

Plants of the Cosumnes River Preserve

Family	Genus	Species	Common Name	
Aceraceae	Acer	negundo v. californicum	box elder	
Alismataceae	Alisma	plantago-aquatica	water plantain	
	Sagittaria	latifolia	arrowhead	
	Sagittaria	montevidensis v. calycina		
	Sagittaria	sanfordii	Sanford's arrowhead	
Amaranthaceae	Amaranthus	albus*	tumbleweed	
	Amaranthus	blitoides	pigweed, amaranth	
	Amaranthus	palmeri	amaranth	
Anacardiaceae	Toxicodendron	diversilobum	western poison oak	
Apiaceae	Anthriscus	caucalis*	bur-chervil	
	Conium	maculatum*	poison hemlock	
	Daucus	carota	carrot	
	Eryngium	aristulatum	button celery	
	Eryngium	articulatum		
	Eryngium	vaseyi	vasey's coyote-thistle	
	Foeniculum	vulgare*	fennel	
	Oenanthe	sarmentosa	water parsley	
	Perideridia	kelloggii	yampah	
	Torilis	arvensis*	hedge parsley	
	Yabea	microcarpa		
	Apocynaceae	Apocynum	androsaemifolium	bitter dogbane
		Apocynum	cannabinum	Indian hemp
Asclepiadaceae	Asclepias	fascicularis	narrow-leaf milkweed	
	Asclepias	vestita	woolly milkweed	
Asteraceae	Achillea	millefolium	yarrow	
	Achyraea	mollis	blow wifes	
	Ambrosia	psilostachya	western ragweed	
	Anthemis	cotula*	chamomile	
	Artemisia	douglasiana	mugwort	
	Aster	aff. chilensis		
	Aster	subulatus v. ligulatus		
	Baccharis	douglasii	marsh baccharis	
	Baccharis	pilularis	coyote brush	
	Bidens	cernua v. cernua	nodding bur-marigold	
	Bidens	frondosa	sticktight	
	Carduus	pycnocephalus*	Italian thistle	
	Centaurea	calcitrapa*	purple star-thistle	
	Centaurea	solstitialis*	yellow star-thistle	
	Chamomilla	suaveolens*	pineapple weed	
	Cichorium	intybus*	chicory	
	Cirsium	vulgare*	bull thistle	
	Conyza	bilbaoana*	conyza	
	Conyza	bonariensis*	hairy fleabane	
	Conyza	canadensis	horseweed	
	Cotula	coronopifolia*	brass-buttons	
	Erigeron	sp.	fleabane daisy	
	Euthamia	occidentalis	western goldenrod	
	Filago	gallica*	cotton-rose	

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Asteraceae	Gnaphalium	luteo-album*	everlasting
	Gnaphalium	palustre	dwarf cudweed
	Grindelia	camporum	great valley gumplant
	Helenium	puberulum	sneezeweed
	Helianthus	annuus	sunflower
	Helianthus	bolanderi	Bolander's sunflower
	Hemizonia	congesta	hayfield tarweed
	Hemizonia	congesta ssp. luzulifolia	tarweed
	Hemizonia	fitchii	spikeweed
	Hemizonia	pungens ssp. laevis	smooth tarplant
	Hemizonia	pungens ssp. pungens	common spikeweed
	Hesperevax	caulescens	hogwallow starfish
	Holocarpha	obconica	tarweed
	Holocarpha	virgata	
	Hypochaeris	glabra*	smooth cat's ear
	Hypochaeris	radicata*	rough cat's ear
	Lactuca	saligna*	
	Lactuca	serriola*	prickly lettuce
	Lactuca	virosa*	
	Lasthenia	californica	goldfields
	Lasthenia	fremontii	Fremont's goldfields
	Lasthenia	glaberrima	rayless goldfields
	Lasthenia	glabrata ssp. coulteri	smooth goldfields
	Layia	fremontii	tidytips
	Leontodon	taraxacoides*	hawkbit
	Microseris	douglasii	
	Picris	echioides*	bristly ox-tongue
	Psilocarphus	brevissimus v. brevissimus	dwarf woolly-heads
	Psilocarphus	brevissimus v. multiflorus	delta woolly marbles
	Psilocarphus	oregonus	Oregon woolly marbles
	Psilocarphus	tennellus	slender woolly-heads
	Senecio	vulgaris*	common groundsel
	Silybum	marianum*	milk thistle
	Soliva	sessilis*	lawn burrweed
	Sonchus	asper ssp. asper*	prickly sow thistle
	Sonchus	oleraceus*	common sow thistle
	Taraxacum	officinale*	dandelion
	Wyethia	angustifolia	mule's ears
	Xanthium	spinsum	spiny cocklebur
	Xanthium	strumarium	cocklebur
	Azollaceae	Azolla	filiculoides
Betulaceae	Alnus	rhombifolia	white alder
Boraginaceae	Amsinckia	menziesii v. intermedia	fiddleneck
	Heliotropium	curassavicum	heliotrope
	Plagiobothrys	acanthocarpus	adobe popcorn flower
	Plagiobothrys	bracteatus	popcorn flower
	Plagiobothrys	fulvus	popcorn flower
	Plagiobothrys	greenii	green's popcorn flower
	Plagiobothrys	humistratus	popcorn flower
	Plagiobothrys	leptocladus	alkali popcorn flower
	Plagiobothrys	stipitatus v. micranthus	slender popcorn flower
	Plagiobothrys	stipitatus v. stipitatus	popcorn flower
	Plagiobothrys	undulatus	popcorn flower

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Brassicaceae	Barbarea	orthoceras	winter cress	
	Barbarea	vulgaris*	common winter cress	
	Brassica	napus*	rapeseed	
	Brassica	nigra*	black mustard	
	Brassica	rapa*	field mustard	
	Capsella	bursa-pastoris*	shepard's purse	
	Cardamine	oligosperma	few-seed bitter cress	
	Cardamine	pennsylvanica	bittercress	
	Cardaria	chalepensis*	lens-podded hoary cress	
	Cardaria	draba*	hoary cress	
	Cardaria	pubescens*	whitetop	
	Descurainia	sophia*	tansy mustard	
	Hirschfeldia	incana*	yellow mustard	
	Lepidium	latifolium*	peppergrass	
	Lepidium	latipes	dwarf pepper-grass	
	Lepidium	nitidum	shining peppergrass	
	Lepidium	strictum	peppergrass	
	Raphanus	raphanistrum*	jointed charlock	
	Raphanus	sativus*	wild radish	
	Rorippa	curvisiliqua	yellow water cress	
	Rorippa	palustris v. occidentalis	yellow cress	
	Sibara	virginica	rock cress	
	Sinapis	arvensis*	charlock	
	Sisymbrium	officinale*	hedge mustard	
	Callitrichaceae	Callitriche	heterophylla var. bolanderi	
		Callitriche	marginata	water starwort
Campanulaceae	Downingia	bicornuta	two-horned downingia	
	Downingia	ornatissima	solano downingia	
	Downingia	pusilla	dwarf downingia	
	Legenere	limosa	legenere	
Caprifoliaceae	Sambucus	mexicana	blue elderberry	
Caryophyllaceae	Cerastium	glomeratum*	mouse chickweed	
	Petrorhagia	prolifera*		
	Sagina	decumbens ssp. occidentalis	western pearlwort	
	Silene	gallica*	campion	
	Spergularia	bocconeii*	sand-spurry	
	Spergularia	media*	marsh sand-spurry	
	Spergularia	rubra*	purple sand-spurry	
	Spergularia	villosa*	sand-spurry	
	Stellaria	media*	common chickweed	
	Chenopodiaceae	Atriplex	cf. patula	spear oracle
Atriplex		heterosperma*	saltbush	
Chenopodium		album*	lambsquarters	
Chenopodium		ambrosioides*	Mexican tea	
Convolvulaceae	Convolvulus	arvensis*	bindweed	
Cornaceae	Cornus	sericea	American dogwood	
	Crassulaceae	Crassula	aquatica	water pygmy weed
Crassula		connata	red carpet	
Crassula		tillaea*		
Cucurbitaceae	Marah	fabaceus	wild cucumber	
Cuscutaceae	Cuscuta	howelliana	boggs lake dodder	

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Cyperaceae	Carex	barbarae	Santa Barbara sedge	
	Carex	ovalis		
	Carex	pachystachya		
	Carex	praegracilis		
	Carex	tumulicola		
	Cyperus	eragrostis	umbrella grass	
	Cyperus	involucratus*	nutgrass	
	Eleocharis	acicularis v. acicularis		
	Eleocharis	acicularis v. bella	least spikerush	
	Eleocharis	macrostachya	creeping spikerush	
	Eleocharis	montevidensis	spikerush	
	Scirpus	acutus v. occidentalis	common tule	
	Scirpus	aff. maritimus	alkali bulrush	
	Scirpus	californicus	California bullrush	
	Scirpus	fluviatilis	river bullrush	
	Dipsacaceae	Dipsacus	fullonum*	teasel
	Elatinaceae	Elatine	chilensis	water-wort
Euphorbiaceae	Chamaesyce	serpyllifolia	thyme-leaved spurge	
	Eremocarpus	setigerus	turkey mullein	
Fabaceae	Glycyrrhiza	lepidota	wild licorice	
	Lathyrus	jepsonii v. californicus	wild pea	
	Lotus	corniculatus*	bird's foot trefoil	
	Lotus	purshianus v. purshianus	Spanish lotus	
	Lotus	wrangelianus		
	Lupinus	benthamii	spider lupine	
	Lupinus	bicolor	miniature lupine	
	Medicago	polymorpha*	California bur-clover	
	Melilotus	alba*	white sweet clover	
	Trifolium	barbigerum	bearded clover	
	Trifolium	bifidum		
	Trifolium	ciliolatum		
	Trifolium	depauperatum v. amplexens	balloon clover	
	Trifolium	depauperatum v. depauperatum	balloon clover	
	Trifolium	depauperatum v. truncatum	balloon clover	
	Trifolium	dubium*	little hop clover	
	Trifolium	fragiferum*	strawberry clover	
	Trifolium	glomeratum*		
	Trifolium	gracilentum		
	Trifolium	hirtum*	rose clover	
	Trifolium	microcephalum	maiden clover	
	Trifolium	microdon	thimble clover	
	Trifolium	obtusiflorum	clammy clover	
	Trifolium	pratense*	red clover	
	Trifolium	repens*	white clover	
	Trifolium	subterraneum*	subterranean clover	
	Trifolium	variegatum	white-tipped clover	
	Trifolium	willdenovii	tomcat clover	
	Vicia	americana v. americana	American vetch	
	Vicia	benghalensis*	purple vetch	
	Vicia	sativa ssp. nigra*	common vetch	
	Vicia	sativa ssp. sativa*	spring vetch	
	Vicia	villosa*	hairy vetch	

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Fagaceae	Quercus	douglasii	blue oak
	Quercus	lobata	valley oak
	Quercus	wislizeni v. wislizeni	interior live oak
Gentianaceae	Centaurium	muehlenbergii	centaury
	Cicendia	quadrangularis	quadrangulate cicendia
Geraniaceae	Erodium	botrys*	broad-leaf filaree
	Erodium	brachycarpum*	filaree
	Erodium	cicutarium*	red-stem filaree
	Erodium	moschatum*	white-stem filaree
	Geranium	carolinianum	Carolina geranium
	Geranium	dissectum*	crane's bill
Haloragaceae	Myriophyllum	aquaticum*	parrot feather
	Hippocastanaceae	Aesculus	californica
Hypericaceae	Hypericum	mutilum*	hypericum
	Hypericum	perforatum*	St. John's wort
Iridaceae	Sisyrinchium	bellum	blue-eyed grass
Isoetaceae	Isoetes	orcuttii	orcutt's quillwort
Juncaceae	Juncus	acuminatus	rush
	Juncus	balticus	baltic rush
	Juncus	bufonius	toad rush
	Juncus	capitatus*	capped rush
	Juncus	effusus	common rush
	Juncus	mexicanus	mexican rush
	Juncus	oxymeris	rush
	Juncus	uncialis	
	Juncus	xiphioides	iris-leaved rush
	Juncaginaceae	Lilaea	scilloides
Lamiaceae	Lamium	amplexicaule*	henbit
	Lycopus	americanus	bugleweed
	Marrubium	vulgare*	horehound
	Mentha	arvensis	field mint
	Mentha	pulegium*	pennyroyal
	Pogogyne	douglasii	
	Pogogyne	serphylloides	
	Pogogyne	zizyphoroides	sacramento mesa mint
	Stachys	ajugoides v. rigida	rigid hedge nettle
	Stachys	albans	hedge nettle
Liliaceae	Trichostema	lanceolatum	vinegar weed
	Asparagus	officinalis ssp. officinalis*	garden asparagus
	Brodiaea	appendiculata	
	Brodiaea	coronaria	harvest brodiaea
	Brodiaea	elegans	elegant brodiaea
	Calochortus	luteus	gold cups
	Chlorogalum	pomeridianum	dwarf soapwort
	Dichelostemma	capitatum ssp. capitatum	blue dicks
	Triteleia	hyacinthina	white hyacinth
	Triteleia	laxa	Ithuriel's spear
Linaceae	Linum	bienne*	flax
Lythraceae	Ammannia	coccinea	ammannia
	Lythrum	hyssopifolium*	hedge-hyssop loosestrife
	Lythrum	tribracteatum*	loosestrife

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Malvaceae	Abutilon	theophrasti*	velvet leaf
	Hibiscus	lasiocarpus	rose-mallow
	Malva	parviflora*	cheeseweed
	Malvella	leprosa	alkali-mallow
	Sidalcea	sp.	checker mallow
Marsileaceae	Marsilea	vestita ssp. vestita	
	Pilularia	americana	American pillwort
Molluginaceae	Glinus	lotoides*	glinus
	Mollugo	verticillata*	Indian chickweed
Moraceae	Ficus	carica*	fig
	Maclura	pomifera*	osage orange
Oleaceae	Fraxinus	latifolia	Oregon ash
Onagraceae	Epilobium	brachycarpum	
	Epilobium	ciliatum ssp. ciliatum	willow-herb
	Epilobium	cleistogamum	spike-primrose
	Epilobium	pygmaeum	smooth spike primrose
	Ludwigia	hexapetala	
	Ludwigia	peploides	water primrose
	Oenothera	villosa ssp. strigosa	evening primrose
Oxalidaceae	Oxalis	albicans ssp. pilosa	wood sorrel
	Oxalis	corniculata*	creeping wood sorrel
Papaveraceae	Eschscholzia	californica	California poppy
Plantaginaceae	Plantago	coronopus*	
	Plantago	elongata	
	Plantago	lanceolata*	English plantain
	Plantago	major*	broadleaf plantain
Poaceae	Aegilops	triuncialis*	barbed goat grass
	Agrostis	exarata	
	Agrostis	gigantea*	
	Aira	caryophyllea*	silver european hairgrass
	Alopecurus	carolinianus	
	Alopecurus	saccatus	foxtail
	Avena	barbata*	slender wild oat
	Avena	fatua*	wild oat
	Beckmannia	syzigachne	slough grass
	Briza	minor*	little quaking grass
	Bromus	carinatus	California brome
	Bromus	catharticus*	rescue grass
	Bromus	diandrus*	ripgut grass
	Bromus	hordeaceus*	soft chess
	Bromus	madritensis ssp. rubens*	red brome
	Crypsis	schoenoides*	swamp grass
	Crypsis	vaginiflora*	prickle grass
	Cynodon	dactylon*	bermuda grass
	Cynosurus	echinatus*	dogtail
	Deschampsia	danthonioides	annual hairgrass
	Digitaria	sanguinalis*	crabgrass
Distichlis	spicata	saltgrass	
Echinochloa	crus-galli*	barnyard grass	
Eragrostis	pectinacea v. pectinacea		
Gastridium	ventricosum*	nit grass	
Glyceria	borealis	manna grass	
Glyceria	occidentalis	manna grass	

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Poaceae	Hordeum	brachyantherum	meadow barley	
	Hordeum	depressum	barley	
	Hordeum	marinum ssp. gussoneanum*	mediterranean barley	
	Hordeum	murinum ssp. leporinum*	foxtail barley	
	Leersia	oryzoides	rice cutgrass	
	Leptochloa	fascicularis	sprangletop	
	Leymus	triticoides	creeping wild rye	
	Lolium	multiflorum*	Italian ryegrass	
	Lolium	perenne*	perennial ryegrass	
	Nasella	pulchra	purple needlegrass	
	Panicum	acuminatum	panic grass	
	Panicum	dichotomiflorum*	smooth witchgrass	
	Paspalum	dilatatum*	dallis gras	
	Paspalum	distichum	knot grass	
	Phalaris	lemmonii	Lemmon's canary grass	
	Phalaris	minor*	littleseed canary grass	
	Phalaris	paradoxa*	canary grass	
	Phleum	pratense*	timothy	
	Pleuropogon	californicus	semaphore grass	
	Poa	annua*	annual bluegrass	
	Poa	bulbosa*	bulbous bluegrass	
	Poa	pratensis ssp. pratensis*	Kentucky bluegrass	
	Polypogon	interruptus*	ditch rabbit foot grass	
	Polypogon	maritimus*	mediterranean beard grass	
	Polypogon	monspeliensis*	annual rabbitfoot grass	
	Setaria	viridis*	bristly foxtail	
	Sorghum	halepense*	Johnson grass	
	Taeniatherum	caput-medusae*	medusa-head	
	Triticum	aestivum*	wheat	
	Vulpia	bromoides*	fescue	
	Vulpia	myuros*	rattail fescue	
	Polemoniaceae	Navarretia	intertexta	needle-leaf navarretia
		Navarretia	leucocephala	white-head navarretia
		Navarretia	leucocephala ssp. leucocephala	white-flowered navarrietia
Navarretia		myersii	pincushion navarretia	
Navarretia		squarrosa	skunk weed	
Polygonaceae	Polygonum	amphibium v. emersum	polygonum	
	Polygonum	arenastrum*	prostrate knotweed	
	Polygonum	argyrocoleon*	knotweed	
	Polygonum	hydropiperoides	waterpepper	
	Polygonum	lapathifolium	smart weed	
	Polygonum	persicaria*	lady's thumb	
	Polygonum	punctatum	water smartweed	
	Rumex	conglomeratus*	dock	
	Rumex	crispus*	curly dock	
	Rumex	pulcher*	fiddle dock	
	Rumex	salicifolius	willow dock	
Portulacaceae	Calandrinia	ciliata	red maids	
	Claytonia	perfoliata ssp. perfoliata	miner's lettuce	
	Montia	fontana	water chickweed	
Potamogetonaceae	Potamogeton	sp.	pondweed	
Primulaceae	Anagallis	arvensis*	scarlet pimpernel	
	Centunculus	minimus	chaffweed	
	Samolus	parviflorus	water pimpernel	

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Ranunculaceae	Myosurus	minimus	tiny mousetail
	Ranunculus	alismifolius	water pliantain buttercup
	Ranunculus	aquatilus v. hispidulus	water buttercup
	Ranunculus	bonariensis v. trisepalus	Carter's buttercup
	Ranunculus	californicus	California buttercup
	Ranunculus	muricatus*	spiny-fruit buttercup
	Ranunculus	pusillus	
	Ranunculus	sceleratus	
Rosaceae	Pyrus	communis*	common pear
	Rosa	californica	wild rose
	Rubus	discolor*	Himalayan blackberry
	Rubus	ursinus	California blackberry
Rubiaceae	Cephalanthus	occidentalis v. californicus	California button willow
	Galium	aparine	goose grass
	Galium	murale*	tiny bedstraw
Salicaceae	Populus	fremontii ssp. fremontii	Fremont's cottonwood
	Salix	exigua	narrow leaved willow
	Salix	goodingii	Gooding's black willow
	Salix	laevigata	red willow
	Salix	lasiolepis	arroyo willow
	Salix	lucida ssp. lasiandra	shining willow
Scrophulariaceae	Castilleja	attenuata	valley tassels
	Castilleja	campestris	
	Castilleja	lineariloba	paint brush
	Cordylanthus	pilosus	bird's beak
	Gratiola	ebracteata	hedge hyssop
	Gratiola	neglecta	hedge hyssop
	Kickxia	elatine*	sharppoint fluvellin
	Limosella	acaulis	mudwort
	Mimulus	guttatus	yellow monkey flower
	Mimulus	tricolor	tricolor monkey flower
	Triphysaria	eriantha ssp. eriantha	butter and eggs
	Triphysaria	pusilla	owl's clover
	Triphysaria	versicolor ssp. faucibarbata	
	Verbascum	blattaria*	moth mullein
	Veronica	arvensis*	
	Veronica	peregrina ssp. xalapensis	purlsane speedwell
	Veronica	persica*	corn speedwell
	Simaroubaceae	Ailanthus	altissima*
Solanaceae		Datura	stramonium*
	Physalis	philadelphica*	tomatillo
	Solanum	aff. americanum	nightshade
	Solanum	nigrum*	black nightshade
	Typhaceae	Sparganium	sp.
Typha		angustifolia	narrow-leaf cattail
Typha		latifolia	broad-leaf cattail
Urticaceae	Urtica	dioca ssp. holosericea	stinging nettle
	Urtica	urens*	dwarf nettle
Verbernaeae	Phyla	nodiflora v. nodiflora	mat grass
	Verbena	bonariensis*	blue vervain
	Verbena	hastata	verbena
Viscaceae	Phoradendron	macrophyllum	big leaf mistletoe
	Phoradendron	villosum	oak mistletoe
Vitaceae	Vitis	californica	wild grape