

AIS Species in Ulster County

The table shows the invasive aquatic plants and animals that have been documented in Ulster County, as cited in either the iMapInvasives database (<http://www.imapinvasives.org/>) or in the NYSDEC Division of Water database. These databases may include some, but not all, non-native plants or animals that have not been identified as “Prohibited and Regulated Invasive Species” in New York state regulations (6 NYCRR Part 575; http://www.dec.ny.gov/docs/lands_forests_pdf/islist.pdf).

This list is not complete. It represents only those species that have been reported and verified within the county. If any additional aquatic invasive species (AIS) are known or suspected in these or other waterbodies in the county, this information should be reported through iMap invasives or by contacting NYSDEC at dowinfo@dec.ny.gov.

Aquatic Invasive Species – Ulster County			
Waterbody	Kingdom	Common name	Scientific name
Beaver Lake	Plant	Fanwort	<i>Cabomba caroliniana</i>
Beaver Lake	Plant	European four leaf clover	<i>Marsilea quadrifolia</i>
Beaver Lake	Plant	Brittle naiad	<i>Najas minor</i>
Beaver Lake	Plant	Watercress	<i>Nasturtium officinale</i>
Beaver Lake	Plant	Yellow floating heart	<i>Nymphoides peltata</i>
Beaver Lake	Plant	Curly leafed pondweed	<i>Potamogeton crispus</i>
Beaver Lake	Plant	Water chestnut	<i>Trapa natans</i>
Cape Pond	Plant	Water chestnut	<i>Trapa natans</i>
Chodikey Lake	Plant	Water chestnut	<i>Trapa natans</i>
Esopus Creek, Saugerties	Plant	Eurasian watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>
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Hudson River	Animal	Zebra mussel	<i>Dreissena polymorpha</i>
Hudson River	Plant	Water chestnut	<i>Trapa natans</i>
Hudson River, Gumaer Island	Plant	Eurasian watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>
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Sturgeon Pool	Animal	Common carp	<i>Cyprinus carpio</i>
Swartekill unnamed pond	Plant	Eurasian watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>
Tillson Lake	Plant	Water chestnut	<i>Trapa natans</i>