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Table F-1. Invasive Plant Species at Sacramento National Wildlife Refuge Complex

Species	Common Name	Habitat
Azollaceae	Mosquito Fern Family	
<i>Azolla mexicana</i>	Mexican waterfern	Managed wetlands, canals, backwater areas
Asteraceae [Compositae]	Sunflower Family	
<i>Centaurea solstitialis</i> ¹	Yellow star-thistle	Grassland, fields, levees, roadsides, ditch banks
<i>Lactuca serriola</i>	Prickly lettuce	Grassland, fields, levees, roadsides, ditch banks
<i>Silybum marianum</i>	Milk thistle	Grasslands, fields, levees, roadsides, ditch banks
<i>Xanthium strumarium</i> ¹	Rough cocklebur	Seasonal wetlands, riparian habitats, vernal pools
Brassicaceae [Cruciferae]	Mustard Family	
<i>Brassica nigra</i>	Black mustard	Grasslands, fields, levees, roadsides, ditch banks
<i>Lepidium latifolium</i> ¹	Broad-leaved pepperweed	Seasonal wetlands, riparian habitats, fields, levees, ditch banks
Chenopodiaceae	Goosefoot Family	
<i>Salsola soda</i>	Fleshy-leaved Russian-thistle	Alkali meadows, non-native alkali grassland
Convolvulaceae	Morning-glory Family	
<i>Convolvulus arvensis</i>	Bindweed	Vernal pools, grasslands
Fabaceae	Legume Family	
<i>Robinia pseudoacacia</i>	Black locust	Riparian forest
Haloragaceae	Water-milfoil Family	
<i>Myriophyllum aquaticum</i>	Parrot's-feather	Wetlands, ditches
Juglandaceae	Walnut Family	
<i>Juglans californica</i> var. <i>hindsii</i> ^{1, 2}	Northern California black walnut	Riparian forest
Moraceae	Mulberry Family	
<i>Ficus carica</i>	Fig	Riparian forest

Myrtaceae	Myrtle Family	
<i>Eucalyptus camaldulensis</i>	River red gum	Various
Onagraceae	Evening-primrose Family	
<i>Ludwigia peploides</i> ssp. <i>peploides</i> ¹	Yellow waterweed	Wetlands, ditches
<i>Ludwigia peploides</i> ssp. <i>montevicensis</i> ¹	Montevideo waterweed	Wetlands, ditches
<i>Ludwigia hexapetala</i>	Uruguay water-primrose	Wetlands, ditches
Phytolaccaceae	Pokeweed Family	
<i>Phytolacca Americana</i>	American pokeweed	Riparian, disturbed
Rosaceae	Rose Family	
<i>Rubus discolor</i> ¹	Himalayan blackberry	Riparian habitats
Scrophulariaceae	Figwort Family	
<i>Kickxia elatine</i> ¹	Sharp-leaved fluellin	Various disturbed
Simaroubaceae	Quassia Family	
<i>Ailanthus altissima</i>	Tree-of-heaven	Riparian forest
Tamaricaceae	Tamarisk Family	
<i>Tamarix parviflora</i>	Small-flowered tamarisk	Riparian habitats
<i>Tamarix ramosissima</i>	Salt-cedar	Riparian habitats
Poaceae [Gramineae]	Grass Family	
<i>Arundo donax</i>	Giant-reed	Riparian habitats, ditches
<i>Crypsis schoenoides</i>	Swamp-timothy	Vernal pools
<i>Crypsis vaginiflora</i>	African prickleggrass	Vernal pools
<i>Cynodon dactylon</i> ¹	Bermuda-grass	Seasonal wetlands, various
<i>Elytrigia pontica</i> ssp. <i>pontica</i>	Tall wheatgrass	Alkali meadows
<i>Phalaris aquatica</i>	Harding-grass, perla-grass	Alkali meadows
<i>Lolium multiflorum</i>	Annual ryegrass	Various

<i>Sorghum halepense</i>	Johnsongrass	Upland and wetland edges (fields, ditches, roadsides)
<i>Taeniatherum caput-medusae</i>	Medusa-head	Uplands
<i>Paspalum distichum</i> ¹	Jointgrass/knotgrass	Managed wetlands
Pontederiaceae	Water-Hyacinth Family	
<i>Heteranthera</i> sp.	Mud plantain	Wetlands, ditches
<i>Eichhornia crassipes</i>	Common water hyacinth	Wetlands, ditches

¹ Severe problem plant.

² Feral hybrid with commercial English walnut (*J. regia*).