

**APPENDIX D**  
**VEGETATION**

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# Plant Species List for Cheyenne Mountain State Park

From field observations on June 19, 2000

Common Name	Scientific Name	Conservation Status	Exotic
<b>ACERACEAE: Maple Family</b>			
mountain maple	<i>Acer glabrum</i>		
<b>AGAVACEAE: Agave family</b>			
yucca	<i>Yucca glauca</i>		
<b>ANACARDIACEAE: Sumac Family</b>			
poison ivy	<i>Toxicodendron rydbergii</i>		
skunkbrush	<i>Rhus aromatica ssp trilobata</i>		
<b>APOCYNACEAE: Dogbane Family</b>			
spreading dogbane	<i>Apocynum androsaemifolium</i>		
<b>ASCLEPIADACEAE: Milkweed family</b>			
milkweed	<i>Asclepias speciosa</i>		
<b>ASPARAGACEAE: Asparagus family</b>			
asparagus	<i>Asparagus engelmanniana</i>		Yes
<b>ASTERACEAE: Aster family</b>			
yarrow	<i>Achillea lanulosa</i>		
pussytoes	<i>Antennaria sp.</i>		
silver sage	<i>Artemisia frigida</i>		
Louisiana wormwood	<i>Artemisia ludoviciana</i>		
musk thistle	<i>Carduus nutans</i>		Yes
Canada thistle	<i>Cirsium arvense</i>		Yes
thistle	<i>Cirsium sp</i>		
wavy leaf thistle	<i>Cirsium undulatum</i>		
gumweed	<i>Grindelia sp</i>		
snakeweed	<i>Gutierrezia sarothrae</i>		
golden aster	<i>Heterotheca villosa</i>		
gayfeather	<i>Liatris punctata</i>		
prairie coneflower	<i>Ratibida columnifera</i>		
dandelion	<i>Taraxacum officinale</i>		Yes
??	<i>Townsendia sp</i>		
salsify	<i>Tragopogon dubius</i>		Yes
<b>BORAGINACEAE: Borage family</b>			
puccoon	<i>Lithospermum multiflorum</i>		
<b>BRASSICACEAE: Mustard family</b>			

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wallflower	Erysimum asperum		
Jim Hill mustard	Sisymbrium altissimum		Yes
<b>CACTACEAE: Cactus family</b>			
prickly pear	Opuntia sp		
ball cactus	Pediocactus simpsonii		
<b>CALOCHORTACEAE: Mariposa family</b>			
mariposa lily	Calochortus nuttalli		
<b>CAMPANULACEAE: Bellflower family</b>			
harebell	Campanula rotundifolia		
<b>CAPRIFOLIACEAE: Honeysuckle family</b>			
snowberry	Symphoricarpos albus		
snowberry	Symphoricarpos occidentalis		
<b>COMMELINACEAE: Spiderwort family</b>			
spiderwort	Tradescantia occidentalis		
<b>CONVALLARIACEAE: Mayflower family</b>			
false Solomon's seal	Maianthemum stellatum		
<b>COPTACEAE: Meadowrue family</b>			
meadowrue	Thalictrum fendleri		
<b>CUPRESSACEAE: Cypress family</b>			
Rocky mountain juniper	Sabina scopulorum		
common juniper	Juniperus communis		
<b>CYPERACEAE: Sedge family</b>			
sedge	Carex sp.		
<b>FABACEAE: Pea family</b>			
milk vetch	Astragalus spp		
	Dalea sp		
wild licorice	Glycyrrhiza lepidota		
black medic	Medicago lupulina		Yes
alfalfa	Medicago sativa		Yes
yellow sweet clover	Melilotus officinalis		Yes
locoweed	Oxytropis lambertii		
scurf pea	Psoralidium tenuiflorum		
New Mexico locust	Robinia neomexicana		Yes
golden banner	Thermopsis divaricarpa		
vetch	Vicia americana		

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<b>FAGACEAE: Oak family</b>			
Gambel oak	Quercus gambelii		
<b>GENTIANACEAE: Gentian family</b>			
monument plant	Frasera speciosa		
<b>GERANIACEAE: Geranium family</b>			
geranium	Geranium caespitosum		
<b>GROSSULARIACEAE: Currant family</b>			
currant	Ribes leptanthum		
<b>HYDRANGEACEAE: Hydrangea family</b>			
cliffbush	Jamesia americana		
<b>LAMIACEAE: Mint family</b>			
horehound	Marrubium vulgare		Yes
<b>LILIACEAE: Lily family</b>			
death camas	Toxicoscordion venenosum		
<b>OLEACEAE: Olive family</b>			
green ash	Fraxinus pensylvanica ssp lanceolata		Yes
<b>ONAGRACEAE: Evening primrose family</b>			
evening primrose	Oenothera coronopifolia		
??	Gaura coccinea		
<b>PINACEAE: Pine family</b>			
white fir	Abies concolor		
pinyon pine	Pinus edulis		
limber pine	Pinus flexilis		
ponderosa pine	Pinus ponderosa		
Douglas fir	Pseudotsuga menziesii		
<b>PLANTAGINACEAE</b>			
wooly plantain	Plantago patagonica		
<b>POACEAE: grass family</b>			
big bluestem	Andropogon gerardii		
cheatgrass	Anisantha tectorum		Yes
three awn	Aristida purpurea		
smooth brome	Bromopsis inermis		Yes

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Japanese brome	Bromus japonicus		Yes
blue grama	Chondrosum gracile (Bouteloua gracilis)		
orchard grass	Dactylis glomerata		Yes
squirrel tail	Elymus elymoides		
Thurber's fescue	Festuca thurberi		
prairie junegrass	Koeleria macrantha		
mountain muhly	Muhlenbergia montana		
indian rice grass	Oryzopsis hymenoides		
ricegrass	Oryzopsis micrantha		
western wheatgrass	Pascopyrum smithii		
Canada bluegrass	Poa compressa		
Kentucky bluegrass	Poa pratensis		Yes
little bluestem	Schizachyrium scoparium		
needle and thread grass	Stipa comata		
sleepy grass	Stipa robusta		
<b>POLYGONACEAE: Buckwheat family</b>			
buckwheat	Eriogonum sp		
<b>RANUNCULACEAE: Buttercup family</b>			
thimbleweed	Anemone cylindrica		
leather flower	Coriflora hirsutissima		
<b>ROSACEAE: Rose family</b>			
hawthorn	Crataegus sp		
mountain mahogany	Cercocarpus montanus		
chokecherry	Padus virginiana ssp melanocarpa		
woods rose	Rosa woodsii		
American plum	Prunus americana		
<b>RUBIACEAE: Madder family</b>			
northern bedstraw	Galium septentrionale		
<b>SALICACEAE: Willow family</b>			
cottonwood	Populus acuminata		
<b>SANTALACEAE: Sandalwood family</b>			
bastard toadflax	Comandra umbellata		
<b>SAXIFRAGACEAE: Saxifrage family</b>			
bracted alumroot	Heuchera bracteata		
James' telesonix	Telesonix jamesii	G2S2	
<b>SCROPHULARIACEAE: Figwort family</b>			

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kittentail	Besseyia plantaginea		
indian paintbrush	Castilleja sp.		
Dalmation toadflax	Linaria dalmatica		Yes
yellow toadflax	Linaria vulgaris		Yes
beard-tongue	Penstemon barbatus		
beard-tongue	Penstemon secudiflorus		
beard-tongue	Penstemon virens		
mullein	Verbascum thapsus		Yes
<b>SELAGINELLACEAE: Spikemoss family</b>			
spikemoss	Selaginella densa Rydb.		
<b>SMILACACEAE: Smilax family</b>			
carrion flower	Smilax lasiouneura	watchlist S3S4	
<b>VITACEAE: Grape family</b>			
Virginia creeper	Parthenocissus inserta		