

## **PLANT SPECIES OF LAKE COMO**

<b>Common name</b>	<b><i>Latin name</i></b>
<i>North side of lake:</i>	
yarrow	<i>Achillea millefolium</i>
spreading dogbane	<i>Apocynum androsaemifolium</i>
Rocky Mountain maple	<i>Acer glabrum</i>
serviceberry	<i>Amelanchier alnifolia</i>
rockcress	<i>Arabis spp.</i>
kinnikinnick	<i>Arctostaphylos uva-ursi</i>
largeleaf sandwort	<i>Arenaria macrophylla</i>
heartleaf arnica	<i>Arnica cordifolia</i>
arrowleaf balsamroot	<i>Balsamorhiza sagittata</i>
Oregon grape	<i>Berberis repens</i>
mountain boykinia	<i>Boykinia major</i>
pinegrass	<i>Calamagrostis rubescens</i>
elk sedge	<i>Carex geyeri</i>
Indian paintbrush	<i>Castilleja spp.</i>
shiny-leaf ceanothus	<i>Ceanothus velutinus</i>
spotted knapweed	<i>Centaurea maculosa</i>
blue-eyed Mary	<i>Collinsia parviflora</i>
bastard toadflax	<i>Comandra umbellata</i>
red-osier dogwood	<i>Cornus stolonifera</i>
slender hawksbeard	<i>Crepis atrabarba</i>
brittle bladder-fern	<i>Cystopteris fragilis</i>
orchard grass	<i>Dactylis glomerata</i>
fireweed	<i>Epilobium angustifolium</i>
horsetail	<i>Equisetum spp.</i>
glacier-lily	<i>Erythronium grandiflorum</i>
Virginia strawberry	<i>Fragaria virginiana</i>
northern bedstraw	<i>Galium boreale</i>
large-leaved avens	<i>Geum macrophyllum</i>
western rattlesnake-plantain	<i>Goodyera oblongifolia</i>
white bog-orchid	<i>Habenaria dilatata</i>
cow-parsnip	<i>Heracleum lanatum</i>
alumroot	<i>Heuchera spp.</i>
hawkweed	<i>Hieracium spp.</i>
wayside gromwell	<i>Lithospermum ruderale</i>
lupine	<i>Lupinus spp.</i>
late penstemon	<i>Penstemon diphyllus</i>
syringa	<i>Philadelphus lewisii</i>
ponderosa pine	<i>Pinus ponderosa</i>
quaking aspen	<i>Populus tremuloides</i>
black cottonwood	<i>Populus trichocarpa</i>
chokecherry	<i>Prunus virginiana</i>

bracken fern	<i>Pteridium aquilinum</i>
pinedrops	<i>Pterospora andromedea</i>
bitterbrush	<i>Purshia tridentata</i>
wild rose	<i>Rosa spp.</i>
western thimbleberry	<i>Rubus parviflorus</i>
Scouler's willow	<i>Salix scouleriana</i>
small-fruited bulrush	<i>Scirpus microcarpus</i>
lanceleaf stonecrop	<i>Sedum lanceolatum</i>
western false Solomon's seal	<i>Smilacina racemosa</i>
starry false Solomon's seal	<i>Smilacina stellata</i>
bitter buffalo-berry	<i>Shepherdia canadensis</i>
spiraea	<i>Spiraea betulifolia</i>
common snowberry	<i>Symporicarpos albus</i>
woolly clover	<i>Trifolium microcephalum</i>
blue huckleberry	<i>Vaccinium globulare</i>

*West End of Lake:*

raceme pussytoes	<i>Antennaria racemosa</i>
heartleaf arnica	<i>Arnica cordifolia</i>
field chickweed	<i>Cerastium arvense</i>
bunchberry	<i>Cornus canadensis</i>
slender hawksbeard	<i>Crepis atribarba</i>
orchard grass	<i>Dactylis glomerata</i>
fireweed	<i>Epilobium angustifolium</i>
large-leaved avens	<i>Geum macrophyllum</i>
white bog orchid	<i>Habenaria dilatata</i>
Alaskan rein orchid	<i>Habenaria unalascensis (?)</i>
white hawkweed	<i>Hieracium albiflorum</i>
twinflower	<i>Linnaea borealis</i>
Utah honeysuckle	<i>Lonicera utahensis</i>
lupine	<i>Lupinus spp.</i>
purple-stemmed monkeyflower	<i>Mimulus floribundus</i>
white coiled-beak lousewort	<i>Pedicularis contorta</i> var. <i>contorta</i>
Albert's penstemon	<i>Penstemon albertinus</i>
bush penstemon	<i>Penstemon fruticosus</i>
common Christmas-fern	<i>Polystichum munitum</i>
quaking aspen	<i>Populus tremuloides</i>
red pyrola	<i>Pyrola asarifolia</i> var. <i>pupurea</i>
greenish pyrola	<i>Pyrola chlorantha</i>
wild rose	<i>Rosa spp.</i>
western thimbleberry	<i>Rubus parviflorus</i>
spiraea	<i>Spiraea betulifolia</i>
common snowberry	<i>Symporicarpos albus</i>

*Rocky areas above west side of lake:*

bluebunch wheatgrass	<i>Agropyron spicatum</i>
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spreading dogbane	<i>Apocynum androsaemifolium</i>
podfern	<i>Aspidotis densa</i>
six weeks fescue	<i>Festuca octoflora</i>
slender forget-me-not	<i>Myosotis micrantha</i>
Albert's penstemon	<i>Penstemon albertinus</i>
late penstemon	<i>Penstemon diphyllos</i>
sticky cinquefoil	<i>Potentilla glandulosa</i>
mullein	<i>Verbascum thapsis</i>

South side of lake:

subalpine fir	<i>Abies lasiocarpa</i>
Rocky Mountain maple	<i>Acer glabra</i>
raceme pussytoes	<i>Antennaria racemosa</i>
kinnikinnick	<i>Arctostaphylos uva-ursi</i>
heartleaf arnica	<i>Arnica cordifolia</i>
pinegrass	<i>Calamagrostis rubescens</i>
scarlet paintbrush	<i>Castilleja miniata</i>
spotted knapweed	<i>Centaurea maculosa</i>
mountain mahogany	<i>Cercocarpus ledifolius</i>
common prince's pine	<i>Chimaphila umbellata</i>
Virgin's bower	<i>Clematis columbiana</i>
woods strawberry	<i>Fragaria vesca</i>
gooseberry-leaved alumroot	<i>Heuchera grossularifolia</i>
twinflower	<i>Linnaea borealis</i>
lupine	<i>Lupinus sp.</i>
menziesia	<i>Menziesia ferruginea</i>
littleflower penstemon	<i>Penstemon procerus</i>
ninebark	<i>Physocarpus malvaceus</i>
ponderosa pine	<i>Pinus ponderosa</i>
Douglas fir	<i>Pseudostuga menziesii</i>
bitter-brush	<i>Purshia tridentata</i>
one-sided wintergreen	<i>Pyrola secunda</i>
wild rose	<i>Rosa spp.</i>
Scouler's willow	<i>Salix scouleriana</i>
buffalo-berry	<i>Shepherdia canadensis</i>
mountain-ash	<i>Sorbus sp.</i>
spiraea	<i>Spiraea betulifolia</i>
trillium	<i>Trillium ovatum</i>
blue huckleberry	<i>Vaccinium globulare</i>
beargrass	<i>Xerophyllum tenax</i>

Species list based on field surveys completed on 21 June 1993, by Linda Pietarinen, Deborah Goslin and Laree Hafner.