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## Checklist of Non-Vascular Plants of Grand Canyon National Park, Arizona

Kingdoms MONERA, PROTISTA, FUNGI, and PLANTAE (Phylum BRYOPHYTA)

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#### INTRODUCTION

Non-vascular plants are among the most misunderstood and poorly appreciated organisms in the biological world. In 1775, the pioneering taxonomist Carolus Linnaeus called lichens *rustici pauperrimi*, or the "poor trash" of vegetation (Bland 1971), a perspective little changed in 225 years. "Plants" and "animals" are familiar notions, but what about living things that do not fit into either of these two classical, artificial groups?

Most taxonomists arrange living organisms into five kingdoms, including one prokaryotic group and four eukaryotic groups. The first group includes bacteria and cyanobacteria, or blue-green algae (Monera). The four remaining groups include algae and slime molds (Protista), bread molds, sac fungi, and club fungi (Fungi), mosses (Plantae), and vascular plants. The vascular plant kingdom includes ferns and fern allies, cycads, ginkgos, conifers, vessel-containing gymnosperms, and flowering plants. The mosses and vascular plants are thought to have evolved from an ancient group of green algae earlier than the Silurian Period, more than 425 million years ago (Raven et al. 1981).

Non-vascular plants lack the tissues or vessels that carry water (xylem) or food (phloem) through roots, stems, and leaves. They do not, like conifers and flowering plants, reproduce by seeds. A majority of the more advanced non-vascular plants, reproduce by spores and alternate haploid and diploid generations. The more primitive unicellular and multicellular algae simply divide, or in the case of slime molds, reproduce sexually and asexually. In addition, there are two types of non-vasculars

plants; those that can produce their own food using chlorophyll and those that lack chlorophyll and derive nourishment from dead or decaying organic matter. The later are called saprophytes.

Algae, rusts, lichens, and mosses are at best esoteric subjects. Gastronomical varieties of mushrooms are of great interest, but non-vascular plant poisonings are far more prevalent. For example, St. Anthony's fire is a disease caused by ergot (the common name for fungi of the genus Claviceps). It is a parasitic fungus usually found on cereals, particularly rye, where the black sclerotia or spore-producing body of the ergot is found. People who eat bread made from infected grain suffer from gangrene, nervous spasms, psychotic delusions, and convulsions. A few famous ergot poisonings include an epidemic of ergotism in 994 that killed more than 40,000 people. In 1722, the cavalry of Czar Peter the Great was struck down by ergotism on the eve of a battle for the conquest of Turkey, changing the course of 18th century history. In 1951, a group of 30 French villagers became temporarily insane believing they were pursued by demons and snakes; five villagers died (Raven et al. 1981).

The importance of non-vascular plants to humans can not be underestimated. They occur worldwide and in most habitats. Non-vascular plants can be the cause of costly problems, such as plant disease, rotting and spoiling food, and toxic impacts. But many beneficial processes and products are also derived, such as decomposition, nitrogen fixation, food, medicinals, fabric dyes, and alcoholic fermentation. Lichens and mosses are often used as biomonitors or indicator species of air pollution (Stolte et al. 1993), such as that caused by sulfur dioxide.

The uses and benefits of mushrooms are well known, but much less well known are benefits afforded by cryptogams. These microscopic non-vascular assemblages are composed of algae, diatoms, golden-brown algae, lichens, mosses, and a few xerophytic liverworts on more mesic sites. Blue-green algae usually contribute the bulk of the algal tissue. Cryptogams grow on and within soils and other substrates, modifying these surfaces in significant ways. The blue-green algae fix atmospheric nitrogen and thus enhance the nutrient status of the soil. Cryptogams retard erosion by wind and water, help retain soil moisture during dry periods, slow evaporation rates, and enhance seedling establishment.

#### PREVIOUS WORK AND THIS CHECKLIST

There are few historical reports for non-vascular plants of Grand Canyon National Park. The first list of the park's vascular plants (Patraw 1932, Hawbecker 1936) listed the algae stonewort or *Chara* under "water scum and sea weeds", along with eleven lichens and ten mosses. McDougall (1947a, 1947b, and 1948) updated the park's floral checklist and included slime molds, rusts, fungi, mushrooms, lichens, mosses and liverworts. He acknowledged that the park's algal species list was nonexistent, that of microfungi almost entirely lacking, and that of macrofungi was rudimentary. Clover and Jotter (1944) reported 19 mosses and liverworts, and Haring (1944, 1946) listed 64 mosses.

Numerous manuscripts, texts, and published articles were consulted in compiling this checklist, as itemized by taxonomic group here. Algae, diatoms, and phytoplankton: Bell et al. (1988), Inch and Blinn (1979), Czarnecki et al. (1976), Sommerfeld and Crayton (1976), Czarnecki and Blinn (1978), Crayton and Sommerfeld (1979), Blinn et al. (1986), and Blinn and Cole (1991); additional diatom species were added following identification of samples collected in 1993 by E. E.

Spamer (pers. commun., 2000). Rusts: Pady (1942), Miekle (1946), and the park's Museum Collection database. Lichens: McKee (1929), Mead (1929), Boykin (1993), and Boykin and Nash (1994). Mushrooms: Hibbard (1928), Mills (1929), Keener (1956, 1957), Gilbertson and Budington (1970), and the park's database. Mosses: Hawbecker (1936), Haring (1941, 1946), McCleary (1953, 1954), Johnsen (1978), and Spence (1988), and the park's database.

This checklist is the first annotated listing of the non-vascular plants for Grand Canyon National Park, including 887 species (Appendix): 87 species of Monera, 360 of Protista, 371 of Fungi, and 69 mosses under Plantae. Phyla and classes are listed phylogenetically; orders and lower taxonomic categories then are listed alphabetically. The diatoms (Bacillariophyceae) are listed strictly alphabetically given that the taxonomic composition of suprafamilial groups is not wholly resolved. The basic phylogenetic relationships and species information were drawn from many sources, including Arthur (1962), Arora (1986). Dennis (1981), Egan (1987), Esslinger and Egan (1995), Farr et al. (1989), Flower (1973), Hale and Culberson (1970), Hanlin and Ulloa (1988), Lincoff (1998), Miller and Farr (1975), States (1990), Weber and Seaman (1985), and Webster (1980). Common names, habitat, and location within the park are added insofar as information was available. An index to both scientific and common names is included for reference.

Given that much of the park has not been botanically explored, especially for non-vascular plants, this checklist will continue to be revised. It is hoped that this publication will inspire others to explore the non-vascular "wilderness" within Grand Canyon National Park. To assist literature searches, a comprehensive electronic bibliography of Grand Canyon biology and ecology by Earle Spamer is available through the Grand Canyon Association (www.grandcanyon.org/biblio).

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In the systematic list, an asterisk (\*) indicates a taxon recorded only outside, but adjacent to, Grand Canyon National Park. CRM – Colorado River Mile, by convention measured downstream from Lee's Ferry, Arizona.

#### SYSTEMATIC CHECKLIST

#### KINGDOM MONERA

#### PHYLUM CYANOPHYTA

#### **ORDER CHAMAESIPHONALES**

Chamaesiphon sp. Colorado River and tributaries.

Gloeocapsa polydermatica Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries.

Merismopedia elegans var. major G. M. Sm. Tributaries to the Colorado

Merismopedia glauca (Ehrenb.) Naegeli. Colorado River and tributaries. Merismopedia punctata Meyent. Colorado River and tributaries.

#### ORDER CHROOCOCCALES

Chroococcus minor (Kütz.) Näeg. Colorado River and tributaries. Chroococcus minutus (Kütz.) Näeg. Colorado River and tributaries. Chroococcus turgidus (Kütz.) Näeg. Colorado River and tributaries.

#### **ORDER NOSTOCALES**

\* Anahaena affinis Lemmermann

tributaries

Anabaena oscillarioides Bory. Colorado River and tributaries.

Anabaena spp. Colorado River and tributaries.

Calothrix sp. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Nodularia harveyana (Thw.) Thur. Tributaries to the Colorado River

Nostoc hatei Dixit. Colorado River and tributaries.

Nostoc paludosum Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries.

Nostoc punctiforma (Kütz.) Hariot. Colorado River and tributaries.

Nostoc spp. Colorado River and tributaries.

Nostoc verrucosum Vaucher Colorado River and tributaries.

Nostoc verucosum (L.) Vaugh. Point Sublime, North Rim.

#### **ORDER OSCILLATORIALES**

Katagnymene pelagica Lemm. Colorado River and tributaries. Lyngbya aerugineo-caerulea (Kütz.) Gomont Colorado River and

Lyngbya aestaurii (Mert.) Liebmann Colorado River and tributaries.

Lyngbya allegori Fremy. Colorado River and tributaries.

Lyngbya birgei G. M. Sm. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Lyngbya cryptovaginata Schkorbatow Colorado River and tributaries.

Lyngbya digueti Gomont. Colorado River and tributaries.

Lyngbya epiphytica Hieronymus Colorado River and tributaries.

Lyngbya hieronymusii Lemmermann Colorado River and tributaries.

Lyngbya limnetica Lemmermann Colorado River and tributaries.

Lyngbya major Meneghini Colorado River and tributaries.

Lyngbya martensiana Meneghini Colorado River and tributaries.

Lyngbya mesotrichia Ruja. Colorado River and tributaries.

Lyngbya nordgardhii Wille. Colorado River and tributaries.

Lyngbya perelegans Lemmermann Colorado River and tributaries.

Lyngbya statina Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries.

Lyngbya versicolor (Wartm.) Gom. Colorado River and tributaries.

Lyngbya spp. Colorado River and tributaries.

Microcoleus orthonoplastes (Fl. Dan.) Thur. Havasu.

Microcoleus vaginatus (Vaugh.) Com. Havasu.

Oscillatoria acuminata Gomont Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria agardhii Gom. Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria amoena (Kütz.) Gomont Colorado River and tributaries.

Ocillatoria amphibia Agardh. Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria amphigranulata Van Goor. Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria angusta Kappe. Colorado River and tributaries. Oscillatoria angustissima West & West Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria articulata Gard. Tributaries to the Colorado River. Oscillatoria chalybea Mertens Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria clariceptrosa Gardner Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria cortiana Meneghini Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria foreaiu Fremy. Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria fremyii De Toni. Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria hamelii Fremy. Colorado River and tributaies.

Oscillatoria jasorvensis Vouk. Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria lacustris (Kleb.) Geit. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Oscillatoria lemmermannii Walosz. Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria limnetica Lenm. Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria limosa (Roth) C. A. Ag. Colorado River and tributaries. Oscillatoria mougeotii Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria migro-viridis Thwaites Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria nigra Vauch. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Oscillatoria obscura Bruhl. Colorado River and tributaries. Oscillatoria okeni Agardh. Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria pseudogeminata G. Schmid. Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria proteus Skuja. Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria quadripunctulata Bruhl & Biswas. Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria rubescens DeCondolle Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria sancta Kütz. Havasu Village.

Oscillatoria schultzii Lemmermann Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria simplicissima Gomont Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria sp. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Oscillatoria splendida Grev. Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria subbrevis Schmid. Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria tanganyikae West Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria tenuis C. A. Ag. Havasu Village, North Rim ponds, Colorado

River, and tributaries.

Oscillatoria tenuis C. A. Ag. var. tergestina Rabenhorst. Colorado River

Oscillatoria trichoides Szafer. Colorado River and tributaries.

Oscillatoria spp. Colorado River and tributaries

Phormidium anomala Rao. Colorado River and tributaries.

Phormidium ambiguum Gomont Colorado River and tributaries.

Phormidium corium var. constrictum Playfair Colorado River and

tributaries

and tributaries.

**Phormidium dimorphum** Lemmermann Colorado River and tributaries.

Phormidium mucosum Gardner Colorado River and tributaries.

Phormidium retzii (Ag.) Gomont Colorado River and tributaries. Phormidium tenue (Menegh.) Gomont Colorado River and tributaries.

Spirulina labyrinthiformis (Menegh.) Gomont Colorado River and

tributaries

Spirulina major Kütz. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Spirulina subsalsa Oerst. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Spirulina subtilissima Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries. Spirulina sp. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Symploca sp. Colorado River and tributaries.

### ORDER UNKNOWN IN PHYLUM CYANOPHYTA

CHLOROPHYCEAE: PALMELLACEAE

Aphanocapsa musicola (Menegh.) Willie. Colorado River and tributaries.

Aphanocapsa sp. Colorado River and tributaries.

CYANOPHYCEAE: MICROCYSTACEAE

Gloeothece sp. Colorado River and tributaries.

CYANOPHYCEAE: RIVULARIACEAE

Gloeotrichia intermedia (Lemm.) Geitler. Colorado River and tributaries.

CYANOPHYCEAE: MICROCHAETACEAE

Microchaete elongata Fremy. Colorado River and tributaries.

CYANOPHYCEAE: SCYTONEMATACEAE

Scytonema alatum (Carm.) Borzi. Colorado River and tributaries.

Scytonema rivulare Borzi. Colorado River and tributaries.

CYANOPHYCEAE: STIGONEMATACEAE

Stigonema hormoides Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries.

#### KINGDOM PROTISTA

#### EUKARYOTES: ALGAE PHYLUM CHLOROPHYTA

#### ORDER CHARALES

Chara contraria Kütz. (= C. vulgaris) Chara, stonewort, muskgrass. Found in pools and quiet water along Bright Angel Creek, Dripping Springs, Elves Chasm, Little Colorado River, and at Lee's Ferry.

#### **ORDER CHAETOPHORALES**

Stigeoclonum flagelliferum Kütz. Tributaries to the Colorado River.
Stigeoclonium pachydermum Prescott Colorado River and tributaries.
Stigeoclonium spp.

#### **ORDER CLADOPHORALES**

Cladophora fracta (Dillw.) Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries.

Cladophora glomerata (L.) Kütz. Filamentous green algae. Common in the Colorado River attached to rocks, wood, and floating in water.

Rhizoclonium hieroglyphicum (C. A. Ag.) Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries.

Rhizoclonium hookeri Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries.

#### ORDER CHLOROCOCCALES

**Pediastrum boryanum (Turp.) Meneghini** Colorado River and tributaries. **Pediastrum integrum Näeg.** Colorado River and tributaries.

**Pediastrum integrum Näeg. var. scutum Raciborski** Colorado River and tributaries

\*Pediastrum tetras (Ehrenb.) Ralfs.

#### **ORDER TETRASPORALES**

**Tetraspora cylindrica** (Wahl.) C. A. Agardh. Colorado River and tributaries. **Tetraspora gelatinosa** (Vauch.) Desv. Tributaries to the Colorado River. **Tetraspora** sp. Colorado River and tributaries.

#### **ORDER ULOTRICHALES**

Ulothrix aequalis Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries.
Ulothrix cylindricum Prescott Colorado River and tributaries.
Ulothrix subtilissima Rabenhorst Colorado River and tributaries.
Ulothrix tenerrima Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries.
Ulothrix tenuissima Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries.
Ulothrix variabilis Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries.
Ulothrix zonata (Weber & Mohr) Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries.

#### ORDER VOLVOCALES

Pandorina morum (Muell.) Bory. Tributary to the Colorado River.

#### ORDER ZYGNEMATALES

Closterium acerosum var. elongatum Bréb. Colorado River and tributaries.
Closterium cynthia var. jenneri [Authority unknown] Tributaries to the
Colorado River.

Closterium dianae Ehr. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

**Closterium spp.** Colorado River and tributaries.

Cosmarium spp. Colorado River and tributaries.

Mougeotia spp. Colorado River and tributaries.

**Spirogyra** spp. Colorado River and tributaries.

- \* Staurastrum americanum (W. & W.) G. M. Smith
- \* Staurastrum crenatum Bailey
- \* Staurastrum gladiosum Turner
- \* Staurastrum margaritaceum (Ehren.) Meneghini Staurastrum sp. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Zygnema spp. Colorado River and tributaries.

#### ORDER UNKNOWN IN PHYLUM CHLOROPHYTA

CHLOROPHYCEAE: CHLORELLACEAE:

\**Ankistrodesmus falcatus* (Corda) Ralfs.

CHLOROPHYCEAE: CHLOROCOCCACEAE:

**Chlorococcum spp.** Colorado River and tributaries.

CHLOROPHYCEAE; CYLINDROCAPSACEAE;

Cylindrocapsa sp. Colorado River and tributaries.

CHLOROPHYCEAE: BOTRYOCOCCACEAE:

\* Dictyosphaerium pulchellum Wood.

CHLOROPHYCEAE: CHAETOPHORACEAE:

Gongrosira lacustris Brand. Colorado River and tributaries.

CHLOROPHYCEAE: DESMIDIACEAE:

- \* Euastrum spp.
- \* Penium sp.
- \*Spondylosium planum (Wolle) W. & G. S. West

CHLOROPHYCEAE: MICROSPORACEAE:

Microspora loefrgenii (Nordst.) Langerheim Colorado River and tributaries.

Colorado River and

Microspora pachyderma (Wille) Langerheim tributaries.

Microspora sp. Colorado River and tributaries.

\* *Microspora tumidula* Hazen.

CHLOROPHYCEAE; MESOTAENIACEAE;

\* Netrium spp.

CHLOROPHYTA: OEDOGONIACEAE:

Oedogonium spp. Colorado River and tributaries.

CHLOROPHYTA: SCENEDESMACEAE:

- \* Scenedesmus bijuga (Turp.) Lagerheim
- \* Scenedesmus sp.

GENERA OF UNCERTAIN SYSTEMATIC POSITION:

Oocystis crassa Wittrock Colorado River and tributaries.

Oocystis elliptica W. West Colorado River and tributaries.

Oocystis solitaria Wittrock Colorado River and tributaries.

Trentepholia aurea (L.) Martius Colorado River and tributaries.

#### PHYLUM RHODOPHYTA

Audouinella sp.

Batrachospermum sp. Colorado River and tributaries.

\* Rhodochorton sp.

#### PHYLUM XANTHOPHYTA

Vaucheria geminata (Vauch.) De Candolle Colorado River and tributaries. Vaucheria sessilis (Vauch.) De Candolle Colorado River and tributaries. Vaucheria spp. Colorado River and tributaries.

## PHYLUM CHRYSOPHYTA CLASS CHRYSOPHYCEAE

- \* Dinobryon sertularia Ehrenberg
- \* Mallomonas acaroides Perty

#### CLASS BACILLARIOPHYCEAE

**Achnanthes affinis Grun.** Colorado River and tributaries, Buck Farm Canyon in sediment near confluence, spring at Lava Falls; epiphytic or epilithic.

Achnanthes biasolettiana (Kütz.) Grun. Stone Creek.

Achnanthes coarctata Bréb. Buck Farm and Shinumo Creek, moss epiphyte.

Achnanthes conspicua A. Mayer Blacktail Canyon.

Achnanthes deflexa Reim. Elves Chasm, moss epiphyte.

Achnanthes exigua var. heterovalva Krass. Colorado River and tributaries, especially Vasey's Paradise, Buck Farm Canyon near confluence, and Shinumo Creek. Prefers warm water.

Achnanthes flexella (Kütz.) Brun. Lee's Ferry.

Achnanthes Ianceolata (Bréb. in Kütz.) Grun. Tributaries to the Colorado River, Vasey's Paradise, Buck Farm Canyon near confluence, travertine spring at CRM 34.6 R, Shinumo Creek, Blacktail Canyon, Stone Creek, National Canyon, and Pumpkin Spring; common.

Achnanthes lanceolata (Bréb. in Kütz.) Grun. var. apiculata Patr. Shinumo Creek.

Achnanthes lanceolata Bréb. var. dubia Grun. Colorado River, Vasey's Paradise, Shinumo Creek, Blacktail Canyon, and Stone Creek; intolerant of organic enrichment.

- Achnanthes lanceolata Bréb. var. omissa Reim. Deer Creek.
- **Achnanthes linearis** (W. Sm.) Grun. Tributaries to the Colorado River, travertine spring at CRM 34.6 R, and Pumpkin Spring; alkaliphilous.
- Achnanthes linearis (W. Sm.) Grun. f. curta H. L. Sm. Colorado River and tributaries, usually associated with moss seeps or epilithic communities, mostly alkaliphilous.
- Achnanthes linearis (W. Sm.) Grun. var. pusilla Grun. Spray zones, along the Colorado River and tributaries. probably alkaliphilous.
- Achnanthes microcephala Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries, common.
- Achnanthes minutissima Kütz. Lower Lake Powell system, North Canyon near confluence, travertine spring at CRM 34.6 R, Buck Farm Canyon near confluence, Shinumo Creek, Blacktail Canyon, National Canyon, spring at Lava Falls, and Pumpkin Spring; alkaliphilous.
- Achnanthes minutissima Kütz. var. scotica (Cart.) Lange-Bert. Buck Farm
  Canyon in sediment near confluence, Blacktail Canyon, and Pumpkin
  Spring.
- Achnanthes sublaevis var. crassa Reim. Colorado River and tributaries, probably alkaliphilous.
- Achnanthes wellsiae Reim. CRM 48.9, only in waters of high conductivity.

  Acnanthes clevei Grun. Cardenas Creek and Paria River, alkaliphilous.
- Amphipleura pellucida (Kütz.) Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries, travertine spring at CRM 34.6 R, Buck Farm Canyon near confluence, strongly alkaliphilous.
- Amphiprora alata Kütz. Tributaries to the Colorado River.
- Amphora sp. nov. [teste Czar. & Blinn]. Colorado River and tributaries, prefers high conductivity, alkalinity, and temperature.
- Amphora coffeaeformis (Ag.) Kütz. Buck Farm Canyon near confluence, North Canyon near confluence, Blacktail Canyon, spring at Lava Falls, and Pumpkin Spring; good indicator of high conductivity and alkalinity.
- Amphora ovalis Kütz. Buck Farm Canyon sediment near confluence, alkaliohilous and calciohilous.
- Amphora ovalis Kütz. var. pediculus (Kütz.) V. H. ex De T. Colorado River and tributaries, Buck Farm Canyon sediment near confluence, Blacktail Canyon, and Pumpkin Spring; alkaliphilous, prefers high oxygen concentrations.
- Amphora perpusilla (Grun.) Grun. Colorado River and tributaries, travertine spring at CRM 34.6 R, Buck Farm Canyon near confluence, Shinumo Creek, Blacktail Canyon, and Pumpkin Spring; alkaliphilous and prefers high conductivity.
- Amphora submontana Hust. Buck Farm Canyon near confluence, Blacktail Canyon, and Pumpkin Spring.
- Amphora veneta Kütz. Diamond Creek, alkaliphilous and prefers high conductivity.
- **Amphora** sp. nov. [teste Czar. & Blinn]. Colorado River and tributaries, prefers high alkalinity and moderate conductivity.
- Anomoeoneis exilis Kütz. Tributaries to the Colorado River.
- Anomoeoneis serians var. brachysira (Bréb.) Hust. Tributaries to the Colorado River
- Anomoeoneis sphaerophora (Kütz.) Pfitz. Tributaries to the Colorado River.
- Anomoeoneis vitrea (Grun.) Ross. Colorado River and tributaries, espeically Clear Creek and Diamond Creek, alkaliphilous and prefers high conductivity.
- Asterionella formosa Hass. Common in Lake Powell, and probably a transient in the Colorado River, not a true component of the periphyton of the canyon.
- Bacillaria paradoxa Gmelin (= Nitzchia paradoxa, Bacillaria paxillifer)
  Diamond Creek, prefers high conductivity.
- Biddulphia laevis Ehr. Alkaliphilous, prefers high conductivity, found at Elves Chasm, Blacktail Canyon, and Diamond Creek.
- Caloneis amphisbaena (Bory) Cl. Havasu Creek, alkaliphilous, usually found in high organic sediments.
- Caloneis bacillaris (Grun.) Cl. var. thermalis (Grun.) A. Cl. Little Colorado River, Unkar Creek, and Fossil Rapids, and tributaries, prefers high conductivity.
- Caloneis bacillum (Grun.) Cl. Colorado River and tributaries, North Canyon near confluence, travertine spring at CRM 34.6 R, Buck Farm Canyon in sediment near confluence, Blacktail Canyon, and spring at Lava Falls; alkaliphilous.

- Caloneis backmanii A. Cl. CRM 19; appears to be alkaliphilous and epilithic. Possibly the first report of its occurrence in the United States.
- Caloneis hyalina Hust. Cardenas Creek, probably alkaliphilous.
- Caloneis silicula (Ehr.) Cl. Buck Farm Canyon in sediment near confluence. Caloneis silicula (Ehr.) Cl. var. brevistriata O. Muell. (= C. pulchra var. brevistriata) Elves Chasm, probably alkaliphilous and preferring water of high conductivity. Possibly the first report of its occurrence in the United States.
- Caloneis silicula (Ehr.) Cl. var. limosa (Kütz.) VanLan. Olo Canyon.
- Caloneis ventricosa var. truncatula (Grun.) Meist. Kanab Creek and Mile 152 seep, alkaliphilous.
- Camplylodiscus balatonis Pant. Tributaries to the Colorado River.
- Camplylodiscus hibernicus (Ehr.) Grun. (= C. noricus var. hibernica)
  Tributaries to the Colorado River, alkaliphilous.
- Campylodiscus noricus var. hibernica (Ehr.) Grun. Vasey's Paradise.
- **Cocconeis diminuta Pant.** Tributaries to the Colorado River, especially Vasey's Paradise and Elves Chasm, alkalibiontic, usually associated with flowing systems.
- Cocconeis pediculus Ehr. Tributaries to the Colorado River, Buck Farm Canyon near confluence, Shinumo Creek, Blacktail Canyon, Stone Creek, and National Canyon; alkaliphilous and prefers moderate conductivity,
- Cocconeis placentula Ehr. Havasu Creek.
- Cocconeis placentula var. euglypta (Ehr.) Cl. Colorado River and tributaries, alkaliphilous.
- Cocconeis placentula var. lineata (Ehr.) Cl. Colorado River and tributaries, Buck Farm Canyon near confluence, Shinumo Creek, Blacktail Canyon, Stone Creek, National Canyon, and Pumpkin Spring; alkaliphilous.
- Coscinodiscus denarius A. S. Kanab Creek, alkaliphilous, probably prefers water of high conductivity, first record for Northern Arizona.
- Cyclotella atomus Hust. Showerstall seep at CRM 35.5, prefers high conductivity.
- Cyclotella meneghiniana Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries, alkaliphilous, prefers water of moderate conductivity.
- Cyclotella michiganiana Skv. Colorado River between Lees Ferry and CRM 19, indicator of oligotrophic systems.
- Cyclotella stelligera (Cl. & Grun.) V.H. North Canyon near confluence. Cyclotella sp.
- Cylindrotheca gracilis (Bréb.) W. Sm. Tributaries to the Colorado River, especially Bright Angel Creek, Pumpkin Spring, and Shinumo Creek, good indicator of high conductivity.
- Cymatopleura solea (Bréb.) W. Sm. Elves Chasm, alkaliphilous, not common.
- Cymbella affinis Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries, Shinumo Creek, and Stone Creek; strongly alkaliphilous, and prefers water with high oxygen concentrations.
- Cymbella affinis, var. nov. [teste Czar. & Blinn]. Colorado River and tributaries, probably strongly alkaliphilous.
- Cymbella amphicephala Naeg. ex. Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries, prefers water of moderate conductivity.
- Cymbella caespitosa (Kütz.) var. ovata Grun. Tributaries to the Colorado
- Cymbella cistula (Hempr.) Grun. Tributaries to the Colorado River, espeically Elves Chasm, alkaliphilous, prefers high concentrations of oxygen.
- Cymbella cymbiformis Ag. Buck Farm Canyon sediment near confluence and Stone Creek.
- Cymbella cymbiformis Ag. var. nonpunctata Font. (= C. parva) Epilithic collection at Elves Chasm, probably alkaliphilous.
- Cymbella hustedtii Krass. Spring at Lava Falls.
- Cymbella laevis Näeg. ex Kütz. Tributaries to the Colorado River, commonly found near seeps with high conductivity.
- Cymbella leptoceros (Ehr.) Kütz. Deer Creek, probably alkaliphilous.
- Cymbella lunata W. Sm. Buck Farm Canyon in sediment near confluence, and spring near Lava Falls.
- Cymbella mesiana Choln. Buck Farm Canyon near confluence.
- Cymbella mexicana (Ehr.) Cl. Colorado River and tributaries, alkaliphilous.
- Cymbella microcephala Grun. Colorado River and tributaries, including Blacktail Canyon and National Canyon; alkaliphilous.

Cymbella microcephala Grun. var. crassa Reim. Colorado River and tributaries, alkaliphilous, prefers water of moderate to high conductivity.

Cymbella minuta Hilse ex Rabh. Colorado River and tributaries, especially Deer Creek, alkaliphilous, prefers high concentrations of oxygen.

Cymbella norvegica Grun. Buck Farm Canyon, Stone Creek, seems to prefer warm water of high alkalinity and conductivity.

Cymbella prostata (Berk.) Cl. Colorado River and tributaries, alkaliphilous and prefers water with high oxygen concentrations.

Cymbella pusilla Grun. Colorado River and tributaries, especially Elves Chasm and Crystal Creek, also at Buck Farm Canyon in sediment near confluence, probably alkaliphilous.

Cymbella sinuata Greg. Colorado River and tributaries, tolerant to a wide range of ecological conditions, alkaliphilous.

Cymbella tumida (Bréb.) V. H. Colorado River and tributaries, especially Elves Chasm, alkaliphilous.

Cymbella tumidula Grun. Colorado River and tributaries, probably alkaliphilous.

Cymbella turgida (Greg.) Cl. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Cymbella turgidula Grun. Buck Farm Canyon near confluence.

Cymbella ventricosa Kütz. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Cymbella ventricosa Kütz. var. semicircularis (Lagst.) Cl. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Cymbella sp. nov. [teste Czar. & Blinn]. Colorado River and tributaries, prefers flowing water of high alkalinity and moderate conductivity.

Denticula elegans Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries, including Blacktail Canyon, Stone Creek, and spring near Lava Falls; alkaliphilous and prefers water of high conductivity.

Denticula rainerensis Sov. Colorado River and tributaries, especially Showerstall seep at CRM 35.5 and Vasey's Paradise, good indicator of high alkalinity and conductivity.

Diatoma anceps (Ehr.) Grun. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Diatoma elongatum Ag. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Diatoma hiemale (Lyngb.) Heib. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Diatoma hiemale (Lyngb.) Heib. var. mesodon (Ehrb.) Grunow. Colorado River and tributaries, especially Tapeats Creek, probably alkaliphilous.

Diatoma mesodon (Ehr.) Kütz. Tributaries to the Colorado River, including Stone Creek.

Diatoma vulgare Bory. Colorado River and tributaries, common, alkaliphilous, prefers water of moderate conductivity.

Diatoma vulgare Bory. var. breve Grun. Colorado River and tributaries, espeically Paria River, Deer Creek, Clear Creek, and Tapeats Creek, alkaliphilous.

Diatoma vulgare Bory. var. linearis V. H. Shinumo Creek, alkaliphilous.

Diploneis elliptica (Kütz.) Cl. Vasey's Paradise, alkaliphilous, prefers water of high alkalinity.

**Diploneis oblongella** (Naeg. ex Kütz.) Ross. Vasey's Paradise, alkaliphilous, prefers water of high conductivity.

Diploneis oculata (Bréb.) Cl. Vasey's Paradise and Little Colorado River, alkaliphilous, prefers water of high conductivity.

**Diploneis puella (Schum.) Cl.** Colorado River and tributaries, spring at Lava Falls, alkaliphilous, prefers water of moderate to high conductivity.

**Diploneis smithii var. dilatata (M. Perag.) Boyer.** Moss seeps at Elves Chasm, probably alkaliphilous, prefers water of high conductivity.

Entomoneis alata (Ehr.) Ehr. Colorado River and tributaries, alkaliphilous, prefers water of high conductivity.

Entomoneis alata (Ehr.) Ehr. Diamond Creek and Elves Chasm.

Entomoneis ornata (Rail.) Reim. Blacktail Canyon.

**Entomoneis palludosa (W. Sm.) Reim.** Colorado River and tributaries, alkaliphilous, prefers water of high conductivity.

Entomoneis paludosa (W. Sm.) Reim. Lower Lake Powell.

Epithemia adnata (Kütz.) Bréb. (= E. zebra) Buck Farm Canyon and Vasey's Paradise, alkaliphilous, but able to tolerate a wide range of ecological conditions.

**Epithemia argus var. alpestris Grun.** Buck Farm Canyon and Vasey's Paradise, probably alkaliphilous.

Epithemia argus var. longicornis (Ehr.) Grun. Colorado River and tributaries, probably alkaliphilous, prefers moderate conductivity.

Epithemia sorex Kütz. Moss seeps along the Colorado River, alkaliphilous, usually associated with moss seps or entanglements of vegetation.

*Epithemia turgida* (Ehr.) Kütz. Upper part of the Colorado River system below Glen Canyon Dam, alkaliphilous and possibly calciphilous.

Eunotia exigua (Bréb. ex Kütz.) Rabh. Spring near Lava Falls.

Eunotia grunowi A. Bg. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Eunotia incisa W. Sm. Ex Greg. Blacktail Canyon.

Fragilaria aequalis Heib. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Fragilaria brevistriata Grun. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Fragilaria brevistriata Grun. var. inflata (Pant) Hust. Cardenas Creek, alkaliphilous, prefers high conductivity.

Fragilaria capucina Desm. Colorado River and tributaries, especially Elves Chasm and Havasu Creek, alkaliphilous, a common plankter.

Fragilaria capucina var. mesolepta Rabh. Colorado River and tributaries, especially Elves Chasm and Havasu Creek, alkaliphilous, able to tolerate higher conductivity than the nominate variety.

**Fragilaria construens var. venter (Ehr.) Grun.** Colorado River and tributaries, especially Diamond Creek, also North Canyon near confluence, Vasey's Paradise, and Shinumo Creek; alkaliphilous.

Fragilaria crotonensis Kitton. Colorado River and tributaries, alkaliphilous, a common plankter.

Fragilaria intermedia Grun. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Fragilaria leptostauron (Ehr.) Hust. Colorado River and tributaries, especially Bright Angel Creek and Tapeats Creek, alkaliphilous.

Fragilaria leptostauron (Ehr.) Hust. var. dubia (Grun.) Hust. Cardenas Creek, alkaliphilous.

Fragilaria sp. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Fragilaria vaucheriae (Kütz.) Peters. Colorado River and tributaries, including Vasey's Paradise, Shinumo Creek, and Stone Creek; alkalliphilous.

Fragilaria virescens Ralfs. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Frustulia vulgaris Thwaites. Colorado River and tributaries, probably requires high organic content.

Frustulia weinholdii Hust. Stone Creek.

Gomphoneis herculeana Ehr. Colorado River and tributaries, alkaliphilous, probably requires a current.

Gomphonema acuminatum Ehr. Rarely from Vasey's Paradise and Bright Angel Creeks, alkaliphilous.

Gomphonema affine Kütz. Redwall Cavern.

Gomphonema affine Kütz. var. insigne (Greg.) Andrews. Kanab Creek, alkaliphilous.

Gomphonema angustatum (Kütz.) Rabh. Tributaries to the Colorado River, Vasey's Paradise, Buck Farm Canyon near confluence, and Stone Creek.

Gomphonema constrictum Ehr. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Gomphonema gracile Ehr. emend. V.H. Stone Creek.

Gomphonema grunowii Patr. Havasu Creek, alkaliphilous. Gomphonema intracatum Kütz. Elves Chasm, alkaliphilous

Gomphonema intracatum Kütz. var. vibrio (Ehr.) Cl. Colorado River and tributaries, Buck Farm Canyon near conlfuence, alkaliphilous.

Gomphonema minutum (Ag.) Ag. Stone Creek.

Gomphonema olivaceum (Lyngb.) Kütz. Kanab Creek.

Gomphonema parvulum (Kütz.) Kütz. Tributaries to the Colorado River, including North Canyon near confluence, Vasey's Paradise, Buck Farm Canyon near confluence, and Blacktail Canyon; possibly an indicator of organic enrichment, very common, possibly alkaliphilous.

Gomphonema sp. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Gomphonema subclavatum (Grun.) Grun. Colorado River and tributaries, probably alkaliphilous and prefers moderate conductivity.

Gomphonema subtile Ehr. Elves Chasm, rare.

**Gomphonema truncatum Ehr.** Colorado River and tributaries, alkaliphilous and possibly calciphilous.

**Gomphonema ventricosum Greg.** Tributaries to the Colorado River and Vasey's Paradise.

Gyrosigma attenuatum var. hippocampus (W. Sm.) Cl. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Gyrosigma balticum (Ehr.) Rabh. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Gyrosigma spencerii (W. Sm.) Cl. Kanab Creek, alkaliphilous, prefers moderate to high conductivity.

**Gyrosigma spencerii var. curvula (Grun.) Reim.** Elves Chasm, Clear Creek, Buck Farm Canyon, alkaliphilous, lower conductivity.

Gyrosigma strigile W. Sm. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Hantzschia amphioxys (Ehr.) Grun. f. capitata Mull. Colorado River and tributaries. alkaliphilous.

Hantzschia amphioxys (Ehr.) Grun. Stone Creek and North Canyon near confluence, alkaliphilous.

**Mastogloia elliptica var. danseii (Thwaites) Cl.** Elves Chasm, alkaliphilous, prefers water of high conductivity.

Mastogloia grevillei W. Sm. CRM 152 seep, probably alkaliphilous.

Mastogloia smithii Thwaites ex W. Sm. Colorado River and tributaries, Buck Farm Canyon sediment near confluence, alkaliphilous and calciphilous.

Mastogloia smithii Thwaites ex W. Sm. var. amphicephala Grun. Clear Creek and Buck Farm Canyon, probably alkaliphilous.

**Mastogloia smithii Thwaites var.** *lacustris* **Grun.** Colorado River and tributaries, especially Crystal Creek, alkaliphilous and calciphilous.

*Melosira granulata* (Ehr.) Ralfs. Tapeats Creek, rheophilic and epiphytic. *Melosira islandica* O. Müll.

**Melosira varians** Ag. Colorado River and tributaries, Vasey's Paradise, and Stone Creek; alkaliphilous and restricted to flowing systems.

Meridion circulare (Grev.) Ag. Diamond Creek, Elves Chasm, Deer Creek, and Pumpkin Spring; common in flowing systems.

Navicula accomoda Hust. Kanab Creek and Bright Angel Creek, alkaliphilous. Navicula amphibola Cleve. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Navicula anglica Ralfs. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Navicula anglica Ralfs. var. subsalsa Grun. Colorado River and tributaries, alkaliphilous and prefers water of high conductivity.

Navicula arvenensis Hust. Colorado River and tributaries, especially Vasey's Paradise and Elves Chasm, warm water alkaliiphil.

Navicula atomus (Kütz.) Grun. Pumpkin Spring.

Navicula bacillum Ehr. Clear Creek, alkaliphilous.

Navicula caru Ehr. Diamond Creek.

**Navicula cincta** (Ehr.) Kütz. Cardenas Creek and Kanab Creek, alkaliphilous and prefers water of high conductivity.

Navicula cocconeiformis Greg. ex Grev. Bright Angel Creek, probably alkaliphilous.

Navicula cryptocephala Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries and Buck Farm Canyon near confluence, common throughout Northern Arizona.

Navicula cryptocephala Kütz. f. minuta Boye-P. Colorado River and tributaries, common throughout Northern Arizona.

Navicula cryptocephala Kütz. var. veneta (Kütz.) Rabh. Colorado River and tributaries, including North Canyon, Buck Farm Canyon, and Stone Creek: alkaliphilous and prefers water of high conductivity.

Navicula cryptocephala var. veneta (Kütz) Rabh. Greenland Lake, North Rim and Shinumo Creek.

Navicula cuspidata (Kütz.) Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries (including North Canyon near confluence), common throughout Northern Arizona and usually associated with sediment.

Navicula cuspidata Kütz. var. major Meist. Chara dominant pool in Havasu Creek, probably alkaliphilous.

Navicula decussis Ostr. Colorado River and tributaries, especially Tapeats
Creek and Shinumo Creek, alkaliphilous and prefers water of high
conductivity.

Navicula densestriata Hust. Little Colorado River, probably alkaliphilous.

Navicula dicephala (Ehr.) W. Smith Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Navicula elginensis var. rostrata (A. Mayer) Patr. Greenland Lake, North

Navicula exigua (Greg.) O. Müll. Olo Canyon.

Navicula gastrum Ehr. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Navicula globulifera Hust. Three Springs Canyon.

Navicula graciloides Mayer. Colorado River, rare.

Navicula gregaria Donkin. Kanab Creek, alkaliphilous and prefers water of high conductivity.

Navicula grimmei Krasske. Kanab Creek, alkaliphilous.

Navicula halophila (Frun.) Cl. Elves Chasm, Buck Farm Canyon near confluence, and Blacktail Canyon.

Navicula lanceolata (Ag.) Kütz. Havasu Creek and Kanab Creek, alkaliphilous and prefers water of high conductivity.

Navicula longirostris Hust. Colorado River and tributaries, especially Cardenas Creek, and CRM 115, alkaliphilous and prefers water of high conductivity. **Navicula luzonensis Hust.** North Canyon near confluence, and Vasey's Paradise.

Navicula minima Grun. Colorado River and tributaries including Vasey's Paradise, Buck Farm Canyon near confluence, and Shinumo Creek. Alkaliphilous but also tolerant of low oxygen concentrations.

Navicula miniscula Grun. Olo Canyon, Nautiloid Seep, and Havasu Creek, possibly alkaliphilous.

Navicula mutica Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries, including North Canyon near confluence, and Shinumo Creek. Alkaliphilous and prefers water of high conductivity.

Navicula mutica Kütz. var. cohnii (Hilse) Grun. Elves Chasm, Vasey's Paradise, Tapeats Creek, and Diamond Creek, alkaliphilous and prefers water of high conductivity.

**Navicula mutica Kütz. var. stigma Patr.** Elves Chasm, alkaliphilous, prefers water of high conductivity, and warmer temperatures.

Navicula mutica Kütz. var. undulata (Hilse) Grun. Elves Chasm, alkaliphilous and prefers water of high conductivity.

**Navicula notha Wallace** Redwall Caverns and Diamond Creek, probably alkaliphilous.

Navicula pelliculosa (Bréb.) Hilse. Kanab Creek, alkaliphilous and prefers water of high conductivity.

Navicula pseudoreinhardtii Patr. Clear Creek and CRM 134, probably alkaliphilous.

Navicula pupula Kütz. Buck Farm Canyon sediment near confluence, CRM 134, Three Springs Canyon, Havasu Canyon, and Pumpkin Spring, alkaliphilous and halophilous.

Navicula pupula var. rectangularis (Greg.) Grun. Greenland Lake, North Rim, Colorado River and tributaries, prefers higher conductivity than N. pupula.

Navicula radiosa Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries, Buck Farm Canyon sediment near confluence, tolerant of many ecological conditions, widespread but not in high abundance.

Navicula radiosa Kütz. var. tenella (Bréb. ex Kütz.) Grun. Colorado River and tributaries, including North Canyon near confluence, Buck Farm Canyon sediment near confluence, travertine spring at CRM 34.6 R, Shinumo Creek, Stone Creek, National Canyon, and Pumpkin Spring; tolerant of many ecological conditions, widespread but not in high abundance.

Navicula rhynchocephala Kütz. North Canyon near confluence.

Navicula salinarum var. intermedia (Grun.) Cl. Vasey's Paradise and Stone Creek.

Navicula secreta var. apiculata Patr. Colorado River and tributaries, especially Bright Angel Creek and Elves Chasm, alkaliphilous and prefers water of high conductivity.

Navicula seminulum Grun. Vasey's Paradise, CRM 34.6 R, Stone Creek, National Canyon, and Pumpkin Spring.

Navicula stroemii Hust. Spring near Lava Falls.

Navicula subtilissima Cl. Buck Farm Canyon, Stone Creek, and Vasey's Paradise; probably alkaliphilous.

Navicula symmetrica Patr. Buck Farm Canyon and Havasu Creek.

Navicula tridentula Krasske Colorado River tributaries, probably alkaliphilous, possible the first report of this taxon's occurrence in the United States.

Navicula tripunctata (Müll.) Bory Colorado River and tributaries, including Vasey's Paradise, travertine spring at CRM 34.6 R, Buck Farm Canyon near confluence, Shinumo Creek, Blacktail Canyon, Stone Creek, and Pumpkin Spring; alkaliphilous, common diatom in the Grand Canyon.

Navicula tripunctata (Müll.) Bory var. schizonemoides (V.H.) Patr. CRM 34.6 R, Buck Farm Canyon, Cardenas Creek, and Blacktail Canyon; prefers water of high conductivity.

Navicula tuscula Ehr. Paria River, probably alkaliphilous.

Navicula viridula (Kütz) Kütz. Olo Canyon, Kanab Creek, and Little Colorado River, alkaliphilous.

Navicula viridula (Kütz) Kütz. var. avenacea (Bréb. ex Grun.) V.H. Buck Farm Canyon sediment near confluence and Shinumo Creek.

Navicula viridula (Kütz) Kütz. var. rostellata (Kütz) CI. Buck Farm Canyon sediment near confluence, Havasu Creek, and Diamond Creek, alkaliphilous.

Navicula zanoni (Kütz) Hust. Colorado River and tributaries, especially Vasey's Paradise, Tapeats Creek, and Shinumo Creek, alkaliphilous.

Navicula spp. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Navicula sp. nov. 1 [teste Czar. & Blinn]. Colorado River and tributaries, probably alkaliphilous.

Navicula sp. nov. 2 [teste Czar. & Blinn]. Colorado River and tributaries, probably alkaliphilous.

Navicula sp. nov. 3 [teste Czar. & Blinn]. Colorado River and tributaries, probably alkaliphilous and halophilous.

Neidium binode (Ehr.) Hust. Elves Chasm, usually associated with a neustonic community, especially in pools with high organic sediments.

Neidium dubium (Ehr.) Cl. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Neidium dubium (Ehr.) Cl. fo. constrictum Hust. Elves Chasm, usually epipelic and probably alkaliphilous preferring dissolved organics.

Neidium productum (W. Sm) Cl. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Nitzschia accedans Hust. Olo Canyon, Shinumo Creek, Elves Chasm, and Bright Angel Creek.

Nitzschia acicularis W. Sm. Colorado River and tributaries, especially Tapeats Creek, probably alkaliphilous.

Nitzschia acicularis W. Sm. var. closterioides Grun. Havasu Creek.

Nitzschia acuta Hantzsch. Shinumo Creek, probably alkaliphilous.

Nitzschia amphibia Grun. Tributaries to the Colorado River, Cardenas Creek, North Canyon near confluence, travertine spring at CRM 34.6 R, Buck Farm Canyon near confluence, Blacktail Canyon, National Canyon, spring near Lava Falls, and Pumpkin Spring; alkaliphilous and prefers water of high conductivity.

Nitzschia angularis W. Sm. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Nitzschia angustata (W. Sm.) Grun. Havasu Creek, Little Colorado River and CRM 34.5, alkaliphilous,

Nitzschia angustata (W. Sm.) Grun. var. acuta Grun. Kanab Creek and Shinumo Creek, alkaliphilous.

Nitzschia apiculata (Greg.) Grun. Colorado River and tributaries, alkaliphilous and prefers water of high conductivity, fairly common.

Nitzschia bicrena Hohn & Hell. Shinumo Creek, possibly alkaliphilous.

Nitzschia bita Hohn & Hell. Elves Chasm, possibly alkaliphilous.

Nitzschia capitellata Hust. Kanab Creek, alkaliphilous and halophilous.

Nitzschia communis Rabh. Colorado River and tributaries, alkaliphilous, an obligate nitrogen heterotroph, and halophilous.

Nitzschia commutata Grun. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Nitzschia compressa var. vexans (Grun.) Lange-Bert. CRM 34.6 R.

Nitzschia denticula Grun. Moss seeps at Vasey's Paradise, alkaliphilous and prefers water of high oxygen concentrations and moderate conductivity.

Nitzschia dissipata (Kütz.) Grun. Tributaries to the Colorado River, spring at CRM 34.6 R. Buck Farm Canyon near confluence. Shinumo Creek. Stone Creek, Pumpkin Spring; alkaliphilous, prefers high oxygen concentrations, common in northern Arizona.

Nitzschia filiformis (W. Sm.) Hust. Olo Canyon and Bright Angel Creek. Nitzschia fonticola Grun. Kanab Creek, Buck Farm Canyon in sediment near confluence, alkaliphilous and tolerant of amino acids.

Nitzschia frustulum Kütz. Tributaries to the Colorado River, alkaliphilous. halophilous, and an obligate nitrogen heterotroph. One of the most important taxa in the canyon.

Nitzschia frustulum Kütz. var. perminuta Grun. North Canyon near confluence, Vasey's Paradise, and Shinumo Creek.

Nitzschia frustulum Kütz. var. perpusilla (Rabh.) Grun. Greenland Lake, North Rim, Colorado River, and tributaries, alkaliphious, halophilous, and an obligate nitrogen heterotroph. One of the most important taxa in the

Nitzschia gracilis Hantzsch Elves Chasm, possibly alkaliphilous.

Nitzschia holsatica Hust. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Nitzschia hungarica Grun. Kanab Creek, alkaliphilous, halophilous, and able to tolderate low oxygen concentrations.

Nitzschia hybrida Grun. Deer Creek, possibly alkaliphilous.

Nitzschia inconspicua Grun. Near confluences in Buck Farm Canyon, Blacktail Canyon, and Stone Creek.

Nitzschia kutzingiana Hilse. Tributaries to the Colorado River, alkaliphilous and one of the most important taxa in the canyon.

Nitzschia lacunarum Hust. Showerstall seep at CRM 35.5, halophilous, calciphilous, and alkaliphilous.

Nitzschia laevissima Grun. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Nitzschia linearis (Ag. ex W. Sm.) W. Sm. Colorado River and tributaries including North Canyon near confluence and Vasey's Paradise

alkaliphilous and prefers water with high oxygen concentrations, on of the most important taxa in the canyon, common.

Nitzschia littoralis var. tergestina Grun. Kanab Creek, possibly alkaliphilous.

Nitzschia longissima (Bréb.) Ralfs. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Nitzschia longissima (Bréb.) Ralfs. var. closterium (W. Sm) V. H. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Nitzschia longissima (Bréb.) Ralfs. var. reversa Grun. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Nitzschia lorenziana Grun. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Nitzschia microcephala Grun. Tributaries to the Colorado River, including Blacktail Canyon and National Canyon, alkaliphilous and halophilous.

Nitzschia obtusa W. Sm. Blacktail Canyon and Stone Creek.

Nitzschia palea (Kütz.) W. Sm. Greenland Lake on North Rim and tributaries to the Colorado River, including North Canyon, Buck Farm Canyon, Stone Creek, National Canyon, and Pumpkin Spring; a good indicator of organic

Nitzschia paradoxa (Gmel.) Grun. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Nitzschia parvula Lewis. Havasu Creek.

Nitzschia recta Hantzsch, Chara pool in Havasu Creek, possibly alkaliphilous.

Nitzschia romana Grun. Elves Chasm, Vasey's Paradise, and Bright Angel

Nitzschia sigma (Kütz.) W. Smith. Little Colorado River, Deer Creek, and Kanab Creek, alkaliphilous and halophilous.

Nitzschia sigmoidea (Ehr.) W. Sm. Elves Chasm, alkaliphilous.

Nitzschia sinuata var. tabellaria Grun. Shinumo Creek, alkaliphilous.

Nitzschia spectabilis (Kütz.) Grun. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Nitzschia spectabilis W. Sm. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Nitzschia tropica Hust. Vasev's Paradise.

Nitzschia tryblionella var. calida (Grun.) V. H. Kanab Creek and Chara pool in Havasu Creek, possibly alkaliphilous.

Nitzschia tryblionella var. levidensis (W. Sm.) Grun. Olo Canyon and Havasu Creek.

Nitzschia vermicularis (Kütz.) Grun. Shinumo Creek, alkaliphilous and halophilous.

Nitzschia vitrea Norm. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Nitzschia sp. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Nitzschia sp. nov. 1 [teste Czar. & Blinn]. Colorado River and tributaries, probably alkaliphilous and prefers water of high conductivity.

Nitzschia sp. nov. 2 [teste Czar. & Blinn]. Colorado River and tributaries, probably alkaliphilous and prefers water of high conductivity.

Opephora ansata Hohn & Hellerm. Pumpkin Spring, probably alkaliphilous

Opephora sp. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Pinnularia appendiculata (Ag.) Cl. Kanab Creek and Pumpkin Spring, aerophilous.

Pinnularia borealis var. rectangularis Carlson Elves Chasm, possibly

Pinnularia brebissonii (Kütz.) Rabh. Deer Creek spray zone, does not prefer water of low mineral content.

Pinnularia brevicostata CI. Greenland Lake, North Rim.

Pinnularia divergentissima (Grun.) Cl. Buck Farm Canyon, cool-water form.

Pinnularia microstauron (Ehr.) Cl. Spring near Lava Falls.

Pinnularia sp. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Pinnularia sp. nov. [teste Czar. & Blinn]. Colorado River and tributaries, probably alkaliphilous.

Plagiotropis lepidoptera (Cl.) Reim. Diamond Creek.

Plagiotropis lepidoptera (Greg) Czar. & Blinn, comb. nov. Colorado

River and tributaries, euhalobous.

Pleurosigma delicatulum W. Sm. Elves Chasm and Havasu Creek, alkaliphilous and halophilous.

Reimeria sinuata (Greg.) Kociolek & Stoermer Travertine spring at CRM 34.6 R, Buck Farm Canyon, and Stone Creek.

Rhoicosphenia curvata (Kütz.) Grun. Colorado River and tributaries, including Travertine spring at CRM 34.6 R, Buck Farm Canyon and Blacktail Canyon near confluence, and Pumpkin Spring; alkaliphilous, prefers water with high oxygen concentrations, very common in flowing waters, and one of the most important taxa in the canyon.

Rhopaloidia gibba (Ehr.) Müll. Tributaries to the Colorado River, including

Buck Farm Canyon; alkaliphilous, common, usually associated with epilithic or epiphytic communities, and one of the most important taxa in the canyon.

Rhopaloidia gibba (Ehr.) Müll. var. ventricosa (Kütz.) H. & M. Perag. Elves Chasm, alkaliphilous, common, usually associated with epilithic or epiphytic communities, and one of the most important taxa in the canyon.

Rhopaloidia gibberula var. vanheirckii Müll. Colorado River and tributaries, alkaliphilous and prefers somewhat higher conductivity than R. gibba.

Scoliopleura peisonis Grun. Elves Chasm, alkaliphilous and extremely halophilous.

**Stauroneis amphioxys**, var. nov. [teste Czar. & Blinn]. Colorado River and tributaries, probably alkaliphilous.

**Stauroneis anceps Ehr.** Greenland Lake on North Rim and Elves Chasm, has a wide range of ecological tolerances.

Stauroneis anceps Ehr. fo. gracilis Rabh. North Canyon near confluence. Stauroneis kriegeri Patr. Pumpkin Spring.

Stauroneis phoenicenteron (Nitz.) Ehr. Greenland Lake, North Rim.

Stauroneis smithii Grun. Elves Chasm, alkaliphilous.

Stenopterobia intermedia (Lewis) V. H. Pumpkin Spring.

Stephanodiscus invisitatus Hohn. & Hellerm. North Canyon near confluence.

Surirella angusta Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries, including Stone Creek, alkaliphilous.

Surirella brightwellei W. Sm. Colorado River and tributaries, including Blacktail Canyon, probably alkaliphilous and halophilous.

Surirella ovalis Bréb, Little Colorado River, alkaliphilous.

Surirella ovata Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries, especially Kanab Creek, alkaliphilous, rheophilous.

Surirella ovata Kütz. var. africana Choln. Shinumo Creek, possibly alkaliphilous.

Surirella ovata Kütz. var. pinnata W. Sm. Kanab Creek, possibly alkaliphilous.

Surirella patella Ehr. Ledges seep at CRM 152, alkaliphilous.

Surirella striatula Turp. Elves Chasm, Clear Creek, and Diamond Creek, alkaliphilous and halophilous.

Surirella striatula Turp., var. nov. [teste Czar. & Blinn]. Colorado River and tributaries, alkaliphilous and halophilous.

Surirella sp. Colorado River and tributaries.

Synedra actinastioides Lemm. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Synedra acus Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries, especially Crystal Creek, alkaliphilous and halophilous.

Synedra affinis Kütz. (sensu stricto Hust.) Elves Chasm, not a common component of the Colorado River system, possibly alkaliphilous.

Synedra berolinensis Lemm. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Synedra delicatissima W. Sm. Buck Farm Canyon in sediment near confluence.

*Synedra delicatissima* var. *angustissima* Grun. Upper reaches directly below Glen Canyon Dam, phytoplankter.

Synedra fasciculata (Ag.) Kütz. Blacktail Canyon.

Synedra goulardii Bréb. Tapeats Creek and Stone Creek, usually found in warm water.

Synedra incisa Boyer. Tapeats Creek and Diamond Creek, possibly alkaliphilous.

Synedra kamtschatica Grun. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Synedra mazamaensis Sov. Clear Creek, possibly alkaliphilous.

Synedra minuscula Grun., var. nov. [teste Czar. & Blinn]. Colorado River and tributaries, probably alkaliphilous, possibly halophilous.

Synedra nana Meist. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Synedra pulchella var. lacerata Hust. Kanab Creek, benthic collection, probably alkaliphilous.

Synedra rumpens Kütz. Colorado River and tributaries (including Vasey's Paradise), widely tolerant.

Synedra rumpens Kütz. var. familiaris (Kütz.) Hust. Olo Canyon.

**Synedra socia Wall.** Colorado River and tributaries, alkaliphilous and possibly rheophilous.

Synedra tenera var. genuina Cl. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

Synedra ulna (Nitz.) Ehr. Colorado River and tributaries, including Blacktail Canyon and spring at Lava Falls, widely tolerant and one of the most important taxa in the canyon.

**Synedra ulna var. contracta Ostr.** Epiphytic, moss seep at Vasey's Paradise, possibly alkaliphilous.

Tropidoneis lepidoptera (Greg.) Cl. Tributaries to the Colorado River.

#### PHYLUM PYRROPHYTA

\*Peridinium cinctum (Muell.) Ehrenberg

#### PHYLUM EUGLENOPHYTA

\* Phacus sp.

\* Trachelomonas superba (Swir) Deflandre

\* Trachelomonas volvocina Ehrenberg

#### PHYLUM CRYPTOPHYTA

\* Cryptomonas spp.

#### HETEROTROPHIC PROTISTA

### PHYLUM MYXOMYCOTA CLASS MYXOMYCETES

#### **ORDER LICEALES**

#### RETICULARIACEAE

Lycogala epidendrum (L.) Fr. Wolf's-milk slime. Scattered to clustered, on dead wood, especially large logs. June to November.

Myxomycete sp. Slime mold.

#### KINGDOM FUNGI

## PHYLUM EUMYCOTA SUBPHYLUM ASCOMYCOTINA CLASS PLECTOMYCETES

#### ORDER ERYSIPHALES

#### **ERYSIPHACEAE**

Erysiphe cichoracearum DC. Powdery mildew fungus. Phyllactinia guttata (Lev.) Karst. Powdery mildew fungus.

#### **CLASS PYRENOMYCETES**

#### HYALOSCYPHACEAE

Dasyscyphus arida (Phill.) Sacc.

#### HYPODERMATACEAE

Hypodermella medusa Dearn. Needle-cast fungus.

Hypodermella abietis-concoloris (Mayr) Dearn. Needle-cast fungus.

Lophodermium juniperinum (Fries) De Notaris Needle-cast fungus. On dead leaves of common juniper.

#### VENTURIACEAE

Lasiobotrys symphoricarpi Syd. Leaf spot fungus.

#### ORDER PYLLACHORALES

Trabutia erythrospora (Berk. & Curt.) Theiss. & Syd. Leaf spot fungus.

#### **ORDER DIATRYPALES**

*Diatrypella favacea* (Fr.) De Not. (= *D. verruciformis*) Generally on dead wood of hardwoods.

#### CLASS ASCOMYCETES

#### ORDER LICHINALES

#### LICHINACEAE

Lichinella americana Henssen. On calcareous rock
Lichinella nigritella (Lettau) Moreno & Egea. (= Gonohymenia nigritella)

On siliceous and calcareous rock.

Lichenella cf. stipatula Nyl. On schist.

Peccania arizonica (Tuck.) Herre. On siliceous rock.

Psorotichia schaereri (Massal.) Arnold On sandstone.

#### **HEPPIACEAE**

Heppia lutosa (Ach.) Nyl. On soil.

#### ORDER GRAPHIDALES

#### THELOTREMATACEAE

Diploschistes cf. gypsaceus (Ach.) Zahlbr. On sandstone. Diploschistes muscorum (Scop.) R. Sant. On soil and over moss.

Diploschistes scruposus (Schreber) Norman On soil over sandstone.

#### ORDER HYPOCREALES

#### HYPOCREACEAE

Nectria cinnabarina (Tode Fr.) Fr.

#### ORDER LECANORALES Suborder Acarosporineae

#### ACAROSPORACEAE

Acarospora fuscata (Schrader) Arnold On siliceous rock.

Acarospora oligospora (Nyl.) Arnold On sandstone.

Acarospora schleicheri (Ach.) A. Massal. On sandstone, limestone, granite,

Acarospora smaragdula (Wahlenb.) Massal. On sandstone and limestone. Acarospora stapfiana (Müll. Arg.) Hue. Parasitic on Caloplaca trachyphylla. Acarospora strigata (Nyl.) Jatta On sandstone, limestone, schist, and

Acarospora utahensis H. Magn. On schist.

Glypholecia scabra (Pers.) Müll. Arg. (= Acarospora scabra, A. saxicola) On limestone and sandstone.

Polysporina simplex (Davies) Vezda. (= Biatorella simplex, Sarco-gyne simplex) On sandstone

Sarcogyne clavus (DC.) Kremp. On sandstone.

Sarcogyne novomexicana Magn. On siliceous and calcareous rock.

Sarcogyne privigna (Ach.) Mass. On sandstone.

#### **HYMENELIACEAE**

Aspicilia caesiocinerea (Nyl. ex Malbr.) Arnold (= Lecanora caesiocinerea) South Kaibab Trail and Grandview Trail, on sandstone.

Aspicilia calcarea (L.) Mudd (= Lecanora calcarea) South Kaibab Trail, Grandview Trail, Bright Angel Trail, North Kaibab Trail, on sandstone, limestone, and shale.

Aspicilia cinerea (L.) Körber. (= Lecanora cinerea) Grandview Trail and North Kaibab Trail; on sandstone and shale.

Aspicilia contorta (Hoffm.) Kremp. (= Lecanora contorta) Bright Angel Trail and 6 km north of Phantom Ranch on North Kaibab Trail: on siliceous

Aspicilia cf. gibbosa (Ach.) Körber. River Trail on sandstone.

Hymenelia epulotica (Ach.) Lutzoni (= lonaspis epulotica) On calcareous

Lobothallia alphoplaca (Wahlenb. in Ach.) Hafellner (= Aspicilia alphoplaca) South Kaibab Trail, Grandview Trail, and Bright Angel Trail;

Lobothallia praeradiosa (Nyl.) Hafellner (= Aspicilia praeradiosa and Lecanora praeradiosa) South Kaibab Trail, River Trail, Grandview Trail, Bright Angel Trail, 6 km north of Phantom Ranch on North Kaibab Trail, on sandstone and limestone.

Megaspora veruosa (Ach.) Hafellner & V. Wirth (= Pachyspora verrucosa, P. mutabilis, Lecanora verrucosa, L. mutabilis, L. urceolata, Pertusaria freyi) On moss, Gambel oak, white fir, Douglas-fir, and dead pine.

#### Suborder Agryriineae

#### AGYRIACEAE

Trapeliopsis granulosa (Hoffm.) Lumbsch (= Lecidea granulosa, L. quadricolor) On Utah juniper and charred wood.

#### Suborder Cladoniineae

#### CLADONIACEAE

Cladonia cariosa (Ach.) Sprengel On soil over mosses.

Cladonia chlorophaea (Flörke ex Sommerf.) Sprengel (= Cladonia pyxidata var. chlorophaea) On earth, rotten wood, or on moss, North Rim.

Cladonia coniocraea (Flörke) Sprengel On soil over mosses.

Cladonia fimbriata (L.) Fr. On soil.

Cladonia glauca Flörke. On soil.

Cladonia pyxidata (L.) Hoffm. On charred and decaying wood and on soil.

#### **PSORACEAE**

Protoblastenia rupestris (Scop.) Steiner

Psora cerebriformis W. Weber South Rim.

Psora crenata (Taylor) Reinke (= Lecidea crenata) On soil, South Kaibab

Psora decipiens (Hedwig) Hoffm. On soil.

Psora globifera (Ach.) Massal. On soil.

Psora nipponica (Zahlbr.) Gotth. Schneider South Rim.

Psora pseudorussellii Timdal On sandstone and on soil in cracks in boulders.

Psora tuckermanii R. Anderson ex Timdal On soil, sandstone, and

#### **LECIDEACEAE**

Lecidea atrobrunnea (Ramon ex Lam. & DC.) Schaer. On sandstone. Lecidea tessellata Flörke On sandstone and limestone.

#### **PORPIDIACEAE**

Psorula rufonigra (Tuck.) G. Schneider (= Lecidea rufonigra, L. brouardii, Psora rufonigra) Bright Angel Trail.

#### RHIZOCARPACEAE

Rhizocarpon cf. bolanderi (Tuck.) Herre On sandstone.

Rhizocarpon disporum (Nägeli. ex Hepp) Müll. Arg. On sandstone, limestone, and shale.

Rhizocarpon geographicum (L.) DC. On sandstone.

#### **SQUAMARINACEAE**

Squamarina lentigera (Weber) Poelt Widespread on calcareous soils, especially gypsum in exposed areas. Reported from Lava Falls.

#### Suborder Lecanorineae

#### **BIATORACEAE**

Biatora sp. (= Lecidea sp.) On sandstone and limestone.

Biatora turgidula (Fr.) Nyl. (= Lecidea turgidula) On white fir.

Lecania brunonis (Tuck.) Herre On limestone.

Toninia candida (Weber) Th. Fr. On sandstone, limestone, and soil.

Toninia cf. ruginosa (Tuck.) Herre On soil.

Toninia sedifolia (Scop.) Timdal (= Toninia caeruleonigricans) On soil and

Toninia tristis (Th. Fr.) Th. Fr. On soil.

#### CANDELARIACEAE

Candelaria concolor (Dickson) Stein South Rim.

Candelariella aurella (Hoffm.) Zahlbr. On sandstone, shale and schist.

Candelariella deflexa (Nyl.) Zahlb. On sandstone and Gambel oak.

Candelariella rosulans (Müll. Arg.) Zahlbr. On siliceous and calcareous rock and Douglas fir.

Candelariella terrigena Räsänen On moss.

Candelariella vitellina (Hoffm.) Müll. Arg. On siliceous rock and pinyon

Candelariella xanthostigma (Ach.) Lettau. On Utah juniper and dead pine.

#### **LECANORACEAE**

Hypocenomyce friesii (Ach.) P. James & Gotth. Schneider (= Lecidea friesii, Psora friesii)

Lecanora argopholis (Ach.) Ach. On sandstone.

Lecanora cenisia Ach. On siliceous rock.

Lecanora crenulata Hook. On sandstone.

Lecanora dispersa (Pers.) Sommerf. On sandstone, limestone, and shale. Lecanora garovaglii (Körber) Zahlbr. On sandstone, limestone, and shale. Lecanora hagenii (Ach.) Ach. On Douglas fir, Utah juniper, Gambel oak, and spike moss.

Lecanora muralis (Schreber) Rabenh. On siliceous and calcareous rock.

Lecanora novomexicana (B. de Lesd.) Zahlbr. On sandstone.

Lecanora cf. opiniconensis Brodo. On sandstone.

Lecanora polytropa (Hoffm.) Rabenh.

Lecanora rupicola (L.) Zahlbr. On sandstone.

Lecanora saligna (Schrader) Zahlbr. On pinyon pine, ponderosa pine, Douglas fir and Abies sp.

Lecanora thallophila Magn. Parasitic on Dermatocarpon.

Lecanora valesiaca (Müll. Arg.) Stizenb. On siliceous and volcanic rock. Lecanora varia (Hoffm.) Ach. On Abies concolor.

Lecidella cf. anomaloides (Massal.) Hertel & Kilias On sandstone.

Lecidella carpathica Körber On siliceous and calcareous rock.

Lecidella euphorea (Flörke) Hertel On Gambel aok, Utah juniper, and pinyon pine.

Lecidella patavina (Massal.) Knoph & Leuckrt. (= Lecidea cf. alaiensis) On

Lecidella stigmatea (Ach.) Hertel & Leuck. On sandstone and limestone. Lecidella wulfenii (Hepp) Körber On Selaginella sp. Very rare, found only on the Grandview Trail.

Pleopsidium chlorophanum (Wahlenb.) Zopf. (= Acarospora chlorophana) Lemon-yellow lichen on acidic rocks.

Protoparmelia badia (Hoffm.) Hafellner (= Lecanora badia) On sandstone.

#### PARMELIACEAE

Bryoria fuscescens (Gyelnik) Brodo & D. Hawksw. On firs and Douglas-fir. Cetraria weberi Essl. On ponderosa pine, very rare, found only on North

Flavopunctelia cf. darrowi (Thomson) Hale (= Parmelia darrowi, Punctelia darrowi) On Douglas-fir

Flavopunctelia soredica (Nyl.) Hale (= Parmelia soredica, P. ulophyllodes, P. manshurica, Punctelia soredica) On pinyon pine and Douglas fir.

Letharia columbiana (Nutt.) Thomson On ponderosa pine. Rare, found only at the Grandview Trailhead.

Melanelia exasperatula (Nyl.) Essl. (= Parmelia exasperuatula) On ponderosa pine.

Melanelia fuliginosa (Fr. ex Duby) Essl. (= Parmelia glabruatula) On Utah juniper, ponderosa pine, and Douglas-fir.

Melanelia incolorata (Parr.) Essl. On sandstone, moss, Gambel oak, pinyon pine, and Douglas-fir.

Melanelia subolivacea (Nyl. in Hasse) Essl. (= Parmelia subolivacea) On ponderosa pine, pinyon pine, Utah serviceberry, Gambel oak, blue spruce, Douglas fir, white fir, subalpine fir, New Mexico locust, and Utah juniper.

Melanelia substygia (Räsänen) Essl. On sandstone.

Pseudevernia intensa (Nyl.) Hale & Culb. On blue spruce and Douglas fir. Rhizoplaca chrysoleuca (Sm.) Zopf. (= Lecanora chrysoleuca, L. rubina) South Rim. On sandstone.

Usnea arizonica Mot. Pale greenish yellow fruiticose lichen on tree stems and branches

Usnea cavernosa Tuck. On Douglas fir and blue spruce.

Usnea florida (L.) F. H. Wigg. Near Yavapai Point, South Rim, on trees. Usnea hirta (L.) F. H. Wigg. On pinyon pine, ponderosa pine, Utah juniper, Douglas fir, blue spruce, white fir, and subalpine fir, Found on North Rim,

Usnea lapponica Vainio On Douglas-fir, blue spruce, and subalpine fir. Usnea subfloridana Stirton On Douglas-fir and blue spruce.

Xanthoparmelia chlorochroa (Tuck.) Hale (= Parmelia molliuscula, this name is a misidentification for North America and as such, may not be an accepted species.) Cocopa Point, South Rim, Near De Motte Park, Kaibab Forest. May grow loose on soil among prairie grasses.

Xanthoparmelia coloradoënsis (Gyelnik) Hale (= Parmelia conspersa, Stenophylla sp.) South Rim and North Rim, on surface limestone at Bright Angel Point. On siliceous rock.

Xanthoparmelia cumberlandia (Gyelnik) Hale On siliceous rock. Xanthoparmelia lavicola (Gyelnik) Hale On sandstone. Xanthoparmelia lineola (Berry) Hale On siliceous rock. Xanthoparmelia mexicana (Gyelnik) Hale On siliceous rock.

Xanthoparmelia plittii (Gyelnik ex D. Dietr) Hale On sandstone. Xanthoparmelia subdecipiens (Vainio) Hale Only found on Hermit Shale. Xanthoparmelia cf. wyomingica (Gyelnik) Hale On moss.

#### PELTULACEAE

Peltula bolanderi (Tuck.) Wetm. On sandstone.

Peltula euploca (Ach.) Poelt On sandstone.

Peltula farinosa Budel. On calcareous rock.

Peltula obscurans (Nyl.) Gyelnik var. deserticola (Zahlbr.) Wetm. On schist.

#### RAMALINACEAE

Ramalina calicares (L.) Fr. var. subampliata Nyl. On trees, old wood, and rarely on rocks. North Rim. This specimen questionable, may not be a good species or identification.

Ramalina sinensis Jatta On Douglas-fir, white fir, subalpine fir, and blue spruce.

#### **PHYSCIACEAE**

Amandinea punctata (Hoffm.) Coppins & Schneid. (= Buellia punctata (Hoffm) Massal.) On ponderosa pine, Douglas fir, white fir, and on

Buellia disciformis (Fr.) Mudd On Utah juniper.

Buellia erubescens Arnold On Douglas fir and Utah juniper.

Buellia cf. novomexicana de Lesd. On calcareous rock.

Buellia retrovertens Tuck. On sandstone, limestone, and schist

Buellia triphragmioides Anzi South Rim.

Dimelaena oriena (Ach.) Norman On sandstone and limestone.

Diplotomma alboatrum (Hoffm.) Flotow (= Buellia alboatra, Rhizocarpon alboatrum) On sandstone, shale, and schist.

Hyperphyscia adglutinata (Flörke) Mayrh. & Poelt (= Physcia adglutinata, P. elaeina, Physciopsis adglutinata, P. elaeina) On catclaw acacia and large shrubs.

Phaeophyscia ciliata (Hoffm.) Moberg On Gambel oak and Utah serviceberry. Phaeophyscia endococcina (Körber) Moberg On North

Phaeophyscia hirsuta (Mereschk.) Moberg On sandstone.

Phaeophyscia nigricans (Flörke) Moberg On sandstone and Utah

Phaeophyscia sciastra (Ach.) Moberg On sandstone and over moss. Physcia adscendens (Fr.) H. Olivier On Gambel oak, Douglas fir, and aspen.

Physcia aipolia (Ehrh. ex Humb.) Fürnr. On Utah juniper, pinyon pine, and subalpine fir.

Physcia albinea (Ach.) Nyl. On rocks along Bright Angel Trail.

Physcia biziana (Massal.) Zahlbr. On ponderosa pine, Utah juniper, Douglas-fir, and sandstone.

Physcia caesia (Hoffm.) Fürnr. On limestone, sandstone, and Douglas-fir.

Physcia callosa Nyl. On pinyon pine, Utah serviceberry, and sandstone.

Physcia dubia (Hoffm.) Lettau On ponderosa pine, pinyon pine, Douglasfir, Utah juniper, cliff rose, Gambel oak, and sandstone.

Physcia mexicana B. de Lesd. On Gambel oak and ponderosa pine.

Physcia phaea (Tuck.) J. W. Thomson On sandstone.

Physcia stellaris (L.) Nyl. On ponderosa pine, pinyon pine, Douglas-fir, subalpine fir, and Gambel oak.

Physcia tenella (Scop.) DC. in Lam. & DC. On limestone, Douglas-fir, and

Physconia detersa (Nyl.) Poelt On Douglas-fir and mosses.

Physconia grisea (Lam.) Poelt On Gambel oak, Douglas-fir, and sandstone.

Physconia muscigena (Ach.) Poelt On moss.

Physconia perisidiosa (Erichsen) Moberg On Douglas fir. Rinodina castanomela (Nyl.) Arnold On sandstone

Rinodina coloradiana Magn. On white fir and subalpine fir.

Rinodina confragosa (Ach.) Körber On sandstone.

Rinodina immersa (Koerb.) Arnold Endolithic in limestone.

Rinodina cf. lignicola Sheard On Utah juniper.

Rinodina zwackhiana (Kremp.) Körber On sandstone.

#### Suborder Peltigerineae

#### PELTIGERACEAE

Peltigera canina (L.) Willd. Dog Lichen. On soil. Peltigera didactyla (With.) Laundon On North Rim. Peltigera rufescens (Weis) Humb. On soil.

#### **NEPHROMATACEAE**

**Nephroma parile** (Ach.) Ach. North Rim. Over mosses at base of trees and on rocks in moist woods.

#### **PANNARIACEAE**

Fuscopannaria leucophaea (Vahl.) P. M. Jörg. (= Pannaria leucophaea)
South Rim. On deciduous trees, rarely on rocks, in mature forests.

Psoroma hypnorum (Vahl) Gray North Rim.

#### COLLEMATACEAE

Collema coccophorum Tuck. On soil.

Collema furfuraceum (Arnold) Du Rietz On sandstone.

Collema fuscovirens (With.) Laundon On limestone and soil.

Collema polycarpon Hoffm. On sandstone, limestone, shale, and granite.

Collema subflaccidum Degel. On soil and Douglas fir.

Collema tenax (Sw.) Ach. On soil.

Leptogium gelatinosum (With.) Laundon On North Rim.

#### **PLACYNTHIACEAE**

Placynthium nigrum (Huds.) Gray On sandstone and calcareous rock.

#### Suborder Pertusariineae

#### PERTUSARIACEAE

Pertusaria saximontana Wetm. On Utah juniper.

#### Suborder Teloschistineae

#### **TELOSCHISTACEAE**

Caloplaca approximata (Lynge) Magn. On limestone.

Caloplaca arenaria (Pers.) Müll. On sandstone and shale.

Caloplaca arizonica Magn. On Gambel oak, Utah juniper, and shrubs.

Caloplaca atroalba (Tuck.) Zahlbr. On sandstone. Caloplaca cerina (Hedwig) Th. Fr. South Rim.

Caloplaca chrysophthalma Degel. On Douglas fir.

Caloplaca cladodes (Tuck.) Zahlbr. On sandstone and limestone.

Caloplaca decipiens (Arnold) Blomb. & Forss. On sandstone and shale.

Caloplaca durietzii Magn. On Utah juniper and Douglas fir.

Caloplaca epithallina Lynge On Rhizoplaca melanophthalma.

Caloplaca holocarpa (Hoffm. ex Ach.) Wade. On Utah juniper and white fir.

Caloplaca microphyllina (Tuck.) Hasse On catclaw acacia.

Caloplaca modesta (Zahlbr.) Fink On limestone, sandstone, and schist.

Caloplaca pellodella (Nyl.) Hasse On sandstone.

Caloplaca pinicola Magn. On Gambel oak.

Caloplaca saxicola (Hoffm.) Nordin On calcareous rock and sandstone.

Caloplaca squamosa (de Lesd.) Zahlbr. On shale and calcareous rock.

Caloplaca trachyphylla (Tuck.) Zahlbr. On sandstone and limestone.

Fulgensia desertorum (Tomin) Poelt On soil.

Xanthoria candelaria (L.) Th. Fr. On Douglas fir.

Xanthoria elegans (Link) Th. Fr. (= Caloplaca elegans) On sandstone and limestone. South Rim.

Xanthoria fallax (Hepp) Arnold On ponderosa pine, pinyon pine, netleaf hackberry, New Mexico locust, catclaw acacia, Gambel oak, and honey mesquite.

Xanthoria polycarpa (Hoffm.) Rieber On ponderosa pine, pinyon pine, Douglas-fir, Utah serviceberry, white fir, subalpine fir, Gambel oak, New Mexico locust and sagebrush.

#### Suborder Umbilicarineae

#### UMBILICARIACEAE

Umbilicaria hirsuta (Sw. ex Westr.) Hoffm. (= Gyrophora hirsuta) South Rim, Hermit Trail, base of Kaibab Limestone.

Umbilicaria phaea Tuck. On sandstone.

#### ORDER ARTHONIALES

#### **ARTHONIACEAE**

Arthonia glaucomaria (Nyl.) Nyl. Point Imperial, North Rim on Lecanora rupicola.

#### **ORDER VERRUCARIALES**

#### VERRUCARIACEAE

Catapyrenium acarosporoides (Zahlbr.) Thomson On granite and limestone.

Catapyrenium lachneum (Ach.) R. Sant. On soil.

Catapyrenium plumbeum (de Lesd.) Thomson On sandstone.

Catapyrenium tuckermanii (Rav. ex Mont.) Thomson On Utah juniper.

**Dermatocarpon miniatum (L.) Mann** On schist, calcareous and siliceous rock, extremely common and widespread.

Dermatocarpon moulinsii (Mont.) Zahlbr. On sandstone and limestone.

Dermatocarpon reticulatum Magn. On sandstone and limestone.

Endocarpon pusillum Hedwig On sandstone and soil.

Staurothele areolata (Ach.) Lett. On sandstone and limestone.

Staurothele drummondii (Tuck.) Tuck. On limestone and sandstone.

Staurothele effigurata Thomson On sandstone and limestone.

Staurothele elenkinii Oksn. On sandstone and limestone.

Verrucaria cf. muralis Ach. On sandstone and limestone.

#### CLASS DISCOMYCETES

#### ORDER PEZIZALES

#### HELVELLACEAE

Helvella lacunosa Afz. ex Fr. Fluted black helvella, bishops mitre, black-capped helvella, cinereous helvella, elfin saddle. Found in early spring in both deciduous and coniferous forests, on the ground or on decaying wood, especially in the spruce-fir forests. Not recommended for eating as the related false morels (Cyromitra) are known to contain toxins.

#### MORCHELLACEAE

Morchella elata Fr. (= M. conica, M. angusticeps) Black morel, narrow-capped morel, slender-capped morel, mountain fish. On the ground in coniferous forests, especially spruce, but also aspen and pine. Found at the edges of meadows, open areas, and in forested areas recently burned. Poisonous if eaten in large quantities or consumed with alcoholic beverages. April to May, edible, but with caution.

#### **ORDER HELOTIALES**

Cenangium ferruginosum Fries. Pruning twig blight fungus. A wound parasite or causing die-back of shoots and twigs, usually on fir, spruce, and pine trees.

#### ORDER PHACIDIALES

#### RHYTISMATACEAE

Elytroderma deformans (Weir) Darker Needle-cast fungus. Causes needlecast of pinyon and ponderosa pines.

Hypoderma pini (Dearn.) Darker Needle-cast.

#### **CLASS LOCULOASCOMYCETES**

#### ORDER DOTHIDEALES

#### DIMERIACEAE

Dimerium juniperi Dearness

PHYLUM BASIDIOMYCOTA
SUBPHYLUM BASIDIOMYCOTINA
CLASS HYMENOMYCETES
SUBCLASS HOLOBASIDIOMYCETIDAE

#### ORDER AGARICALES

#### AGARICACEAE

Agaricus bitorquis (Quél.) Sacc. Spring agaricus, urban agaric. On packed ground in urban areas. Edible, May to June, also September.

Agaricus campestris L. ex Fr. Meadow mushroom, common field mushroom, hot-bed mushroom, pink bottom. In grassy areas, August to September, occassionally in spring, edible.

Agaricus silvicola (Vitt.) Pk. Gilled mushroom, forest agaric, sylvan

mushroom, wood mushroom. Mixed conifer and deciduous forest. Not recommended as edible.

#### AMANITACEAE

Amanita gemmata (Fr.) Gill. (A. junquillea may be a variant.) Gemmed amanita, crenulate amanita, jonquil amanita, destroying angel. On the ground in pine and oak woods, possibly poisonous, June to October.

Amanita muscaria (L. ex Fr.) Hooker Fly agaric, false orange, fly amanita, fly-poison amanita. On the ground under pine, spruce, and mixed conifer forests, poisonous. Common name refers to it being used, when mixed with milk, to stupefy houseflies.

Amanita pantherina (DC. ex Fr.) Secr. Panther. Common associate of conifers, particularly Douglas-fir, June, September to October, poisonous.

Amanita vaginata (Fr.) Vitt. var. lavida Pers. (= Vaganita lavida) Club fungus. This is the brownish colored variety of the species.

Amanita vaginata (Fr.) Vitt. var. vaginata (Bull. ex Fr.) Vitt. Grisette, conspicuously veiled vaginata, ringless amanita, sheathed amanitopsis. On the ground in open woods, under pinyon and ponderosa pine, and in grass near trees. Edible with caution, June to September.

#### **BOLFTACEAE**

Boletus edulis Bull. ex Fr. King bolet, cepe, edible boletus, European boletus, steinpilz. On the ground, under pine and aspen, edible, June to October

**Boletus pinicola** (Vitt.) Rea. Bolete. Considered to be a subspecies of *B. edulis*.

Leccinum testaceoscabrum (Secr.) Sing. (= Boletus versipellis) Orange-cap boletus, bolete.

Suillus granulatus (L. ex Fr.) Kuntze (= Boletus granulatus) Dotted-stalk suillus. Under spruce and pine, or ponderosa pine, especially with sagebrush understory, lune to November, edible.

Suillus lakei (Murr.) A. H. Sm. & Thiers var. lakei (= Boletus lakei) Lake's boletus. On the ground under Douglas-fir, August.

#### CANTHARELLACEAE

Cantharellus cibarius Fr. Chanterelle, edible chanterelle, egg mushoom, golden chanterelle, pfifferling, girolle, yellow chanterelle. On the ground under oaks or conifers, odor pleasant and fruity, very choice in edibility, but beware of toxic look-alikes.

Gomphus floccosus (Schw.) Sing. (= Cantharellus floccosus) Floccose chanterellus, scaly cantherelle, shaggy chanterelle, woolly chanterelle. Under conifers or in mixed woods, edible, but not recommended.

#### COPRINACEAE

Coprinus comatus (Müll. ex Fr.) S.F.G. Shaggy mane, horse-tail mushroom, inky egg, lawyers wig, maned agaric, shaggy beard. Scattered to clustered and common, in grass, wood chips, margins of roadways, paths, open grassy areas, and hardpacked soil, edible, May to early June, September to October.

Coprinus micaceus (Bull. ex Fr.) Fr. Mica cap, common ink-cap, glistening inky cap, little inky. On stumps or wood debris, edible, April to October.

Coprinus radians (Desm.) Fr. Orange-mat coprinus. Scattered on wet wood, in basements. May to October.

Panaelous semiovatus (Sow. ex Fr.) Lund. & Nannf. Semi-ovate panaeolous. On horse manure.

#### CORTINARIACEAE

#### Hebeloma hiemale Bres.

Inocybe decipiens Bres. The genus is generally poisonous, rich in

Inocybe Iilacina (Bond.) Kauff. (= 1. geophylla var. Iilacina) Lilac fiber head.

On the ground, under coniferous and deciduous trees, August to November. The genus is generally poisonous, being rich in muscarine.

Inocybe sororia Kauff. Pungent fiber head. Under hardwoods in mixed woods. The genus is generally poisonous, being rich in muscarine.

#### CREPIDOTACEAE

Crepidotus sphaerosporus (Pat.) J. E. Lange Occurrence of this taxon in North America is questionable. Host is spruce.

#### HYGROPHORACEAE

Hygrophorus glicyclus Fr. Waxy cap,

 Hygrophorus pudorinus Fr. var. fragrans (Murr.) Hesler & A. H. Sm. (= Hygrophorus fragrans) Waxy cap, turpentine waxy cap. Under spruce, August to October.

Hygrophorus purpurascens (Fr.) Fr. Waxy cap. Under conifers.

#### LEPIOTACEAE

Lepiota clypeolaria (Bull. ex Fr.) Kum. Shaggy-stalked lepiota, shield lepiota. On the ground, in coniferous (ponderosa pine and Douglas fir), oak, and mixed woods. Poisonous.

#### RUSSULACEAE

Lactarius deliciosus (Fr.) S.F.G. Orange-latex milky, delicious lactarius, orange-milk lactarius. Under conifers, especially pine, also common on moist but well-drained humus, edible.

Lactarius uvidus (Fr.) Fr. Common violet-latex milky, grape-colored lactarius. On the ground under aspen and pine, poisonous.

Russula chrysodacryon Singer Russula.

#### STROPHARIACEAE

Pholiota adiposa (Fr.) Kum. Fatty pholiota, pineapple pholiota, sticky pholiota.

Pholiota aurivella (Fr.) Kum. Golden pholiota. On living trunks and on logs of both deciduous and coniferous trees. Edible but with caution. September to November.

Pholiota squarrosa (Mull. ex Fr.) Kum. Scaly pholiota, rough pholiota. Grows at the base of dead or dying hardwoods, particularly aspen, and occasionally conifers. Reported to have odor and taste of garlic, poisonous, causes severe gastric upset.

Stropharia semiglobata (Batsch ex Fr.) Quél. Round stropharia, dung round head, dung stropharia, hemispheric stropharia. On horse dung, June to September, edible but not particularly tasty.

#### TRICHOLOMATACEAE

Armillaria albolanaripes Atk. Shaggy-stalked armillaria, shaggy stem. Under conifers, summer.

Clitocybe dilatata Pers. ex Kar. Crowded white clitocybe. Roadways in conifer forests, May to November, poisonous.

Clitocybe gibba (Fr.) Kum. Funnel clitocybe, funnel-shaped clitocybe. Under mixed oak and pine stands, July to October, edible.

Collybia semitale (Fr.) Quél. Club Fungus.

Flammulina velutipes (Fr.) Kar. (= Collybia velutipes) Velvet foot, Christmas mushrooms, velvet-footed collybia, velvet-stem collybia, velvet-stem flammulina, winter mushroom. On decayed aspen wood, July to August, edible. Species now cultivated and sold commercially as Enotake, but looks very different from the wild mushroom.

Lentinus lepideus (Fr. ex Fr.) Fr. Scaly lentinus, train-wrecker. On decaying logs and stumps of aspen and various conifers, also on fence posts and railroad ties, edible, destroys railroad ties, causing derailments.

Leucopaxillus albissimus (Pk.) Sing. var. albissimus White leucopax, white false paxilus, very white clitocybe. Under conifers, particularly Douglas-fir, August to October, reported to be bitter and indigestible.

#### *Marasmius* sp.

Pleurotus ostreatus Fr. Oyster mushroom, willow pleurotus. On deciduous trees, such as aspen, and rarely pine, sometimes on buried stumps, edible, often found for sale in supermarkets.

#### ORDER APHYLLOPHORALES

#### CLAVARIACEAE

Clavaria purpurea Fr. Purple club coral, fairy clubs, purple tongues. On the ground under spruce and fir, edible, September to October.

Clavariadelphus pistillaris (Fr.) Donk (= Clavaria pistillaris) Pestle-shaped coral, pestle-shaped clavaria, club mushroom, Indian club clavaria, large club clavaria, little war clubs. On the ground in woods, July to October, edible, though unpalatable.

#### CORTICIACEAE

**Peniophora rufa (Fr.) Boid.** Red tree brain. Usually on dead twigs and branches of aspen. March to December.

#### GANODERMATACEAE

Ganoderma applanatum (Pers. ex Wall.) Pat. (= Fomes applanatus) Artist's conk, artist's fungus, plane brown ganoderma. On dead wood, especially of deciduous trees, but reported on conifers and wounds in living trees.

#### HYDNACEAE

Echinodontium tinctorium Ell. & Ev. (= Fomes tinctorius) Indian paint fungus. On coniferous woods, causes white heartrot of living conifers. Common name refers to fact that Indians used this mushroom to make red war paint. It can be used as a yarn dye.

Hydnum imbricatum Fr. Scaly tooth, imbricated hydnum, scaly hydnum, shingle cap. Fruits abundantly on the ground in coniferous, deciduous, and mixed woods. Edible but varies in taste from mild to unpleasant, June to October.

Hydnum sauveolens Fries. Tooth.

#### POLYPORACEAE

Albatrellus ellisii (Berk.) Pouz. (= Polyporus ellisii) Scaly yellow polypore. On the ground in mixed woods, September to October.

Bjerkandera adusta (Fr.) Kar. (= Polyporus adustus) Smoky polypore. On dead deciduous and coniferous wood.

Cryptoporus volvatus (Pk.) Hub. (= Polyporus volvatus) Veiled polypore. On living and dead conifers, May to August.

**Daedalea juniperina Murr.** Thick-maze juniper polypore. On dead juniper, very rare.

Fomes juniperinus (Von Sch.) Sacc. & Syd.

Fomes texanus (Murrill) Hedec. & Long Polypore.

Gloeophyllum sepiarium (Fr.) Kar. (= Lenzites saepiaria) Yellow-red gill polypore, chocolate lenzites. On dead conifers, reported on hardwoods, June to November.

Inonotus dryophilus (Berk.) Murr. (= Polyporus dryophillus) Polypore.
Inonotus tomentosus (Fr.) Gilbertson & Buddington (= Polyporus tomentosus) Polypore.

Phaeolus schweinitzii (Fr.) Pat. (= Polyporus schweinitzii) Dye Polypore. On roots, stumps, or trunks of conifers, also reported on some deciduous trees. Young mushrooms are often brightly colored and can produce dyes of many colors. Causes a serious heart rot in conifers, especially abundant in ponderosa pine and Douelas-fir.

Phellinus demidoffii (Lév.) Bond. & Sing. (= Fomes demidoffii) Polypore.
Phellinus igniarius (Fr.) Quél. Flecked-flesh polypore, false clinker fungus.
On living or dead deciduous trees, especially aspen.

Phellinus rimosus (Berk.) Pil. (= Poria rimosa, Fomes rimosus, Polyporus rimosus) Cracked fomes, cracked-cap polypore, polypore. On living or dead locust

Phellinus robustus (Karst.) Bourdot & Galzin. (= Fomes robustus) Polypore. Grows on oak.

*Polyporus abietinus* Dickson ex Fries. Fir polypore.

Polyporus anceps Pk. Polypore.

**Polyporus arcularius** Bat. ex Fries. Spring polypore, angular-pored polypore. On dead deciduous wood; on ground over buried wood, May to June.

Polyporus fibrillosus Karst. Polypore.

Polyporus hirtus Quél. (= Coriolus hirsutus) Bitter iodine polypore. Near trees and stumps, attached to buried wood, especially in fir, spruce, and Douglas-fir forests, September to March.

**Polyporus leucospongia** Cke. Et Harkn. On white fir at Robbers Roost and Point Imperial, North Rim, associated with a brown rot.

Polyporus planellus (Murr.) Overh. Polypore

**Polyporus subchartaceus** (Murr.) Overh. Polypore. On quaking aspen at Robber's Roost and Cape Royal, North Rim, associated with white rot.

**Polyporus varius Fr.** Elegant polypore, black-footed polypore. On dead deciduous wood, also reported on pine, June to November.

Poria andersonii (Ellis & Everh.) Neuman. Polypore.

Poria ferox Long. Polypore.

Poria medulla-panis (Jacq. ex Fr.) Bres. (= Fomes unita, Perenniporia medulla-panis) Polypore.

Poria subacida (Pk.) Sacc. Polypore.

Poria taxicoa (Pers.) Cke. On ponderosa pine at Neal Spring campground, North Rim.

Poria tenuis (Schw.) Cke. Polypore.

Poria xantha (Fr.) Cke. Polypore.

Pycnoporellus alboluteus (Ell. & Ev.) Kotl. & Pouz. Orange sponge polypore. Wood-decay fungus on lower surfaces of downed fir and spruce logs in early spring at the edge of melting snowbanks, July to October.

Pycnoporus cinnabarinus (Fr.) Kar. (= Polyporus cinnabarinus) Cinnabarred polypore, cinnabar polyporus. On dead deciduous wood, reported on coniferous wood.

Spongiporus leucospongia (Cke. & Hark.) Murr. White spongy polypore. On old logs and stumps of conifers, such as pine, spruce, and Douglas-fir, August to November.

Trametes hispida Baglietto. Polypore.

Trametes peckii Kalchbr. apud Pk. Polypore.

Trichaptum biformis (Fr. in Kl.) Ryv. (= Coriolus biformis, Polyporus biformis, Hirschioporus pargamenus) Violet-toothed polypore. On dead deciduous wood, also reported on conifers, May to December.

#### SPARASSIDACEAE

Sparassis radicata Weir. On ground under conifers, North Rim.

#### **SCHIZOPHYLLACEAE**

Schizophyllum commune Fr. Common split gill, split-gilled bracket.
Common on dead branches of deciduous trees.

#### STEREACEAE

Columnocystis abietinum (Pers. ex Fr.) Pouz. (= Stereum abietinum) Fir stereum. On fir trees.

#### SUBCLASS PHRAGMORASIDIOMYCETIDAE

#### ORDER TREMELIALES

#### AURICULARIACEAE

Auricularia quercina (Pk.) Hoehn. Little ear, Judas' ear, Jew's ear fungus.

#### CLASS GASTEROMYCETES

#### ORDER LYCOPERDALES

#### GEASTRACEAE

Geastrum recolligens (Woodward ex Sow.) Desvaux. Earthstar, earth star, star puff ball.

#### LYCOPERDACEAE

**Bovista** sp. Puffball. Pastures, around stables, and in open woods. June to October.

#### ORDER NIDULARIALES

#### **NIDULARIACEAE**

Crucibulum laeve (Huds.) Kamb. White-egg bird's nest, bird's nest fungus. Inedible, but probably not poisonous. On dead wood and debris such as elderberry branches, old berry canes, fallen branches of willow trees, and old sawdust piles.

#### ORDER SCLERODERMATALES

#### **ASTRAEACEAE**

Astreus hygrometricus (Pers.) Morg. Barometer earthstar, water-measuring earth-star. Poor or sandy soils of open meadows, road margins and exposed sites. Not edible because of the consistency.

#### ORDER UREDINALES

#### COLEOSPORIACEAE

Coleosporium crowelli Cummins Rust. Found on pinyon pine. Coleosporium jonesii (Pk.) Arth. Rust.

#### MELAMPSORACEAE

Chrysomyxa arctostaphyli Diet. Rust on manzanita.

Chrysomyxa pyrolae (DC.) Rostr. Rust on spruce and wintergreen.

Cronartium coleosporioides Arth. Rust.

**Melampsora abieti-carpaearum Tub.** Rust on white fir, subalpine fir, and willow.

Melampsora albertensis Arth.

Melampsora lini (Ehrenb.) Lev. Rust on flax species.

Melampsora medusae Thum. Rust on aspen.

Melampsora monticola Mains. Rust on Euphorbiaceae.

Melampsorella cerastii (Pers.) Schroet. (= Melampsorella caryophyllacearum) Rust on fir and spruce species.

**Peridermium ephedrae** [Authority not known] Rust on Nevada and mountain joint-fir species with secondary host a fern.

Pucciniastrum pyrolae Diet. ex Arth. Rust on wintergreen species.

Uredinopsis macrosperma Diet. ex Arth. (= Uredinopsis pteridis) Rust on fir species and bracken fern.

#### **PLEOSPORACEAE**

*Herpotrichia nigra* Hartig. Brown felt blight fungus. *Phleospora robiniae* (Lib.) Hoehn. Leaf spot fungus.

#### **PUCCINIACEAE**

Cumminsiella sanguinea (Peck) Arthr. (= Cumminisiella mirabilissima)
Rust.

Gymnosporangium inconspicuum Kern. Rust. Gymnosporangium kernianum Bethel. Rust. Gymnosporangium multiporum Kern. Rust.

**Gymnosporangium nelsonii Arth.** Rust. **Gymnosporangium speciosum Peck.** Rust.

Phragmidium montivagum Arth. Rust on rose species.
Phragmidium peckianum Arth. Rust on blackberry species.
Phragmidium rubi-idaei (DC.) Karst. Rust on blackberry species.

Puccinia aemulans Syd. Rust.

Puccinia cirsii Lasch. Rust.

Puccinia crandallii Pam. & Hume Rust.

Puccinia dioicae P. Magn. Rust. Puccinia grindeliae Pk. Rust. Puccinia monoica Arth. Rust.

Puccinia poae-nemoralis [Authority not known] Rust.

Puccinia pseudocymopteri Holw. Rust. Puccinia pulverulenta Grev. Rust.

Puccinia pygmaea Eriks. Rust.

Puccinia recondita Rob. ex Desm. Rust. Puccinia stipae Arth. var. stipae Rust.

Puccinia stipae Artn. var. stipae Kust.

Puccinia strum epilobii Otth. Rust.

Puccinia substerilis Ell. & Ev. Rust.

Puccinia tanaceti DC. Rust.

Tranzschelia thalictri (Chev.) Diet. Rust on meadow rue.

Uromyces prominens (DC.) Pass. (= Uromyces euphorbiae) Rust.

Uromyces fabae (Pers.) de Bary. (includes Uromyces viciae-fabae) Rust.

Uromyces intricatus Cke. Rust.

Uromyces suksdorfii Diet & Holw. Rust.

#### **CLASS TELIOMYCETES**

#### **ORDER USTILAGINALES**

Cintractia caricis (Pers.) Magn.

#### PHYLUM DEUTEROMYCOTINA FUNGI IMPERFECTI

Lepraria incana (L.) Ach. On sandstone.

Lepraria neglecta (Nyl.) Erichsen Over moss on sandstone.

#### CLASS HYPOMYCETES

#### DEMATIACEAE

Cercospora coleosanthi Ell. & Ev. Leafspot fungus.

#### CLASS COELOMYCETES

Gloeocoryneum (Dearn.) J. Weindlymayr (= Coryneum cinereum) Needleblight fungus.

#### ORDER MELANCONIALES

Marssonina populi (Lib.) Magn. Leaf spot fungus on aspen and willow. Pestalotia stevensonii Peck. Needle-blight fungus.

#### KINGDOM PLANTAE

## PHYLUM BRYOPHYTA CLASS MUSCOPSIDA

#### AMBLYSTEGIACEAE

Amblystegium juratzkanum Schimp. On moist rocks, soil, and rotten logs, usually in shade.

Amblystegium noterophilum (Sull.) Holz. On moist rocks below Roaring Springs cave opening. New Record for Grand Canyon.

Campylium chrysophyllum (Brid.) J. Lange On soil, humus, rocks, and tree bases, usually in shady places and often scattered among other mosses. Reported from Havasu Canyon in springs.

Cratoneruron filicinum (Hedw.) Spruce On wet calcareous soil, rocks, and logs or submerged in springs, brooks, ponds, or swamps.

**Hygroamblystegium irriguum (Hook. & Wils.) Loerke** (not *Amblystegium irriguum*)

Hygroamblystegium orthocladon (P.-Beauv.) Grout. Vasey's Paradise on rocks splashed by water and growing under water near village in Havasu Canyon.

#### BARTRAMIACEAE

**Philonotis capillaris Lindb.** Vasey's Paradise.

Philonotis fontana (Hedw.) Brid. North Rim, 8,200 ft and above. On soil and rock in wet places and seeps, sometimes in water.

#### BRACHYTHECIACEAE

Eurhynchium hians (Hedw.) Sande Lac. On soil.

Rhynchostegium riparioides (Hedw.) Card. (= Eurhynchium rusciforme, Platyhypaelin riparioides) CRM 26.5 in Marble Canyon, Elves' Chasm at water's edge; Ribbon Falls, Bright Angel Canyon.

Scleropodium cespitans (C. Muel.) L. Koch. var. sublaeve Ren. & Card. ex Roll. Tentative reidentification of specimen formerly identified as Myurella tenerrima. Found on logs, tree roots, and rocks.

#### BRYACEAE

**Bryum argenteum Hedw. var. lanatum (P.-Beauv.) B.S.G.** North and South Rims, canyon bottom to 8,200 ft and above. On dry or moist soil, rock, brick walls, sidewalks, and shingle roofs.

**Bryum caespiticium Hedw.** North and South Rims, canyon bottom to 8,200 ft and above. On damp or rather dry soil, often in disturbed places

**Bryum gemmiparum De Not.** Cronac. South Rim, 4,000 to 7,000 ft. On wet. calcareous soil and rocks.

Bryum Ionchicaulon C. M. (= B. cirratum) South Rim, 4,000 to 7,000 ft.
Bryum pallens (Brid.) Sw. ex Roehl. North Rim, 8,200 ft and above. On damp or wet soil

Bryum turbinatum (Hedw.) Turn. North Rim, canyon bottom to 4,000 ft. On wet soil and rocks, especially on banks, in seepage areas, dripping cliffs, frequently emergent in water, less frequently on damp soil away from water, usually in the mountains.

Leptobryum pyriforme (Hedw.) Wils. On wet or damp soil, rotten wood, humus, or rocks in moist places, especially on disturbed soil. Also found as a weed in greenhouses.

#### DITRICHACEAE

Ceratodon purpureus (Hedw.) Brid. North Rim, 4,000 to 8,200 ft., South Rim 7,000 to 8,200 ft. Common on exposed, sterile soils, soon drying out. Also found on rock walls, sidewalks, lawns, along streams or in seepage areas, and open places in thickets or woods.

Ceratodon purpureus (Hedw.) Brid. var. xanthopus (Sull.) E. G. Britt. North Rim, 8,200 ft and above.

Distichium capillaceum (Hedw.) B.S.G. North Rim, 8,200 ft. and above. In cool rocky places on rocks, wet or damp substrata, stream banks, rotten logs, rocks, seepage areas, and dripping cliffs, often in crevices.

#### **ENCALYPTACEAE**

Encalypta vulgaris Hedw. var. mutica Brid. North and South Rims 7,000 ft and above. In crevices and on soil, even on tops of barren windswept peaks.

#### **FISSIDENTACEAE**

Fissidens sublimbatus Grout.

#### **FUNARIACEAE**

Funaria hygrometrica Hedw. North and South Rims, 7,000 to 8,200 ft. In waste places and on bare soil, under rocks and bases of bushes and ttrees where water drains or drips during winter and spring, wet oil, in crevices of dripping cliffs, often where fires have occurred, and in gardens, lawns, and in greenhouses. Reported in Havasu Canyon in springs.

**Funaria muhlenbergii Turn.** Conquistador Aisle. On dry soil, often in saline regions, around bases of shrubs, among grasses, and at bases of rocks and cliffs

#### GRIMMIACEAE

Grimmia alpicola Hedw. North Rim, 8,200 ft and above. On dry or wet siliceous and ferromagnesian rocks, occasionally on limestone, often in dry exposed places.

*Grimmia anodon* B.S.G. South Rim, 7,000 to 8,200 ft. On dry rocks of various kinds, soil, or soil over rocks.

Grimmia apocarpa Hedw. (includes Ceratodon apocarpa and C. pulvinata)
North and South Rims, 4,000 to 7,000 ft. On rocks, usually in dry, exposed places, commonly in shade.

Grimmia apocarpa Hedw. var. atrofusca (Sch.) Husn. North Rim, 8,200 ft and above.

Grimmia apocarpa Hedw. var. conferta (Funck.) Spreng. North Rim, 8,200 ft and above. On dry rocks.

Grimmia apocarpa Hedw. var. gracilis (Schleich.) Web. & Mohr. North Rim, 8,200 ft and above.

Grimmia apocarpa Hedw. var. pulvinata (Hedw.) Jones North Rim, 4,000 ft to 8,200 ft.

Grimmia calyptrata Hook. ex Drumm. North and South Rims, 4,000 to 7,000 ft. On dry rocks of various kinds.

Grimmia decipiens (Schultz) Lindb. South Rim, canyon bottom to 4,000 ft.
Grimmia dupretii Thér. North Rim, 8,200 ft and above. On various kinds of rocks, usually in the shade.

Grimmia montana B.S.G. North Rim of Grand Canyon. On dry rock and soil over rock, usually in the mountains.

Grimmia ovalis (Hedw.) Lindb. (= *G. commutata*) North and South Rims, 4,000 to 8,200 ft and above.

Grimmia pilifera P.-Beauv. On various kinds of rocks, rarely on decaying wood.

Grimmia plagiopoda Hedw. North and South Rims, 7,000 to 8,200 ft and above. On rock and soil over rock.

Grimmia pulvinata (Hedw.) Sm. North and South Rims, 4,000 to 8,200 ft and above. On rocks, often siliceous, and on concrete walls.

Grimmia trichophylla Grev. CRM 26.5 in Marble Canyon, Tanner Rapids among boulders, near Bass Trail on rocks covered with sand, and dry walls of Spencer Canyon.

Racomitrium heterostichum (Hedw.) Brid var. sudeticum (Funck) Dix. ex Bauer North Rim, canyon bottom to 4,000 ft. On rocks, rotten wood, tree trunks, and rail fences.

#### ORTHOTRICHACEAE

Orthotrichum alpestre Hornsch. ex B.S.G. South Rim, 4,000 to 7,000 ft. On dry rocks and trunks of trees in canyons and mountains.

#### **POLYTRICHACEAE**

Atrichum undulatum (Hedw.) P.-Beauv. North Rim, 7,000 to 8,200 ft. Polytrichum juniperinum Hedw. North Rim, 7,000 to 8,200 ft. On soil and rocks, usually in dry, exposed to partially shaded places.

#### POTTIACEAE

Barbula ehrenbergii (Lor.) Fleisch. On moist, shaded calcareous rocks, or around springs and streams rich in calcium, often submerged and frequently encrusted with calcium carbonate. Emory Falls, seep 2 miles above Emory Falls, Mooney Falls in Havasu Canyon Barbula unguiculata Hedw. South Rim, canyon bottom to 4,000 ft. On calcareous soil and rocks, in old fields, waste places, disturbed soil, and edges of creeks and streams.

Bryoerythrophyllum recuvirostre (Hedw.) Chen. var. recurvirostre (= Didymodon recuvirostris) North Rim, 7,000 to 8,200 ft. On wet or damp soil and rocks, particularly along streams and around seepage areas, but not uncommon on soil under overhanging rocks sometimes where it is quite dry. Favors calcareous rocks and soil, but also frequent in regions of siliceous and ferromagnesian rocks.

**Desmatodon convolutus (Brid.) Grout.** North Rim, 7,000 to 8,200 ft. On soil and in crevices of rocks, usually in dry places of deserts, valleys, and hillsides. Tolerates mildly saline conditions.

**Desmatodon obtusifolius** (Schwaegr.) Schimp. North Rim, 7,000 to 8,200 ft. On wet or dry soil and rocks, usually in shaded places, under overhanging rocks, frequent around streams, springs, or waterfalls, and stone walls.

Didymodon mexicanus Besch. var. subulatus Thér. & Bartr. ex Bartr. Conquistador Aisle.

Didymodon tophaceus (Brid.) Lisa. South Rim, canyon bottom to 4,000 ft. Growing on wet calcareous rocks and soil, frequently on concrete installations, around springs and dripping cliffs. Reported from 2 miles above Emory Falls.

Didymodon trifarius (Hedw.) Roehl. Questionable identification, name has been misapplied to three different taxa. On wet soil, rocks, and wood in springs, and along streams, in calcareous regions. Reported from Havasu Canvon.

Eucladium verticillatum (Brid.) B.S.G. On wet, mostly calcareous rocks, soil, or wood, particularly around springs, dripping cliffs, and brooklets in calcareous regions. Reported from President Harding Rapid in Marble Canyon and Havasu Canyon.

Gymnostomum recurvirostrum Hedw. On shaded calcareous cliffs or rocks where seepage is common, sometimes on sandstone containing very little calcium.

Husnotiella pringlei (E. G. Britt.) Grout. North Rim, 8,200 ft and above.

Pleurochaete squarrosa (Brid.) Lindb. North Rim, canyon bottom to 4,000 ft. On soil and soil over calcareous rocks, especially of cedar barrens and glades. Bed Rock Rapids, Vasey's Paradise, and Havasu Canyon.

Pseudocrossidium crinitum (Schulz) Zand. (= Tortula aurea Bartram, P. aureum) Conquistador Aisle on dry soil.

Pteryogoneurum ovatum (Hedw.) Dix. South Rim, 4,000 to 7,000 ft. On dry soil and crevices of rocks, commonly in foothills, plains, or saline deserts.

Syntrichia obtusissima (C. Muell.) Zand. (= Tortula obtusissima (C. Muell.) Mitt.) Conquistador Aisle.

Syntrichia ruralis (Hedw.) Web. & Mohr. (= Tortula ruralis (Hedw.) Gaertn.) North and South Rims, canyon bottom to 8,200 ft and above. On soil, rocks (often calcareous), bases of trees, in damp shady places to very dry exposed situations. Reported from Deer Creek Falls and dry walls in Spencer Canyon.

Tortula atrovirens (Sm.) Lindb. Dry talus slope in Havasu Canyon.

Tortula inermis (Brid.) Mont. CRM 26.5 in Marble Canyon and common in seepage area below Deer Creek Falls.

**Tortula mucronifolia Schwaegr.** North Rim, 7,000 to 8,200 ft and South Rim, 4,000 to 7,000 ft. On soil and rock.

Weissia andersoniana Zand. (= W. glauca). Rowe's Well, South Rim at 6600 ft

Weissia andrewsii Bartr. North Rim, 4,000 to 7,000 ft, and South Rim, canyon bottom to 7,000 ft.

#### RICCIACEAE

Riccia fluitans L. Reported from stream and irrigation ditches above village in Havasu Canyon.

#### TIMMIACEAE

Polytrichum piliferum Hedw. (= Timmia piliferum)

Timmia megapolitana Hedw. var. bavarica (Hessl.) Brid. (= Timmia bavarica) North Rim, 7,000 to 8,200 ft. On moist to wet shaded humus or soil, decaying wood, especially along streams.

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Monera	87	11	1	0
Protista	360	24	22	11
Fungi	371	3	0	0
Plantae (Bryophyta)	69	0	0	0
TOTAL	887	38	23	11

Taxa identified only to genus

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Presently known only outside of, but adjacent to, Grand Canyon National Park

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Taxa recognized to be new but are as yet undescribed