

PLANTS EXPECTED TO BE FOUND IN GATES and MIX CANYONS
VACA MOUNTAINS modified Spring 1999

Ferns and fern-allies

DRYOPTREACEAE		PTERIDACEAE	
<i>Dryopteris arguta</i>	wood fern	<i>Adiantum jordanii</i>	maiden-hair fern
EQUISETACEAE		<i>Pellaea andromaedifolia</i>	coffee fern
<i>Equisetum telmateia Braunii</i>	giant horsetail	<i>Pentagramma triangularis</i>	golden-back fern
POLYPODIACEAE			
<i>Polypodium californicum</i>	Ca. polypody		

Trees and Shrubs

(or plant families with mostly trees and shrubs)

ACERACEAE		JUGLANDACEAE	
<i>Acer macrophyllum</i>	big-leaf maple	<i>Juglans californica hindsii</i>	N-Cal. black
ANACARDIACEAE		walnut	
<i>Toxicodendron diversilobum</i>	poison-oak	LAURACEAE	
BETULACEAE		<i>Umbellularia californica</i>	California bay
<i>Alnus rhombifolia</i>	white alder	OLEACEAE	
CALYCANTHACEAE		<i>Fraxinus latifolia</i>	Oregon ash
<i>Calycanthus occidentalis</i>	spice bush	<i>Olea europaea</i>	olive
CAPRIFOLIACEAE		PINACEAE	
<i>Lonicera hispidula vacillans</i>	trip vine	<i>Pinus sabiniana</i>	gray pine
<i>Sambucus mexicanus</i>	blue elderberry	RHAMNACEAE	
<i>Symplocarpus albus laevigatus</i>	snowberry	<i>Ceanothus cuneatus</i>	buck brush
ERICACEAE		<i>Ceanothus soredatus</i>	Jim brush
<i>Arctostaphylos glandulosa</i>	white-leaf	<i>Rhamnus californicus</i>	coffee berry
manzanita		<i>Rhamnus ilicifolia</i>	red berry
<i>Arctostaphylos manzanita</i>	common	ROSACEAE	
manzanita		<i>Adenostoma fasciculatum</i>	chamise
FAGACEAE		<i>Cercocarpus betuloides</i>	mountain
<i>Quercus agrifolia</i>	coastal live-oak	mahogany	
<i>Quercus berberidifolia</i>	scrub oak	<i>Heteromeles arbutifolia</i>	toyon
<i>Quercus chryssolepis</i>	canyon live-oak	<i>Holodiscus discolor</i>	ocean spray
<i>Quercus douglasii</i>	blue oak	<i>Rosa californica</i>	wild rose
<i>Quercus kelloggii</i>	black oak	<i>Rubus discolor</i>	Himalayan
<i>Quercus lobata</i>	valley oak	blackberry	
<i>Quercus wislizenii</i>	interior live-oak	<i>Rubus ursinus</i>	Ca. blackberry
<i>Quercus X morehus</i>	oracle oak	SALICACEAE	
GROSSULARIACEAE		<i>Populus fremontii</i>	Fremont
<i>Ribes malvaceum viridifolium</i>	chaparral current	cottonwood	
<i>Ribes victorius</i>	Victor's gooseberry	<i>Salix laevigata</i>	red willow
HIPPOCASTENACEAE		VITACEAE	
<i>Aesculus californica</i>	Ca. buckeye	<i>Vitis californicus</i>	wild grape

Herbaceous Dicots

APIACEAE

Angelica tomentosa
Foeniculum vulgare
Lomatium californicum
Sanicula bipinnata
Sanicula bipinnatifida
Sanicula crassicaulis
Scandix pecten-veneris
Torilis nodosa

ARISTOLOCHIACEAE

Aristolochia californica

ASCLEPIDACEAE

Asclepias cordifolius

Asclepius fascicularis

ASTERACEAE

Achillea millefolium

Anaphalis margaritacea

Artemisia douglasiana

Baccharis pilularis

Centuarea solstitialis

Cirsium occidentale

Eriophyllum lanatum achillaeoides

Filago gallica

Grindelia sp.

Lactuca serriola

lettuce

Matricaria matricarioides

Micropus californicus

cottonweed

Senecio vulgaris

Sonchus asper

Sonchus oleraceous

Uropappus lindleyi

Wyethia helenoides

BORAGINACEAE

Amsinckia intermedia

Cynoglossum grande

Plagiobothrys nothofulvus

BRASSICACEAE

Barbarea verna

Brassica rapa

mustard

Cardamine californica

Cardamine oligosperma

Erysimum capitatum

Raphanus sativus

Sinapis arvensis

Sisymbrium altissimum

Sisymbrium officinale

angelica
 fennel
 lomatium
 poison sanicle
 purple sanicle
 common sanicle
 shepards needle

pipevine

milkweed
 milkweed

yarrow
 pearly everlasting
 mugwort
 coyote brush

star thistle
 western thistle

woolly sunflower

filago

gumplant
 prickly wild

pineapple weed
 slender

ragwort

prickly sow thistle
 common sow thistle

silver puffs

mules ears

fiddleneck
 hounds tongue

popcorn flower

early winter cress
 turnip, field

milk maids
 w. bitter cress

wallflower

wild radish
 charlock

tumble mustard
 hedge mustard

CARYOPHYLLACEAE

Cerastium viscosum mouse-eared chickweed

Silene gallica catchfly

Spergularia arvensis arvensis starwort

Stellaria media common

chickweed

CONVOLVULACEAE

Calystegia occidentalis western morning glory

Convolvulus arvensis field bindweed

CRASSULACEAE

Dudleya cymosa rock lettuce

CUCURBITACEAE

Marah fabaceus man root

Marah watsonii wild cucumber

DATISCACEAE

Datisca glomerata durango root

EUPHORBIACEAE

Euphorbia peplus petty spurge

FABACEAE

Cercis occidentalis redbud

Hoita macrostachya hoita

Lotus crassifolius lotus

Lotus heermannii lotus

Lotus humistratus lotus

Lotus scoparius deer brush

Lotus wrangelianus lotus

Lupinus albifrons lupine

Lupinus bicolor miniature lupine

Lupinus densiflorus lupine

Lupinus latifolius lupine

Lupinus succulentus arroyo lupine

Medicago hispida black medic

Pickeringia montana chaparral pea

Trifolium ciliolatum clover

Trifolium tridentatum clover

Vicia villosa ssp. varia vetch

GERANIACEAE

Erodium botrys filaree

Erodium cicutarium storksbill

Erodium moschatum filaree

Geranium dissectum geranium

HYDROPHYLACEAE

Eriodictyon californica yerba santa

Nemophila heterophylla nemophila

Nemophila pedunculata nemophila

Phacelia sp. phacelia

LAMIACEAE		OXALIDACEAE	
<i>Lepechinia calycina</i>	bladder sage	<i>Oxalis pes-capre</i>	Bermuda buttercup
<i>Monardella villosa</i>	coyote mint	PAPAVERACEAE	
<i>Salvia spathacea</i>	pitcher sage	<i>Eschscholzia californica</i>	California poppy
<i>Stachys rigida quercetorum</i>	hedge nettle	PLANTAGINACEAE	
ONAGRACEAE		<i>Plantago hookeriana californica</i>	plantain
<i>Clarkia rhomboidea</i>	clarkia	<i>Plantago lanceolata</i>	plantain
POLYGONACEAE		SCROPHULARIACEAE	
<i>Polygonum aviculare</i>		<i>Castilleja exserta</i>	purple owl's
<i>Rumex crispus</i>	curly dock	clover	
PORTULACACEAE		<i>Castilleja foliolosa</i>	indian paintbrush
<i>Calandrina maritima</i>	red maids	<i>Collinsia heterophylla</i>	chinese houses
<i>Claytonia perfoliata</i>	miners lettuce	<i>Mimulus aurentiacus</i>	bush
PRIMULACEAE		<i>Mimulus guttatus</i>	seep-spring
<i>Dodecatheon hendersonii</i>	shooting stars	<i>Pedicularis densiflora</i>	indian warrior
RANUNCULACEAE		<i>Penstemon lemontii</i>	beard tongue
<i>Clematis lasiantha</i>	virgin's bower	<i>Scrophularia californica</i>	figwort
<i>Delphinium nudicaule</i>	red larkspur	<i>Triphysaria erianthus</i>	Johnny-tuck
<i>Delphinium patens</i>	larkspur	SOLANACEAE	
<i>Isopyrum occidentale</i>	isopyrum	<i>Solanum xanti</i>	nightshade
<i>Ranunculus canus</i>	buttercup	VALERINACEAE	
RUBIACEAE		<i>Plectritis macrocera</i>	plectritis
<i>Galium aparine</i>	bedstraw	VISCACEAE	
<i>Galium nuttallii</i>	bedstraw	<i>Phoradendron flavescens</i>	mistletoe
SAXIFRAGACEAE			
<i>Lithophragma heterophylla</i>	woodland star		
<i>Saxifraga californica</i>	saxifrage		

Monocots (lilies, grasses)

CYPERACEAE			
<i>Carex nudata</i>	sedge	<i>Arundo donax</i>	giant reed
<i>Cyperus eragrostis</i>	nut-grass	<i>Avena fatua</i>	wild oats
IRIDACEAE		<i>Briza minor</i>	quaking grass
<i>Iris</i> sp.	iris	<i>Bromus mollis</i>	soft chess
JUNCACEAE		<i>Bromus tectorum</i>	cheat grass
<i>Juncus bufonius</i>	toad rush	<i>Elymus/Leymus</i>	
LILIACEAE		<i>Hordeum murinum leporinum</i>	wild barley
<i>Allium amplectens</i>	narrow-leaved onion	<i>Melica</i> sp.	
<i>Brodiaea laxa</i>	grass nut	<i>Vulpia microstachys</i>	vulpia
<i>Calochortus amabilis</i>	fairy lanterns		
<i>Chlorogalum pomeridianum</i>	soaproot		
<i>Dichelostemma capitatum</i>	blue dicks		
<i>Dichelostemma volubile</i>	twining brodiaea		
<i>Fritillaria affinis affinis</i>	checker lily		
<i>Zigadenus fremontii</i>	star lily		
POACEAE			