: (New York State Museum): Caplow & Beck 95128

Orobanchaceae

Orobanche corymbosa (Rydb.) Ferris flattop broomrape

USDA Code: Orco5 (Orco) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread in sandy soil with sagebrush; a root parasite.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-944; MRS-147; GIB-26; /JGL-136, 137; /VAU-45;

(BRY): Baird 1061, 1074, 1217, 1237a, 1257; (PNNL-TC): Thiede 7-80

Orobanche fasciculata Nutt. clustered broomrape

USDA Code: Orfa lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered in mostly rocky-silty soil, as on Umtanum Ridge, the White

Bluffs, and Gable Mountain, but also collected in sand at Hanford

townsite and the western portion of 200 West Area.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-643; GLF-5-16-96; (BRY): Baird 156, 1052, 1111,

1118; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-14-76

Orobanche grayana G. Beck

Gray's broomrape

Suksdorf's broomrape

Orobanche californica Cham. & Schlecht. ssp. grayana (G. Beck) Heckard

USDA Code: Orgr lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported from ALE. Similar in appearance to O. corymbosa; unusual

collection in that this species normally does not occur with sagebrush.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 71-126

Orobanche ludoviciana Nutt.

USDA Code: Orlu lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Reported on Wahluke Slope by TNC.

Collections: None Available

Oxalidaceae

Oxalis corniculata L. creeping yellow wood-sorrel

USDA Code: Oxco lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Occasional along the Columbia River. Collected at F slough.

Collections: (PNNL): Caplow & Beck 95124.

Plantaginaceae

Plantago lanceolata L. English plantain

USDA Code: Plla lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed of moist areas; widespread and common. Collections: (PNNL): MRS-140; JGL-138; (BRY): Baird 1005, 1263

Plantago major L. common plantain

USDA Code: Plmaj lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common widespread weed along rivers and other moist areas.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1321, 1378

Plantago patagonica Jacq. Indian wheat

USDA Code: Plpa2 (Plpa) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common, widespread native; found in a variety of habitats, such as ALE,

White Bluffs and Hanford townsites, 100 Areas, and Horn Rapids Park.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-356; MRS-127; P&R-73; JGL-139, 140; (BRY): Baird

142, 810, 878, 987; (WS): O'Farrell 73-267; (PNNL-TC): Fitzner

5-11-78; DW Uresk 5-31-73

Platanaceae

Platanus occidentalis L. sycamore

USDA Code: Ploc lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced, cultivated shade tree; widely planted on Hanford and often

persisting.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-426

Poaceae

Agropyron caninum (L.) Beauv. ssp. majus (Vasey)

slender wheatgrass

Elymus trachycaulus (Link) Goud ex Shinners ssp. trachycaulus

USDA Code: Eltrt (Agca) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local along the Columbia River, as at 100-F Area, but also reported from

the Rattlesnake Hills and Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-81, 94; (PNNL-TC): Warren 8-12-80; Sauer 5-28-80;

(WS): Cotton 667

Agropyron cristatum (L.) Gaertn.

crested wheatgrass

USDA Code: Ager lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced grass, used for revegetation projects on Hanford, occasionally

escaping and persisting.

Collections: (PNNL): JGL-141; (BRY): Baird 145, 816, 1132; (WS): O'Farrell

71-122; (PNNL-TC): Rickard 6-11-70

Agropyron dasystachyum (Hook.) Scribn. & J.G. Sm.

thickspike wheatgrass

Elymus lanceolatus (Scribn. & J.G. Sm.) Gould ssp. lanceolatus

USDA Code: Ellal (Agda) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Native grass; scattered in sandy soil and sand dunes and often used in

revegetation mixes. A form of this species is also common in riparian areas where it is sometimes referred to as *A. riparium* Scribn. & Smith.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-79, 94; VAU-46, 47; AS-1; (BRY): Baird 1115;

(PNNL-TC): Sauer & Owzarski 5-15-80; Warren 8-12-80

Agropyron intermedium (Host) Beauv.

intermediate wheatgrass

Thinopyrum intermedium (Host) Barkworth &D.R. Dewey

USDA Code: Thin6 (Agin) lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced grass; uncommon and likely brought in as a part of or as a

contaminant in a seed mixture; observed along roadsides. Collected in

200 Areas and on top of Saddle Mountains.

Collections: (WHC): MRS-27; Baird-1175

Agropyron repens (L.) Beauv.

quackgrass

Elymus repens (L.) Gould

USDA Code: Elre4 (Agre) lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced lawn grass; sporadic, not of dry desert areas but of more moist

areas, as near the Columbia River at 100-D Area.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1161

Agropyron sibiricum (Willd.) Beauv.

Siberian wheatgrass

Agropyron fragile (Roth) P. Candargy

USDA Code: Agfr (Agsi) lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced grass; widely used in revegetation mixes, but probably closely

related to A. cristatum (A. desertorum).

Collections: (PNNL): JGL-142; (BRY): Baird 1133, 1148, 1161

Agropyron spicatum Pursh

bluebunch wheatgrass

Pseudoroegneria spicata (Pursh) A. Löve

USDA Code: Pssp6 (Agsp) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Very common, dominant native grass at higher elevations of the Hanford

Site; important range element; found mostly in loamy or sandy soils, as on Rattlesnake Ridge, but also along the Columbia River, as at 100-D

Area and around the 300 Area.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-108, 111, 112; (BRY): Baird 847, 1057, 1147, 1162;

(WS): O'Farrell 71-66, 71-146; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-17-75 #6; Warren

8-16-78; Beedlow & McShane 6-83

Agropyron triticeum Gaertn.

annual wheatgrass

Eremopyrum triticeum (Gaertn.) Nevski

USDA Code: Ertr13 (Agtr) lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC on the Wahluke Slope.

Collections: None Available

Agrostis alba L. redtop bentgrass

Agrostis gigantea Roth or Agrostis stolonifera L.

USDA Code: Agst2 (Agal) lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced grass of moist areas, especially near the Columbia River, as at

100-D and 100-H Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1191; (BRY): Baird 1146, 1235; (PNNL-TC): Warren

8-12-80

Agrostis exarata Trin. spike bentgrass

USDA Code: Agex lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Collected in Upper Snively Basin and reported by TNC along the

Columbia River.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 72-254; Cotton 707

Agrostis interrupta L.

interrupted bentgrass

Apera interrupta (L.) Beauv.

USDA Code: Apin (Agin) lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced grass of moist areas near the Columbia River, e.g., White

Bluffs and 100-K Area.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-936; (BRY): Baird 1012, 1029

Agrostis scabra Willd. ticklegrass

USDA Code: Agsc5 (Agsc) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common in wet areas along the Columbia River: occasionally found in

standing water.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1193; (BRY): Baird 1149, 1259, 1382, 1383;

(PNNL-TC): Newsome & Sauer 9-22-77; Warren 8-12-80; Warren and

Sauer 10-6-80

Agrostis tenuis Sibthorp

colonial bentgrass

Agrostis capillaris L.

USDA Code: Agca5(Agte) lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered, introduced lawn grass; collected in wet areas at White Bluffs

Scattered, introduced lawn grass; collected in wet areas at White Bluffs townsite.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Warren 8-12-80

Alopecurus aequalis Sobol. meadow foxtail

USDA Code: Alae lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon in wet, gravelly areas along the Columbia River; only known

from older reports and collections, as at Richland, Hanford, and 300 Area. TNC reported an unidentified species of *Alopecurus* on the Wahluke

Slope.

Collections: (WS): St. John 8122; Beattie 3939; Davis 136; (PNNL-TC): Davis

5-7-53

Aristida longiseta Steud.

red three-awn

Aristida purpurea Nutt. var. longiseta (Steud.) Vasey

USDA Code: Arpul (Arlo) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered along the shore of the Columbia River in drier situations, i.e.,

China Bar and 100-D Area.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1192; MRS-123; (BRY): Baird 1254; (PNNL-TC):

Sauer 5-28-80

Avena sativa L. oat

USDA Code: Avsa lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Introduced cereal crop; widely escaping, not common; collected along

side Highway 241 in Cold Creek Valley.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1249

Bromus carinatus Hook. & Arn. mountain brome

USDA Code: Brca5 (Brca) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Known from older collections at Hanford townsite, Cold Creek, and

Rattlesnake Hills; reported from Priest Rapids by Mastrogiuseppe and

Gill (1983).

Collections: (WS): Beattie 3950; Cotton 401, 680, 688; Griffiths & Cotton 6

Bromus inermis Leyss. smooth brome

USDA Code: Brin2 (Brin) lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced in reseeding mixture; collected in 200 Areas on disturbed

sites.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird 1171

Bromus japonicus Thunb. Ex Murr. Japanese brome

USDA Code: Brja lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Introduced grass; collected at E-12 burial ground in 200 West Area.

Collections: (PNNL): RCR-01; WJW-03

Bromus mollis auct. Non L.

soft brome

Bromus hordeaceus L. ssp. hordeaceus

USDA Code: Brhoh (Brmo) lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced grass; reported by TNC from ALE, older collections at Cold

Creek, and west slope Rattlesnake Mountain.

Collections: (WS): Cotton 495; Griffiths & Cotton 9

Bromus tectorum L. cheatgrass

USDA Code: Brte lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Species introduced to eastern Washington in late 1800s; now one of the

dominant species throughout the Columbia Basin and much of the

Intermountain West.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-59; VAU-48, 49; (BRY): Baird 531, 591; (WS):

O'Farrell 72-209; (PNNL-TC): Whittaker 4-23-52; Sauer 5-30-75 #25;

McShane 5-14-79; Rickard 4-18-86, 5-20-86

Cenchrus longispinus (Hack.) Fern.

sandbur

USDA Code: Celo3 (Celo) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Occasional on disturbed sites with sandy soil.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1267; MRS-319

Dactylis glomerata L. orchardgrass

USDA Code: Dagl lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced grass; occasional on Hanford in disturbed areas or as a

contaminant in seed mixtures.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1172

Deschampsia atropurpurea (Wahlenb.) Scheele

mountain hairgrass

Vahlodea atropurpurea (Wahlenb.) Fries ex Hartman

USDA Code: Vaat2 (Deat) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Rare in area; collected along the Columbia River at 100-D Area.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Warren 8-12-80; Warren & Sauer 10-6-80

Distichlis stricta (Torr.) Rydb.

alkali saltgrass

Distichlis spicata (L.) Greene

USDA Code: Dist3 (Dist) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Locally common in moist, alkaline areas, as at West Lake and around

Rattlesnake Springs, but also scattered along the shore of the Columbia

River.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 893, 1102, 1212; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 5-28-80, 6-6-80;

Fitzner 7-15-74

Echinochloa crus-galli (L.) Beauv.

large barnyardgrass

USDA Code: Eccr lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread weed; found on Hanford in moist disturbed

areas.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-275; P&R-09; (BRY): Baird 1362; (PNNL-TC): Warren

& Sauer 10-6-80; Sauer & Newsome 9-27-79; Sauer & McShane 5-21-80

Elymus cinereus Scribn. & Merr.

giant wildrye

Leymus cinereus (Scribn. & Merr.) A. Löve

USDA Code: Leci4 (Elci) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered in a variety of habitats throughout Hanford, e.g., Snively

Canyon, 300 Area, East White Bluffs, and 100-D Area.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-95; (BRY): Baird 817, 1103, 1104, 1164; (PNNL-TC):

Hanson 6-16-59; Warren 8-16-78; Sauer 5-31-78; Beedlow & McShane

6-83

Elymus flavescens Scribn. & J.G. Sm.

sand wildrye

Leymus flavescens (Scribn. & J.G. Sm.) Pilger

USDA Code: Lefl4 (Elfl) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Locally common on sand dunes.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1116; (PNNL-TC): Pendleton 6-18-59

Elymus glaucus Buckl. blue wildrye

USDA Code: Elgl lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered; collected at White Bluffs ferry and reported from ALE.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1105; (WS): O'Farrell 71-131

Eragrostis hypnoides (Lam.) B.S.P.

creeping eragrostis

USDA Code: Erhy lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC along river and Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95133

Eragrostis lutescens Scribn. yellow lovegrass

USDA Code: Erlu2 (Erlu) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Scattered along the Columbia River in moist to wet ground, as at 100-D

and 100-K Areas.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1384; (PNNL-TC): Warren & Sauer 10-6-80; Warren

8-12-80

Eragrostis pectinacea (Michx.) Nees ex Steud.

purple lovegrass

USDA Code: Erpe lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Scattered along the Columbia River in moist to wet ground, as at Hanford

slough, 100-D Area, and Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Warren & Sauer 10-6-80

Festuca arundinacea Schreb.

tall fescue

Lolium arundinaceum (Schreb.) S.J. Darbyshire

USDA Code: Loar10 (Fear) lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced; historically reported from along irrigation ditches at Hanford

townsite; now persisting in old cultivated areas near the Columbia River,

e.g., 100-D Area.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-143; (WS): Webber 7-2-25

Festuca bromoides L. barren sixweeks

Vulpia bromoides (L.) S.F. Gray

USDA Code: Vubr (Febr) lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Collected on ALE near gate 106; reported by TNC from all portions of

the Hanford Site. Reported from a variety of habitats at Priest Rapids by

Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983).

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 71-50

Festuca idahoensis Elmer Idaho fescue

USDA Code: Feid lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Collected in the Rattlesnake Hills; uncommon here; important species to

the east of Hanford.

Collections: (WS): Griffiths & Cotton 21; (Barb Wilson): Caplow & Beck 96027

Festuca microstachys Nutt.

small sixweeks

Vulpia microstachys (Nutt.) Munro

USDA Code: Vumi (Femi) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common, widespread grass of early spring.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-234, 320; P&R-58; VAU-50; (BRY): Baird 546a, 597,

1030, 1049; (WS): O'Farrell 72-226; Cotton 472

Festuca octoflora Walt.

slender sixweeks

Vulpia octoflora (Walt.) Rydb.

USDA Code: Vuoc (Feoc) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common, widespread grass of early spring.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-59, 256, 320; CZM 389, 642; JGL-143; (BRY): Baird

546, 562, 831; (PNNL-TC): Beedlow & McShane 6-30-83; Rickard

4-14-86, 5-20-86

Festuca ovina L. sheep fescue

USDA Code: Feov lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: May have been introduced in reseeding mixtures; uncommon in

200 Areas on disturbed sites.

Collections: (PNNL): RCR-02, 03; (BRY): Baird 1174

Festuca pratensis Huds.

meadow fescue

Lolium pratense (Huds.) S.J. Darbyshire

USDA Code: Lopr7 (Fepr) lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) on flood bars near Priest

Rapids.

Collections: Mastrogiuseppe 2373

Festuca washingtonica Alexeev

Washington fescue

USDA Code: Fewa lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Found in the snowmelt zone on the northwest slopes of Rattlesnake

Mountain. Species not listed in Hitchcock and Cronquist (1973); occurs at scattered locations along the east slope of the Cascades. See Aiken

et al. (1998) for information.

Collections: (Barb Wilson): Caplow and Beck 96025, 96026

Heleochloa alopecuroides (Piller & Mitterp.) Host ex Roemer

heleochloa

Crypsis alopecuroides (Piller & Mitterp.) Schrad.

USDA Code: Cral2 (Heal) lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced species reported by TNC along the Columbia River and the

Wahluke Slope.

Collections: None Available

Hierochloe odorata (L.) Beauv.

vanilla grass

Hierochloe hirta (Schrank) Borbás ssp. arctica (J. Presl) G. Weim.

USDA Code: Hihia (Hiod) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local in moist soil along the Columbia River at Priest Rapids (China

Bar).

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1258

Hordeum brachyantherum Nevski

meadow barley

USDA Code: Hobr2 (Hobr) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Uncommon along the shore of the Columbia River; older collection,

probably from the 300 Area.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Davis 5-7-53

Hordeum glaucum Steud.

seagreen barley

Hordeum murinum L. ssp. glaucum (Steud.) Tzvelev

USDA Code: Homug (Hogl) lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Introduced grass; uncommon along the shore of the Columbia River;

collected at Richland and White Bluffs townsite.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-104; (BRY): Baird 669

Hordeum jubatum L. squirreltail barley

USDA Code: Hoju lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Uncommon in moist areas, as at West Lake and White Bluffs townsite;

reported from ALE.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1135; (BRY): Baird 1082; (WS): O'Farrell 72-249

Hordeum leporinum Link

seaside barley

Hordeum murinum ssp. leporinum (Link) Arcang.

USDA Code: Homul (Hole) lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Observed in lower portions of Snively Canyon and lower Snively field.

Collections: None Available

Koeleria cristata auct. p.p. non Pers.

prairie Junegrass

Koeleria macrantha (Ledeb.) J.A. Schultes

USDA Code: Koma (Kocr) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Scattered in a variety of habitats, especially in sandy soils, throughout the

200 Areas, ALE, White Bluffs townsite, and 100-F Area.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-90; VAU-55; MRS-253; Baird-936; (BRY): Baird 1122;

(WS): Beattie 3957; (PNNL-TC): Rickard 5-23-86

Leersia oryzoides (L.) Sw. cutgrass

USDA Code: Leor lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local; found in moist soil, as at Hanford townsite.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Newsome & Sauer 8-27-77, 9-27-79

Leptochloa fascicularis (Lam.) Gray

loose-flowered sprangletop

Leptochloa fusca (L.) Kunth ssp. fascicularis (Lam.) N. Snow

USDA Code: Lefuf (Lefa) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC along the Columbia River and Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95126

Lolium multiflorum Lam.

perennial rye

Lolium perenne L. ssp. multiflorum (Lam.) Husnot

USDA Code: Lopem2 (Lomu) lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Collected within hydroseeded, revegetated borrow pit in 200 West Area.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-100

Melica bulbosa Geyer ex Porter & Coult.

oniongrass

USDA Code: Mebu lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC from ALE.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94034, 94036, 94040

Melica spectabilis Scribn. showy oniongrass

USDA Code: Mesp (Melsp) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected on northeast slope of Rattlesnake Mountain.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 71-120

Muhlenbergia asperifolia (Nees & Meyen ex Trin.) Parodi alkali muhly

USDA Code: Muas lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon in moist sites; collected in 200 Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-16; CZM-489

Muhlenbergia filiformis (Thurb. Ex S. Wats.) Rydb.

slender muhly

USDA Code: Mufi2 (Mufi) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC along the Columbia River, Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95132

Oryzopsis hymenoides (Roemer & J.A. Schultes)

Indian ricegrass

Achnatherum hymenoides (Roemer & J.A. Schultes) Barkworth

USDA Code: Achy (Orhy) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Very common and widespread in sandy areas.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-67; P&R-64; VAU-51, 52, 53; JGL-144; (BRY): Baird

815, 852, 891, 948, 1006, 1055; (WS): O'Farrell 71-65; Cotton 421;

(PNNL-TC): Fitzner 5-11-780; Rickard & Fitzner 5-22-86

Panicum capillare L. common witchgrass

USDA Code: Paca6 (Paca) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Common weed of waste areas or disturbed sites where moist, as at

Wahluke Slope, Hanford townsite, and the 200 Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-308; P&R-18; (BRY): Baird 1425; (PNNL-TC): Warren

10-6-80: Sauer & Newsome 9-27-77

Panicum dichotomiflorum Michx.

fall panicum

USDA Code: Pandi lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC on islands in the Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL): Caplow & Beck 95125

Panicum miliaceum L. broomcorn millet

USDA Code: Pami2 (Pami) lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Introduced grass; uncommon; collected at Hanford townsite.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Newsome & Sauer 9-27-79

Panicum occidentale Scribn.

western witchgrass

Dichanthelium acuminatum (Sw.) Gould & C.A. Clark var. fasciculatum (Torr.) Freckmann USDA Code: Diacf (Paoc) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered and locally common; found along the shore of the Columbia

River, often in wet or drying gravels.

Collections: (PNNL): JGL-145; (BRY): Baird 194, 1081, 1144a, 1189, 1318;

(PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-6-80; Warren 5-22-80

Paspalum distichum L. knotgrass

USDA Code: Padi6 (Pasdi) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Occasional in wet areas; collected along the Yakima River at West

Richland and along the Columbia River/Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (PNNL): Caplow & Beck 94068; (BRY): Baird 1391

Phalaris arundinacea L. reed canarygrass

USDA Code: Phar3 (Phar) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common in wet or moist areas along the Columbia River. *Collections:* (BRY): Baird 916, 1195, 1311; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-3-80

Phleum pratense L. timothy

USDA Code: Phpr3 (Phlpr) lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced pasture grass; persisting in old cultivated areas near 100-D

Area.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1169

Phragmites communis Trin.

common reed

Phragmites australis (Cav.) Trin. Ex Steud.

USDA Code: Phau7 (Phco) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Occasional in swampy areas; observed at Rattlesnake Springs and on

Wahluke Slope, but no specimens were collected. Also reported from

Priest Rapids (Mastrogiuseppe and Gill 1983).

Collections: None Available

Poa annua L. annual bluegrass

USDA Code: Poan (Poan) lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Widespread; occasionally common; found along the shores of the

Columbia River; collected at Richland.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 668

Poa bulbosa L. bulbous bluegrass

USDA Code: Pobu lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Widespread introduced grass; occasionally becomes locally common such

as in 100 Areas and Benson Ranch.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-212; JGL-146, 147; (BRY): Baird 612; (WS): O'Farrell

71-36; (PNNL-TC): Rickard and Cline 5-1-70

Poa compressa L. Canada bluegrass

USDA Code: Poco (Pocom) lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered in moist places along the shore of the river, e.g., Priest Rapids

(China Bar), 100-D and 100-H Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1194; (BRY): Baird 1145, 1150, 1264

Poa cusickii Vasey Cusick's bluegrass

USDA Code: Pocu3 (Pocu) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Occasionally mixed with bluebunch wheatgrass; collected in the

Rattlesnake Hills, but also reported from central Hanford and Wahluke

Slope.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 71-12; Cotton 557; Griffiths & Cotton 4, 20;

(PNNL-TC): Beedlow & McShane 7-83; (WTU): Caplow & Beck

94022

Poa juncifolia Scribn.

Poa secunda J. Presl

USDA Code: Pose (Poju) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Part of the *Poa secunda* complex. Widespread, supposedly mostly from

alkaline soils; collected on Rattlesnake Ridge, Cold Creek, and Hanford townsite. As treated in Hitchcock and Cronquist (1973), this taxon also

includes P. ampla.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-71; (WS): O'Farrell 72-195, 72-203; Cotton 402, 664;

(PNNL-TC): Beedlow & McShane 6-83, 6-30-83; Sauer 6-20-80,

5-31-78

Poa nevadensis Vasey ex Scribn.

Nevada bluegrass

alkali bluegrass

Poa secunda J. Presl

USDA Code: Pose (Pone) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Part of the *Poa secunda* complex. Widespread, supposedly mostly from

moister soils; collected on top of Rattlesnake Ridge, Cold Creek, and

along the Columbia River near 100-D Area.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-23, 120; (BRY): Baird 790, 1250

Poa palustris L. fowl bluegrass

USDA Code: Popa2 (Poapa) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced grass; established and widespread in damp areas, mainly near

the Columbia River.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1983, 1151, 1152, 1188, 1190; (WS): O'Farrell 71-130,

73-269

Poa pratensis L. Kentucky bluegrass

USDA Code: Popr lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread; often used as a lawn grass; mostly found in

moist areas near the Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-86; (BRY): Baird 855, 1031; (PNNL-TC): Beedlow &

McShane 7-12-83

Poa sandbergii Vasey Sandberg's bluegrass

Poa secunda J. Presl

USDA Code: Pose (Posa) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Possibly the most common and widespread of the bluegrasses in our area;

occurs in nearly all upland habitat types on the Hanford Site. More common in drier areas than other members of the *P. secunda* complex.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-62; VAU-54; RCR-04, 05; (BRY): Baird 8, 532, 595,

871, 937, 1114, 1173; (WS): O'Farrell 71-13, 72-193, 204; (PNNL-TC):

Rickard no date; Rickard 4-16-86, 4-18-86

Poa scabrella (Thurb.) Benth. Ex Vasey

Polypogon monspeliensis (L.) Desf.

pine bluegrass

rabbitfoot grass

Poa secunda J. Presl

USDA Code: Pose (Posc) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Scattered in sandy areas, throughout the 200 Areas and near the Columbia

River by Energy Northwest. Part of the *Poa secunda* complex. As treated in Hitchcock and Cronquist (1973), this taxon also includes

P. canbyi.

Collections: (PNNL): ARJ-06; (PNNL-TC): Sauer et al. 5-12-80

USDA Code: Pomo5 (Pomo) lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced grass: scattered in moist areas, as at Cold Creek, Snively

Canyon, and various places along the Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-274; (BRY): Baird 157, 962, 1236; (WS): O'Farrell

71-136; (PNNL-TC): Warren & Sauer 10-6-80; Warren 8-16-78

Puccinellia lemmonii (Vasey) Scribn. Lemmon's alkaligrass

USDA Code: Pule lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) in various wet areas near

Priest Rapids.

Collections: None Available

Sclerochloa dura (L.) Beauv.

hardgrass

USDA Code: Scdu2 (Scdu) lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Introduced species that is uncommon in dry ground near the Columbia

River; collected at Richland.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 666

Secale cereale L. rye

USDA Code: Sece lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Introduced cereal crop; occasionally persisting widespread; often used in

reseeding mixtures. Dominant in upper Snively field.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-449; MRS-103; (BRY): Baird 1141, 1170; (WS):

O'Farrell 71-135; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 5-31-78

Setaria lutescens (Weigel) F.T. Hubbard

bristly foxtail

Pennisetum glaucum (L.) R. Br.

USDA Code: Pegl2 (Selu) lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced grass; occasional in disturbed and often moist areas.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-05; (BRY): Baird 1407; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-27-74

Sitanion hystrix (Nutt.) J.G. Sm.

bottlebrush grass

Elymus elymoides (Raf.) Swezey ssp. elymoides

USDA Code: Elel5 (Sihy) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread throughout Hanford, especially in sandy areas.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-58, 60, 139; P&R-43; VAU-56; JGL-148; (BRY): Baird

6, 845, 947, 1054; (WS): O'Farrell 71-51, 71-121; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 5-20-80, 6-5-80, 6-10-75 #25; Whittaker 5-9-52; Rickard 5-20-86;

Rickard and Cline 6-1-70

Spartina gracilis Trin. alkali cordgrass

USDA Code: Spgr (Spagr) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) in alkaline and other wet

areas near Priest Rapids.

Collections: None Available

Sphenopholis obtusata (Michx.) Scribn.

wedgegrass

Sphenopholis obtusata (Michx.) Scribn. Or S. intermedia (Rydb.) Rydb.

USDA Code: Spob lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) in alkaline and other wet

areas near Priest Rapids.

Collections: Mastrogiuseppe 2451

Sporobolus cryptandrus (Torr.) Gray

sand dropseed

USDA Code: Spcr lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common in sandy areas throughout Hanford, especially the 100 Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-157, 285; JGL-149, 150; (BRY): Baird 1157;

(PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-6-80; Newsome & Sauer 9-27-77

Stipa comata Trin. & Rupr.

needle-and-thread grass

Hesperostipa comata (Trin. & Rupr.) Barkworth

USDA Code: Heco26 (Stco) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common; often dominant, on sandy soils or mostly open sand and dunes. *Collections:* (PNNL): MRS-66; P&R-85; JGL-151; (BRY): Baird 848, 890, 949,

1056; (WS): O'Farrell 71-107

Stipa thurberiana Piper

Thurber's needlegrass

Achnatherum thurberianum (Piper) Barkworth

USDA Code: Acth7 (Stth) lifeform: graminoid origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Locally common on dry rocky-loamy soils of basalt outcrops, as on Gable

Mountain and Gable Butte.

Collections: (PNNL): WJW-05; (BRY): Baird 1058, 72-217; (PNNL-TC): Rickard

& Fitzner 5-22-86; Sauer 6-28-74

Triticum aestivum L. wheat

USDA Code: Trae lifeform: graminoid origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Introduced cereal crop; occasionally escaping but not persisting.

Sometimes volunteering from straw; used for soil stabilization.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 7; (WS): O'Farrell 71-89; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-5-80,

6-5-80; Warren & Sauer 5-22-80

Polemoniaceae

Collomia grandiflora Dougl. Ex Lindl.

largeflower collomia

USDA Code: Cogr4 (Comgr) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Local in moist shady areas, such as Snively Canyon and Priest Rapids. Collections: (PNNL): MRS-242; (WS): O'Farrell 71-124, 73-272; (PNNL-TC):

Rickard & Cline 6-1-70; Davis 5-6-53; Rotenberry 9-29-75 #5

smallflower gilia

Collomia linearis Nutt. narrowleaf collomia

USDA Code: Coli2 (Coli) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Scattered along the Columbia River in moist areas and on top of

Rattlesnake Mountain.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-124, 221; CZM-479; (BRY): Baird 189, 1026; (WS):

O'Farrell 74-309; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-10-75

Eriastrum sparsiflorum (Eastw.) Mason var. wilcoxii (A. Nels.) Cronq. few-flowered eriastrum

Eriastrum wilcoxii (A. Nels.) Mason

USDA Code: Erwi (Erspa) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Local in sandy flats and dunes north of Gable Mountain. Scattered

elsewhere such as in Pit 30.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-391; GIB-27; (BRY): Baird 1073; (PNNL-TC):

Pendleton 6-18-59; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 97039

Gilia inconspicua (Sm.) Sweet inconspicuous gilia

USDA Code: Giin2 (Giin) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC from ALE and Wahluke Slope, included within

G. sinuata in Hitchcock and Cronquist (1973).

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 97028

Gilia leptomeria Gray Great Basin gilia

USDA Code: Gile3 (Gile) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Most specimens that key to G. leptomeria in Hitchcock and Cronquist

(1973) are now classified as *G. lottiae*. True *G. leptomeria* have been reported near Gable Mountain, and at various locations on the Wahluke

Slope; currently on the Washington State Review 1 list.

Collections: (PNNL): Caplow & Beck 95048; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95041,

95048, 95055, 95076

Gilia lottiae Day

USDA Code: Gilo3 (Gilo) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Scattered in sandy soils throughout the 200 Areas. See discussion under

G. leptomeria.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95047, 95060, 95069, 95081

Ipomopsis minutiflora (Benth.) V. Grant

Gilia minutiflora Benth.

USDA Code: Ipmi2 (Gimi) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Scattered; sometimes found in sandy areas, e.g., near the Columbia River

at 100-D Area, Cold Creek, and the White Bluffs.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-166; (BRY): Baird 149, 1186, 1237; (WS): O'Farrell

71-168; (PNNL-TC): Newsome & Sauer 8-23-76; Sauer 6-11-75,

6-12-75#1; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95068

Gilia sinuata Dougl. Ex Benth.

shy gilia

USDA Code: Gisi lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread in sandy areas throughout Hanford.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-47; GLF-180; P&R-49; JGL-152, 153, 154, 155; PB-05;

(BRY): Baird 521, 837, 1559, 71-21; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 3-30-76, 4-18-78; Hinds 5-20-80; Rickard & Fitzner 5-22-86; (WS): O'Farrell

71-21, 72-202; Beattie 3591; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 97009

Leptodactylon pungens (Torr.) Torr. Ex Nutt.

prickly phlox

USDA Code: Lepu lifeform: sub-shrub origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered, but not especially common; found in dry situations, as near

western Army Loop Road and near Horn Rapids Road.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-232; JGL-156; VAU-57; (WS): O'Farrell 71-55;

(PNNL-TC): Warren 5-15-80; Rickard 5-23-86

Linanthus pharnaceoides (Benth.) Greene

threadleaf linanthus

Linanthus liniflorus (Benth.) Greene

USDA Code: Lili2 (Liph) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common in rocky soils, as on slopes of Rattlesnake Ridge.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 72-225; Cotton 473; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-17-75 #13

Microsteris gracilis (Hook.) Greene var. *humilior* (Hook.) Cronq.

pink microsteris

Phlox gracilis (Hook.) Greene ssp. humilis (Greene) Mason

USDA Code: Phgrh (Migr) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread, especially with sagebrush, throughout Hanford. *Collections:* (PNNL): P&R-48; VAU-58; /PB-06; /JGL-157, 158, 159, 160; (WS):

O'Farrell 71-2, 71-7; Cotton 308; St. John 8128; (PNNL-TC): Davis

4-23-53; Pendleton 4-20-59, 3-15-59; Rickard 4-18-86

Navarretia intertexta (Benth.) Hook.

pincushion plant

USDA Code: Nain2 (Nain) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Collected in dry, gravelly soil in canyons of the Rattlesnake Hills during

very early 20th century; not reported since that time.

Collections: (WS): Cotton 663

Phlox hoodii Richards. Hood's phlox

USDA Code: Phho lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Locally common to dominant in rocky soil on top of Rattlesnake Ridge

and the Saddle Mountains.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 111, 758; (WS): O'Farrell 71-14; Cotton 347, 566;

Bennett 18; (PNNL-TC): Johnson & Rickard 4-22-66; Sauer 6-10-75

#24; Pendleton 4-17-59; no collector

Phlox longifolia Nutt. longleaf phlox

USDA Code: Phlo2 (Phlo) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread; found mostly in sandy areas; very conspicuous

blooming during springtime throughout Hanford.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-323; MRS-37; P&R-57; JGL-161,162; /VAU-59;

/RFG-15, 16; (BRY): Baird 23, 31, 533, 544, 621, 717, 840, 924; (WS): O'Farrell 71-9; Cotton 348; (PNNL-TC): Davis 4-10-53, 5-11-53; Rogers 3-13-75; Sauer 6-10-75 #22; McShane 4-17-79; Rickard 5-22-86,

4-16-86

Phlox speciosa Pursh showy phlox

USDA Code: Phsp lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Local in moist canyon of Umtanum Ridge near Priest Rapids and the

Rattlesnake Hills.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 624; (WS): Cotton 573; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94037

Polemonium micranthum Benth. annual Jacob's ladder

USDA Code: Pomi lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Scattered in various habitats, e.g., Umtanum Ridge, base of Rattlesnake

Mountain, 200 Areas, and 100 Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-198; Baird-1560; JGL-163, 164, 165, 166; (WS):

O'Farrell 71-5; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 4-11-79; Rickard 4-18-86

Polygonaceae

Chorizanthe watsonii Torr. & Gray Watson's spineflower

USDA Code: Chwa2 (Chwa) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC near Gable Mountain and on the Wahluke Slope. Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95050, 95051, 95058, 95077, 97024

Eriogonum baileyi S. Wats. Bailey's buckwheat

USDA Code: Erba7 (Erba) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Many of the specimens formerly referred to as E. vimineum are probably

better referred to this species. Common on sandy soils throughout Hanford, especially the 200 Areas and just north of Gable Mountain.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-149; VAU-60; JGL-177, 178, 179, 180; (BRY): Baird

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Eriogonum codium Reveal, Caplow, & K. Beck

Umtanum buckwheat

USDA Code: Erco43 (Ercod) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Washington State endangered species discovered in 1995; endemic to thin

rocky soils along crest of Umtanum Ridge on the Hanford Site; only one

population in existence.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-417A; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95011, 95084, 95103

Eriogonum compositum Dougl. Ex Benth. var. *leianthum* Hook. northern buckwheat

USDA Code: Ercol2 (Ercom) *lifeform:* sub-shrub *origin:* Native *duration:* perennial **Distribution/Notes:** Common in cobbled areas along the shore of the Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1093, 1252; MRS-126; (BRY): Baird 1252, 1883; (WS):

Beattie 3958, 3968; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 5-30-75 #6, #7, #18; Pendleton 4-4-58; Fitzner 5-11-78; Davis 5-6-53; Hall 5-1-85; Sauer & Warren

5-13-80; no collector 4-79, 5-7-80; Warren 5-6-80

Eriogonum elatum Dougl. Ex Benth.

tall buckwheat

USDA Code: Erel5 (Erel) lifeform: sub-shrub origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Collected near the White Bluffs ferry during the late 19th century; not

reported from Hanford vicinity since that time.

Collections: (WS): Lake & Hull 8-11-1892

Eriogonum heracleoides Nutt. parnsipflower buckwheat

USDA Code: Erhe2 (Erhe) lifeform: sub-shrub origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Locally common on the slopes of Rattlesnake Ridge.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1297; (WS): O'Farrell 71-238; Cotton 404; (PNNL-TC):

Sauer 6-10-75 #7, #13

Eriogonum microthecum Nutt.

slender buckwheat

USDA Code: Ermi4 (Ermi) lifeform: sub-shrub origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Scattered in dry, rocky areas, i.e., the White Bluffs, Gable Mountain, and

Gable Butte.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-272, 327; JGL-167, 168; (BRY): Baird 152, 1280; (WS):

O'Farrell 72-228; (PNNL-TC): Pendleton 10-20-58, 8-25-59

Eriogonum niveum Dougl. Ex Benth.

snow buckwheat

USDA Code: Erni2 (Erni) lifeform: sub-shrub origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common in sandy areas throughout Hanford, especially north of the Wye

barricade and along Horn Rapids Road.

Collections: (PNNL): GIB-28; (WS): O'Farrell 71-167; (PNNL-TC): Whittaker

10-1-52

Eriogonum ovalifolium Nutt. var. celsum A. Nels.

cushion buckwheat

Eriogonum ovalifolium Nutt. var. purpureum (Nutt.) Dur.

USDA Code: Erovp2 (Erov) lifeform: sub-shrub origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC on ALE.

Collections: None Available

Eriogonum sphaerocephalum Dougl. Ex Benth.

rock buckwheat

USDA Code: Ersp7 (Ersp) lifeform: sub-shrub origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Locally common in rocky areas throughout Hanford.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1039, 902; MRS-131; GIB-29; /JGL-169, 170, 171, 172,

173; (BRY): Baird 161, 205, 1256, 1296; (WS): O'Farrell 71-61; Cotton 714, 1407; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-17-75 #4, 6-10-75 #1; Pendleton

6-1-59; Davis 5-27-52; Rickard and Cline 6-1-70; McShane 5-17-79

Eriogonum strictum Benth.

strict buckwheat

ssp. proliferum (Torr. & Gray) S. Stokes

var. anserinum (Greene) R.J. Davis

var. *glabrum* C. L. Hitchc

var. proliferum (Torr. & Gray) C. L. Hitchc.

USDA Code: Erst4 (Erst) lifeform: sub-shrub origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread on Hanford, except on sand; three varieties of

subspecies *proliferum* have occasionally been recognized from this area and are noted below; however, most, if not all, specimens are probably

assignable to var. glabrum.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95034; (PNNL): MRS-57; JGL-174; (BRY):

Baird 620, 722a, 1040; (PNNL-TC): Pendleton 6-19-59; Gano 5-3-79, 5-6-79 var. *anserinum*; (WS): O'Farrell 72-227; var. *glabrum*; (PNNL): MRS-132; (BRY): Baird 147; var. *proliferum*; (PNNL): JGL-175, 176;

(WS): O'Farrell 71-63; Cotton 711; Beattie 3969

Eriogonum thymoides Benth.

thymeleaf buckwheat

USDA Code: Erth lifeform: sub-shrub origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common in rocky soil on top of the main ridges and hills in area.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-136, 137; (BRY): Baird 110, 797, 799; (WS): O'Farrell

71-52; Cotton 361, 362; (PNNL-TC): Warren 4-18-78; Davis 5-19-53;

Sauer 6-10-75 #14, #26

Eriogonum vimineum Dougl. Ex Benth.

broom buckwheat

USDA Code: Ervi5 (Ervi) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Some of our annual *Eriogonum's* may key here; may occur in our area.

See discussion under E. baileyi.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Rickard 7-31-86

Oxytheca dendroides Nutt.

false buckwheat

Oxytheca dendroidea Nutt.

USDA Code: Oxde lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Local on open sand and dunes, especially just north of Gable Mountain.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM 654; (BRY): Baird 1142; (PNNL-TC): Pendleton

8-25-59; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95080

Polygonum amphibium L.

water smartweed

USDA Code: Poam8 (Poam) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected along the Columbia River near Allard.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-286

Polygonum aviculare L. doorweed

USDA Code: Poav lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Widespread weed of dry, waste places; collected alongside of Highway

241, Dry Creek Valley. Reported along the Columbia River and on

Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1246

Polygonum coccineum Muhl. Ex Willd.

water smartweed

Polygonum amphibium L. var. emersum Michx.

USDA Code: Poame (Pococ) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Widespread aquatic plant; collected along the Columbia River at

Richland.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Davis 1951

Polygonum convolvulus L. climbing bindweed

USDA Code: Poco10 (Pocon) lifeform: vine origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed; local in old orchards along the Columbia River north of

100-D Area.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-165

Polygonum hydropiper L. marshpepper smartweed

USDA Code: Pohy lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC along the Columbia River and on the Wahluke Slope.

Collections: None Available

Polygonum lapathifolium L. willow weed

USDA Code: Pola4 (Pola) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced(?) duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced in moist ground; easily confused with *P. persicaria*; collected

at Hanford townsite. Occasional elsewhere along the Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Newsome & Sauer 9-27-77

Polygonum majus (Meisn.) Piper

wiry knotweed

Polygonum douglasii Greene ssp. majus (Meisn.) Hickman

USDA Code: Podom2 (Poma) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Occasional along the Columbia River, especially around Priest Rapids.

Collections: (PNNL): GLF-8-6-96; T. Feldman 10-02-95; (PNNL-TC): Davis

10-3-51

Polygonum persicaria L.

heartweed

USDA Code: Pope3 (Polpe) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common along the Columbia River in moist ground.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-181; CZM-487; P&R-10; GIB-44; (BRY): Baird 1247,

1350, 1442; (PNNL-TC): Warren 8-12-80; Sauer & Warren 10-6-80

Polygonum ramosissimum Michx.

busy knotweed

USDA Code: Pora3 (Pora) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected at Hanford slough.
Collections: (PNNL-TC): Warren & Sauer 10-6-80

Rumex crispus L. curly dock

USDA Code: Rucr lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed of moist, often disturbed areas; collected at McGee well.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-633; JGL-181

Rumex salicifolius Weinm. (possibly var. mexicanus (Meisn.) C.L. Hitchc.) willow dock

USDA Code: Rusa lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread along the Columbia River in moist ground.

(PNNL): Baird 881; MRS-280; CZM-446; (BRY): Baird 821, 881, 915,

1028; (PNNL-TC): Pendleton 9-10-58; Sauer 5-30-75 #21; no collector

5-7-80; Sauer & Owzarski 5-15-80

Rumex venosus Pursh winged dock

USDA Code: Ruve2 (Ruve) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread in sandy soil and dunes.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-41; CZM-414; VAU-61, 62; JGL-182; (BRY): Baird 10;

(WS): O'Farrell 71-87; (PNNL-TC): Fitzner 5-11-78; Davis 5-12-52;

Sauer 5-30-75 #8

Polypodiaceae (Dennstaedtiaceae)

Pteridium aquilinum (L.) Kuhn var. pubescens Underwood bracken fern

USDA Code: Ptaq lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Unusual for Hanford; collected in moist ground in the 200 Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-27

Polypodiaceae (Dryopteridaceae)

Woodsia oregana D.C. Eat. woodsia

USDA Code: Woor lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Collected in rocky areas of Rattlesnake Hills and at Snively Springs.

Reported from Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 72-194; Cotton 422; St. John 8101

Polypodiaceae (Pteridaceae)

Adiantum pedatum L. maiden-hair fern

USDA Code: Adve *lifeform:* forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Reported during the 1920s from Rattlesnake Hills, but the specimen could

not be found at WSU.

(WS): Bennett Collections:

Pellaea glabella Mett. Ex Kuhn var. simplex Butters A. & D. Löve smooth cliffbrake

USDA Code: Pegls2 (Pelgl) *lifeform:* forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes:

State Watch List species; local in moist, shady areas of canyons along

base of Umtanum Ridge.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 186

Portulacaceae

Calyptridium roseum S. Wats.

rosy calyptridium

Cistanthe rosea (S. Wats.) Hershkovitz.

duration: annual USDA Code: Ci2ro (Caro) lifeform: forb origin: Native

Distribution/Notes: The very small populations on Hanford represent a significant range

extension for this species from northern Nevada/southeast Oregon.

Localized in sands north of Gable Mountain. Washington State sensitive

species.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95078

Lewisia rediviva Pursh bitterroot

USDA Code: Lere7 (Lere) *lifeform:* forb *origin:* Native *duration:* perennial Distribution/Notes: Local on rocky slopes of Umtanum Ridge and Rattlesnake Ridge.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 644; (WS): O'Farrell 72-224; St. John 8103

Montia cordifolia (S. Wats.) Pax & K. Hoffmann

broadleaf springbeauty

Claytonia cordifolia S. Wats.

USDA Code: Clco3 (Moco) *lifeform:* forb *origin:* Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; found in rocky areas on top of Rattlesnake Ridge.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 752

Montia linearis (Dougl. Ex Hook.) Greene

Indian lettuce

USDA Code: Moli4 (Moli) *lifeform:* forb *origin:* Native **duration:** annual Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; found locally near the Columbia River at Priest Rapids

(China Bar).

Collections: (BRY): Baird 613 Montia perfoliata (Donn ex Willd.) T.J. Howell

miner's lettuce

Claytonia perfoliata Donn ex Willd.

USDA Code: Clpe (Mope) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread in moist or shady areas; occasional along the

Columbia River, e.g., Priest Rapids, the White Bluffs, 1100 Area, and on

Rattlesnake Ridge.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-141; (BRY): Baird 868; (WS): O'Farrell 72-200;

(PNNL-TC): Sauer 4-20-78, 4-26-76; Warren 5-3-79; Gano 5-2-79

Portulaca oleracea L. common purslane

USDA Code: Pool lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Widespread; introduced weed of disturbed areas, mainly along the

Columbia River.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1376, 1412

Talinum spinescens Torr. spiny flameflower

USDA Code: Tasp lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Local in rocky areas on top of Rattlesnake Mountain and lithosols near

Priest Rapids.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 71-127, 72-231; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 7-25-78; (WTU):

Caplow & Beck 94045

Potamogetonaceae

Potamogeton berchtoldii Fieber

Berchtold's pondweed

Potamogeton pusillus L. ssp. tenuissimus (Mert. & Koch) Haynes & C.B. Hellquist

USDA Code: Poput3 (Pobe) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Aquatic plant; collected at Gable Mountain Pond.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Fitzner 7-15-74

Potamogeton crispus L. curled pondweed

USDA Code: Pocr3 (Pocr) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced and widespread aquatic plant.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1025; (PNNL-TC): Fitzner 7-15-74

Potamogeton filiformis Pers.

slender pondweed

Stuckenia filiformis (Pers) Boerner ssp. filiformis

USDA Code: Stfif (Pofi) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Aquatic plant; collected at Bennett Spring.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1343

Potamogeton foliosus Raf. leafy pondweed

USDA Code: Pofo3 (Pofo) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Aquatic plant; collected in the Columbia River at 100-F Area.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1127

Potamogeton gramineus L. grass-leaved pondweed

USDA Code: Pogr8 (Pogm) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC along the Columbia River.

Collections: None Available

Potamogeton pectinatus L.

fennel-leaf pondweed

Stuckenia pectinatus (L.) Boerner

USDA Code: Stpe12 (Potpe) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Aquatic plant; collected at Gable Mountain Pond and in the Columbia

River at 100-F Area.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1127a, 1342; (PNNL-TC): Fitzner 77-15-74

Primulaceae

Centunculus minimus L.

chaffweed

Anagallis minima (L.) Krause

USDA Code: Anmi4 (Cemi) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC in wetland areas along the Columbia River; currently

on the Washington State Review 1 list.

Collections: (PNNL): Caplow & Beck 94059; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95119

Dodecatheon cusickii Greene

Cusick's shootingstar

Dodecatheon pulchellum (Raf.) Merr. ssp. cusickii (Greene) Calder & Taylor

USDA Code: Dopuc (Docu) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Locally common in loamy soil along the upper slopes of Rattlesnake

Ridge.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 105, 760, 766, 767; (WS): O'Farrell 71-38, 72-192;

Cotton 357; Bennett 14; (PNNL-TC): Pendleton 4-20-59

Lysimachia ciliata L. fringed loosestrife

USDA Code: Lyci lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; found along the Columbia River; collected at 100-B Area.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1356; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95116

Ranunculaceae

Aquilegia formosa Fisch. Ex DC. red columbine

USDA Code: Aqfo lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local in moist soil of canyons on Umtanum Ridge and reported from the

Rattlesnake Hills.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 180; (WS): Cotton 395

Clematis ligusticifolia Nutt. western virginsbower

USDA Code: Clli2 (Clli) lifeform: vine origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Widespread along moist water courses in the area.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-452; (BRY): Baird 1220, 1359; (WS): O'Farrell 71-90;

St. John 8131; (PNNL-TC): Warren 8-16-78

Delphinium multiplex (Ewan) C.L. Hitchc. Kittitas larkspur

USDA Code: Demu lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: State Watch List species; local on steep slopes at base of Umtanum

Ridge.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-251; Baird-1549

Delphinium nuttallianum Pritz. Ex Walp. upland larkspur

USDA Code: Denu2 (Denu) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread in sandy soil, and occasional on dunes.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-36, 250; P&R-54; VAU-63; RFG-17, 18; (BRY): Baird

29, 522, 553, 579; (WS): O'Farrell 71-49, 71-115, 71-118, 72-281,

74-289; Bennett 46; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 4-26-76; Rotenberry 5-29-75 #3;

Warren 4-14-78, 5-11-79; Gano 4-27-79; Anderson 4-20-85

Myosurus aristatus auct. Non Benth.

sedge mousetail

Myosurus apetalus C. Gay var. borealis Whittemore

USDA Code: Myapb (Myar) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected in the 100 Areas, at Bennett Spring in moist shade;

reported from near Hanford townsite and Priest Rapids.

Collections: (PNNL): GLF-178; (BRY): Baird 869; (WS): O'Farrell 74-285;

St. John 8129

Myosurus X clavicaulis M.E. Peck p.p.

little mouse-tail

Myosurus minimus L.

USDA Code: Mymi2 (MyXc) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: A small population found in a vernal pool on Umtanum Ridge.

Collections: (U.S. National Arboretum): Caplow and Beck 97010; (WTU): Caplow

& Beck 97014

Ranunculus cymbalaria Pursh

shore buttercup

USDA Code: Racy lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Collected at Snipes Creek on west slope of Rattlesnake Mountain during

early 20th century.

Collections: (WS): Cotton 414

Ranunculus flammula L.

creeping buttercup

USDA Code: Rafl2 (Rafl) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered along the shore of the Columbia River in wet ground, e.g.,

100-K and 100-H Areas and White Bluffs.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-281; Baird 1370; (BRY): Baird 1075, 1323; (PNNL-TC):

Davis 9-28-57

Ranunculus glaberrimus Hook.

sagebrush buttercup

USDA Code: Ragl lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Local in rocky slopes and canyons of Rattlesnake and Umtanum ridges. Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1546; (BRY): Baird 1561; (WS): O'Farrell 71-175,

71-176; Cotton 307

Ranunculus sceleratus L.

celeryleaf buttercup

USDA Code: Rasc3 (Rasc) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Scattered in moist areas around springs and along the Columbia River. Collections: (BRY): Baird 791, 957; (WS): O'Farrell 72-218; Beattie 3935

Ranunculus subrigidus W. Drew

stiffleaf buttercup

Ranunculus longirostris Godr.

USDA Code: Ralo2 (Rasu) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Aquatic plant; collected in Gable Mountain Pond.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Fitzner 7-15-74

Ranunculus testiculatus Crantz

bur buttercup

Ceratocephala testiculata (Crantz) Bess.

USDA Code: Cete5 (Rate) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed; widespread in disturbed areas.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 530, 596, 793; (WS): O'Farrell 74-284; (PNNL-TC):

Rickard 4-18-86

Thalictrum occidentale Gray

western meadowrue

USDA Code: Thloc lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) from washes in the vicinity

of Priest Rapids.

Collections: Mastrogiuseppe 2299

Rosaceae

Amelanchier alnifolia (Nutt.) Nutt. ex M. Roemer western serviceberry

USDA Code: Amal2 (Amaln) lifeform: shrub origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Locally common in canyons and near springs of Rattlesnake and

Umtanum ridges.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-438; Baird-1547; (BRY): Baird 626a; (WS): O'Farrell

71-39, 72-210; Bennett 15, 39; Cotton 365, 571, 576; L Smith 124;

(PNNL-TC): Rickard & Cline 5-1-70; Warren 4-19-79

Crataegus douglasii Lindl. black hawthorn

USDA Code: Crdo2 (Crdo) lifeform: tree origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Scattered in moist areas along the Columbia River, e.g.. Hanford townsite

and Locke Island.

Collections: (WS): Beattie 3956; St. John 8098; (PNNL-TC): Hanson 4-18-61;

Pendleton 4-13-59

Geum macrophyllum Willd. Oregon avens

USDA Code: Gema4 (Gema) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Collected in upper Snively basin.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 72-219

Geum triflorum Pursh old man's whiskers

USDA Code: Getr lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local on upper slopes of Rattlesnake Ridge.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 778; (WS): Cotton 544; (PNNL-TC): Watson 6-10-59

Malus pumila P. Mill. apple

USDA Code: Mapu lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced fruit tree; persisting and occasionally escaping along the

Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-399; (BRY): Baird 1265

Physocarpus malvaceus (Greene) Kuntze ninebark

USDA Code: Phma5 (Phma) lifeform: shrub origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; reported by TNC on ALE; collected in Snively Canyon.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): no collector named 4-79

Potentilla anserina L. common silverweed

Argentina anserina (L.) Rydb.

USDA Code: Aran7 (otan) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected along the Columbia River near 100-B Area.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-230

Potentilla arguta Pursh tall cinquefoil

USDA Code: Poar7 (Poar) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Known from very old collection in Rattlesnake Hills and reported by

Mastrogiuseppe and Gill in the vicinity of Priest Rapids.

Collections: (WS): Cotton 470

Potentilla biennis Greene biennial cinquefoil

USDA Code: Pobi7 (Pobi) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered near moist areas, e.g., 100-B Area and at Bennett Spring. Collections: (BRY): Baird 866, 1419; (WS): O'Farrell 73-270; St. John 8094;

(PNNL-TC): no collector 5-7-80

Potentilla glandulosa Lindl. sticky cinquefoil

USDA Code: Pogl9 (Pogl) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Collected by TNC from northeast slope of Rattlesnake Ridge.

Collections: (PNNL): Caplow & Beck 94041

Potentilla gracilis Dougl. Ex Hook. slender cinquefoil

USDA Code: Pogr9 (Pogr) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Collected at Snipes Creek on west slope of Rattlesnake Mountain during

the very early 20th century.

Collections: (WS): Cotton 662

Potentilla norvegica L. ssp. monspeliensis (L.) Aschers. & Graebn. Norwegian cinquefoil

USDA Code: Ponom (Pono) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Scattered along the Columbia River, e.g., Hanford slough.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Davis 6-18-52 (in part); Warren 8-12-80

Potentilla paradoxa Nutt. bushy cinquefoil

USDA Code: Popa15 (Potpa) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Scattered along the shore of the Columbia River, e.g., Hanford townsite

and 100-D Area; reported from Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-385; Baird-1278; (BRY): Baird 912; (PNNL-TC):

Warren 8-12-80

Potentilla rivalis Nutt. brook cinquefoil

USDA Code: Pori3 (Pori) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Scattered along the shore of the Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-88, 239; (PNNL-TC): Newsome & Sauer 9-27-77; Davis

4-8-53, 6-1-52 (in part)

Prunus armeniaca L. apricot

USDA Code: Prar3 (Prar) lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced fruit tree; persisting in old cultivated areas, e.g., north of

100-D Area.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-350; (BRY): Baird 1167

Prunus avium (L.) L. sweet cherry

USDA Code: Prav lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced fruit tree; persisting in old cultivated areas, e.g., north of

100-D Area near the Columbia River.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1166

Prunus emarginata (Dougl. Ex Hook.) D. Dietr. bitter cherry

USDA Code: Prem *origin:* Native duration: perennial *lifeform:* tree

Collected along the White Bluffs in the late 19th century. Distribution/Notes:

Collections: (WS): Lake & Hull 8-9-1892

Prunus persica (L.) Batsch peach

USDA Code: Prpe3 (Prpe) lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced fruit tree; persisting in old cultivated areas.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1418

Prunus virginiana L. var. **melanocarpa** (A. Nels.) Sarg.

USDA Code: Prvim (Prvi) origin: Native *lifeform:* tree *duration:* perennial Distribution/Notes: Widespread in moist areas, e.g., Priest Rapids, Snively Canyon, and

Hanford townsite.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-345; (BRY): Baird 182, 618, 820, 1288; (WS):

> O'Farrell 71-67, 72-222, 72-223; St. John 8097; (PNNL-TC): Davis 5-6-53; Warren 8-16-78, 8-16-78, 5-2-79, 5-11-79; Gano 5-2-79; Sauer &

Owzarski 5-20-80

Purshia tridentata (Pursh) DC.

bitterbrush

chokecherry

USDA Code: Putr2 (Putr) *lifeform:* shrub origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common; often co-dominant with sagebrush in sandy areas primarily in

the southern portions of the Hanford Site and on Wahluke Slope.

(PNNL): /RMM-01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 08; (BRY): Baird 520, 650, Collections:

827; (WS): O'Farrell 71-48; (PNNL-TC): Warren 4-14-78; Sauer

5-30-75#14; Gano 3-27-79

Pyrus communis L. pear

USDA Code: Pyco lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced fruit tree; persisting in old orchards, e.g., north of 100-D Area

near the Columbia River.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1165

Rosa woodsii Lindl. var. ultramontana (S. Wats.) Jepson

Wood's rose

USDA Code: Rowou (Rowo) lifeform: shrub origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Widespread; mostly near springs or moist areas, e.g., Snively Canyon and

along the Columbia River near Energy Northwest pumping station.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-341; (BRY): Baird 823, 1255; (WS): O'Farrell 71-94;

Cotton 469; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 5-30-75#11; Rickard & Cline 6-1-70;

Warren 8-16-78; Sauer & Owzarski 5-15-80

Rubus discolor Weihe & Nees

Himalayan blackberry

USDA Code: Rudi2 (Rudi) lifeform: shrub origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced; often weedy and troublesome; collected near White Bluffs.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1097

Rubiaceae

Galium aparine L. cleavers

USDA Code: Gaap2 (Gaap) lifeform: vine origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Local on moist slopes and near springs on Rattlesnake and Umtanum

ridges.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-249; CZM-657; (BRY): Baird 640, 1344; (WS):

O'Farrell 72-201; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 4-20-78

Galium multiflorum Kellogg

shrubby bedstraw

USDA Code: Gamu2 (Gamu) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Collected in Rattlesnake Hills and reported from Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 71-68; Cotton 696

Ruppiaceae

Ruppia maritima L. ditch grass

USDA Code: Ruma5 (Ruma) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Aquatic plant; collected at West Lake.

Collections: (PNNL-TC): Fitzner 7-16-74

Salicaceae

Populus alba L. silver poplar

USDA Code: Poal7 (Poal) lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced tree; widely escaping and becoming established in moist areas. *Collections:* (PNNL): CZM-425; Baird-1095; (WS): O'Farrell 72-184; (PNNL-TC):

Rickard & Cline 5-1-70; Warren 8-16-78

Populus deltoides Bartr. Ex Marsh.

plains cottonwood

USDA Code: Pode3 (Pode) lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported by Price and Rickard (1973) to occur in the 200 Areas and by

TNC along the Columbia River.

Collections: None Available

Populus nigra L. Lombardy poplar

USDA Code: Poni lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced tree; widely and commonly planted as a wind break; often

persisting as at White Bluffs.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-349, 409; Baird-984

Populus tremuloides Michx. quaking aspen

USDA Code: Potr5 (Potre) lifeform: tree origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local in Snively Canyon and in washes near Priest Rapids.

Collections: (PNNL): RR-2; (WS): O'Farrell 72-183; (PNNL-TC): Rickard & Cline

5-1-70

Populus trichocarpa Torr. & Gray ex Hook.

black cottonwood

Populus balsamifera L. ssp. trichocarpa (Torr. & Gray ex Hook.) Brayshaw

USDA Code: Pobat (Potri) lifeform: tree origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Widespread; native tree of moist areas, especially near the Columbia

River.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-407; Baird-885; (WS): O'Farrell 71-133, 72-186;

(PNNL-TC): Sauer 5-30-75 #5; Warren 8-16-78

Salix amygdaloides Anderss.

peachleaf willow

USDA Code: Saam2 (Saam) lifeform: tree origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Widespread tree; common along water courses and around springs.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-635; P&R-02, 52; VAU-64; (BRY): Baird 4, 5, 1227;

(PNNL-TC): Rickard & Cline 5-1-70

Salix babylonica L. weeping willow

USDA Code: Saba2 (Saba) lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Commonly cultivated tree; occasionally persisting or escaping, as along

the Columbia River at Richland.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 665

Salix bebbiana Sarg. Bebb's willow

USDA Code: Sabe2 (Sabe) lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Collected in gulches of the Rattlesnake Hills during the very early 20th

century.

Collections: (WS): Cotton 325

Salix discolor Muhl. pussy willow

USDA Code: Sadi lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported from flood bars near Priest Rapids by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill

(1983).

Collections: None Available

Salix exigua Nutt. coyote willow

Salix exigua Nutt. With some Salix melanopsis Nutt.

USDA Code: Saex lifeform: tree origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread in moist habitats throughout the area; most

specimens are assignable to subspecies *exigua*, but one collection (Baird

1379) from along the Columbia River at Coyote Rapids may be

assignable to subspecies melanopsis (Nutt.) Cronq.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-383; P&R-25; (BRY): Baird 819, 963, 1379;

(PNNL-TC): Sauer 5-30-75 #9; Warren 8-16-78

Salix fragilis L. crack willow

USDA Code: Safr lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced, weedy tree; widely planted and escaping in moist bottom

land, as along the Yakima River delta.

Collections: None Available

Salix lasiandra Benth. whiplash willow

Salix lucida Muhl. Probably ssp. caudata (Nutt.) E. Murr.

USDA Code: Salu (Salad) lifeform: tree origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Scattered in moist areas, as at Priest Rapids, Cold Creek, and Wahluke

Slope.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 1228; (WS): O'Farrell 72-182; (PNNL-TC): Davis 5-6-53

Salix lasiolepis Benth. arroyo willow

USDA Code: Sala6 (Salal) lifeform: tree origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local in moist areas of Rattlesnake and Umtanum ridges.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1551; (WS): Cotton 326

Salix scouleriana Barratt ex Hook. Scouler's willow

USDA Code: Sasc lifeform: tree origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local; collected in Snivley Canyon.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 72-185; St. John 8086, 8087; (PNNL-TC): Rickard &

Cline 5-1-70; Warren 8-16-78

Santalaceae

Comandra umbellata (L.) Nutt. var. pallida (A. DC.)

bastard toadflax

Comandra umbellata (L.) Nutt. ssp. pallida (A. DC.) Piehl

USDA Code: Coump2 (Coum) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread in a variety of habitats, often in sand but almost

always with sagebrush.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-328; MRS-35; P&R-33; VAU-65, 66; JGL-183, 184;

(BRY): Baird 24, 566, 943; (WS): O'Farrell 72-216; St. John 8114

Saxifragaceae

Heuchera cylindrica Dougl. Ex Hook.

lava alumroot

USDA Code: Hecy2 (Hecy) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Local on basalt talus slopes and cliffs, Rattlesnake and Umtanum ridges. Collections: (PNNL): MRS-252; (BRY): Baird 184, 621; (WS): O'Farrell 71-69;

(PNNL-TC): Davis 5-6-53; Pendleton 7-19-59

Lithophragma bulbifera Rydb.

bulbiferous fringecup

Lithophragma glabrum Nutt.

USDA Code: Ligl2 (Libu) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Occasional in variety of habitats, e.g., bunchgrass areas on Rattlesnake

Ridge, Wahluke Slope, and central Hanford. Now grouped with the

following species under the name L. glabrum.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-199, 200; (BRY): Baird 585, 756; (WS): O'Farrell

72-190; M Warner 4-18-79; (PNNL-TC): Schlessmann 3-24-76 #2

Lithophragma glabra Nutt.

smooth fringecup

Lithophragma glabrum Nutt.

USDA Code: Ligl2 (Ligl) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected on Gable Mountain and Rattlesnake Ridge.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 71-3; Bennett 5; St. John 808; (PNNL-TC): Pendleton

3-15-59

Lithophragma parviflora (Hook.) Nutt. ex Torr. & Gray

smallflower fringecup

Lithophragma parviflorum (Hook.) Nutt. ex Torr. & Gray

USDA Code: Lipa5 (Lipa) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected in Bobcat Canyon; reported from central Hanford.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 72-207

Saxifraga integrifolia Hook. var. claytoniaefolia (Canby ex Small) Rosendahl swamp saxifrage Saxifraga nidifica Greene var. claytoniifolia (Canby ex Small) Elvander

USDA Code: Sanic2 (Sain) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Local around seeps and springs on Rattlesnake and Umtanum ridges.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 627, 864; (WS): O'Farrell 72-199

Saxifraga oregana T.J. Howell

bog saxifrage

USDA Code: Saor2 (Saor) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected on ALE.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 72-221

Scrophulariaceae

Castilleja exilis A. Nels.

alkali paintbrush

Castilleja minor (Gray) Gray ssp. minor

USDA Code: Camil3 (Caex) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Local in alkaline marshes; collected at West Lake and on Wahluke Slope;

currently on the Washington State Review 1 list.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-273; (BRY): Baird 1435

Castilleja thompsonii Pennell

Thompson's paintbrush

USDA Code: Cath4 (Cath) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread in sagebrush areas, especially on Rattlesnake

and Umtanum ridges.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-133; WJW-04; (BRY): Baird 586, 782, 1300; (WS):

O'Farrell 71-77; Cotton 671; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 4-18-78; Watson

6-10-59: Warren 4-18-78

Collinsia grandiflora Lindl.

showy blue-eyed Mary

USDA Code: Cogr4 (Congr) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC from ALE.

Collections: None Available

Collinsia parviflora Lindl.

small blue-eyed Mary

USDA Code: Copa3 (Copa) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Common in moist areas, especially along the Columbia River; also on

Wahluke Slope and ALE, e.g., Bennett Spring.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-85, 222; (BRY): Baird 749; (WS): O'Farrell 71-46;

Cotton 327; St. John 8119

Gratiola neglecta Torr. American hedge-hyssop

USDA Code: Grne lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common in nearly all the wetland areas along the Columbia River and the

Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-165, 177, 187, 307; GIB-30; (BRY): Baird 1325, 1345,

1413; (PNNL-TC): Warren 8-5-80; Sauer & Warren 10-6-80

Limosella acaulis Sessé & Moc

mudwort

USDA Code: Liac2 (Liac) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: State Watch List species. Hitchcock and Cronquist (1973) does not

differentiate between L. acaulis and L. aquatica – listing only

L. aquatica. TNC researchers suggest that L. acaulis is more common than L. aquatica (K. Beck personal communication); both occur on

muddy flats adjacent to the Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-297; (Univ. Cal.): Beck & Caplow 94053

Limosella aquatica L. southern mudwort

USDA Code: Liaq lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: See discussion under L. acaulis.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-189; GIB 54; (BRY): Baird 1322, 1348; (UC): Caplow

& Beck 94066

Linaria dalmatica (L.) P. Mill. dalmatian toadflax

USDA Code: Lida lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed of dry waste places; uncommon; collected near 100-B

Area and along Horn Rapids Road; observed around Energy Northwest.

Collections: (PNNL): GIB-54; (PNNL-TC): Sauer & Hinds 5-26-77

Linaria vulgaris P. Mill. butter-and-eggs

USDA Code: Livu2 (Livu) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported to be persisting near abandoned homesteads south of the

Hanford townsite.

Collections: None Available

Lindernia anagallidea (Michx.) Pennell

false pimpernel

Lindernia dubia (L.) Pennell var. anagallidea (Michx.) Cooperrider

USDA Code: Lidua (Lian) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: State Review Group 2 species because of taxonomic difficulties. Many of

our specimens will key to *L. anagallidea* in Hitchcock and Cronquist (1973) and in Hickman (1993) but may technically belong to variety *dubia*. Found in moist to wet areas along shores of the Columbia River.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-184; (BRY): Baird 1346, 1408

Lindernia dubia (L.) Pennell

false pimpernel

Lindernia dubia (L.) Pennell var. dubia

USDA Code: Lidud (Lidu) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: All of our Lindernia may be of variety dubia (K. Beck personal

communication). Moist to wet areas along the Columbia River.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94056, 94057; (UC): Caplow & Beck 94064

Mazus japonicus (Thunb.) Kuntze

Japanese mazus

Mazus pumilus (Burm. F.) Steenis

USDA Code: Mapu7 (Maja) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Observed near 100-H Area and reported along the Columbia River by

TNC.

Collections: None Available

Mimetanthe pilosa (Benth.) Greene

downy monkeyflower

USDA Code: Mipi5 (Mipi) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Collected in the canyons and Corral Creek in the Rattlesnake Hills during

the very early 20th century; not observed since.

Collections: (WS): Cotton 880, 911

Mimulus floribundus Lindl. purplestem monkeyflower

USDA Code: Mif12 (Mif1) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Collected on ALE and at Snipes Creek; reported from Umtanum Ridge.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 71-103, 71-147, 72-244; Cotton 418

Mimulus guttatus DC. yellow monkeyflower

USDA Code: Migu lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread in moist and wet habitats.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-474; (BRY): Baird 140, 636, 958; (WS): O'Farrell

71-991

Mimulus ringens L. Allegheny monkeyflower

USDA Code: Miri lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported from along the Columbia River; collected in Savage Island

slough.

Collections: (PNNL): Caplow & Beck 95114; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95114

Mimulus suksdorfii Gray Suksdorf's monkeyflower

USDA Code: Misu2 (Misu) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Washington State sensitive species; scattered in small populations among

sagebrush, near Gable Mountain, Gable Butte, and Vernita grade.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95024, 95040, 95046, 95056, 97011

Orthocarpus barbatus Cotton

Grand Coulee owl-clove

USDA Code: Orba2 (Orba) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Observed by TNC on Umtanum Ridge.

Collections: (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95072

Penstemon acuminatus Dougl. Ex Lindl.

sand beardtongue

USDA Code: Peac lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread throughout Hanford, primarily on sand.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-49, 218; CZM-319; P&R-85; VAU-67; JGL-185; (BRY):

Baird 37, 570, 829, 925; (WS): O'Farrell 71-54; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 5-22-75 #2, 5-9-78; Davis 5-11-53; Sauer et al. 5-12-80; Warren & Hines 5-20-80; Sauer 5-9-78; Davis 5-10-52; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 97031,

97033

Penstemon eriantherus Pursh var. whitedii (Piper) A. Nels.

fuzzy beardtongue

USDA Code: Peerw (Peer) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Local on the White Bluffs; currently on the Washington State Review list.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 155, 698; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 97017, 97025

Penstemon gairdneri Hook.

Gairdner's beardtongue

USDA Code: Pega (Penga) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Local on top of Rattlesnake Ridge and lithosols near Priest Rapids.

Collections: (WS): O'Farrell 71-78; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-10-75 #16

Penstemon glandulosus Dougl. var. chilanensis (Keck) Cronq.

stickystem beardtongue

USDA Code: Pegl4 (Pegl) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local on Rattlesnake Ridge, e.g., near Bennett Spring.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 858; (WS): O'Farrell 71-70; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 6-10-75

#17; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 94032

Penstemon richardsonii Dougl. Ex Lindl.

basalt beardtongue

USDA Code: Peri lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Widespread on rocky slopes, cliffs, and gullies on Rattlesnake and

Umtanum ridges. Scattered in the Cold Creek streambed.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-457; MRS-159; (BRY): Baird 173, 1219, 1242; (WS):

O'Farrell 71-169; (PNNL-TC): Newsome & Sauer 8-23-76; Davis

6-26-52; Warren 8-16-78; Pendleton 4-9-59

Penstemon speciosus Dougl. Ex Lindl.

showy beardtongue

USDA Code: Pesp lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local on top of Rattlesnake Ridge.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-458; (WS): O'Farrell 71-108; Bennett; (PNNL-TC):

Sauer 6-10-75 #8

Scrophularia lanceolata Pursh

lanceleaf figwort

USDA Code: Scla lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Local in the Rattlesnake Hills. Known from older collection, but also

reported by TNC.

Collections: (WS): St. John 8084

Verbascum thapsus L. common mullein

USDA Code: Veth lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced weed of waste places and disturbed areas throughout Hanford;

most common along water courses.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-12; (WS): O'Farrell 71-155; (PNNL-TC): Warren

8-16-78

Veronica americana Schwein. Ex Benth.

brooklime

USDA Code: Veam2 (Veam) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Widespread in moist to wet habitats; probably less common than other

species of Veronica on the Hanford Site.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 867; (WS): O'Farrell 71-92; (PNNL-TC): Warren &

Sauer 10-6-80; Rotenberry 5-29-75

Veronica anagallis-aquatica L.

water speedwell

USDA Code: Vean2 (Vean) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread in moist to wet areas along the Columbia River

and around springs.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-164, 171, 176, 317; P&R-26; JGL-186; (BRY): Baird

956, 1410; (PNNL-TC): Warren & Sauer 10-6-80; Newsome & Sauer

9-27-77

Veronica peregrina L. var. xalapensis (Kunth) Pennell

purslane speedwell

Veronica peregrina L. ssp. xalapensis (Kunth) Pennell

USDA Code: Vepex (Vepe) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Common along the shore of the Columbia River and in wetland areas on

the Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird-1313; MRS-186, 225; GIB-39, 51; (BRY): Baird 1021,

1407; (PNNL-TC): Warren 8-12-80; Davis 5-7-53

Simarubaceae

Ailanthus altissima (P. Mill.) Swingle

tree-of-heaven

USDA Code: Aial lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced tree; widespread; collected at White Bluffs townsite.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-429; (BRY): Baird 1101

Solanaceae

Datura stramonium L. Jimson-weed

USDA Code: Dast lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Observed within former village of Vernita at the Midway substation.

Collections: None Available

Lycium halimifolium P. Mill.

matrimony vine

Lycium barbarum L.

USDA Code: Lyba4 (Lyha) lifeform: shrub origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced ornamental; persisting around abandoned homesteads, and

occasionally spreading in disturbed habitats.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-175; CZM-671

Nicotiana acuminata (Graham) Hook. wild tobacco

USDA Code: Niac lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC from ALE.

Collections: None Available

Nicotiana attenuata Torr. Ex S. Wats. coyote tobacco

USDA Code: Niat lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Until the collection by Lewinsohn in the Cold Creek Valley, this

Washington State sensitive species had not been recorded from the Hanford vicinity for nearly 100 years. Germination appears to be

stimulated by smoke residues (Baldwin et al. [1994]).

Collections: (PNNL): J.S. Lewinsohn; (WS): Cotton 477

Physalis pubescens L. ground cherry

USDA Code: Phpu7 (Phys.) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Collected along the Columbia River between 100-D and 100-H Areas.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-331

Solanum dulcamara L. bittersweet

USDA Code: Sodu lifeform: vine origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced and widely established along water courses and around

buildings.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-380, 470; (BRY): Baird 824

Solanum nigrum L. black nightshade

Solanum americanum P. Mill.

USDA Code: Soam (Soni) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Widespread weed of mostly moist disturbed habitats, e.g., 100-D Area.

Collections: (PNNL): GIB-55

Solanum sarachoides auct. Non Sendtner

hairy nightshade

Solanum physalifolium Rusby

USDA Code: Soph (Sosa) lifeform: forb origin: Introduced(?) duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Occasional; collected in Cold Creek Valley and along the Columbia River

near Vernita Bridge.

Collections: (PNNL): Caplow & Beck 95066; GLF-8-6-96; (PNNL-TC): Warren &

Sauer 10-6-80

Solanum triflorum Nutt. cutleaf nightshade

USDA Code: Sotr lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon; collected on ALE and in Richland.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-269; GLF-5-31-96; (WS): O'Farrell 72-253;

(PNNL-TC): Sauer & Hines 6-13-74

Tamaricaceae

Tamarix parviflora DC. tamarisk

USDA Code: Tapa4 (Tapa) lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced weedy tree of moist areas; widespread.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-371, 386; Baird 918; JGL-187; (PNNL-TC): Sauer &

Owzarski 5-16-80

Taxaceae

Taxus cuspidata Sieb. & Zucc. Japanese yew

USDA Code: Tacu lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Introduced ornamental; occasionally persisting.

Collections: (BRY): Baird 918, 990

Typhaceae

Typha angustifolia L. lesser cattail

USDA Code: Tyan lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Uncommon in wet areas; collected in B-ditch.

Collections: (PNNL): Baird 1201

Typha latifolia L. common cattail

USDA Code: Tyla lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread in wet areas throughout Hanford.

Collections: (PNNL): P&R-23; (BRY): Baird 1445; (WS): O'Farrell 72-242

Ulmaceae

Ulmus americana L. American elm

USDA Code: Ulam lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced shade tree; persisting around old buildings and townsites.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-347, 393; (BRY): Baird 1283

Ulmus pumila L. Siberian elm

USDA Code: Ulpu lifeform: tree origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced weedy tree; persisting and spreading around old townsites. Collections: (PNNL): CZM-372; (BRY): Baird 1099; (WS): O'Farrell 74-297

Urticaceae

Urtica dioica L. stinging nettle

ssp. *gracilis* (Ait.) Seland (includes var. *angustifolia* and var. *lyallii*) ssp. *holosericea* (Nutt.) Thorne

USDA Code: Urdi lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Common weed of disturbed, moist ground; three varieties have been

reported on Hanford.

Collections: var. angustifolia Schlecht. Common and widespread in moist to wet

habitats throughout Hanford. (BRY): Baird 1222; (WS): O'Farrell

71-134; (WS): St. John 8081; (PNNL-TC): Warren 8-16-78

var. *lyallii* (Wats.) Hitchc. (Lyall's nettle). Local in Snively Canyon; more commonly found in western Washington. (PNNL-TC): Warren

8-16-78

ssp (var.) *holosericea* reported by TNC on ALE.

Valerianaceae

Plectritis macrocera Torr. & Gray white cupseed

USDA Code: Plma4 (Plmac) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Common and widespread in sandy areas throughout Hanford.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-76; P&R-84; VAU-68; JGL-188, 189, 190; (BRY): Baird

30, 554, 593, 843; (WS): O'Farrell 71-22; (PNNL-TC): Sauer 4-12-78;

Rickard & Cline 5-1-70; Warren et al. 5-1-80

Verbenaceae

Verbena bracteata Lag. & Rodr. bracted verbena

USDA Code: Vebr lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Widespread throughout Hanford, primarily in disturbed habitats both

moist and drier sites.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-113, 170; GIB-31; (BRY): Baird 877, 914, 1271; (WS):

O'Farrell 71-153; (PNNL-TC): Newsome & Sauer 9-27-77; Sauer & Durham 8-7-75; Davis 6-18-52; Sauer 5-28-80; Warren 8-16-78

Verbena hastata L. var. scabra Moldeke

blue verbena

USDA Code: Vehas (Veha) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Occasional in wet areas along the Columbia River and on Wahluke Slope.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-481; GIB-52; (BRY): Baird 1329

Violaceae

Viola adunca Sm. early blue violet

USDA Code: Viad lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Collected near the White Bluffs ferry landing during the late 19th century.

Collections: (WS): Lake & Hull 8-10-1892

Viola palustris L. marsh violet

USDA Code: Vipa4 (Vipa) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Reported by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983) in wet areas in the vicinity

of Priest Rapids.

Collections: None Available

Viola sp. violet

USDA Code: Visp. lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Reported by TNC along the Columbia River, central Hanford.

Collections: None Available

Viola trinervata (T.J. Howell) T.J. Howell ex Gray sagebrush violet

USDA Code: Vitr3 (Vitr) lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial

Distribution/Notes: Old report from the Hanford townsite, but specimen could not be located;

also reported at Priest Rapids by Mastrogiuseppe and Gill (1983).

Collections: (WS): Gessell

Vitaceae

Parthenocissus quinquefolia (L.) Planch. Virginia creeper

USDA Code: Paqu2 (Paqu) lifeform: vine origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced ornamental vine; persisting in disturbed habitats near the

Columbia River, e.g., Hanford townsite.

Collections: (PNNL): MRS-325; (BRY): Baird 1289

Vitis vinifera L. grape

USDA Code: Vivi5 (Vivin) lifeform: vine origin: Introduced duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Introduced and occasionally persisting in abandoned vineyards such as

the 1100 Area and near Vernita Bridge.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-420

Zannichelliaceae

Zannichellia palustris L. horned pondweed

USDA Code: Zapa lifeform: forb origin: Native duration: perennial Distribution/Notes: Aquatic plant; known from older collection along the Columbia River

near Kennewick and collected by TNC across from the Hanford townsite.

Collections: (WS): Jones 368; (WTU): Caplow & Beck 95140

Zygophyllaceae

Tribulus terrestris L. puncture vine

USDA Code: Trte lifeform: forb origin: Introduced duration: annual Distribution/Notes: Introduced; widespread and troublesome weed of waste places and

disturbed habitats throughout Hanford.

Collections: (PNNL): CZM-420; (BRY): Baird 1417; (PNNL-TC): Sauer & Durham

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4.0 Hanford Site Plant Species of Special Concern

The chapter briefly discusses species that are of special concern on the Hanford Site. Plant species may be of special concern either because they are 1) rare and listed by the state or federal government as endangered, threatened, or otherwise of concern; or 2) considered highly disruptive to the native flora.

4.1 Rare Plants of the Hanford Site

At least 47 plant species on or near the Hanford Site (Table 4.1) are listed by the Washington Natural Heritage Program as endangered, threatened, sensitive, review, or watch list (Washington Natural Heritage Program 1997). Three of these species are also listed by the federal government as candidates for protection under the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (65 FR 57534-47), and at least four additional species are considered federal species of concern (former candidate species). The list of species in Table 4.1 is current as of the preparation of this document; however, the status of a particular species is always subject to change at the discretion of the responsible state and federal agencies.

Several additional species have not been included in Table 4.1, although they have been previously reported from the Hanford Site (Table 4.2). *Astragalus arrectus*, or Palouse milkvetch, was reported by St. John and Jones (1928) to occur in the Rattlesnake Hills; however, the specimen they refer to (collected by Miss Ruth Bennett) has not been found, and the specimen in question may be referable to *A. leibergii*, *A. reventiformis*, or even *A. conjunctus* var. *rickardii*. *A. arrectus* is otherwise not known from Benton County; it primarily occurs in Lincoln and Whitman counties to the north and east of the Hanford Site, and in Klickitat County southwest of Hanford. *Collinsia sparsiflora* was reported in ERDA (1975), apparently based on a collection by the O'Farrells (O'Farrell 74-304) that could not be located. The only confirmed occurrences of this species in Washington State have been in Klickitat County. Most likely, the O'Farrell specimen is the very similar *C. parviflora*. *Carex densa* has been previously reported from the Hanford Site, but all collections formerly referred to this species are now identified as *C. vulpinoidea*. In Washington State, *Carex densa* is otherwise only known in Wahkiakum County near the mouth of the Columbia River. *Arenaria franklinii* var. *thompsonii* probably does not occur within Washington State, although some of our specimens may have characteristics suggesting this taxon.

Nicotiana attenuata was reported by St. John and Jones (1928) to occur in the Rattlesnake Hills, but it had not been relocated within the Hanford Site, or even Benton County since the specimen they referenced (Cotton 477) was collected in 1901. This species was believed to be extirpated from Benton County until it was rediscovered in August 1999 by Lewinsohn and Durham in the Cold Creek Valley within a portion of the ALE Reserve that had burned in 1998. There are indications that seed germination in some strains of *N. attenuata* may be stimulated by smoke or fire (Baldwin et al. 1994). No individuals were found in the same area the following year.

A special note should also be made of *Hackelia diffusa*, the variety *diffusa* of this species is recognized by the Washington Natural Heritage Program as a sensitive species. Hitchcock and Cronquist

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are listed as sensitive

Federal State Status^(a) Status(b) Common Name **Species** Family Notes Artemisia campestris ssp. borealis var. Known near Beverly, probably Northern wormwood Asteraceae C Ε wormskioldii not on Hanford Lesquerella tuplashensis White bluffs bladderpod Brassicaceae C E White Bluffs Eriogonum codium Umtanum buckwheat Polygonaceae C Ε Umtanum Ridge Astragalus columbianus Columbia milkvetch Fabaceae SC T Umtanum, Yakima Ridges T Dwarf eveningprimrose Pit 11, Ringold, Wahluke Slope Camisonia (Oenothera) pygmaea Onagraceae T Eatonella nivea White eatonella Wahluke Slope Asteraceae Loeflingia squarrosa var. squarrosa Loeflingia Caryophyllaceae T North of Gable Mountain Lomatium tuberosum Hoover's desertparsley SC T Talus slopes, Umtanum Ridge Apiaceae Rorippa columbiae Columbia yellowcress T Gravel shorelines, Hanford Reach Brassicaceae SC Astragalus geyeri S Geyer's milkvetch Fabaceae White Bluffs S Calyptridium roseum Rosy calyptridium Portulacaceae North of Gable Mountain Cryptantha leucophaea S Gray cryptantha Boraginaceae SC Dune sands Cryptantha spiculifera S Wahluke Slope Bristly cryptantha Boraginaceae (C. interrupta) Desert dodder Cuscuta denticulata Cuscutaceae S Found again on Wahluke Slope Shining flatsedge S Common along Columbia River Cyperus bipartitus (rivularis) Cyperaceae Erigeron piperianus S Common on ALE Piper's daisy Asteraceae Canadian St. John's-Wort S Hypericum majus Hypericaceae Riparian/wetlands Mimulus suksdorfii Suksdorf's monkeyflower Scrophulariaceae S North of Gable Mountain S Found on ALE 1999 Nicotiana attenuata Covote tobacco Solanaceae Desert (Cespitose) S Oenothera cespitosa ssp. cespitosa Onagraceae We may have two varieties - both

eveningprimrose

Table 4.1. Plant Species of Concern on and Around the Hanford Site

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Table 4.1. (contd)

Species	Common Name	Family	Federal Status ^(a)	State Status ^(b)	Notes
Ammania robusta	Ammania	Lythraceae	-	R1	Wetlands
Astragalus conjunctus var, rickardii	Dr. Bill's locoweed	Fabaceae	-	R1	ALE, Horse Heaven Hills
Camissonia (Oenothera) minor	Small-flowered eveningprimrose	Onagraceae	-	R1	Wahluke Slope, 200 Plateau
Castilleja exilis	Annual paintbrush	Scrophulariaceae	-	R1	Wetlands on the Wahluke Slope, and at West Lake
Centunculus minimus	Chaffweed	Primulaceae	-	R1	Riparian, Wetlands
Cryptantha scoparia	Desert cryptantha	Boraginaceae	-	R1	ALE, Yakima Ridge
Gilia leptomeria	Great Basin gilia	Polemoniaceae	-	R1	What we formerly called <i>G</i> . <i>leptomeria</i> is now <i>G</i> . <i>latea</i> .
Lipocarpha (=Hemicarpha) aristulata	Small-flowered hemicarpha	Cyperaceae	-	R1	Wetlands
Nama densum var. parviflorum	Purple mat	Hydrophyllaceae	-	R1	Occasional throughout central Hanford
Opuntia fragilis	Brittle prickly-pear	Cactaceae	-	R1	Probably not on Hanford
Pectocarya linearis	Winged combseed	Boraginaceae	-	R1	Ridges, Cold Creek Valley
Pediocactus simpsonii var. robustior (=P. nigrispinus)	Hedge hog cactus	Cactaceae	-	R1	Reportedly on ALE and in other basalt areas
Penstemon eriantherus whitedii	Fuzzy beardtongue	Scrophulariaceae	-	R1	White Bluffs
Rotala ramosior	Toothcup	Lythraceae	-	R1	Wetlands
Lindernia dubia anagallidea	False pimpernel	Scrophulariaceae	-	R2	Taxonomically problematic
Allium robinsonii	Robinson's onion	Liliaceae	-	W	Near river
Allium scilloides	Scilla onion	Liliaceae	-	W	Slopes of ridges
Artemesia lindleyana	Columbia River mugwort	Asteraceae	-	W	Common in riparian areas, along Columbia River
Astragalus sclerocarpus	Stalked-pod milkvetch	Fabaceae	-	W	Common central Hanford

Table 4.1. (contd)

Species	Common Name	Family	Federal Status ^(a)	State Status ^(b)	Notes
Astragalus speirocarpus	Medic milkvetch	Fabaceae	-	W	Known to be just west of the Hanford Site
Astragalus succumbens	Crouching milkvetch	Fabaceae	-	W	Common central Hanford
Balsamorhiza rosea	Rosy balsamroot	Asteraceae	-	W	Lithosolic areas, tops of ridges
Cirsium brevifolium	Palouse thistle	Asteraceae	-	W	Not seen for a long time on Hanford – may not be present
Delphinium multiplex	Kittitas larkspur	Ranunculaceae	-	W	North facing slopes of Umtanum Ridge
Limosella acaulis	Southern mudwort	Scrophulariaceae	-	W	Mudflats along Columbia River
Pectocarya setosa	Bristly combseed	Boraginaceae	-	W	Wahluke Slope
Pellaea glabella simplex	Smooth cliffbrake	Polypodiaceae	-	W	Base of Umtanum Ridge

Federal and state listings as of 8/31/2001.

(a) Federal Definitions

- C Candidate. Taxa for which enough substantive information is available to support listing as threatened or endangered by the federal government, but preparation of a listing proposal is precluded because of higher priority species or actions.
- SC Unofficial listing category, primarily consists of species listed as candidate level 2 under an abandoned listing classification system.

(b) State Definitions

- E Endangered. Taxa that are in danger of becoming extinct within the near future if factors contributing to their decline continue.
- Γ Threatened. Taxa that is likely to become endangered within the near future if factors contributing to its population decline or habitat degradation continue.
- S Sensitive. Taxa that is vulnerable or declining, and could become endangered or threatened without active management or removal of threats.
- R1 Review Group 1. Taxa that may be quite rare and/or threatened, but there is insufficient data to determine if listing as threatened, endangered, or sensitive appropriate, or at what level.
- R2 Review Group 2. Taxa with unresolved taxonomic questions i.e., taxa that may not meet the definition of "species."
- W Watch List. Taxa that are of concern, but have been determined to be more abundant and/or less threatened than previously assumed.

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Table 4.2. Species of Concern Previously Reported but not Presently Considered to Occur on or Near Hanford

Species	Common Name	Family	Federal Status ^(a)	State Status ^(a)	
Astragalus arrectus	Palouse milkvetch	Fabaceae	-	S	
Carex densa	Dense sedge	Cyperaceae	-	S	
Collinsia sparsiflora var. bruciae	Few-flowered collinsia	Scrophulariaceae	-	S	
Arenaria franklinii thompsonii	Thompson's sandwort	Caryophyllaceae	-	R2	
(a) See Table 4.1 for definitions of status values					

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(1973) recognize *H. diffusa* and *H. arida* as separate species; however, in a subsequent taxonomic treatment Gentry and Carr (1976) grouped both of these species under *H. diffusa* and recognized each as separate varieties. Plants found on or near the Hanford Site tend to key out to either *H. diffusa* or *H. arida*, depending on the population, when the flora by Hitchcock and Cronquist is used. Gentry and Carr recognized an additional variety, *cottonii*, which gradates into var. *arida* in the Hanford vicinity. The type specimen for variety *cottonii* (Cotton 360) was collected in the Rattlesnake Hills on or very near what is now the Hanford Site by J. S. Cotton in 1901. All the specimens from the Hanford vicinity can probably be defined as intermediate between vars. *cottonii* and *arida*. The Hanford Site plant list provided in ERDA (1975) correctly included *H. diffusa* var. *cottonii*, even though this taxa is not included in the standard flora for the region (Hitchcock and Cronquist 1973).

4.2 Noxious Weeds on the Hanford Site

At least one-fourth of the plant species observed on the Hanford Site are not native to the area and are thus considered to be alien and/or weedy species. Some of these, such as cheatgrass, Russian thistle, and tumble mustard have become so ubiquitous that they can be considered essentially "naturalized." These species have caused significant changes to the regional flora and ecology over the last 100 years. It is interesting to note that in the first comprehensive flora of Washington State (Piper 1906), cheatgrass is not even mentioned (although it was first recorded in the state in the early 1890s (Klemmedsen and Smith 1964). The first plant list for Benton County (St. John and Jones 1928) indicated that cheatgrass "has been collected at Paterson and reported near Kennewick."

The ecology of the Columbia Basin has been significantly changed because of the introduction of alien species. However, not all alien species are considered to be threats to the local flora and ecology, and in fact some, such as many of the riparian trees, have probably had a positive effect on local wildlife diversity and abundance. However, Washington State recognizes certain species as noxious weeds if they have a high potential for serious devastation of natural areas, agricultural lands, and rangelands. Noxious weeds are species that have the potential to drastically alter the regional ecology if they are not controlled before they can spread and in many cases are capable of invading relatively pristine areas as well as more disturbed lands. For certain classes of noxious weeds, landowners are legally mandated to control these weeds. Listing and regulations pertaining to noxious weeds are contained in Chapter 16-750 of the Washington Administrative Code "State Noxious Weed List and Schedule of Monetary Penalties" and Chapter 17.10 of the Revised Code of Washington "Noxious Weeds - Control Boards." We have at least 28 species on the Hanford Site that are currently listed as noxious weeds by the Washington State Department of Agriculture (Table 4.3).

The state of Washington defines the various classes of noxious weeds as:

- Class A noxious weeds are those noxious weeds not native to the state that are of limited distribution or are unrecorded in the state and that pose a serious threat to the state.
- Class B noxious weeds are those noxious weeds not native to the state that are of limited distribution or are unrecorded in a region of the state and that pose a serious threat to that region.

- Class B designate means those Class B noxious weeds whose populations in a region or area are such that all seed production can be prevented within a calendar year.
- Class C includes any other noxious weeds.

State law requires eradication of Class A noxious weeds wherever they occur, and control of all Class B designate weeds in those regions where they are so designated. Control of Washington State Class B (non-designate) and Class C weeds are dictated by the local noxious weed control boards, and weeds of these classes that are of priority to the local board are included on the local boards weed list.

In addition to the species listed in Table 4.3 there are several species that are listed by the Benton County Noxious Weed Control Board that have, as yet, not been documented from the Hanford Site. These species are listed in Table 4.4.

Table 4.3. Washington State Listed Noxious Weeds Known to Occur on the Hanford Site

Species	Common Name	Weed Class	Comments
Alhagi pseudalhagi (A. maurorum)	camelthorn	Class B designate	Presumed extirpated from Wahluke Slope
Cardaria draba	whitetop, hoarycress,	Class C	Locally common, Rattlesnake Springs and other locations
Cardaria pubescens	globepodded hoarycress	Class C	Occasional and scattered
Cenchrus longispinus	longspine sandbur	Class B	Occasional, observed near Hanford Met. Station
Centaurea diffusa	diffuse knapweed	Class B designate in Franklin and Grant county portions of the Hanford Site	Widespread in riparian areas, and throughout the 100 Areas
Centaurea maculosa (C. biebersteinii)	spotted knapweed	Class B designate	Occasional – observed near Columbia Generating Station
Centaurea repens (Acroptilon repens)	Russian knapweed	Class B	Widespread – throughout 100 Areas, McGee Ranch
Centaurea solstitialis	yellow starthistle	Class B designate	Widespread – especially around Hanford townsite
Chondrilla juncea	rush skeletonweed	Class B designate	Widespread – especially in southern portions of the Hanford Site
Cirsium arvense	Canada thistle	Class C	Occasional in disturbed areas, especially near Columbia River
Cirsium vulgare	bull thistle	Class C	Occasional in disturbed areas
Convolvulus arvensis	field bindweed	Class C	Primarily in riparian areas on the Hanford Site
Cyperus esculentus	yellow nutsedge	Class B designate	Disturbed areas, especially landscaped areas, also on Wahluke Slope

Table 4.3. (contd)

Species	Common Name	Weed Class	Comments
Daucus carota	wild carrot	Class B designate	Noted in Priest Rapids area
Euphorbia esula	leafy spurge	Class B designate	Reported on Wahluke Slope
Gypsophila paniculata	babysbreath	Class C	Occasional in 100 Areas
Hypericum perforatum	common St. John's- Wort	Class C	Common in riparian areas
Kochia scoparia	kochia	Class B	Primarily along periphery of the Hanford Site and in and around Richland
Lepidium latifolium	perennial pepperweed	Class B	Disturbed areas, typically not in sand
Linaria dalmatica ssp. dalmatica	dalmatian toadflax	Class B designate	Locally common near Energy Northwest, scattered elsewhere
Linaria vulgaris	butter-and-eggs, yellow toadflax	Class C	Rare on the Hanford Site
Lythrum salicaria	purple loosestrife	Class B	Wet riparian areas
Myriophyllum spicatum	Eurasian watermilfoil	Class B designate	Slack water areas of Columbia River
Onopordum acanthium	Scotch thistle	Class B designate	Observed near south end of the 300 Area
Phalaris arundinacea	reed canarygrass	Class C	Common along Columbia River shoreline
Secale cereale	cereal rye	Class C	Snively Field
Sphaerophysa salsula	Swainsonpea	Class B	Local at Rattlesnake Springs, White Bluffs ferry site
Tribulus terrestris	puncturevine	Class B	Mainly around buildings and roadways

Table 4.4. Washington State Noxious Weeds Listed for Benton County and Potentially Occurring, but not Confirmed, on the Hanford Site

Scientific Name	Common Name	Weed Class	Comments
Alopecurus myosuroides	blackgrass	Class B designate	Not confirmed on the Hanford Site
Amorpha fruticosa	indigobush	Class B designate except within 200 feet of the Columbia River	Potentially invading riparian areas but not currently known from the Hanford Site
Carduus acanthoides	plumeless thistle	Class B designate	Not confirmed on the Hanford Site
Sonchus arvensis ssp. arvensis	perennial sowthistle	Class B designate	Not confirmed on the Hanford Site
Sorghum halepense	johnsongrass	Class A	Not confirmed on the Hanford Site
Tamarix ramosissima	saltcedar	Class A	Potentially occurring in wet areas on Hanford

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Appendix A

Alphabetical Listing By Genus

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Genus Species	Common Name	Code	Family
Abronia millefera	white sand verbena	Abme	Nyctaginaceae
Achillea millefolium	yarrow	Acmi	Asteraceae
Acer saccharinum	silver maple	Acsa	Aceraceae
Adiantum pedatum	maiden-hair fern	Adpe	Polypodiaceae (Pteridaceae)
Agrostis alba	redtop bentgrass	Agal	Poaceae
Agropyron caninum	slender wheatgrass	Agca	Poaceae
Agropyron cristatum	crested wheatgrass	Agcr	Poaceae
Agropyron dasytachyum	thickspike wheatgrass	Agda	Poaceae
Agrostis exarata	spike bentgrass	Agex	Poaceae
Agoseris glauca	pale mountain dandelion	Aggl	Asteraceae
Agoseris grandiflora	showy mountain dandelion	Aggr	Asteraceae
Agoseris heterophylla	annual mountain dandelion	Aghe	Asteraceae
Agropyron intermedium	intermediate wheatgrass	Agpin	Poaceae
Agrostis interrupta	interrupted bentgrass	Agsin	Poaceae
Agastache occidentalis	western horsemint	Agoc	Lamiaceae
Agropyron repens	quackgrass	Agre	Poaceae
Agrostis scabra	ticklegrass	Agsc	Poaceae
Agropyron sibericum	Siberian wheatgrass	Agsi	Poaceae
Agropyron spicatum	bluebunch wheatgrass	Agsp	Poaceae
Agrostis tenuis	colonial bentgrass	Agte	Poaceae
Agropyron triticeum	annual wheatgrass	Agtr	Poaceae
Ailanthus altissima	tree-of-heaven	Aial	Simarubaceae
Allium acuminatum	Hooker's onion	Alac	Liliaceae
Alopecurus aequalis	meadow foxtail	Alae	Poaceae
Allium cernuum	nodding onion	Alce	Liliaceae
Allium douglasii	Douglas' onion	Aldo	Liliaceae
Alisma graminium	narrow-leaf waterplantain	Algr	Alismataceae
Allium macrum	rock onion	Alma	Liliaceae
Alhagi maurorum	camelthorn	Alps	Fabaceae
Allium robinsonii	Robinson's onion	Alro	Liliaceae

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Allium schoenoprasum	chives	Alsh	Liliaceae
Allium scillioides	squill onion	Alsl	Liliaceae
Ambrosia acanthicarpa	bur ragweed	Amac	Asteraceae
Amaranthus albus	white pigweed	Amalb	Amaranthaceae
Amelanchier alnifolia	western serviceberry	Amaln	Rosaceae
Amaranthus blitoides	prostrate pigweed	Ambl	Amaranthaceae
Amsinckia intermedia	rancher's fiddleneck	Amin	Boraginaceae
Amsinckia lycopsoides	fiddleneck	Amly	Boraginaceae
Amsinckia retrorsa	rigid fiddleneck	Amre	Boraginaceae
Ammannia robusta	scarlet ammannia	Amro	Lythraceae
Amsinckia tessellata	devil's lettuce	Amte	Boraginaceae
Antennaria dimorpha	low pussytoes	Andi	Asteraceae
Anaphalis margaritacea	pearly everlasting	Anma	Asteraceae
Antennaria microphylla	rosy pussytoes	Anmi	Asteraceae
Anthriscus scandicina	bur chervil	Ansc	Apiaceae
Antennaria umbrinella	umber pussytoes	Anum	Asteraceae
Apocynum cannabinum	common dogbane	Apca	Apocynaceae
Apocynum sibiricum	Indian hemp	Apsi	Apocynaceae
Aquilegia formosa	red columbine	Aqfo	Ranunculaceae
Artemisia campestris	Pacific sagebrush	Arca	Asteraceae
Artemisia dracunculus	tarragon	Arcr	Asteraceae
Arabis cusickii	Cusick's rockcress	Arcu	Brassicaceae
Artemisia douglasiana	Douglas' sagebrush	Ardo	Asteraceae
Arenaria franklinii	Franklin's sandwort	Arfr	Caryophyllaceae
Artemisia lindleyana	Columbia River mugwort	Arli	Asteraceae
Aristida longiseta	red three-awn	Arlo	Poaceae
Artemisia ludoviciana	prairie sagebrush	Arlu	Asteraceae
Arctium minus	burdock	Armi	Asteraceae
Arenaria pussila	dwarf sandwort	Arpu	Caryophyllaceae
Artemisia rigida	stiff sagebrush	Arri	Asteraceae
Arnica sororia	twin arnica	Arso	Asteraceae
Arabis sparsiflora	elegant rockcress	Arsp	Brassicaceae
Arabidopsis thaliana	common wallcress	Arth	Brassicaceae
Artemisia tridentata	big sagebrush	Artr	Asteraceae
Artemisia tripartita	threetip sagebrush	Artrp	Asteraceae
Aster campestris	western meadow aster	Ascam	Asteraceae

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Astragalus caricinus	buckwheat milkvetch	Ascar	Fabaceae
Astragalus columbianus	Columbia milkvetch	Ascol	Fabaceae
Astragalus conjunctus var. rickardii	Dr. Bill's locoweed	Ascon	Fabaceae
Asclepias fasicularis	narrow-leaved milkweed	Asfa	Asclepiadaceae
Aster frondosus	alkali aster	Asfr	Asteraceae
Astragalus geyeri	Geyer's milkvetch	Asge	Fabaceae
Aster hesperius	western marsh aster	Ashe	Asteraceae
Astragalus lentiginosus	freckled milkvetch	Aslen	Fabaceae
Aster occidentalis	western mountain aster	Asoc	Asteraceae
Asparagus officinalis	asparagus	Asof	Liliaceae
Aster pansus	heath-leaved aster	Aspa	Asteraceae
Asperugo procumbens	catchweed	Aspr	Boraginaceae
Astragalus purshii	woolly-pod milkvetch	Aspu	Fabaceae
Astragalus reventiformis	Yakima milkvetch	Asre	Fabaceae
Astragalus sclerocarpus	stalked-pod milkvetch	Assc	Fabaceae
Asclepias speciosa	showy milkweed	Assp	Asclepiadaceae
Astragalus spaldingii	Spalding's milkvetch	Asspa	Fabaceae
Astragalus speirocarpus	medick milkvetch	Asspe	Fabaceae
Aster subspicatus	Douglas' aster	Assub	Asteraceae
Astragalus succumbens	crouching milkvetch	Assuc	Fabaceae
Atriplex nuttallii var. fulcata	saltsage	Atnu	Chenopodiaceae
Atriplex patula	fat-hen saltbush	Atpa	Chenopodiaceae
Atriplex rosea	tumble saltbush	Atro	Chenopodiaceae
Atriplex truncata	wedgescale orache	Attr	Chenopodiaceae
Avena sativa	oat	Avsa	Poaceae
Balsamorhiza careyana	Carey's balsamroot	Baca	Asteraceae
Balsamorhiza hookeri	Hooker's balsamroot	Baho	Asteraceae
Bassia hyssopifolia	smotherweed	Bahy	Chenopodiaceae
Balsamorhiza rosea	rosy balsamroot	Baro	Asteraceae
Berula erecta	cut-leaf water parsnip	Beer	Apiaceae
Betula occidentalis	red birch	Beoc	Betulaceae
Bidens cernua	nodding beggarticks	Bice	Asteraceae
Bidens frondosa	leafy beggarticks	Bifr	Asteraceae
Boisduvalia glabella	smooth spikeprimrose	Bogl	Onagraceae
Boisduvalia stricta	stiff spikeprimrose	Bost	Onagraceae
Bromus carinatus	mountain brome	Brca	Poaceae

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Brodiaea douglasii	Douglas' clusterlily	Brdo	Liliaceae
Brodiaea howellii	Howell's clusterlily	Brho	Liliaceae
Bromus inermis	smooth brome	Brin	Poaceae
Bromus japonicus	Japanese brome	Brja	Poaceae
Bromus mollis	soft brome	Brmo	Poaceae
Brickellia oblongifolia	thoroughwort	Brob	Asteraceae
Bromus tectorum	cheatgrass	Brte	Poaceae
Carex amplifolia	big-leaf sedge	Caam	Cyperaceae
Camissonia andina	obscure desertprimrose	Caan	Onagraceae
Carex aperta	Columbia sedge	Caap	Cyperaceae
Carex aquatilis	water sedge	Caaq	Cyperaceae
Caragana arborescens	Siberian peatree	Caar	Fabaceae
Carex athrostachya	slenderbeak sedge	Caat	Cyperaceae
Carex aurea	golden sledge	Caau	Cyperaceae
Catalpa bignonioides	catalpa	Cabi	Bignoniaceae
Carex brevior	short-beaked sedge	Cabr	Cyperaceae
Capsella bursa-pastoris	shepherd's purse	Cabu	Brassicaceae
Cardaria chalapensis	hoarycress	Cach	Brassicaceae
Camissonia contorta	bentpod desertprimrose	Caco	Onagraceae
Carex diandra	lesser panicled sedge	Cadi	Cyperaceae
Carex douglasii	Douglas' sedge	Cado	Cyperaceae
Cardaria draba	whitetop	Cadr	Brassicaceae
Castilleja exilis	alkali paintbrush	Caex	Scrophulariaceae
Carex filifolia	threadleaf sedge	Cafi	Cyperaceae
Camissonia hilgardii	Hilgard's desertprimrose	Cahi	Onagraceae
Carex hystricina	porcupine sedge	Cahy	Cyperaceae
Carex lanuginosa	woolly sedge	Cala	Cyperaceae
Carex lenticularis	Kellogg's sedge	Cale	Cyperaceae
Calochortus macrocarpus	sagebrush mariposa lily	Cama	Liliaceae
Carex microptera	smallwinged sedge	Cami	Cyperaceae
Camelina microcarpa	littlepod falseflax	Camic	Brassicaceae
Camissonia minor	small-flowered desertprimrose	Camin	Onagraceae
Camissonia parvula	small desertprimrose	Campa	Onagraceae
Cardamine oligosperma	little western bittercress	Caol	Brassicaceae
Callitriche palustris	water starwort	Capa	Callitrichaceae
Cardamine pensylvanica	Pennsylvania bittercress	Cape	Brassicaceae

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Carex praegracilis	clustered field sedge	Capr	Cyperaceae
Cardaria pubescens	globepodded hoarycress	Capu	Brassicaceae
Camissonia pygmaea	dwarf desertprimrose	Capy	Onagraceae
Calyptridium roseum	rosy calyptridium	Caro	Portulacaceae
Cannibis sativa	hemp	Casa	Cannabinaceae
Carex siccata	silvertop sedge	Casi	Cyperaceae
Castilleja thompsonii	Thompson's paintbrush	Cath	Scrophulariaceae
Carex vulpenoidea	fox sedge	Cavu	Cyperaceae
Ceratophyllum demersum	coontail	Cede	Ceratophyllaceae
Centaurea diffusa	tumble knapweed	Cedi	Asteraceae
Centaurium exaltatum	western centaury	Ceex	Gentianaceae
Ceratoides lanata	winterfat	Cela	Chenopodiaceae
Cenchrus longispinus	sandbur	Celo	Poaceae
Centaurea maculosa	spotted knapweed	Cema	Asteraceae
Centunculus minimus	chaffweed	Cemi	Primulaceae
Cerastium nutans	nodding chickweed	Cenu	Caryophyllaceae
Centaurea repens	Russian knapweed	Cere	Asteraceae
Centaurea solstitialis	yellow starthistle	Ceso	Asteraceae
Cerastium viscosum	sticky chickweed	Cevi	Caryophyllaceae
Cerastium vulgatum	common chickweed	Cevu	Caryophyllaceae
Chenopodium album	lamb's quarters	Chal	Chenopodiaceae
Chenopodium botrys	Jerusalem oak	Chbo	Chenopodiaceae
Chaenactis douglasii	hoary falseyarrow	Chdo	Asteraceae
Chondrilla juncea	rush skeletonweed	Chju	Asteraceae
Chenopodium leptophyllum	slimleaf goosefoot	Chle	Chenopodiaceae
Chrysothamnus nauseosus	gray rabbitbrush	Chna	Asteraceae
Chenopodium rubrum	red goosefoot	Chru	Chenopodiaceae
Chorispora tenella	blue mustard	Chte	Brassicaceae
Chrysothamnus viscidiflorus	green rabbitbrush	Chvi	Asteraceae
Chorizanthe watsonii	Watson's spineflower	Chwa	Polygonaceae
Cirsium arvense	Canada thistle	Ciar	Asteraceae
Cicuta douglasii	western water hemlock	Cido	Apiaceae
Cichorium intybus	chicory	Ciin	Asteraceae
Cirsium undulatum	wavyleaved thistle	ciun	Asteraceae
Cirsium vulgare	bull thistle	Civu	Asteraceae
Clematis ligustifolia	western virginsbower	Clli	Ranunculaceae

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Cleome lutea	yellow bee-plant	Cllu	Capparidaceae
Convolvulus arvensis	field bindweed	Coar	Convolvulaceae
Coreopsis atkinsoniana	Columbia tickseed	Coat	Asteraceae
Conyza canadensis	horseweed	Coca	Asteraceae
Corispermum hyssopifolium	common bugseed	Cohy	Chenopodiaceae
Collomia linearis	narrowleaf collomia	Coli	Polemoniaceae
Collomia grandiflora	largeflower collomia	Comgr	Polemoniaceae
Collinsia grandiflora	showy blue-eyed Mary	Congr	Scrophulariaceae
Collinsia parviflora	small blue-eyed Mary	Copa	Scrophulariaceae
Cornus stolonifera	red-osier dogwood	Cost	Cornaceae
Comandra umbellata	bastard toadflax	Coum	Santalaceae
Cryptantha ambigua	obscure cryptantha	Cram	Boraginaceae
Crassula aquatica	pigmy-weed	Craq	Crassulaceae
Crepis atribarba	slender hawksbeard	Crat	Asteraceae
Crepis barbigera	Leiberg's hawksbeard	Crba	Asteraceae
Cryptantha circumscissa	matted cryptantha	Crci	Boraginaceae
Crataegus douglasii	black hawthorn	Crdo	Rosaceae
Cryptantha fendleri	Fendler's cryptantha	Crfe	Boraginaceae
Cryptantha flaccida	weak-stemmed cryptantha	Crfl	Boraginaceae
Cryptantha leucophaea	gray cryptantha	Crle	Boraginaceae
Crepis modocensis	low hawksbeard	Crmo	Asteraceae
Crocidium multicaule	spring gold	Crmu	Asteraceae
Crepis occidentalis	western hawksbeard	Croc	Asteraceae
Crepis intermedia	Gray's hawksbeard	Crpin	Asteraceae
Cryptantha pterocarya	winged cryptantha	Crpt	Boraginaceae
Crepis runcinata	dandelion hawksbeard	Crru	Asteraceae
Cryptantha scoparia	desert cryptantha	Crsc	Boraginaceae
Cryptantha spiculifera	Snake River cryptantha	Crsp	Boraginaceae
Cryptantha torreyana	Torrey's cryptantha	Crto	Boraginaceae
Cryptantha interrupta	bristly cryptantha	Cryin	Boraginaceae
Cuscuta denticulata	desert dodder	Cude	Cuscutaceae
Cuscuta epithymum	common dodder	Cuep	Cuscutaceae
Cuscuta indecora	plain dodder	Cuin	Cuscutaceae
Cuscuta pentagona var. calycina	field dodder	Cupe	Cuscutaceae
Cyperus aristatus	awned flatsedge	Cyar	Cyperaceae
Cyperus erythrorhizos	redroot flatsedge	Cyer	Cyperaceae

Genus Species	Common Name	Code	Family
Cyperus esculentus	yellow flatsedge	Cyes	Cyperaceae
Cyperus rivularis	shining flatsedge	Cyri	Cyperaceae
Cyperus strigosus	straw-colored flatsedge	Cyst	Cyperaceae
Cymopterus terebithinus	turpentine springparsley	Cyte	Apiaceae
Daucus carota	Queen Anne's lace	Daca	Apiaceae
Dactylis glomerata	orchardgrass	Dagl	Poaceae
Datura stramonium	Jimson weed	Dast	Solanaceae
Deschampsia atropurpurea	mountain hairgrass	Deat	Poaceae
Delphinium multiplex	Kittitas larkspur	Demu	Ranunculaceae
Delphinium nuttallianum	upland larkspur	Denu	Ranunculaceae
Descurainia pinnata	western tansymustard	Depi	Brassicaceae
Descurainia richardsonii	Richardson's tansymustard	Deri	Brassicaceae
Descurainia sophia	flixweed	Deso	Brassicaceae
Dianthus armeria	grass pink	Diar	Caryophyllaceae
Distichlis stricta	alkali saltgrass	Dist	Poaceae
Dipsicus sylvestris	teasel	Disy	Dipsicaceae
Dodecatheon cusickii	Cusick's shootingstar	Docu	Primulaceae
Draba nemorosa	Wood's whitlowgrass	Drne	Brassicaceae
Draba verna	spring whitlowgrass	Drve	Brassicaceae
Eatonella nivea	white eatonella	Eani	Asteraceae
Echinochloa crus-galli	large barnyardgrass	Eccr	Poaceae
Echinocystis lobata	wild cucumber	Eclo	Cucurbitaceae
Eleocharis acicularis	needle spikerush	Elac	Cyperaceae
Elaeagnus angustifolia	Russian olive	Elan	Elaeagnaceae
Elodea canadensis	Canadian waterweed	Elca	Hydrocharitaceae
Elymus cinereus	giant wildrye	Elci	Poaceae
Elymus flavescens	sand wildrye	Elfl	Poaceae
Elymus glaucus	blue wildrye	Elgl	Poaceae
Elodea nuttallii	Nuttall's waterweed	Elnu	Hydrocharitaceae
Eleocharis ovata	ovoid spikerush	Elov	Cyperaceae
Eleocharis palustis	common spikerush	Elpa	Cyperaceae
Eleocharis rostellata	beaked spikerush	Elro	Cyperaceae
Epilobium angustifolium	fireweed	Epan	Onagraceae
Epipactis gigantea	giant helleborine	Epgi	Orchidaceae
Epilobium glaberrimum	smooth willowherb	Epglb	Onagraceae
Epilobium glandulosum	common willowherb	Epgln	Onagraceae

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Epilobium minutum	small willowherb	Epmi	Onagraceae
Epilobium paniculatum	tall willowherb	Eppa	Onagraceae
Epilobium palustre	swamp willowherb	Eppl	Onagraceae
Epilobium watsonii	Watson's willowherb	Epwa	Onagraceae
Equisetum arvense	common horsetail	Eqar	Equisetaceae
Equisetum hyemale	Dutch scouringrush	Eqhy	Equisetaceae
Equisetum laevigatum	smooth scouringrush	Eqla	Equisetaceae
Equisetum palustre	marsh horsetail	Eqpa	Equisetaceae
Equisetum varigatum	northern scouringrush	Eqva	Equisetaceae
Erigeron annuus	daisy fleabane	Eran	Asteraceae
Erysimum asperum	rough wallflower	Eras	Brassicaceae
Eriogonum baileyi	Bailey's buckwheat	Erba	Polygonaceae
Erodium cicutarium	storksbill	Erci	Geraniaceae
Eriogonum codium	Umtanum buckwheat	Ercod	Polygonaceae
Eriogonum compositum	northern buckwheat	Ercom	Polygonaceae
Erigeron corymbosus	longleaf fleabane	Ercor	Asteraceae
Erigeron divergens	diffuse fleabane	Erdi	Asteraceae
Eriogonum elatum	tall buckwheat	Erel	Polygonaceae
Erigeron filifolius	threadleaf fleabane	Erfi	Asteraceae
Erucastrum gallicum	dog mustard	Erga	Brassicaceae
Eriophorum gracile	slender cottongrass	Ergr	Cyperaceae
Eriogonum heracleoides	parnsipflower buckwheat	Erhe	Polygonaceae
Eragrostis hypnoides	creeping eragrostis	Erhy	Poaceae
Eriophyllum lanatum	woolly sunflower	Erla	Asteraceae
Erigeron linearis	desert yellowdaisy	Erli	Asteraceae
Eragrostis lutescens	yellow lovegrass	Erlu	Poaceae
Eriogonum microthecum	slender buckwheat	Ermi	Polygonaceae
Eriogonum niveum	snow buckwheat	Erni	Polygonaceae
Erysimum occidentale	pale wallflower	Eroc	Brassicaceae
Eriogonum ovalifolium var. celsum	cushion buckwheat	Erov	Polygonaceae
Eragrostis pectinacea	purple lovegrass	Erpe	Poaceae
Erigeron piperianus	Piper's daisy	Erpi	Asteraceae
Erigeron poliospermus	cushion fleabane	Erpo	Asteraceae
Erigeron pumilis	shaggy fleabane	Erpu	Asteraceae
Eremocarpus setigerus	doveweed	Erse	Euphorbiaceae
Eriogonum sphaerocephalum	rock buckwheat	Ersp	Polygonaceae

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Eriastrum sparsiflorum	few-flowered eriastrum	Erspa	Polemoniaceae
Eriogonum strictum	strict buckwheat	Erst	Polygonaceae
Eriogonum thymoides	thymeleaf buckwheat	Erth	Polygonaceae
Eriogonum vimineum	broom buckwheat	Ervi	Polygonaceae
Euphorbia esula	leafy spurge	Eues	Euphorbiaceae
Euphorbia glyptosperma	corrugate-seed spurge	Eugl	Euphorbiaceae
Euphorbia serpyllifolia	thymeleaf spurge	Euse	Euphorbiaceae
Euphorbia supina	milk spurge	Eusu	Euphorbiaceae
Festuca arundinacea	tall fescue	Fear	Poaceae
Festuca bromoides	barren sixweeks	Febr	Poaceae
Festuca idahoensis	Idaho fescue	Feid	Poaceae
Festuca microstachys	small sixweeks	Fema	Poaceae
Festuca octoflora	slender sixweeks	Feoc	Poaceae
Festuca ovina	sheep fescue	Feov	Poaceae
Festuca pratensis	meadow fescue	Fepr	Poaceae
Festuca washingtonica	Washington fescue	Fewa	Poaceae
Filago arvensis	field fluffweed	Fiar	Asteraceae
Fraxinus pennsylvanica	green ash	Frpe	Oleaceae
Fritillaria pudica	yellow bell	Frpu	Liliaceae
Galium aparine	cleavers	Gaap	Rubiaceae
Gaillardia aristata	blanket flower	Gaar	Asteraceae
Gayophytum diffusum	spreading gayophytum	Gadi	Onagraceae
Gaillardia X grandiflora	Indian blanket flower	Gagr	Asteraceae
Galium multiflorum	shrubby bedstraw	Gami	Rubiaceae
Gayophytum ramosissimum	hairstem gayophytum	Gara	Onagraceae
Gilia inconspicua	inconspicuous gilia	Gein	Polemoniaceae
Geum macrophyllum	Oregon avens	Gema	Rosaceae
Geum triflorum	old man's whiskers	Getr	Rosaceae
Geranium viscosissimum	sticky geranium	Gevi	Geraniaceae
Gilia leptomeria	Great Basin gilia	Gile	Polemoniaceae
Gilia lottiae	gilia	Gilo	Polemoniaceae
Gilia minutiflora	smallflower gilia	Gimi	Polemoniaceae
Gilia sinuata	shy gilia	Gisi	Polemoniaceae
Glechoma heteracea	field balm	Glhe	Lamiaceae
Glycyrrhiza lepidota	licorice	Glle	Fabaceae
Gleditsia triacanthos	honey locust	Gltr	Fabaceae

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Gnaphalium chilense	cottonbatting cudweed	Gnch	Asteraceae
Gnaphalium microcephalum	slender cudweed	Gnmi	Asteraceae
Gnaphalium palustre	lowland cudweed	Gnpa	Asteraceae
Grindelia columbiana	Columbia River gumweed	Grco	Asteraceae
Gratiola neglecta	American hedge-hyssop	Grne	Scrophulariaceae
Grayia spinosa	spiny hopsage	Grsp	Chenopodiaceae
Gypsophila paniculata	baby's breath	Gypa	Caryophyllaceae
Hackelia arida	sagebrush stickseed	Haar	Boraginaceae
Hackelia diffusa	diffuse stickseed	Hadi	Boraginaceae
Haplopappus resinosus	Columbia goldenweed	Hare	Asteraceae
Haplopappus stenophylla	narrowleaf goldenweed	Hast	Asteraceae
Heleochloa alopecuroides	heleochloa	Heal	Poaceae
Helianthus annuus	common sunflower	Hean	Asteraceae
Helenium autumnale	sneezeweed	Heau	Asteraceae
Heliotropium curassavicum	salt heliotrope	Hecur	Boraginaceae
Helianthus cusickii	Cusick's sunflower	Hecus	Asteraceae
Heuchera cylindrica	lava alumroot	Несу	Saxifragaceae
Heterotheca villosa	hairy golden-aster	Hevi	Asteraceae
Hieracium cynoglossoides	houndstongue hawkweed	Hicy	Asteraceae
Hierochloe odorata	vanilla grass	Hiod	Poaceae
Hordeum brachyantherum	meadow barley	Hobr	Poaceae
Hordeum glaucum	seagreen barley	Hogl	Poaceae
Hordeum jubatum	squirreltail barley	Hoju	Poaceae
Hordeum leporinum	seaside barley	Hole	Poaceae
Holosteum umbellatum	jagged chickweed	Houm	Caryophyllaceae
Hutchinsia procumbens	hutchinsia	Hupr	Brassicaceae
Hydrophyllum capitatum	ballhead waterleaf	Нуса	Hydrophyllaceae
Hymenopappus filiolius	Columbia cutleaf	Hyfi	Asteraceae
Hypericum formosum	western St. John's-Wort	Hyfo	Hypericaceae (Clusiaceae)
Hypericum majus	Canadian St. John's-Wort	Hyma	Hypericaceae (Clusiaceae)
Hypericum perforatum	Klamath weed	Нуре	Hypericaceae (Clusiaceae)
Idahoa scapigera	scalepod	Idsc	Brassicaceae
Iris missouriensis	western blue flag	Irmi	Iridaceae
Iris psuedacorus	yellow flag	Irps	Iridaceae
Iva axillaris	povertyweed	Ivax	Asteraceae
Iva xanthifolia	sumpweed	Ivxa	Asteraceae

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Juncus articulatus	jointed rush	Juar	Juncaceae
Juncus balticus	Baltic rush	Juba	Juncaceae
Juncus bufonius	toad rush	Jubu	Juncaceae
Juncus ensifolius	dagger-leaf rush	Juen	Juncaceae
Juncus mertensianus	Merten's rush	Jume	Juncaceae
Juncus nevadensis	Sierra rush	June	Juncaceae
Juglans nigra	black walnut	Juni	Fagaceae
Juncus nodosus	tuberous rush	Juno	Juncaceae
Juniperus occidentalis	western juniper	Juoc	Cupressaceae
Juncus regelii	Regel's rush	Jure	Juncaceae
Juniperus scopulorum	Rocky Mountain juniper	Jusc	Cupressaceae
Juncus tenuis	slender rush	Jute	Juncaceae
Juncus torreyi	Torrey's rush	Juto	Juncaceae
Koeleria cristata	prairie Junegrass	Kocr	Poaceae
Kochia scoparia	summer cypress	Kosc	Chenopodiaceae
Layia glandulosa	white-daisy tidytips	Lagl	Asteraceae
Lagophylla ramosissima	rabbitleaf	Lara	Asteraceae
Lappula redowskii	western stickseed	Lare	Boraginaceae
Lactuca serriola	prickly lettuce	Lase	Asteraceae
Lepidium densiflorum	prairie pepperweed	Lede	Brassicaceae
Lepidium dictyotum	veiny peppergrass	Ledi	Brassicaceae
Lesquerella douglasii	Columbia bladderpod	Ledo	Brassicaceae
Leptochloa fascicularis	loose-flowered sprangletop	Lefa	Poaceae
Lepidium latifolium	broadleaf pepperweed	Lela	Brassicaceae
Lemna minor	duckweed	Lemi	Lemnaceae
Leersia oryzoides	cutgrass	Leor	Poaceae
Lepidium perfoliatum	clasping pepperweed	Lepe	Brassicaceae
Leptodactylon pungens	prickly phlox	Lepu	Polemoniaceae
Lewisia rediviva	bitterroot	Lere	Portulacaceae
Lesquerella tuplashensis	White Bluffs bladderpod	Letu	Brassicaceae
Lepidium virginicum	tall pepperweed	Levi	Brassicaceae
Limosella acaulis	mudwort	Liac	Scrophulariaceae
Lindernia anagallidea	false pimpernel	Lian	Scrophulariaceae
Limosella aquatica	mudwort	Liaq	Scrophulariaceae
Lithophragma bulbifera	bulbiferous fringecup	Libu	Saxifragaceae
Linaria dalmatica	dalmatian toadflax	Lida	Scrophulariaceae

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Lindernia dubia	false pimpernel	Lidu	Scrophulariaceae
Lithophragma glabra	smooth fringecup	Ligl	Saxifragaceae
Lilaeopsis occidentalis	lilaeopsis	Lioc	Apiaceae
Lithophragma parviflora	smallflower fringecup	Lipa	Saxifragaceae
Lipocarpha aristulata	aristulate lipocarpha	Lipar	Cyperaceae
Linum perenne	wild blueflax	Lipe	Linaceae
Linanthus pharnaceoides	threadleaf linanthus	Liph	Polemoniaceae
Lithospermum ruderale	western gromwell	Liru	Boraginaceae
Lithospermum arvense	corn gromwell	Litar	Boraginaceae
Linaria vulgaris	butter-and-eggs	Livu	Scrophulariaceae
Lomatium canbyi	Canby's desertparsley	Loca	Apiaceae
Lomatium dissectum	fernleaf desertparsley	Lodi	Apiaceae
Lomatium farinosum	Coeur d'Alene desertparsley	Lofa	Apiaceae
Lomatium geyeri	Geyer's desertparsley	Loge	Apiaceae
Lomatium gormanii	Gorman's desertparsley	Logo	Apiaceae
Lomatium grayi	Gray's desertparsley	Logr	Apiaceae
Lomatium macrocarpum	bigseed desertparsley	Loma	Apiaceae
Lolium multiflorum	perennial rye	Lomu	Poaceae
Lotus purshiana	Spanish clover	Lopu	Fabaceae
Loeflingia squarrosa var. squarrosa	loeflingia	Losq	Caryophyllaceae
Lomatium triternatum	nineleaf desertparsley	Lotr	Apiaceae
Lomatium tuberosum	Hoover's desertparsley	Lotu	Apiaceae
Lupinus laxiflorus	spurred lupine	Lula	Fabaceae
Lupinus lepidus	prairie lupine	Lulep	Fabaceae
Lupinus leucophyllus	velvet lupine	Luleu	Fabaceae
Ludwigia palustris var. pacifica	false loosestrife	Lupa	Onagraceae
Lupinus pusillus	low lupine	Lupu	Fabaceae
Lupinus saxosus	rock lupine	Lusa	Fabaceae
Lupinus sericeus	silky lupine	Luse	Fabaceae
Lupinus sulphureus	sulfur lupine	Lusu	Fabaceae
Lupinus wyethii	Wyeth's lupine	Luwy	Fabaceae
Lycopus americanus	cut-leaf bugleweed	Lyam	Lamiaceae
Lycopus asper	rough bugleweed	Lyas	Lamiaceae
Lysimachia ciliata	fringed loosestrife	Lyci	Primulaceae
Lycium halimifolium	matrimony vine	Lyha	Solanaceae
Lythrum hyssopifolium	hyssop loosestrife	Lyhy	Lythraceae

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Lythrum salicaria	purple loosestrife	Lysa	Lythraceae
Malcolmia africana	malcolmia	Maaf	Brassicaceae
Machaeranthera canescens	hoary aster	Maca	Asteraceae
Matricaria chamomilla	wild chamomile	Mach	Asteraceae
Madia exigua	little tarweed	Maex	Asteraceae
Mazus japonicus	Japanese mazus	Maja	Scrophulariaceae
Matricaria matricarioides	pineapple weed	Mama	Asteraceae
Malus pumila	apple	Mapu	Rosaceae
Marsilea vestita	clover fern	Mave	Marsileaceae
Marrubium vulgare	horehound	Mavu	Lamiaceae
Melilotus alba	white sweetclover	Meal	Fabaceae
Mentha arvensis	field mint	Mear	Lamiaceae
Melica bulbosa var. intonsa	oniongrass	Mebu	Poaceae
Mentzelia laevicaulis	blazingstar	Mela	Loasaceae
Mertensia longiflora	small bluebells	Melo	Boraginaceae
Melica spectabilis	showy oniongrass	Melsp	Poaceae
Medicago lupulina	black medick	Melu	Fabaceae
Mentzelia albicaulis	whitestem stickleaf	Menal	Loasaceae
Mentha spicata	spearmint	Mensp	Lamiaceae
Mertensia oblongifolia	leafy bluebells	Meob	Boraginaceae
Melilotus officinalis	yellow sweetclover	Meof	Fabaceae
Mentha piperita	peppermint	Mepi	Lamiaceae
Medicago sativa	alfalfa	Mesa	Fabaceae
Mimulus floribundus	purplestem monkeyflower	Mifl	Scrophulariaceae
Microsteris gracilis	pink microsteris	Migr	Polemoniaceae
Mimulus guttatus	yellow monkeyflower	Migu	Scrophulariaceae
Mimetanthe pilosa	downy monkeyflower	Mipi	Scrophulariaceae
Mimulus ringens	Allegheny monkeyflower	Miri	Scrophulariaceae
Mimulus suksdorfii	Suksdorf's monkeyflower	Misu	Scrophulariaceae
Microseris troximoides	false mountain dandelion	Mitr	Asteraceae
Morus alba	white mulberry	Moal	Moraceae
Montia cordifolia	broadleaf springbeauty	Moco	Portulacaceae
Montia linearis	Indian lettuce	Moli	Portulacaceae
Monardella odoratissima	coyote mint	Mood	Lamiaceae
Montia perfoliata	miner's lettuce	Mope	Portulacaceae
Mollugo verticellata	carpetweed	Move	Molluginaceae

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Muhlenbergia asperifolia	alkali muhly	Muas	Poaceae
Muhlenbergia filiformis	slender muhly	Mufi	Poaceae
Myosurus aristatus	sedge mousetail	Myar	Ranunculaceae
Myosotis laxa	small forget-me-not	Myla	Boraginaceae
Myosotis micrantha	blue forget-me-not	Mymi	Boraginaceae
Myriophyllum spicatum	spiked water-milfoil	Mysp	Haloragaceae
Myosurus X clavicaulis	little mouse-tail	MyXc	Ranunculaceae
Nama densum	purplemat	Nade	Hydrophyllaceae
Navarretia intertexta	pincushion plant	Nain	Polemoniaceae
Nepeta cataria	catnip	Neca	Lamiaceae
Nicotiana acuminata	wild tobacco	Niac	Solanaceae
Nicotiana attenuata	coyote tobacco	Niat	Solanaceae
Oenothera caespitosa	rockrose	Oeca	Onagraceae
Oenothera pallida	pale evening primrose	Oepa	Onagraceae
Oenothera strigosa	common eveningprimrose	Oest	Onagraceae
Onopordum acanthium	Scotch thistle	Onac	Asteraceae
Onobrychis viciaefolia	holyclover	Onvi	Fabaceae
Opuntia erinacea	pricklypear	Oper	Cactaceae
Opuntia fragilis	brittle pricklypear	Opfr	Cactaceae
Opuntia polyacantha	starvation pricklypear	Oppo	Cactaceae
Orthocarpus barbatus	Grand Coulee owl-clove	Orba	Scrophulariaceae
Orobanche corymbosa	flattop broomrape	Orco	Orobanchaceae
Orobanche fasciculata	clustered broomrape	Orfa	Orobanchaceae
Orobanche grayana	Gray's broomrape	Orgr	Orobanchaceae
Oryzopsis hymenoides	Indian ricegrass	Orhy	Poaceae
Orobanche ludoviciana	Suksdorf's broomrape	Orlu	Orobanchaceae
Oxalis corniculata	creeping yellow wood-sorrel	Oxco	Oxalidaceae
Oxytheca dendroides	false buckwheat	Oxde	Polygonaceae
Panicum capillare	common witchgrass	Paca	Poaceae
Panicum milliaceum	broomcorn millet	Pami	Poaceae
Panicum dichotomiflorum	fall panicum	Pandi	Poaceae
Panicum occidentale	western witchgrass	Paoc	Poaceae
Parthanocissus quinquefolia	Virginia creeper	Paqu	Vitaceae
Paspalum distichum	knotgrass	Pasdi	Poaceae
Psoralea lanceolata	dune scurfpea	Pcla	Fabaceae
Penstemon acuminatus	sand beardtongue	Peac	Scrophulariaceae

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Penstemon eriantherus	fuzzy beardtongue	Peer	Scrophulariaceae
Perideridia gairdneri	Gairdner's yampah	Pega	Apiaceae
Penstemon glandulosus	stickystem beardtongue	Pegl	Scrophulariaceae
Pellaea glabella	smooth cliffbrake	Pelgl	Polypodiaceae (Pteridaceae)
Pectocarya linearis	winged combseed	Peli	Boraginaceae
Penstemon gairdnerii	Gairdner's beardtongue	Penga	Scrophulariaceae
Petalostemon ornatum	western pairieclover	Peor	Fabaceae
Penstemon richardsonii	basalt beardtongue	Peri	Scrophulariaceae
Pectocarya setosa	bristly combseed	Pese	Boraginaceae
Pediocactus simpsonii	hedgehog cactus	Pesi	Cactaceae
Penstemon speciosus	showy beardtongue	Pesp	Scrophulariaceae
Phalaris arundinacea	reed canarygrass	Phar	Poaceae
Phoenicaulis cheiranthoides	daggerpod	Phch	Brassicaceae
Phragmites communis	common reed	Phco	Poaceae
Phacelia glandulifera	sticky scorpionweed	Phgl	Hydrophyllaceae
Phacelia hastata	whiteleaf scorpionweed	Phha	Hydrophyllaceae
Phacelia heterophylla	virgate scorpionweed	Phhe	Hydrophyllaceae
Phlox hoodii	Hood's phlox	Phho	Polemoniaceae
Philadelphus lewisii	mockorange	Phle	Hydrangeaceae
Phacelia linearis	threadleaf scorpionweed	Phli	Hydrophyllaceae
Phlox longifolia	longleaf phlox	Phlo	Polemoniaceae
Phleum pratense	timothy	Phlpr	Poaceae
Physocarpus malvaceus	ninebark	Phma	Rosaceae
Phacelia ramosissima	basalt scorpionweed	Phra	Hydrophyllaceae
Phlox speciosa	showy phlox	Phsp	Polemoniaceae
Physostegia parviflora	purple dragonhead	Phypr	Lamiaceae
Physalis sp.	ground cherry	Phys.	Solanaceae
Plantago lanceolata	English plantain	Plla	Plantaginaceae
Plectritis macrocera	white cupseed	Plmac	Valerianaceae
Plantago major	common plantain	Plmaj	Plantaginaceae
Platanus occidentalis	sycamore	Ploc	Platanaceae
Plantago patagonica	Indian wheat	Plpa	Plantaginaceae
Plagiobothrys tenellus	Pacific popcornflower	Plte	Boraginaceae
Poa annua	annual bluegrass	Poaan	Poaceae
Populus alba	silver poplar	Poal	Salicaceae
Polygonum amphibium	water smartweed	Poam	Polygonaceae

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Poa palustris	fowl bluegrass	Poapa	Poaceae
Potentilla arguta	tall cinquefoil	Poar	Rosaceae
Polygonum aviculare	doorweed	Poav	Polygonaceae
Potamogeton berchtoldii	Berchtold's pondweed	Pobe	Potamogetonaceae
Potentilla biennis	biennial cinquefoil	Pobi	Rosaceae
Poa bulbosa	bulbous bluegrass	Pobu	Poaceae
Polygonum coccineum	water smartweed	Pococ	Polygonaceae
Poa compressa	Canada bluegrass	Pocom	Poaceae
Polygonum convolvulus	climbing bindweed	Pocon	Polygonaceae
Potamogeton crispus	curled pondweed	Pocr	Potamogetonaceae
Poa cusickii	Cusick's bluegrass	Pocu	Poaceae
Populus deltoides	plains cottonwood	Pode	Salicaceae
Potamogeton filiformis	slender pondweed	Pofi	Potamogetonaceae
Potamogeton foliosus	leafy pondweed	Pofo	Potamogetonaceae
Potentilla glandulosa	sticky cinquefoil	Pogl	Rosaceae
Potamogeton gramineus	grass-leaved pondweed	Pogm	Potamogetonaceae
Potentilla gracilis	slender cinquefoil	Pogr	Rosaceae
Polygonum hydropiper	marshpepper smartweed	Pohy	Polygonaceae
Poa juncifolia	alkali bluegrass	Poju	Poaceae
Polygonum lapathifolium	willow weed	Pola	Polygonaceae
Polygonum persicaria	heartweed	Polpe	Polygonaceae
Polygonum majus	wiry knotweed	Poma	Polygonaceae
Polemonium micranthum	annual Jacob's ladder	Pomi	Polemoniaceae
Polypogon monspeliensis	rabbitfoot grass	Pomo	Poaceae
Poa nevadensis	Nevada bluegrass	Pone	Poaceae
Populus nigra	Lombardy poplar	Poni	Salicaceae
Potentilla norvegica	Norwegian cinquefoil	Pono	Rosaceae
Portulaca oleracea	common purslane	Pool	Portulacaceae
Poa pratensis	Kentucky bluegrass	Popr	Poaceae
Polygonum ramosissimum	busy knotweed	Pora	Polygonaceae
Potentilla rivalis	brook cinquefoil	Pori	Rosaceae
Poa sandbergii	Sandberg's bluegrass	Posa	Poaceae
Poa scabrella	pine bluegrass	Posc	Poaceae
Potentilla anserina	common silverweed	Potan	Rosaceae
Populus tremuloides	quaking aspen	Pote	Salicaceae
Potentilla paradoxa	bushy cinquefoil	Potpa	Rosaceae

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Potamogeton pectinatus	fennel-leaf pondweed	Potpe	Potamogetonaceae
Populus trichocarpa	black cottonwood	Potr	Salicaceae
Prunus armeniaca	apricot	Prar	Rosaceae
Prunus avium	sweet cherry	Prav	Rosaceae
Prunus emarginata	bitter cherry	Prem	Rosaceae
Prunus persica	peach	Prpe	Rosaceae
Prunus virginiana	chokecherry	Prvi	Rosaceae
Prunella vulgaris	selfheal	Prvu	Lamiaceae
Pteridium aquilinum	bracken fern	Ptaq	Polypodiaceae (Dennstaedtiaceae)
Puccinellia lemmonii	Lemmon's alkaligrass	Pule	Poaceae
Purshia tridentata	bitterbrush	Putr	Rosaceae
Pyrus communis	pear	Pyco	Rosaceae
Quercus sp.	oak	Quer.	Fagaceae
Ranunculus cymbalaria	shore buttercup	Racy	Ranunculaceae
Ranunculus flammula	creeping buttercup	Rafl	Ranunculaceae
Ranunculus glaberrimus	sagebrush buttercup	Ragl	Ranunculaceae
Raphanus sativus	wild radish	Rasa	Brassicaceae
Ranunculus sceleratus	celeryleaf buttercup	Rasc	Ranunculaceae
Ranunculus subrigidus	stiffleaf buttercup	Rasu	Ranunculaceae
Ranunculus testiculatus	bur buttercup	Rate	Ranunculaceae
Rhus glabra	smooth sumac	Rhgl	Anacardiaceae
Ribes aureum	golden currant	Riau	Grossulariaceae
Ribes cereum	squaw currant	Rice	Grossulariaceae
Rorippa columbiae	Columbia yellowcress	Roco	Brassicaceae
Rorippa curvisiliqua	western yellowcress	Rocu	Brassicaceae
Rorippa islandica	marsh yellowcress	Rois	Brassicaceae
Rorippa nasturium-aquatica	watercress	Rona	Brassicaceae
Rorippa obtusa	bluntleaf yellowcress	Roob	Brassicaceae
Robinia psuedo-acacia	black locust	Rops	Fabaceae
Rotala ramosior	toothcup	Rora	Lythraceae
Rosa woodsii	Wood's rose	Rowo	Rosaceae
Rumex crispus	curly dock	Rucr	Polygonaceae
Rubus discolor	Himalayan blackberry	Rudi	Rosaceae
Ruppia maritima	ditch grass	Ruma	Ruppiaceae
Rumex salicifolius	willow dock	Rusa	Polygonaceae
Rumex venosus	winged dock	Ruve	Polygonaceae

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Salix amygdaloides	peachleaf willow	Saam	Salicaceae
Salix babylonica	weeping willow	Saba	Salicaceae
Salix bebbiana	Bebb's willow	Sabe	Salicaceae
Sambucus cerulea	blue elderberry	Saca	Caprifoliaceae
Sagittaria cuneata	wapato	Sacu	Alismataceae
Salix discolor	Pussy willow	Sadi	Salicaceae
Salvia dorrii	grayball sage	Sado	Lamiaceae
Salix exigua	coyote willow	Saex	Salicaceae
Salix fragilis	crack willow	Safr	Salicaceae
Saxifraga integrifolia	swamp saxifrage	Sain	Saxifragaceae
Salsola kali	Russian thistle	Saka	Chenopodiaceae
Salix lasiandra	whiplash willow	Salad	Salicaceae
Salix lasiolepis	arroyo willow	Salal	Salicaceae
Saponaria officinalis	bouncingbet	Saof	Caryophyllaceae
Saxifraga oregona	bog saxifrage	Saor	Saxifragaceae
Sagina procumbens	procumbent pearlwort	Sapr	Caryophyllaceae
Salix scouleriana	Scouler's willow	Sasc	Salicaceae
Sarcobatus vermiculatus	greasewood	Save	Chenopodiaceae
Scirpus acutus	hardstem bulrush	Scac	Cyperaceae
Scirpus americanus	threesquare bulrush	Scam	Cyperaceae
Sclerocloa dura	hardgrass	Scdu	Poaceae
Scrophularia lanceolata	lanceleaf figwort	Scla	Scrophulariaceae
Schoencrambe linifolia	lavacress	Scli	Brassicaceae
Scirpus maritimus	seacoast bulrush	Scma	Cyperaceae
Scirpus microcarpus	small-fruited bulrush	Scmi	Cyperaceae
Scirpus validus	softstem bulrush	Scva	Cyperaceae
Secale cereale	rye	Sece	Poaceae
Senecio hydrophilus	alkali-marsh groundsel	Sehy	Asteraceae
Senecio integerrimus	lambstongue groundsel	Sein	Asteraceae
Sedum leibergii	Leiberg's stonecrop	Sele	Crassulaceae
Setaria lutescens	bristly foxtail	Selu	Poaceae
Senecio pauperculus	balsam groundsel	Sepa	Asteraceae
Senecio serra	butterweed groundsel	Sese	Asteraceae
Senecio vulgaris	common groundsel	Sevu	Asteraceae
Sisymbrium altissimum	Jim Hill's tumblemustard	Sial	Brassicaceae
Silene douglasii	Douglas' catchfly	Sido	Caryophyllaceae

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Sitanion hystrix	bottlebrush grass	Sihy	Poaceae
Sisymbrium loeselii	Loesel's tumblemustard	Silo	Brassicaceae
Silene menziesii	Menzies' catchfly	Sime	Caryophyllaceae
Smilacina stellata	starflower	Smst	Liliaceae
Sonchus asper	prickly sowthistle	Soas	Asteraceae
Solidago canadensis	meadow goldenrod	Soca	Asteraceae
Solanum dulcamara	bittersweet	Sodu	Solanaceae
Solidago gigantea	smooth goldenrod	Sogi	Asteraceae
Solidago graminifolia	bushy goldenrod	Sogr	Asteraceae
Solidago missouriensis	Missouri goldenrod	Somi	Asteraceae
Solanum nigrum	black nightshade	Soni	Solanaceae
Solidago occidentalis	western goldenrod	Sooc	Asteraceae
Sonchus oleraceus	common sowthistle	Sool	Asteraceae
Solanum sarrachoides	hairy nightshade	Sosa	Solanaceae
Solanum triflorum	cutleaf nightshade	Sotr	Solanaceae
Sonchus uliginosus	marsh sowthistle	Soul	Asteraceae
Spartina gracilis	alkali cordgrass	Spagr	Poaceae
Sphaeralcea ambigua	apricot globemallow	Spam	Malvaceae
Sporobolus cryptandrus	sand dropseed	Spcr	Poaceae
Sphaeralcea grossularifolia	gooseberry-leaved globemallow	Sphgr	Malvaceae
Spergularia marina	saltmarsh sandspurry	Spma	Caryophyllaceae
Sphaeralcea munroana	Munro's globemallow	Spmu	Malvaceae
Sphenopholis obtusata	wedgegrass	Spob	Poaceae
Spiranthes romanzoffiana	ladies's tresses	Spro	Orchidaceae
Stipa comata	needle-and-thread grass	Stco	Poaceae
Stellaria longipes	longstalk starwort	Stlo	Caryophyllaceae
Stellaria nitens	shining starwort	Stni	Caryophyllaceae
Stephanomeria paniculata	stiff wirelettuce	Stpan	Asteraceae
Stachys paustris	swamp hedge-nettle	Stpau	Lamiaceae
Streptanthella longirostris	beaked sandcress	Strlo	Brassicaceae
Stephanomeria tenuifolia	bush wirelettuce	Stte	Asteraceae
Stipa thurberiana	Thurber's needlegrass	Stth	Poaceae
Suaeda occidentalis	slender seepweed	Suoc	Chenopodiaceae
Swainsona salsula	salt rattlepod	Swsa	Fabaceae
Symphoricarpus oreophillus	mountain snowberry	Syal	Caprifoliaceae
Symphoricarpus albus	common snowberry	Syor	Caprifoliaceae

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Syringa vulgaris	lilac	Syvu	Oleaceae
Taxus cuspidata	Japanese yew	Tacu	Taxaceae
Taraxacum officinale	dandelion	Taof	Asteraceae
Tamarix parviflora	tamarisk	Tapr	Tamaricaceae
Talinum spinescens	spiny flameflower	Tasp	Portulacaceae
Tetradymia canescens	gray horsebrush	Teca	Asteraceae
Thelypodium integrifolium	entireleaved thelypody	Thin	Brassicaceae
Thuja orientalis	Oriental arborvitae	Thjoc	Cupressaceae
Thelypodium laciniatum	cutleaf ladysfoot mustard	Thla	Brassicaceae
Thalictrum occidentale	western meadowrue	Thloc	Ranunculaceae
Tiquilia nuttallii	desert mat	Tinu	Boraginaceae
Townsendia florifer	showy Townsend-daisy	Tofl	Asteraceae
Toxicodendron rydbergii	poison ivy	Tory	Anacardiaceae
Triticum aestivum	wheat	Trae	Poaceae
Tragopogon dubius	yellow salsify	Trdu	Asteraceae
Trifolium macrocephalum	bigheaded clover	Trfma	Fabaceae
Trifolium fragiferum	strawberry clover	Trfr	Fabaceae
Triglochin maritimum	seaside arrowgrass	Trgma	Juncaginaceae
Triglochin palustre	marsh arrowgrass	Trpa	Juncaginaceae
Trifolium repens	white clover	Trre	Fabaceae
Tribulus terrestris	puncture vine	Trte	Zygophyllaceae
Typha angustifolia	lesser cattail	Tyan	Typhaceae
Typha latifolia	common cattail	Tyla	Typhaceae
Ulmus americana	American elm	Ulam	Ulmaceae
Ulmus pumila	Siberian elm	Ulpu	Ulmaceae
Urtica dioica	stinging nettle	Urdi	Urticaceae
Veronica americana	brooklime	Veam	Scrophulariaceae
Veronica anagallis-aquatica	water speedwell	Vean	Scrophulariaceae
Verbena bracteata	bracted verbena	Vebr	Verbenaceae
Verbena hastata	blue verbena	Veha	Verbenaceae
Veronica peregina	purslane speedwell	Vepe	Scrophulariaceae
Verbascum thapsus	common mullein	Veth	Scrophulariaceae
Viola adunca	early blue violet	Viad	Violaceae
Vicia americana	American vetch	Viam	Fabaceae
Vicia cracca	bird vetch	Vicr	Fabaceae
Viola palustis	marsh violet	Vipa	Violaceae

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Viola sp.	violet	Visp	Violaceae
Viola trinervata	sagebrush violet	Vitr	Violaceae
Vicia villosa	hairy vetch	Vivil	Fabaceae
Vitis vinifera	grape	Vivin	Vitaceae
Woodsia oregona	woodsia	Woor	Polypodiaceae (Dryopteriaceae)
Xanthium strumarium	cocklebur	Xast	Asteraceae
Yucca filamentosa	Adam's needle	Yufi	Liliaceae
Yucca glauca	soapweed	Yugl	Liliaceae
Zannichellia palustris	horned pondweed	Zapa	Zannichelliaceae
Zigadenus paniculatus	foothill deathcamas	Zipa	Liliaceae
Zigadenus venenosus	meadow deathcamas	Zive	Liliaceae

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Family	Genus Species	Common Name	Code
Aceraceae	Acer saccharinum	silver maple	Acsa
Alismataceae	Alisma graminium	narrow-leaf waterplantain	Algr
Alismataceae	Sagittaria cuneata	wapato	Sacu
Amaranthaceae	Amaranthus albus	white pigweed	Amalb
Amaranthaceae	Amaranthus blitoides	prostrate pigweed	Ambl
Anacardiaceae	Rhus glabra	smooth sumac	Rhgl
Anacardiaceae	Toxicodendron rydbergii	poison ivy	Tory
Apiaceae	Anthriscus scandicina	bur chervil	Ansc
Apiaceae	Berula erecta	cut-leaf water parsnip	Beer
Apiaceae	Cicuta douglasii	western water hemlock	Cido
Apiaceae	Cymopterus terebithinus	turpentine springparsley	Cyte
Apiaceae	Daucus carota	Queen Anne's lace	Daca
Apiaceae	Lilaeopsis occidentalis	lilaeopsis	Lioc
Apiaceae	Lomatium canbyi	Canby's desertparsley	Loca
Apiaceae	Lomatium dissectum	fernleaf desertparsley	Lodi
Apiaceae	Lomatium farinosum	Coeur d'Alene desertparsley	Lofa
Apiaceae	Lomatium geyeri	Geyer's desertparsley	Loge
Apiaceae	Lomatium gormanii	Gorman's desertparsley	Logo
Apiaceae	Lomatium grayi	Gray's desertparsley	Logr
Apiaceae	Lomatium macrocarpum	bigseed desertparsley	Loma
Apiaceae	Lomatium triternatum	nineleaf desertparsley	Lotr
Apiaceae	Lomatium tuberosum	Hoover's desertparsley	Lotu
Apiaceae	Perideridia gairdneri	Gairdner's yampah	Pega
Apocynaceae	Apocynum cannabinum	common dogbane	Apca
Apocynaceae	Apocynum sibiricum	Indian hemp	Apsi
Asclepiadaceae	Asclepias fasicularis	narrow-leaved milkweed	Asfa
Asclepiadaceae	Asclepias speciosa	showy milkweed	Assp
Asteraceae	Achillea millefolium	yarrow	Acmi
Asteraceae	Agoseris glauca	pale mountain dandelion	Aggl
Asteraceae	Agoseris grandiflora	showy mountain dandelion	Aggr

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Asteraceae Aster subspicatus Douglas' aster	Assub
Asteraceae Balsamorhiza careyana Carey's balsamroot	Baca
Asteraceae Balsamorhiza hookeri Hooker's balsamroot	Baho
Asteraceae Balsamorhiza rosea rosy balsamroot	Baro
Asteraceae Bidens cernua nodding beggarticks	Bice
Asteraceae Bidens frondosa leafy beggarticks	Bifr
Asteraceae Brickellia oblongifolia thoroughwort	Brob
Asteraceae Centaurea diffusa tumble knapweed	Cedi
Asteraceae Centaurea maculosa spotted knapweed	Cema
Asteraceae Centaurea repens Russian knapweed	Cere
Asteraceae Centaurea solstitialis yellow starthistle	Ceso
Asteraceae Chaenactis douglasii hoary falseyarrow	Chdo
Asteraceae Chondrilla juncea rush skeletonweed	Chju
Asteraceae Chrysothamnus nauseosus gray rabbitbrush	Chna
Asteraceae Chrysothamnus viscidiflorus green rabbitbrush	Chvi

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Asteraceae	Cichorium intybus	chicory	Ciin
Asteraceae	Cirsium arvense	Canada thistle	Ciar
Asteraceae	Cirsium undulatum	wavyleaved thistle	ciun
Asteraceae	Cirsium vulgare	bull thistle	Civu
Asteraceae	Conyza canadensis	horseweed	Coca
Asteraceae	Coreopsis atkinsoniana	Columbia tickseed	Coat
Asteraceae	Crepis atribarba	slender hawksbeard	Crat
Asteraceae	Crepis barbigera	Leiberg's hawksbeard	Crba
Asteraceae	Crepis intermedia	Gray's hawksbeard	Crpin
Asteraceae	Crepis modocensis	low hawksbeard	Crmo
Asteraceae	Crepis occidentalis	western hawksbeard	Croc
Asteraceae	Crepis runcinata	dandelion hawksbeard	Crru
Asteraceae	Crocidium multicaule	spring gold	Crmu
Asteraceae	Eatonella nivea	white eatonella	Eani
Asteraceae	Erigeron annuus	daisy fleabane	Eran
Asteraceae	Erigeron corymbosus	longleaf fleabane	Ercor
Asteraceae	Erigeron divergens	diffuse fleabane	Erdi
Asteraceae	Erigeron filifolius	threadleaf fleabane	Erfi
Asteraceae	Erigeron linearis	desert yellowdaisy	Erli
Asteraceae	Erigeron piperianus	Piper's daisy	Erpi
Asteraceae	Erigeron poliospermus	cushion fleabane	Erpo
Asteraceae	Erigeron pumilis	shaggy fleabane	Erpu
Asteraceae	Eriophyllum lanatum	woolly sunflower	Erla
Asteraceae	Filago arvensis	field fluffweed	Fiar
Asteraceae	Gaillardia aristata	blanket flower	Gaar
Asteraceae	Gaillardia X grandiflora	Indian blanket flower	Gagr
Asteraceae	Gnaphalium chilense	cottonbatting cudweed	Gnch
Asteraceae	Gnaphalium microcephalum	slender cudweed	Gnmi
Asteraceae	Gnaphalium palustre	lowland cudweed	Gnpa
Asteraceae	Grindelia columbiana	Columbia River gumweed	Grco
Asteraceae	Haplopappus resinosus	Columbia goldenweed	Hare
Asteraceae	Haplopappus stenophylla	narrowleaf goldenweed	Hast
Asteraceae	Helenium autumnale	sneezeweed	Heau
Asteraceae	Helianthus annuus	common sunflower	Hean
Asteraceae	Helianthus cusickii	Cusick's sunflower	Hecus
Asteraceae	Heterotheca villosa	hairy golden-aster	Hevi

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Asteraceae	Hieracium cynoglossoides	houndstongue hawkweed	Hicy
Asteraceae	Hymenopappus filiolius	Columbia cutleaf	Hyfi
Asteraceae	Iva axillaris	Povertyweed	Ivax
Asteraceae	Iva xanthifolia	sumpweed	Ivxa
Asteraceae	Lactuca serriola	prickly lettuce	Lase
Asteraceae	Lagophylla ramosissima	rabbitleaf	Lara
Asteraceae	Layia glandulosa	white-daisy tidytips	Lagl
Asteraceae	Machaeranthera canescens	hoary aster	Maca
Asteraceae	Madia exigua	little tarweed	Maex
Asteraceae	Matricaria chamomilla	wild chamomile	Mach
Asteraceae	Matricaria matricarioides	pineapple weed	Mama
Asteraceae	Microseris troximoides	false mountain dandelion	Mitr
Asteraceae	Onopordum acanthium	Scotch thistle	Onac
Asteraceae	Senecio hydrophilus	alkali-marsh groundsel	Sehy
Asteraceae	Senecio integerrimus	lambstongue groundsel	Sein
Asteraceae	Senecio pauperculus	balsam groundsel	Sepa
Asteraceae	Senecio serra	butterweed groundsel	Sese
Asteraceae	Senecio vulgaris	common groundsel	Sevu
Asteraceae	Solidago canadensis	meadow goldenrod	Soca
Asteraceae	Solidago gigantea	smooth goldenrod	Sogi
Asteraceae	Solidago graminifolia	bushy goldenrod	Sogr
Asteraceae	Solidago missouriensis	Missouri goldenrod	Somi
Asteraceae	Solidago occidentalis	western goldenrod	Sooc
Asteraceae	Sonchus asper	prickly sowthistle	Soas
Asteraceae	Sonchus oleraceus	common sowthistle	Sool
Asteraceae	Sonchus uliginosus	marsh sowthistle	Soul
Asteraceae	Stephanomeria paniculata	stiff wirelettuce	Stpan
Asteraceae	Stephanomeria tenuifolia	bush wirelettuce	Stte
Asteraceae	Taraxacum officinale	dandelion	Taof
Asteraceae	Tetradymia canescens	gray horsebrush	Teca
Asteraceae	Townsendia florifer	showy Townsend-daisy	Tofl
Asteraceae	Tragopogon dubius	yellow salsify	Trdu
Asteraceae	Xanthium strumarium	cocklebur	Xast
Betulaceae	Betula occidentalis	red birch	Beoc
Bignoniaceae	Catalpa bignonioides	catalpa	Cabi
Boraginaceae	Amsinckia intermedia	rancher's fiddleneck	Amin

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Boraginaceae	Amsinckia lycopsoides	fiddleneck	Amly
Boraginaceae	Amsinckia retrorsa	rigid fiddleneck	Amre
Boraginaceae	Amsinckia tessellata	devil's lettuce	Amte
Boraginaceae	Asperugo procumbens	catchweed	Aspr
Boraginaceae	Cryptantha ambigua	obscure cryptantha	Cram
Boraginaceae	Cryptantha circumscissa	matted cryptantha	Crci
Boraginaceae	Cryptantha fendleri	Fendler's cryptantha	Crfe
Boraginaceae	Cryptantha flaccida	weak-stemmed cryptantha	Crfl
Boraginaceae	Cryptantha interrupta	bristly cryptantha	Cryin
Boraginaceae	Cryptantha leucophaea	gray cryptantha	Crle
Boraginaceae	Cryptantha pterocarya	winged cryptantha	Crpt
Boraginaceae	Cryptantha scoparia	desert cryptantha	Crsc
Boraginaceae	Cryptantha spiculifera	Snake River cryptantha	Crsp
Boraginaceae	Cryptantha torreyana	Torrey's cryptantha	Crto
Boraginaceae	Hackelia arida	sagebrush stickseed	Haar
Boraginaceae	Hackelia diffusa	diffuse stickseed	Hadi
Boraginaceae	Heliotropium curassavicum	salt heliotrope	Hecur
Boraginaceae	Lappula redowskii	western stickseed	Lare
Boraginaceae	Lithospermum arvense	corn gromwell	Litar
Boraginaceae	Lithospermum ruderale	western gromwell	Liru
Boraginaceae	Mertensia longiflora	small bluebells	Melo
Boraginaceae	Mertensia oblongifolia	leafy bluebells	Meob
Boraginaceae	Myosotis laxa	small forget-me-not	Myla
Boraginaceae	Myosotis micrantha	blue forget-me-not	Mymi
Boraginaceae	Pectocarya linearis	winged combseed	Peli
Boraginaceae	Pectocarya setosa	bristly combseed	Pese
Boraginaceae	Plagiobothrys tenellus	Pacific popcornflower	Plte
Boraginaceae	Tiquilia nuttallii	desert mat	Tinu
Brassicaceae	Arabidopsis thaliana	common wallcress	Arth
Brassicaceae	Arabis cusickii	Cusick's rockcress	Arcu
Brassicaceae	Arabis sparsiflora	elegant rockcress	Arsp
Brassicaceae	Camelina microcarpa	littlepod falseflax	Camic
Brassicaceae	Capsella bursa-pastoris	shepherd's purse	Cabu
Brassicaceae	Cardamine oligosperma	little western bittercress	Caol
Brassicaceae	Cardamine pensylvanica	Pennsylvania bittercress	Cape
Brassicaceae	Cardaria chalapensis	hoarycress	Cach

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Brassicaceae	Cardaria draba	whitetop	Cadr
Brassicaceae	Cardaria pubescens	globepodded hoarycress	Capu
Brassicaceae	Chorispora tenella	blue mustard	Chte
Brassicaceae	Descurainia pinnata	western tansymustard	Depi
Brassicaceae	Descurainia richardsonii	Richardson's tansymustard	Deri
Brassicaceae	Descurainia sophia	flixweed	Deso
Brassicaceae	Draba nemorosa	woods whitlowgrass	Drne
Brassicaceae	Draba verna	spring whitlowgrass	Drve
Brassicaceae	Erucastrum gallicum	dog mustard	Erga
Brassicaceae	Erysimum asperum	rough wallflower	Eras
Brassicaceae	Erysimum occidentale	pale wallflower	Eroc
Brassicaceae	Hutchinsia procumbens	hutchinsia	Hupr
Brassicaceae	Idahoa scapigera	scalepod	Idsc
Brassicaceae	Lepidium densiflorum	prairie pepperweed	Lede
Brassicaceae	Lepidium dictyotum	veiny peppergrass	Ledi
Brassicaceae	Lepidium latifolium	broadleaf pepperweed	Lela
Brassicaceae	Lepidium perfoliatum	clasping pepperweed	Lepe
Brassicaceae	Lepidium virginicum	tall pepperweed	Levi
Brassicaceae	Lesquerella douglasii	Columbia bladderpod	Ledo
Brassicaceae	Lesquerella tuplashensis	White Bluffs bladderpod	Letu
Brassicaceae	Malcolmia africana	malcolmia	Maaf
Brassicaceae	Phoenicaulis cheiranthoides	daggerpod	Phch
Brassicaceae	Raphanus sativus	wild radish	Rasa
Brassicaceae	Rorippa columbiae	Columbia yellowcress	Roco
Brassicaceae	Rorippa curvisiliqua	western yellowcress	Rocu
Brassicaceae	Rorippa islandica	marsh yellowcress	Rois
Brassicaceae	Rorippa nasturium-aquatica	watercress	Rona
Brassicaceae	Rorippa obtusa	bluntleaf yellowcress	Roob
Brassicaceae	Schoencrambe linifolia	lavacress	Scli
Brassicaceae	Sisymbrium altissimum	Jim Hill's tumblemustard	Sial
Brassicaceae	Sisymbrium loeselii	Loesel's tumblemustard	Silo
Brassicaceae	Streptanthella longirostris	beaked sandcress	Strlo
Brassicaceae	Thelypodium integrifolium	entireleaved thelypody	Thin
Brassicaceae	Thelypodium laciniatum	cutleaf ladysfoot mustard	Thla
Cactaceae	Opuntia erinacea	prickly pear	Oper
Cactaceae	Opuntia fragilis	brittle pricklypear	Opfr

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Cactaceae	Opuntia polyacantha	starvation pricklypear	Oppo
Cactaceae	Pediocactus simpsonii	hedgehog cactus	Pesi
Callitrichaceae	Callitriche palustris	water starwort	Capa
Cannabinaceae	Cannibis sativa	hemp	Casa
Capparidaceae	Cleome lutea	yellow bee-plant	Cllu
Caprifoliaceae	Sambucus cerulea	blue elderberry	Saca
Caprifoliaceae	Symphoricarpus albus	common snowberry	Syor
Caprifoliaceae	Symphoricarpus oreophillus	mountain snowberry	Syal
Caryophyllaceae	Arenaria franklinii	Franklin's sandwort	Arfr
Caryophyllaceae	Arenaria pussila	dwarf sandwort	Arpu
Caryophyllaceae	Cerastium nutans	nodding chickweed	Cenu
Caryophyllaceae	Cerastium viscosum	sticky chickweed	Cevi
Caryophyllaceae	Cerastium vulgatum	common chickweed	Cevu
Caryophyllaceae	Dianthus armeria	grass pink	Diar
Caryophyllaceae	Gypsophila paniculata	baby's breath	Gypa
Caryophyllaceae	Holosteum umbellatum	jagged chickweed	Houm
Caryophyllaceae	Loeflingia squarrosa var. squarrosa	loeflingia	Losq
Caryophyllaceae	Sagina procumbens	procumbent pearlwort	Sapr
Caryophyllaceae	Saponaria officinalis	bouncingbet	Saof
Caryophyllaceae	Silene douglasii	Douglas' catchfly	Sido
Caryophyllaceae	Silene menziesii	Menzies' catchfly	Sime
Caryophyllaceae	Spergularia marina	saltmarsh sandspurry	Spma
Caryophyllaceae	Stellaria longipes	longstalk starwort	Stlo
Caryophyllaceae	Stellaria nitens	shining starwort	Stni
Ceratophyllaceae	Ceratophyllum demersum	coontail	Cede
Chenopodiaceae	Atriplex nuttallii var. fulcata	saltsage	Atnu
Chenopodiaceae	Atriplex patula	fat-hen saltbush	Atpa
Chenopodiaceae	Atriplex rosea	tumble saltbush	Atro
Chenopodiaceae	Atriplex truncata	wedgescale orache	Attr
Chenopodiaceae	Bassia hyssopifolia	smotherweed	Bahy
Chenopodiaceae	Ceratoides lanata	winterfat	Cela
Chenopodiaceae	Chenopodium album	lamb's quarters	Chal
Chenopodiaceae	Chenopodium botrys	Jerusalem oak	Chbo
Chenopodiaceae	Chenopodium leptophyllum	slimleaf goosefoot	Chle
Chenopodiaceae	Chenopodium rubrum	red goosefoot	Chru
Chenopodiaceae	Corispermum hyssopifolium	common bugseed	Cohy

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Chenopodiaceae	Grayia spinosa	spiny hopsage	Grsp
Chenopodiaceae	Kochia scoparia	summer cypress	Kosc
Chenopodiaceae	Salsola kali	Russian thistle	Saka
Chenopodiaceae	Sarcobatus vermiculatus	greasewood	Save
Chenopodiaceae	Suaeda occidentalis	slender seepweed	Suoc
Convolvulaceae	Convolvulus arvensis	field bindweed	Coar
Cornaceae	Cornus stolonifera	red-osier dogwood	Cost
Crassulaceae	Crassula aquatica	pigmy-weed	Craq
Crassulaceae	Sedum leibergii	Leiberg's stonecrop	Sele
Cucurbitaceae	Echinocystis lobata	wild cucumber	Eclo
Cupressaceae	Juniperus occidentalis	western juniper	Juoc
Cupressaceae	Juniperus scopulorum	Rocky Mountain juniper	Jusc
Cupressaceae	Thuja orientalis	Oriental arborvitae	Thjoc
Cuscutaceae	Cuscuta denticulata	desert dodder	Cude
Cuscutaceae	Cuscuta epithymum	common dodder	Cuep
Cuscutaceae	Cuscuta indecora	plain dodder	Cuin
Cuscutaceae	Cuscuta pentagona var. calycina	field dodder	Cupe
Cyperaceae	Carex amplifolia	big-leaf sedge	Caam
Cyperaceae	Carex aperta	Columbia sedge	Caap
Cyperaceae	Carex aquatilis	water sedge	Caaq
Cyperaceae	Carex athrostachya	slenderbeak sedge	Caat
Cyperaceae	Carex aurea	golden sledge	Caau
Cyperaceae	Carex brevior	short-beaked sedge	Cabr
Cyperaceae	Carex diandra	lesser panicled sedge	Cadi
Cyperaceae	Carex douglasii	Douglas' sedge	Cado
Cyperaceae	Carex filifolia	threadleaf sedge	Cafi
Cyperaceae	Carex hystricina	porcupine sedge	Cahy
Cyperaceae	Carex lanuginosa	woolly sedge	Cala
Cyperaceae	Carex lenticularis	Kellogg's sedge	Cale
Cyperaceae	Carex microptera	smallwinged sedge	Cami
Cyperaceae	Carex praegracilis	clustered field sedge	Capr
Cyperaceae	Carex siccata	silvertop sedge	Casi
Cyperaceae	Carex vulpenoidea	fox sedge	Cavu
Cyperaceae	Cyperus aristatus	awned flatsedge	Cyar
Cyperaceae	Cyperus erythrorhizos	redroot flatsedge	Cyer
Cyperaceae	Cyperus esculentus	yellow flatsedge	Cyes

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Cyperaceae	Cyperus rivularis	shining flatsedge	Cyri
Cyperaceae	Cyperus strigosus	straw-colored flatsedge	Cyst
Cyperaceae	Eleocharis acicularis	needle spikerush	Elac
Cyperaceae	Eleocharis ovata	ovoid spikerush	Elov
Cyperaceae	Eleocharis palustis	common spikerush	Elpa
Cyperaceae	Eleocharis rostellata	beaked spikerush	Elro
Cyperaceae	Eriophorum gracile	slender cottongrass	Ergr
Cyperaceae	Lipocarpha aristulata	aristulate lipocarpha	Lipar
Cyperaceae	Scirpus acutus	hardstem bulrush	Scac
Cyperaceae	Scirpus americanus	threesquare bulrush	Scam
Cyperaceae	Scirpus maritimus	seacoast bulrush	Scma
Cyperaceae	Scirpus microcarpus	small-fruited bulrush	Scmi
Cyperaceae	Scirpus validus	softstem bulrush	Scva
Dipsicaceae	Dipsicus sylvestris	teasel	Disy
Elaeagnaceae	Elaeagnus angustifolia	Russian olive	Elan
Equisetaceae	Equisetum arvense	common horsetail	Eqar
Equisetaceae	Equisetum hyemale	Dutch scouringrush	Eqhy
Equisetaceae	Equisetum laevigatum	smooth scouringrush	Eqla
Equisetaceae	Equisetum palustre	marsh horsetail	Eqpa
Equisetaceae	Equisetum varigatum	northern scouringrush	Eqva
Euphorbiaceae	Eremocarpus setigerus	doveweed	Erse
Euphorbiaceae	Euphorbia esula	leafy spurge	Eues
Euphorbiaceae	Euphorbia glyptosperma	corrugate-seed spurge	Eugl
Euphorbiaceae	Euphorbia serpyllifolia	thymeleaf spurge	Euse
Euphorbiaceae	Euphorbia supina	milk spurge	Eusu
Fabaceae	Alhagi maurorum	camelthorn	Alps
Fabaceae	Astragalus caricinus	buckwheat milkvetch	Ascar
Fabaceae	Astragalus columbianus	Columbia milkvetch	Ascol
Fabaceae	Astragalus conjunctus var. rickardii	Dr. Bill's locoweed	Ascon
Fabaceae	Astragalus geyeri	Geyer's milkvetch	Asge
Fabaceae	Astragalus lentiginosus	freckled milkvetch	Aslen
Fabaceae	Astragalus purshii	woolly-pod milkvetch	Aspu
Fabaceae	Astragalus reventiformis	Yakima milkvetch	Asre
Fabaceae	Astragalus sclerocarpus	stalked-pod milkvetch	Assc
Fabaceae	Astragalus spaldingii	Spalding's milkvetch	Asspa
Fabaceae	Astragalus speirocarpus	medick milkvetch	Asspe

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Fabaceae	Astragalus succumbens	crouching milkvetch	Assuc
Fabaceae	Caragana arborescens	Siberian peatree	Caar
Fabaceae	Gleditsia triacanthos	honey locust	Gltr
Fabaceae	Glycyrrhiza lepidota	licorice	Glle
Fabaceae	Lotus purshiana	Spanish clover	Lopu
Fabaceae	Lupinus laxiflorus	spurred lupine	Lula
Fabaceae	Lupinus lepidus	prairie lupine	Lulep
Fabaceae	Lupinus leucophyllus	velvet lupine	Luleu
Fabaceae	Lupinus pusillus	low lupine	Lupu
Fabaceae	Lupinus saxosus	rock lupine	Lusa
Fabaceae	Lupinus sericeus	silky lupine	Luse
Fabaceae	Lupinus sulphureus	sulfur lupine	Lusu
Fabaceae	Lupinus wyethii	Wyeth's lupine	Luwy
Fabaceae	Medicago lupulina	black medick	Melu
Fabaceae	Medicago sativa	alfalfa	Mesa
Fabaceae	Melilotus alba	white sweetclover	Meal
Fabaceae	Melilotus officinalis	yellow sweetclover	Meof
Fabaceae	Onobrychis viciaefolia	holyclover	Onvi
Fabaceae	Petalostemon ornatum	western prairieclover	Peor
Fabaceae	Psoralea lanceolata	dune scurfpea	Pcla
Fabaceae	Robinia psuedo-acacia	black locust	Rops
Fabaceae	Swainsona salsula	salt rattlepod	Swsa
Fabaceae	Trifolium fragiferum	strawberry clover	Trfr
Fabaceae	Trifolium macrocephalum	bigheaded clover	Trfma
Fabaceae	Trifolium repens	white clover	Trre
Fabaceae	Vicia americana	American vetch	Viam
Fabaceae	Vicia cracca	bird vetch	Vicr
Fabaceae	Vicia villosa	hairy vetch	Vivil
Fagaceae	Juglans nigra	black walnut	Juni
Fagaceae	Quercus sp.	oak	Quer.
Gentianaceae	Centaurium exaltatum	western centaury	Ceex
Geraniaceae	Erodium cicutarium	storksbill	Erci
Geraniaceae	Geranium viscosissimum	sticky geranium	Gevi
Grossulariaceae	Ribes aureum	golden currant	Riau
Grossulariaceae	Ribes cereum	squaw currant	Rice
Haloragaceae	Myriophyllum spicatum	spiked water-milfoil	Mysp

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Hydrangeaceae	Philadelphus lewisii	mockorange	Phle
Hydrocharitaceae	Elodea canadensis	Canadian waterweed	Elca
Hydrocharitaceae	Elodea nuttallii	Nuttall's waterweed	Elnu
Hydrophyllaceae	Hydrophyllum capitatum	Ballhead waterleaf	Нуса
Hydrophyllaceae	Nama densum	purplemat	Nade
Hydrophyllaceae	Phacelia glandulifera	sticky scorpionweed	Phgl
Hydrophyllaceae	Phacelia hastata	whiteleaf scorpionweed	Phha
Hydrophyllaceae	Phacelia heterophylla	virgate scorpionweed	Phhe
Hydrophyllaceae	Phacelia linearis	threadleaf scorpionweed	Phli
Hydrophyllaceae	Phacelia ramosissima	basalt scorpionweed	Phra
Hypericaceae (Clusiaceae)	Hypericum formosum	western St. John's-Wort	Hyfo
Hypericaceae (Clusiaceae)	Hypericum majus	Canadian St. John's-Wort	Hyma
Hypericaceae (Clusiaceae)	Hypericum perforatum	Klamath weed	Нуре
Iridaceae	Iris missouriensis	western blue flag	Irmi
Iridaceae	Iris psuedacorus	yellow flag	Irps
Juncaceae	Juncus articulatus	jointed rush	Juar
Juncaceae	Juncus balticus	Baltic rush	Juba
Juncaceae	Juncus bufonius	toad rush	Jubu
Juncaceae	Juncus ensifolius	dagger-leaf rush	Juen
Juncaceae	Juncus mertensianus	Merten's rush	Jume
Juncaceae	Juncus nevadensis	Sierra rush	June
Juncaceae	Juncus nodosus	tuberous rush	Juno
Juncaceae	Juncus regelii	Regel's rush	Jure
Juncaceae	Juncus tenuis	slender rush	Jute
Juncaceae	Juncus torreyi	Torrey's rush	Juto
Juncaginaceae	Triglochin maritimum	seaside arrowgrass	Trgma
Juncaginaceae	Triglochin palustre	marsh arrowgrass	Trpa
Lamiaceae	Agastache occidentalis	western horsemint	Agoc
Lamiaceae	Glechoma heteracea	field balm	Glhe
Lamiaceae	Lycopus americanus	cut-leaf bugleweed	Lyam
Lamiaceae	Lycopus asper	rough bugleweed	Lyas
Lamiaceae	Marrubium vulgare	horehound	Mavu
Lamiaceae	Mentha arvensis	field mint	Mear
Lamiaceae	Mentha piperita	peppermint	Mepi
Lamiaceae	Mentha spicata	spearmint	Mensp
Lamiaceae	Monardella odoratissima	coyote mint	Mood

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Lamiaceae	Nepeta cataria	catnip	Neca
Lamiaceae	Physostegia parviflora	purple dragonhead	Phypr
Lamiaceae	Prunella vulgaris	selfheal	Prvu
Lamiaceae	Salvia dorrii	grayball sage	Sado
Lamiaceae	Stachys paustris	swamp hedge-nettle	Stpau
Lemnaceae	Lemna minor	duckweed	Lemi
Liliaceae	Allium acuminatum	Hooker's onion	Alac
Liliaceae	Allium cernuum	nodding onion	Alce
Liliaceae	Allium douglasii	Douglas' onion	Aldo
Liliaceae	Allium macrum	rock onion	Alma
Liliaceae	Allium robinsonii	Robinson's onion	Alro
Liliaceae	Allium schoenoprasum	chives	Alsh
Liliaceae	Allium scillioides	squill onion	Alsl
Liliaceae	Asparagus officinalis	asparagus	Asof
Liliaceae	Brodiaea douglasii	Douglas' clusterlily	Brdo
Liliaceae	Brodiaea howellii	Howell's clusterlily	Brho
Liliaceae	Calochortus macrocarpus	sagebrush mariposa lily	Cama
Liliaceae	Fritillaria pudica	yellow bell	Frpu
Liliaceae	Smilacina stellata	starflower	Smst
Liliaceae	Yucca filamentosa	Adam's needle	Yufi
Liliaceae	Yucca glauca	soapweed	Yugl
Liliaceae	Zigadenus paniculatus	foothill deathcamas	Zipa
Liliaceae	Zigadenus venenosus	meadow deathcamas	Zive
Linaceae	Linum perenne	wild blueflax	Lipe
Loasaceae	Mentzelia albicaulis	whitestem stickleaf	Menal
Loasaceae	Mentzelia laevicaulis	blazingstar	Mela
Lythraceae	Ammannia robusta	scarlet ammannia	Amro
Lythraceae	Lythrum hyssopifolium	hyssop loosestrife	Lyhy
Lythraceae	Lythrum salicaria	purple loosestrife	Lysa
Lythraceae	Rotala ramosior	toothcup	Rora
Malvaceae	Sphaeralcea ambigua	apricot globemallow	Spam
Malvaceae	Sphaeralcea grossularifolia	gooseberry-leaved globemallow	Sphgr
Malvaceae	Sphaeralcea munroana	Munro's globemallow	Spmu
Marsileaceae	Marsilea vestita	clover fern	Mave
Molluginaceae	Mollugo verticellata	carpetweed	Move
Moraceae	Morus alba	white mulberry	Moal

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Nyctaginaceae	Abronia millefera	white sand verbena	Abme
Oleaceae	Fraxinus pennsylvanica	green ash	Frpe
Oleaceae	Syringa vulgaris	lilac	Syvu
Onagraceae	Boisduvalia glabella	smooth spikeprimrose	Bogl
Onagraceae	Boisduvalia stricta	stiff spikeprimrose	Bost
Onagraceae	Camissonia andina	obscure desertprimrose	Caan
Onagraceae	Camissonia contorta	bentpod desertprimrose	Caco
Onagraceae	Camissonia hilgardii	Hilgard's desertprimrose	Cahi
Onagraceae	Camissonia minor	small-flowered desertprimrose	Camin
Onagraceae	Camissonia parvula	small desertprimrose	Campa
Onagraceae	Camissonia pygmaea	dwarf desertprimrose	Capy
Onagraceae	Epilobium angustifolium	fireweed	Epan
Onagraceae	Epilobium glaberrimum	smooth willowherb	Epglb
Onagraceae	Epilobium glandulosum	common willowherb	Epgln
Onagraceae	Epilobium minutum	small willowherb	Epmi
Onagraceae	Epilobium palustre	swamp willowherb	Eppl
Onagraceae	Epilobium paniculatum	tall willowherb	Eppa
Onagraceae	Epilobium watsonii	Watson's willowherb	Epwa
Onagraceae	Gayophytum diffusum	spreading gayophytum	Gadi
Onagraceae	Gayophytum ramosissimum	hairstem gayophytum	Gara
Onagraceae	Ludwigia palustris var. pacifica	false loosestrife	Lupa
Onagraceae	Oenothera caespitosa	rockrose	Oeca
Onagraceae	Oenothera pallida	pale evening primrose	Oepa
Onagraceae	Oenothera strigosa	common eveningprimrose	Oest
Orchidaceae	Epipactis gigantea	giant helleborine	Epgi
Orchidaceae	Spiranthes romanzoffiana	lady's tresses	Spro
Orobanchaceae	Orobanche corymbosa	flattop broomrape	Orco
Orobanchaceae	Orobanche fasciculata	clustered broomrape	Orfa
Orobanchaceae	Orobanche grayana	Gray's broomrape	Orgr
Orobanchaceae	Orobanche ludoviciana	Suksdorf's broomrape	Orlu
Oxalidaceae	Oxalis corniculata	creeping yellow wood-sorrel	Oxco
Plantaginaceae	Plantago lanceolata	English plantain	Plla
Plantaginaceae	Plantago major	common plantain	Plmaj
Plantaginaceae	Plantago patagonica	Indian wheat	Plpa
Platanaceae	Platanus occidentalis	sycamore	Ploc
Poaceae	Agropyron caninum	slender wheatgrass	Agca

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Poaceae	Agropyron cristatum	crested wheatgrass	Agcr
Poaceae	Agropyron dasytachyum	thickspike wheatgrass	Agda
Poaceae	Agropyron intermedium	intermediate wheatgrass	Agpin
Poaceae	Agropyron repens	quackgrass	Agre
Poaceae	Agropyron sibericum	Siberian wheatgrass	Agsi
Poaceae	Agropyron spicatum	bluebunch wheatgrass	Agsp
Poaceae	Agropyron triticeum	annual wheatgrass	Agtr
Poaceae	Agrostis alba	redtop bentgrass	Agal
Poaceae	Agrostis exarata	spike bentgrass	Agex
Poaceae	Agrostis interrupta	interrupted bentgrass	Agsin
Poaceae	Agrostis scabra	ticklegrass	Agsc
Poaceae	Agrostis tenuis	colonial bentgrass	Agte
Poaceae	Alopecurus aequalis	meadow foxtail	Alae
Poaceae	Aristida longiseta	red three-awn	Arlo
Poaceae	Avena sativa	oat	Avsa
Poaceae	Bromus carinatus	mountain brome	Brca
Poaceae	Bromus inermis	smooth brome	Brin
Poaceae	Bromus japonicus	Japanese brome	Brja
Poaceae	Bromus mollis	soft brome	Brmo
Poaceae	Bromus tectorum	cheatgrass	Brte
Poaceae	Cenchrus longispinus	sandbur	Celo
Poaceae	Dactylis glomerata	orchardgrass	Dagl
Poaceae	Deschampsia atropurpurea	mountain hairgrass	Deat
Poaceae	Distichlis stricta	alkali saltgrass	Dist
Poaceae	Echinochloa crus-galli	large barnyardgrass	Eccr
Poaceae	Elymus cinereus	giant wildrye	Elci
Poaceae	Elymus flavescens	sand wildrye	Elfl
Poaceae	Elymus glaucus	blue wildrye	Elgl
Poaceae	Eragrostis hypnoides	creeping eragrostis	Erhy
Poaceae	Eragrostis lutescens	yellow lovegrass	Erlu
Poaceae	Eragrostis pectinacea	purple lovegrass	Erpe
Poaceae	Festuca arundinacea	tall fescue	Fear
Poaceae	Festuca bromoides	barren sixweeks	Febr
Poaceae	Festuca idahoensis	Idaho fescue	Feid
Poaceae	Festuca microstachys	small sixweeks	Fema
Poaceae	Festuca octoflora	slender sixweeks	Feoc

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Poaceae	Festuca ovina	sheep fescue	Feov
Poaceae	Festuca pratensis	meadow fescue	Fepr
Poaceae	Festuca washingtonica	Washington fescue	Fewa
Poaceae	Heleochloa alopecuroides	heleochloa	Heal
Poaceae	Hierochloe odorata	vanilla grass	Hiod
Poaceae	Hordeum brachyantherum	meadow barley	Hobr
Poaceae	Hordeum glaucum	seagreen barley	Hogl
Poaceae	Hordeum jubatum	squirreltail barley	Hoju
Poaceae	Hordeum leporinum	seaside barley	Hole
Poaceae	Koeleria cristata	prairie junegrass	Kocr
Poaceae	Leersia oryzoides	cutgrass	Leor
Poaceae	Leptochloa fascicularis	loose-flowered sprangletop	Lefa
Poaceae	Lolium multiflorum	perennial rye	Lomu
Poaceae	Melica bulbosa var. intonsa	oniongrass	Mebu
Poaceae	Melica spectabilis	showy oniongrass	Melsp
Poaceae	Muhlenbergia asperifolia	alkali muhly	Muas
Poaceae	Muhlenbergia filiformis	slender muhly	Mufi
Poaceae	Oryzopsis hymenoides	Indian ricegrass	Orhy
Poaceae	Panicum capillare	common witchgrass	Paca
Poaceae	Panicum dichotomiflorum	fall panicum	Pandi
Poaceae	Panicum milliaceum	broomcorn millet	Pami
Poaceae	Panicum occidentale	western witchgrass	Paoc
Poaceae	Paspalum distichum	knotgrass	Pasdi
Poaceae	Phalaris arundinacea	reed canarygrass	Phar
Poaceae	Phleum pratense	timothy	Phlpr
Poaceae	Phragmites communis	common reed	Phco
Poaceae	Poa annua	annual bluegrass	Poaan
Poaceae	Poa bulbosa	bulbous bluegrass	Pobu
Poaceae	Poa compressa	Canada bluegrass	Pocom
Poaceae	Poa cusickii	Cusick's bluegrass	Pocu
Poaceae	Poa juncifolia	alkali bluegrass	Poju
Poaceae	Poa nevadensis	Nevada bluegrass	Pone
Poaceae	Poa palustris	fowl bluegrass	Poapa
Poaceae	Poa pratensis	Kentucky bluegrass	Popr
Poaceae	Poa sandbergii	Sandberg's bluegrass	Posa
Poaceae	Poa scabrella	pine bluegrass	Posc

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Poaceae	Polypogon monspeliensis	rabbitfoot grass	Pomo
Poaceae	Puccinellia lemmonii	Lemmon's alkaligrass	Pule
Poaceae	Sclerocloa dura	hardgrass	Scdu
Poaceae	Secale cereale	rye	Sece
Poaceae	Setaria lutescens	bristly foxtail	Selu
Poaceae	Sitanion hystrix	bottlebrush grass	Sihy
Poaceae	Spartina gracilis	alkali cordgrass	Spagr
Poaceae	Sphenopholis obtusata	wedgegrass	Spob
Poaceae	Sporobolus cryptandrus	sand dropseed	Spcr
Poaceae	Stipa comata	needle-and-thread grass	Stco
Poaceae	Stipa thurberiana	Thurber's needlegrass	Stth
Poaceae	Triticum aestivum	wheat	Trae
Polemoniaceae	Collomia grandiflora	largeflower collomia	Comgr
Polemoniaceae	Collomia linearis	narrowleaf collomia	Coli
Polemoniaceae	Eriastrum sparsiflorum	few-flowered eriastrum	Erspa
Polemoniaceae	Gilia inconspicua	inconspicuous gilia	Gein
Polemoniaceae	Gilia leptomeria	Great Basin gilia	Gile
Polemoniaceae	Gilia lottiae	gilia	Gilo
Polemoniaceae	Gilia minutiflora	smallflower gilia	Gimi
Polemoniaceae	Gilia sinuata	shy gilia	Gisi
Polemoniaceae	Leptodactylon pungens	prickly phlox	Lepu
Polemoniaceae	Linanthus pharnaceoides	threadleaf linanthus	Liph
Polemoniaceae	Microsteris gracilis	pink microsteris	Migr
Polemoniaceae	Navarretia intertexta	pincushion plant	Nain
Polemoniaceae	Phlox hoodii	Hood's phlox	Phho
Polemoniaceae	Phlox longifolia	longleaf phlox	Phlo
Polemoniaceae	Phlox speciosa	showy phlox	Phsp
Polemoniaceae	Polemonium micranthum	annual Jacob's ladder	Pomi
Polygonaceae	Chorizanthe watsonii	Watson's spineflower	Chwa
Polygonaceae	Eriogonum baileyi	Bailey's buckwheat	Erba
Polygonaceae	Eriogonum codium	Umtanum buckwheat	Ercod
Polygonaceae	Eriogonum compositum	northern buckwheat	Ercom
Polygonaceae	Eriogonum elatum	tall buckwheat	Erel
Polygonaceae	Eriogonum heracleoides	parnsipflower buckwheat	Erhe
Polygonaceae	Eriogonum microthecum	slender buckwheat	Ermi
Polygonaceae	Eriogonum niveum	snow buckwheat	Erni

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Polygonaceae	Eriogonum ovalifolium var. celsum	cushion buckwheat	Erov
Polygonaceae	Eriogonum sphaerocephalum	rock buckwheat	Ersp
Polygonaceae	Eriogonum strictum	strict buckwheat	Erst
Polygonaceae	Eriogonum thymoides	thymeleaf buckwheat	Erth
Polygonaceae	Eriogonum vimineum	broom buckwheat	Ervi
Polygonaceae	Oxytheca dendroides	false buckwheat	Oxde
Polygonaceae	Polygonum amphibium	water smartweed	Poam
Polygonaceae	Polygonum aviculare	doorweed	Poav
Polygonaceae	Polygonum coccineum	water smartweed	Pococ
Polygonaceae	Polygonum convolvulus	climbing bindweed	Pocon
Polygonaceae	Polygonum hydropiper	marshpepper smartweed	Pohy
Polygonaceae	Polygonum lapathifolium	willow weed	Pola
Polygonaceae	Polygonum majus	wiry knotweed	Poma
Polygonaceae	Polygonum persicaria	heartweed	Polpe
Polygonaceae	Polygonum ramosissimum	busy knotweed	Pora
Polygonaceae	Rumex crispus	curly dock	Rucr
Polygonaceae	Rumex salicifolius	willow dock	Rusa
Polygonaceae	Rumex venosus	winged dock	Ruve
Polypodiaceae (Dennstaedtiaceae)	Pteridium aquilinum	bracken fern	Ptaq
Polypodiaceae (Dryopteriaceae)	Woodsia oregona	woodsia	Woor
Polypodiaceae (Pteridaceae)	Adiantum pedatum	maiden-hair fern	Adpe
Polypodiaceae (Pteridaceae)	Pellaea glabella	smooth cliffbrake	Pelgl
Portulacaceae	Calyptridium roseum	rosy calyptridium	Caro
Portulacaceae	Lewisia rediviva	bitterroot	Lere
Portulacaceae	Montia cordifolia	broadleaf springbeauty	Moco
Portulacaceae	Montia linearis	Indian lettuce	Moli
Portulacaceae	Montia perfoliata	miner's lettuce	Mope
Portulacaceae	Portulaca oleracea	common purslane	Pool
Portulacaceae	Talinum spinescens	spiny flameflower	Tasp
Potamogetonaceae	Potamogeton berchtoldii	Berchtold's pondweed	Pobe
Potamogetonaceae	Potamogeton crispus	curled pondweed	Pocr
Potamogetonaceae	Potamogeton filiformis	slender pondweed	Pofi
Potamogetonaceae	Potamogeton foliosus	leafy pondweed	Pofo
Potamogetonaceae	Potamogeton gramineus	grass-leaved pondweed	Pogm
Potamogetonaceae	Potamogeton pectinatus	fennel-leaf pondweed	Potpe
Primulaceae	Centunculus minimus	chaffweed	Cemi

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Primulaceae	Dodecatheon cusickii	Cusick's shootingstar	Docu
Primulaceae	Lysimachia ciliata	fringed loosestrife	Lyci
Ranunculaceae	Aquilegia formosa	red columbine	Aqfo
Ranunculaceae	Clematis ligustifolia	western virginsbower	Clli
Ranunculaceae	Delphinium multiplex	Kittitas larkspur	Demu
Ranunculaceae	Delphinium nuttallianum	upland larkspur	Denu
Ranunculaceae	Myosurus aristatus	sedge mousetail	Myar
Ranunculaceae	Myosurus X clavicaulis	little mousetail	MyXc
Ranunculaceae	Ranunculus cymbalaria	shore buttercup	Racy
Ranunculaceae	Ranunculus flammula	creeping buttercup	Rafl
Ranunculaceae	Ranunculus glaberrimus	sagebrush buttercup	Ragl
Ranunculaceae	Ranunculus sceleratus	celeryleaf buttercup	Rasc
Ranunculaceae	Ranunculus subrigidus	stiffleaf buttercup	Rasu
Ranunculaceae	Ranunculus testiculatus	bur buttercup	Rate
Ranunculaceae	Thalictrum occidentale	western meadowrue	Thloc
Rosaceae	Amelanchier alnifolia	western serviceberry	Amaln
Rosaceae	Crataegus douglasii	black hawthorn	Crdo
Rosaceae	Geum macrophyllum	Oregon avens	Gema
Rosaceae	Geum triflorum	old man's whiskers	Getr
Rosaceae	Malus pumila	apple	Mapu
Rosaceae	Physocarpus malvaceus	ninebark	Phma
Rosaceae	Potentilla anserina	common silverweed	Potan
Rosaceae	Potentilla arguta	tall cinquefoil	Poar
Rosaceae	Potentilla biennis	biennial cinquefoil	Pobi
Rosaceae	Potentilla glandulosa	sticky cinquefoil	Pogl
Rosaceae	Potentilla gracilis	slender cinquefoil	Pogr
Rosaceae	Potentilla norvegica	Norwegian cinquefoil	Pono
Rosaceae	Potentilla paradoxa	bushy cinquefoil	Potpa
Rosaceae	Potentilla rivalis	brook cinquefoil	Pori
Rosaceae	Prunus armeniaca	apricot	Prar
Rosaceae	Prunus avium	sweet cherry	Prav
Rosaceae	Prunus emarginata	bitter cherry	Prem
Rosaceae	Prunus persica	peach	Prpe
Rosaceae	Prunus virginiana	chokecherry	Prvi
Rosaceae	Purshia tridentata	bitterbrush	Putr
Rosaceae	Pyrus communis	pear	Pyco

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Rosaceae	Rosa woodsii	Wood's rose	Rowo
Rosaceae	Rubus discolor	Himalayan blackberry	Rudi
Rubiaceae	Galium aparine	cleavers	Gaap
Rubiaceae	Galium multiflorum	shrubby bedstraw	Gami
Ruppiaceae	Ruppia maritima	ditch grass	Ruma
Salicaceae	Populus alba	silver poplar	Poal
Salicaceae	Populus deltoides	plains cottonwood	Pode
Salicaceae	Populus nigra	Lombardy poplar	Poni
Salicaceae	Populus tremuloides	quaking aspen	Pote
Salicaceae	Populus trichocarpa	black cottonwood	Potr
Salicaceae	Salix amygdaloides	peachleaf willow	Saam
Salicaceae	Salix babylonica	weeping willow	Saba
Salicaceae	Salix bebbiana	Bebb's willow	Sabe
Salicaceae	Salix discolor	pussy willow	Sadi
Salicaceae	Salix exigua	coyote willow	Saex
Salicaceae	Salix fragilis	crack willow	Safr
Salicaceae	Salix lasiandra	whiplash willow	Salad
Salicaceae	Salix lasiolepis	arroyo willow	Salal
Salicaceae	Salix scouleriana	Scouler's willow	Sasc
Santalaceae	Comandra umbellata	bastard toadflax	Coum
Saxifragaceae	Heuchera cylindrica	lava alumroot	Несу
Saxifragaceae	Lithophragma bulbifera	bulbiferous fringecup	Libu
Saxifragaceae	Lithophragma glabra	smooth fringecup	Ligl
Saxifragaceae	Lithophragma parviflora	smallflower fringecup	Lipa
Saxifragaceae	Saxifraga integrifolia	swamp saxifrage	Sain
Saxifragaceae	Saxifraga oregona	bog saxifrage	Saor
Scrophulariaceae	Castilleja exilis	alkali paintbrush	Caex
Scrophulariaceae	Castilleja thompsonii	Thompson's paintbrush	Cath
Scrophulariaceae	Collinsia grandiflora	showy blue-eyed Mary	Congr
Scrophulariaceae	Collinsia parviflora	small blue-eyed Mary	Copa
Scrophulariaceae	Gratiola neglecta	American hedge-hyssop	Grne
Scrophulariaceae	Limosella acaulis	mudwort	Liac
Scrophulariaceae	Limosella aquatica	mudwort	Liaq
Scrophulariaceae	Linaria dalmatica	dalmatian toadflax	Lida
Scrophulariaceae	Linaria vulgaris	butter-and-eggs	Livu
Scrophulariaceae	Lindernia anagallidea	false pimpernel	Lian

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Scrophulariaceae	Mazus japonicus	Japanese mazus	Maja
Scrophulariaceae	Mimetanthe pilosa	downy monkeyflower	Mipi
Scrophulariaceae	Mimulus floribundus	purplestem monkeyflower	Mifl
Scrophulariaceae	Mimulus guttatus	yellow monkeyflower	Migu
Scrophulariaceae	Mimulus ringens	Allegheny monkeyflower	Miri
Scrophulariaceae	Mimulus suksdorfii	Suksdorf's monkeyflower	Misu
Scrophulariaceae	Orthocarpus barbatus	Grand Coulee owl-clove	Orba
Scrophulariaceae	Penstemon acuminatus	sand beardtongue	Peac
Scrophulariaceae	Penstemon eriantherus	fuzzy beardtongue	Peer
Scrophulariaceae	Penstemon gairdnerii	Gairdner's beardtongue	Penga
Scrophulariaceae	Penstemon glandulosus	stickystem beardtongue	Pegl
Scrophulariaceae	Penstemon richardsonii	basalt beardtongue	Peri
Scrophulariaceae	Penstemon speciosus	showy beardtongue	Pesp
Scrophulariaceae	Scrophularia lanceolata	lanceleaf figwort	Scla
Scrophulariaceae	Verbascum thapsus	common mullein	Veth
Scrophulariaceae	Veronica americana	brooklime	Veam
Scrophulariaceae	Veronica anagallis-aquatica	water speedwell	Vean
Scrophulariaceae	Veronica peregina	purslane speedwell	Vepe
Simarubaceae	Ailanthus altissima	tree-of-heaven	Aial
Solanaceae	Datura stramonium	Jimson-weed	Dast
Solanaceae	Lycium halimifolium	matrimony vine	Lyha
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Solanaceae	Nicotiana attenuata	coyote tobacco	Niat
Solanaceae	Physalis sp.	ground cherry	Phys.
Solanaceae	Solanum dulcamara	bittersweet	Sodu
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Solanaceae	Solanum sarrachoides	hairy nightshade	Sosa
Solanaceae	Solanum triflorum	cutleaf nightshade	Sotr
Tamaricaceae	Tamarix parviflora	tamarisk	Tapr
Taxaceae	Taxus cuspidata	Japanese yew	Tacu
Typhaceae	Typha angustifolia	lesser cattail	Tyan
Typhaceae	Typha latifolia	common cattail	Tyla
Ulmaceae	Ulmus americana	American elm	Ulam
Ulmaceae	Ulmus pumila	Siberian elm	Ulpu
Urticaceae	Urtica dioica	stinging nettle	Urdi

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Valerianaceae	Plectritis macrocera	white cupseed	Plmac
Verbenaceae	Verbena bracteata	bracted verbena	Vebr
Verbenaceae	Verbena hastata	blue verbena	Veha
Violaceae	Viola adunca	early blue violet	Viad
Violaceae	Viola palustis	marsh violet	Vipa
Violaceae	Viola sp.	violet	Visp
Violaceae	Viola trinervata	sagebrush violet	Vitr
Vitaceae	Parthanocissus quinquefolia	Virginia creeper	Paqu
Vitaceae	Vitis vinifera	grape	Vivin
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