

Plants of Mt. Evans, Front Range W of Denver [Clear Creek Co(s), Colorado]

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	<u>Scientific Name</u>	<u>Synonym</u>	<u>Common Name</u>
	Alsineaceae	(formerly in Caryophyllaceae)	Chickweed
I. FG	1. <i>Cerastium beeringianum</i> ssp. <i>earlei</i>		Alpine mouse-ear
IV. DT	2. <i>Eremogone fendleri</i>	(<i>Arenaria fendleri</i>)	Fendler sandwort
I. F	3. <i>Lidia obtusiloba</i>	(<i>Minuartia</i> , <i>Arenaria</i>)	Alpine sandwort
III. F	4. <i>Paronychia pulvinata</i>		Nailwort
I. FG	5. <i>Stellaria umbellata</i>		Umbrella starwort
	Asteraceae	(Compositae)	Sunflower
III. DT	6. <i>Antennaria media</i>	(<i>A. alpina</i> var. <i>media</i>)	Alpine pussytoes
IV. T	7. <i>Artemisia arctica</i> ssp. <i>saxicola</i>	(<i>A. norvegica</i> var. <i>saxatilis</i>)	Boreal mountain sage
I. FG	8. <i>Artemisia scopulorum</i>		Alpine mountain-sage, wormwood
IV. SB	9. <i>Erigeron melanocephalus</i>		Black-headed daisy
IV. F	10. <i>Erigeron pinnatisectus</i>		Pinnate-leaved daisy
IV. DT S	11. <i>Erigeron simplex</i>		One-flowered erigeron
II. FG	12. <i>Ligularia holmii</i>	(<i>Senecio amplexens</i> var. <i>holmii</i>)	Alpine senecio
IV. DT	13. <i>Oligosporus groenlandicus</i>	(<i>Artemisia borealis</i> ssp. <i>purshii</i> , <i>A. campestris</i> var. <i>purshii</i>)	Boreal sage
IV. S	14. <i>Packera dimorphophylla</i>	(<i>Senecio dimorphophyllus</i>)	Groundsel
IV. T	15. <i>Rydbergia grandiflora</i>	(<i>Hymenoxys grandiflora</i>)	Old-man-of-the-mountain
IV. RC	16. <i>Senecio fremontii</i> ssp. <i>blitoides</i>	(<i>S. fremontii</i> var. <i>blitoides</i>)	Rock senecio, groundsel, butterweed
IV. DT	17. <i>Solidago simplex</i> var. <i>nana</i>	(<i>S. spathulata</i> var. <i>nana</i>)	Dwarf goldenrod
III. FG	18. <i>Tonestus pygmaeus</i>	(<i>Haplopappus pygmaeus</i>)	Dwarf goldenweed
	Boraginaceae		Borage
I. FG	19. <i>Eritrichum aretioides</i>	(<i>E. nanum</i> var. <i>elongatum</i>)	Alpine forget-me-not
IV. RC	20. <i>Mertensia alpina</i>		Alpine mertensia
	Brassicaceae	(Cruciferae)	Mustard
II. RC	21. <i>Draba crassifolia</i>		Thick-leaved draba
II. RC	22. <i>Draba lonchocarpa</i>		Lancefruit draba / whitlowgrass
	Caryophyllaceae		Pink
I. F S	23. <i>Gastrolychnis apetala</i> ssp. <i>uralensis</i>	(incl. in <i>Lychnis</i> , <i>Melandrium</i>)	Alpine campion
II. F	24. <i>Silene acaulis</i> ssp. <i>subacaulescens</i>		Moss-pink, -campion
	Crassulaceae		Stonecrop
III. FG	25. <i>Amerosedum lanceolatum</i>	(<i>Sedum lanceolatum</i>)	Stonecrop
IV. WT	26. <i>Clementsia rhodantha</i>	(<i>Sedum rhodanthum</i>)	Rose crown
II. T	27. <i>Rhodiola integrifolia</i>	(<i>Sedum integrifolium</i> , incl. reports of <i>S. roseum</i>)	King's crown
	Cyperaceae		Sedge
IV. T	28. <i>Carex atrata</i>		Blackened sedge
IV. SB	29. <i>Carex crandallii</i>	(distinct from <i>C. pyrenaica</i> of Europe)	
IV. G	30. <i>Carex ebenea</i>		Ebony sedge
III. T	31. <i>Carex elynoides</i>		Kobresia-like sedge
IV. F	32. <i>Carex perglobosa</i>		Globe sedge

Plants may occur at more than one site but are listed only at the 1st site observed.

I. = 14140', Mt. Evans parking lot; II. = 13600', 1st stop below summit; III. = 13000', 2nd stop below summit; IV. = 12830', Summit Lake

Habitat info: BF = boulderfield, CB = creek bank, D = dry, F = fellfield, G = gravel, M = meadow, RC = rock crevice, RW = running water, S = Scree, SB = snowbed, T = turf, W = wet

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II. T	33. <i>Carex rupestris</i> ssp. <i>drummondiana</i>		Curly sedge
IV. WM	34. <i>Carex scopulorum</i>		Rocky Mt. sedge
IV. T	35. <i>Kobresia myosuroides</i>	(K. bellardi)	Kobresia
	Fabaceae	(Leguminosae)	Pea
IV. F	36. <i>Trifolium dasyphyllum</i>		Whiproot clover
I. F	37. <i>Trifolium nanum</i>		Dwarf clover
IV. SN	38. <i>Trifolium parryi</i>	(incl. <i>T. salictorum</i>)	Parry clover
	Gentianaceae		Gentian
II. T	39. <i>Gentianodes algida</i>	(<i>Gentiana algida</i>)	Arctic gentian
	Helleboraceae	(formerly in Ranunculaceae)	Hellebore
IV. WG	40. <i>Psychrophila leptosepala</i>	(<i>Caltha leptosepala</i>)	Marsh-marigold
	Juncaceae		Rush
IV. WG	41. <i>Juncus triglumis</i>		Threehulled rush
II. T F	42. <i>Luzula spicata</i>		Spiked woodrush
	Liliaceae		Lily
IV. WT	43. <i>Lloydia serotina</i>		Alplily
	Poaceae	(Gramineae)	Grass
II. T	44. <i>Deschampsia cespitosa</i>		Tufted hairgrass
IV. G	45. <i>Elymus scribneri</i>	(<i>Agropyron scribneri</i>)	Scribner wheatgrass
I. FG	46. <i>Festuca brachyphylla</i> ssp. <i>coloradensis</i>	(<i>F. ovina</i> var. <i>brachyphylla</i> , <i>F. brevifolia</i>)	Sheep or alpine fescue
IV RW	47. <i>Phippsia algida</i>		Ice grass
I. FG	48. <i>Poa alpina</i>		Alpine bluegrass
II. T	49. <i>Poa glauca</i> ssp. <i>rupicola</i>	(<i>P. rupicola</i>)	Timberline or Greenland bluegrass
III. F T	50. <i>Trisetum spicatum</i> ssp. <i>congdonii</i>		Spike trisetum
	Polemoniaceae		Phlox
I. F	51. <i>Phlox condensata</i>	(<i>P. caespitosa</i> var. <i>condensata</i>)	Phlox
G	52. <i>Polemonium viscosum</i>		Sky pilot
	Polygonaceae		Buckwheat
III. T G	53. <i>Bistorta bistortoides</i>	(<i>Polygonum bistortoides</i>)	American bistort
IV. T	54. <i>Bistorta vivipara</i>	(<i>Polygonum viviparum</i>)	Alpine bistort
IV. CB	55. <i>Koenigia islandica</i>		Red pinhead
II. FG	56. <i>Oxyria digyna</i>		Alpine sorrel
	Portulacaceae		Purslane
I. F S	57. <i>Claytonia megarhiza</i>		Alpine/big-rooted spring beauty
II. RC	58. <i>Oreobroma pygmaea</i>	(<i>Lewisia pygmaea</i>)	Pygmy bitterroot
	Ranunculaceae		Buttercup
IV. WSB	59. <i>Ranunculus adoneus</i>		Snow buttercup
	Rosaceae		Rose
I. FG	60. <i>Acomastylis rossii</i> ssp. <i>turbinata</i>	(<i>Geum rossii</i>)	Alpine avens
IV. SB	61. <i>Potentilla diversifolia</i>		Blue cinquefoil, blueleaf potentilla
IV. SB	62. <i>Sibbaldia procumbens</i>		Sibbaldia
	Salicaceae		Willow
IV. W T	63. <i>Salix arctica</i> ssp. <i>petraea</i>	(<i>S. petrophila</i>)	Arctic willow
IV. BF	64. <i>Salix brachycarpa</i>		Barrenground willow
IV. CB	65. <i>Salix planifolia</i>	(<i>S. phyllicifolia</i> ssp. <i>planifolia</i>)	Planeleaf willow
IV. CB	66. <i>Salix reticulata</i> ssp. <i>nivalis</i>	(<i>S. reticulata</i> , <i>S. nivalis</i>)	Rocky Mt. or snow willow

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	Saxifragaceae		Saxifrage
IV. CB	67. <i>Chrysosplenium tetrandrum</i>		Golden caarpet, bird's-nest saxiifrage
IV. WT	68. <i>Hirculus prorepens</i>	(<i>Saxifraga hirculus</i>)	Arctic saxifrage
IV. FG	69. <i>Hirculus serpyllifolius ssp. chrysanthus</i>	(<i>Saxifraga serpyllifolia ssp. chrysantha</i>)	Goldbloom saxifrage
II. RC	70. <i>Micranthes rhomboidea</i>	(<i>Saxifraga rhomboidea</i>)	Snowball saxifrage
	Scrophulariaceae		Figwort
I F S	71. <i>Besseya alpina</i>		Alpine kittentail
III. T	72. <i>Castilleja occidentalis</i>		Western yellow paintbrush
IV. SB	73. <i>Chionophila jamesii</i>		Snow-lover
IV. WT	74. <i>Pedicularis groenlandica</i>		Little pink elephant, elephantella
IV. WT	75. <i>Veronica nutans</i>	(<i>V. wormskjoldii</i>)	Alpine speedwell
	Selaginellaceae		Little Club-moss
IV. WT	76. <i>Selaginella densa</i>		Selaginella