

SCIENTIFIC NAMES OF ORGANISMS

This is a list of the organisms whose names are mentioned in at least one of the following McGraw-Hill botany texts. The common names are listed alphabetically along with the scientific names.

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Common Name	Scientific Name
Aardvark	<i>Orycteropus</i> spp.
Abaca (see Manila hemp)	
Abelia	<i>Abelia</i> spp. and hybrids
Abrasives, horsetail source of	<i>Equisetum</i> spp.
Absinthe liqueur, source of ingredients	<i>Pimpinella anisum</i> , <i>Artemisia absinthium</i> , and others
Acacia	<i>Acacia</i> spp.
Achiote	<i>Bixa orellana</i>
Aconite, source of	<i>Aconitum</i> spp.
Actinomycetes	<i>Actinomyces</i> spp. and others
Adder's tongue fern, reticulate	<i>Ophioglossum reticulatum</i> (has highest known diploid chromosome number—1,260)
Adder's tongue ferns	<i>Ophioglossum</i> spp.
Afghanistan pine	<i>Pinus eldarica</i>
Aflatoxin, source of	<i>Aspergillus flavus</i>
African sausage tree	<i>Kigelia africana</i> = <i>Kigelia pinnata</i>
African violet	<i>Saintpaulia ionantha</i> and other <i>Saintpaulia</i> spp.
Agar, source of	<i>Chondrus crispus</i> , <i>Eucheuma</i> spp., <i>Gelidium</i> spp., <i>Gracilaria</i> spp., and other red algae
Agave	<i>Agave angustifolia</i> , <i>A. palmeri</i> , <i>A. tequilana</i> , and other <i>Agave</i> spp.
Ageratum	<i>Ageratum</i> spp.
Air plant (see also Bromeliad)	<i>Kalanchoe</i> spp.
Alder	<i>Alnus</i> spp.
Alfalfa	<i>Medicago sativa</i>
Alfalfa caterpillar	<i>Colias philodice</i>
Algae	Members of Kingdom Protista, all divisions
Algae, agar-producing	<i>Acanthopeltis</i> spp., <i>Ahnfeltia</i> spp., <i>Gelidium</i> spp. (principal source), <i>Gracilaria</i> spp., <i>Pterocladia</i> spp., and others
Algae, alginate-producing	<i>Ascophyllum</i> spp., <i>Durvillea</i> spp., <i>Ecklonia</i> spp., <i>Laminaria</i> spp., <i>Macrocystis</i> spp., and others
Algae, bark	<i>Pleurococcus</i> spp. and others (see footnote 4 under Bark, green algae that inhabit)
Algae, brown	Members of Division Chromophyta, Kingdom Protista
Algae, carrageenan-producing	<i>Chondrus crispus</i> , <i>Eucheuma</i> spp., and others

Algae, coralline	<i>Bossiella</i> spp., <i>Corallina</i> spp., <i>Lithothamnion</i> spp., and others
Algae/cyanobacteria, edible ¹	<i>Chlorella</i> , Irish moss (<i>Chondrus crispus</i>), kelp (<i>Laminaria</i> spp.), laver or nori (<i>Porphyra</i> spp.), spirulina (<i>Spirulina</i> spp.), wakame (<i>Undaria</i> spp.), and others <i>Anabaena azollae</i> , <i>Chlamydomonas mexicana</i> , kelps, and others <i>Platymonas</i> spp.
Algae/cyanobacteria used as fertilizers or soil conditioners	Members of Division Chromophyta, Kingdom Protista
Algae, flatworm	Members of Division Chlorophyta, Kingdom Protista
Algae, golden-brown	<i>Chaetopeltis</i> spp., <i>Eudorina</i> spp., <i>Pandorina</i> spp., <i>Pediastrum</i> spp., <i>Scenedesmus</i> spp., <i>Volvox</i> spp., and others <i>Oedogonium</i> spp., <i>Spirogyra</i> spp., <i>Ulothrix</i> spp., <i>Zygnuma</i> spp., and others <i>Tetraselmis</i> sp. <i>Ectocarpus</i> spp., <i>Enteromorpha</i> spp. <i>Hydrodictyon</i> spp., <i>Legionella</i> spp., <i>Pithophora</i> spp., <i>Spirogyra</i> spp.
Algae, green	<i>Chlorella</i> spp., <i>Codium pugniformis</i> , <i>Digenia simplex</i> , <i>Dilsea edulis</i> , <i>Laminaria japonica</i> , <i>L. digitata</i> , <i>Laminaria</i> spp., <i>Scenedesmus</i> spp., and others <i>Chlamydomonas reinhardtii</i> <i>Chlamydomonas</i> , <i>Tetraselmis</i> , and others
Algae, green colonial	Members of Division Rhodophyta, Kingdom Protista
Algae, green filamentous	<i>Microcladia</i> (see Levetin & McMahon, Fig. 9.6a,b, and many others)
Algae, green flagellate used in shrimp farming	<i>Chlamydomonas nivalis</i> and others
Algae, marine befouling (primarily on ship hulls)	<i>Chlorella</i> spp., <i>Zoochlorella</i> spp.
Algae, mat-formers (clogging algae)	<i>Anabaena</i> sp., <i>Caulerpa</i> sp., <i>Chlorella</i> sp., <i>Chondria armata</i> , <i>Gambierdiscus toxicus</i> , <i>Hizikia</i> sp., <i>Lyngbya majusculis</i> , <i>Oscillatoria nigroviridis</i> , <i>Protogonyaulax</i> (<i>Gonyaulax</i>) sp., <i>Prototheca</i> sp., <i>Prymnesium parvum</i> , <i>Ptychodiscus</i> (<i>Gymnodinium brevis</i>), <i>Schizothrix calcicola</i> , and others
Algae, medicinal	Members of Division Chromophyta, Kingdom Protista
Algae, metal-removing	<i>Microcladia</i> (see Levetin & McMahon, Fig. 9.6a,b, and many others)
Algae, green unicellular	<i>Chlamydomonas</i> , <i>Tetraselmis</i> , and others
Algae, red	Members of Division Rhodophyta, Kingdom Protista
Algae, red seaweed	<i>Microcladia</i> (see Levetin & McMahon, Fig. 9.6a,b, and many others)
Algae, snowbank	<i>Chlamydomonas nivalis</i> and others
Algae, sponge	<i>Chlorella</i> spp., <i>Zoochlorella</i> spp.
Algae/cyanobacteria, toxic	<i>Anabaena</i> sp., <i>Caulerpa</i> sp., <i>Chlorella</i> sp., <i>Chondria armata</i> , <i>Gambierdiscus toxicus</i> , <i>Hizikia</i> sp., <i>Lyngbya majusculis</i> , <i>Oscillatoria nigroviridis</i> , <i>Protogonyaulax</i> (<i>Gonyaulax</i>) sp., <i>Prototheca</i> sp., <i>Prymnesium parvum</i> , <i>Ptychodiscus</i> (<i>Gymnodinium brevis</i>), <i>Schizothrix calcicola</i> , and others
Algae, yellow-green	Members of Division Chromophyta, Kingdom Protista
Algarobilla	<i>Caesalpinia brevifolia</i>
Allspice	<i>Pimenta dioica</i>
Almond	<i>Prunus amygdalus</i>
Aloe juice, source of	<i>Aloe barbadensis</i> , <i>A. ferox</i> , <i>A. vera</i> , and others
Alstroemeria (Lily-of-the-Incas)	<i>Alstroemeria</i> spp.
Alternanthera	<i>Alternanthera</i> spp.
Alyssum, sweet	<i>Alyssum</i> spp.
Amadou fungus (water-absorbing and tinder fungus)	<i>Fomes fomentarius</i>

Amaranth	<i>Amaranthus</i> spp. (see Green amaranth, Love-lies-bleeding, Prince's feather)
Amatoxins, common producers of	<i>Amanita</i> spp., <i>Conocybe</i> spp., <i>Galerina</i> spp., <i>Lepiota</i> spp., <i>Panaeolus</i> spp., <i>Psilocybe</i> spp.
Ama'uma'u	<i>Sadleria cyatheoides</i>
Amaryllis	<i>Amaryllis</i> spp.
Amborella	<i>Amborella trichopoda</i>
American chestnut	<i>Castanea dentata</i>
American elm	<i>Ulmus americana</i>
Amoeba	<i>Amoeba proteus</i> and others
Amoeba, fungal internal parasites of	<i>Cochlonema verrucosum</i> and others
Amoeba, fungal trappers of	<i>Dactylella</i> spp. and others
Anabaena	<i>Anabaena</i> spp. (including nitrogen-fixing spp. such as <i>A. azollae</i> ; see Uno et al., Fig. 7.25)
Anemone	<i>Anemone</i> spp.
Angelica	<i>Angelica archangelica</i>
Anise	<i>Pimpinella anisum</i>
Anise swallowtail butterfly	<i>Papilio zelicaon</i>
Annatto	<i>Bixa orellana</i>
Ant	<i>Formica</i> spp. and many others
Anteater	<i>Myrmecophaga jubata</i>
Ants, bullhorn Acacia	<i>Pseudomyrmex ferruginea</i>
Aphid	<i>Anuraphis</i> spp., <i>Aphis</i> spp., and others
Aphid, root (pest of grape vines)	<i>Phylloxera</i> spp.
Apple ²	<i>Malus domestica</i> (= <i>Malus pumila</i>) ²
Apple brown rot, causal agent	<i>Monolinia fructigena</i>
Apple scab, causal agent	<i>Venturia inaequalis</i>
Apricot	<i>Prunus armeniaca</i>
Apricot brown rot	<i>Sclerotinia fructicola</i>
Arabidopsis (mouse-ear cress)	<i>Arabidopsis thaliana</i>
Arborvitae (American/Northern)	<i>Thuja occidentalis</i>
Archaeabacteria	Members of Division Archaeabacteriophyta, Subkingdom Archaeabacteriobionta, Kingdom Monera; <i>Archaefructus</i> —extinct plant believed to be the earliest flowering plant
Arctic tundra lupine	<i>Lupinus arcticus</i>
Arctic willow	<i>Salix arctica</i>
Aroid lilies	Members of the Aroid Family (Araceae) (see Calla lily, Jack-in-the-pulpit, Skunk cabbage, etc.)
Arrowroot	<i>Maranta arundinacea</i> , <i>Tacca leontopetaloides</i>
Arrowroot, Florida, source of	<i>Zamia floridana</i>
Artemisia	<i>Artemisia annua</i>
Artichoke, globe	<i>Cynaria scolymus</i>
Artichoke, Jerusalem	<i>Helianthus tuberosus</i>
Arugala	<i>Eruca vesicaria</i> spp. <i>sativa</i>
Arum Lily (Arum) Family	Araceae
Ascomycete (see Levetin & McMahon, Fig. 22.7a)	<i>Sordaria</i> sp.
Ascomycete used in genetic experiments (see Levetin & McMahon, Fig. 22.8)	<i>Neurospora crassa</i>
Ash, Oregon	<i>Fraxinus latifolia</i>

Ash, blue	<i>Fraxinus quadrangulata</i>
Ash, white	<i>Fraxinus americana</i>
Asian long-horned beetle	<i>Anoplophora glabripennis</i>
Asparagus	<i>Asparagus officinalis</i>
Asparagus fern	<i>Asparagus densiflorus</i>
Aspen, quaking	<i>Populus tremuloides</i>
Aspergillosis, causal agents of	<i>Aspergillus fumigatus</i> and other <i>Aspergillus</i> spp.
Aster	<i>Aster</i> spp.
Astringent, horsetail source of	<i>Equisetum arvense</i> , <i>E. debile</i> , and others
Athlete's foot, fungal causal agent of	<i>Trichophyton</i> spp.
Atriplex (see Saltbush/Saltscale)	
Australian honey-possum	
Austrobaileya (flowers smell like fish carrion)	
Autograph tree (see Stern, Fig. 8.18C)	
Avocado	<i>Tarsipes spenserae</i>
Ayahuasca	<i>Austrobaileya</i> sp.
Azalea	<i>Clusia rosea</i>
Baby blue eyes	<i>Persea americana</i> and others
Baby powder, ground pine source of	<i>Banisteriopsis caapi</i>
Baby's breath	<i>Rhododendron</i> spp.
Bachelor's buttons	<i>Nemophila menziesii</i>
Bacteria, acetone-producing	<i>Lycopodium clavatum</i>
Bacteria, acidophilus	<i>Gypsophila elegans</i> , <i>G. paniculata</i> , and other
Bacteria, ammonifying	<i>Gypsophila</i> spp.
Bacteria, anthrax	<i>Centaurea cyanus</i>
Bacteria, blue-green (see Cyanobacteria)	<i>Clostridium acetobutylicum</i> and others
Bacteria, botulism	<i>Lactobacillus acidophilus</i>
Bacteria, brucellosis	<i>Clostridium</i> spp., <i>Micrococcus</i> spp., <i>Proteus</i> spp., <i>Pseudomonas</i> spp., and others
Bacteria, BT	<i>Bacillus anthracis</i>
Bacteria, bubonic plague	<i>Clostridium botulinum</i>
Bacteria, buttermilk	<i>Brucella abortus</i> , <i>B. suis</i> , <i>B. melitensis</i>
Bacteria, butyl alcohol	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i>
Bacteria, cheese (see Bacteria, buttermilk)	<i>Yersinia pestis</i>
Bacteria, cholera	<i>Streptococcus lactis</i> , <i>S. cremoris</i> , <i>Leuconostoc citrovorum</i> , and others
Bacteria, coal tailings ember	<i>Clostridium acetobutylicum</i> and others
Bacteria, decay/decomposer	
Bacteria, denitrifying	<i>Vibrio cholerae</i>
Bacteria, dextran	<i>Thermoproteus</i> spp.
Bacteria, diphtheria	<i>Clostridium</i> spp., <i>Micrococcus</i> spp., <i>Proteus</i> spp., <i>Pseudomonas</i> spp., and others
Bacteria, ensilage	<i>Micrococcus denitrificans</i> , <i>Thiobacillus denitrificans</i> , and others
Bacteria, ethanol-producing	<i>Leuconostoc mesenteroides</i>
Bacteria, frost-damage preventing	<i>Corynebacterium diphtheriae</i>
Bacteria, gas gangrene	<i>Lactobacillus delbrueckii</i> , <i>L. plantarum</i> , and others
Bacteria, giant (see Uno et al., Fig. 16.1b)	<i>Bacillus stearothermophilus</i> (mutant form)
	<i>Pseudomonas syringiae</i>
	<i>Clostridium novyi</i> , <i>C. perfringens</i> , <i>C. septicum</i>
	<i>Epulopiscium fishelsonii</i>

Bacteria, glutamic acid-producing	<i>Arthrobacter</i> spp., <i>Brevibacterium</i> spp., <i>Micrococcus</i> spp.
Bacteria, gonorrhea	<i>Neisseria gonorrhoeae</i>
Bacteria, grease- and oil-dissolving	<i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>
Bacteria, green sulphur	<i>Chlorobium</i> spp., <i>Chloropseudomonas</i> spp., <i>Prosthecochloris</i> spp., and others
Bacteria, hot water (<i>Sulpholobus</i>)	<i>Pyrodictium</i> spp.
Bacteria, hydrogen	<i>Hydrogenomonas</i> spp.
Bacteria, ice-minus	<i>Pseudomonas syringiae</i>
Bacteria, iron	<i>Gallionella</i> spp., <i>Sphaerotilus</i> spp.
Bacteria, kefir	<i>Lactobacillus bulgaricus</i> , <i>Streptococcus lactis</i>
Bacteria, lactic acid	<i>Lactobacillus delbrueckii</i> and others
Bacteria, Legionnaire's disease	<i>Legionella pneumophila</i>
Bacteria, luminescent	<i>Achromobacter</i> spp., <i>Flavobacterium</i> spp., <i>Photobacterium</i> spp., <i>Pseudomonas</i> spp., <i>Vibrio</i> spp., and others
Bacteria, luminescent (see Uno et al., p. 382)	<i>Photobacterium phosphoreum</i>
Bacteria, meningitis	<i>Neisseria meningitidis</i> and others
Bacteria, methane	<i>Methanobacterium</i> spp., <i>Methanococcus</i> spp., <i>Methanosarcina</i> spp., and others
Bacteria, milky spore disease	<i>Bacillus popilliae</i>
Bacteria, mosquito-killing	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i> var. <i>israelensis</i>
Bacteria, nitrate (nitrifying)	<i>Nitrobacter</i> spp.
Bacteria, nitrite (nitrosifying)	<i>Nitrosomonas</i> spp.
Bacteria, nitrogen-fixing	<i>Azorhizobium</i> spp., <i>Azotobacter</i> spp., <i>Brachyrhizobium</i> spp., <i>Clostridium</i> <i>pasteurinum</i> , <i>Rhizobium</i> spp., <i>Sinorhizobium</i> spp., and others
Bacteria and parasites, plant leaf source eaten by chimpanzees to control	<i>Aspilia mossabicensis</i>
Bacteria, paratyphoid fever	<i>Salmonella paratyphi</i>
Bacteria that attack pears	<i>Erwinia amylovora</i> and others
Bacteria, pneumonia (some forms of pneumonia are viral)	<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> and others
Bacteria, PPLO (see also Uno et al., Fig. 16.1a)	<i>Mycoplasma pneumoniae</i>
Bacteria pseudomonad	<i>Pseudomonas</i> spp.
Bacteria, purple nonsulphur	<i>Rhodomicrombium</i> spp., <i>Rhodopseudomonas</i> spp., <i>Rhodospirillum</i> spp.
Bacteria, purple sulphur	<i>Amoebobacter</i> spp., <i>Lamprocystis</i> spp., <i>Rhodothece</i> spp., and others
Bacteria, "recycling"	<i>Streptomyces</i> spp. and others
Bacteria, root nodule associated with white clover	<i>Rhizobium trifolii</i>
Bacteria, salmonella (food poisoning bacteria)	<i>Salmonella</i> spp.
Bacteria, salt	<i>Halococcus</i> spp., <i>Halobacterium</i> spp.
Bacteria, sauerkraut	<i>Leuconostoc</i> spp. and others
Bacteria, soil (see Bacteria, nitrifying; Bacteria, nitrosofying)	<i>Acetobacter suboxydans</i>
Bacteria, sorbose	<i>Rickettsia rickettsii</i>
Bacteria, spotted fever	<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> and other
Bacteria, staph	<i>Staphylococcus</i> spp.

Bacteria, strep throat	<i>Streptococcus</i> spp.
Bacteria, sulfolobus	<i>Sulfolobus</i> spp., <i>Thermoplasma</i> spp., <i>Thermoproteus</i> spp.
Bacteria, sulphur	<i>Desulfovibrio</i> spp., <i>Thiobacillus</i> spp., and others
Bacteria, syphilis	<i>Treponema pallidum</i>
Bacteria tetanus	<i>Clostridium tetani</i>
Bacteria tularemia	<i>Francisella tularensis</i>
Bacteria, typhoid fever	<i>Salmonella typhi</i>
Bacteria, typhus fever	<i>Rickettsia prowazekii</i> and others
Bacteria, human ulcer-causing	<i>Helicobacter pylori</i>
Bacteria, vinegar	<i>Acetobacter</i> spp.
Bacteria, whooping cough	<i>Bordetella pertussis</i>
Bacteria, yogurt	<i>Streptococcus thermophilus</i>
Bald cypress	<i>Taxodium distichum</i>
Balsa	<i>Ochroma lagopus</i>
Balsam fir	<i>Abies balsamea</i>
Balsamroot	<i>Balsamorhiza</i> spp.
Bamboo	<i>Bambusa</i> spp.
Bamboo, hairy	<i>Phyllostachys pubescens</i>
Bamboo, Tonkin (tea stick)	<i>Arundinaria amabilis</i>
Banana	<i>Musa paradisiaca</i> and others ³
Banana Family	Musaceae
Banksia	<i>Banksia</i> spp.
Banyan tree	<i>Ficus</i> spp.
Baobab, African	<i>Adansonia digitata</i>
Baobab, Australian	<i>Adansonia gregorii</i>
Barbasco	<i>Lonchocarpus nicou</i> var. <i>utilis</i> , <i>Derris elliptica</i> , and others
Barberry	<i>Berberis verruculosa</i> and other <i>Berberis</i> spp.
Barberry, Common/European	<i>Berberis vulgaris</i>
Bark, green algae that inhabit	<i>Protococcus</i> spp. ⁴
Barley	<i>Hordeum vulgare</i>
Barn swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica erythrogaster</i>
Barrel cactus	<i>Ferrocactus</i> spp., <i>Mammillaria</i> spp., and others
Barrel cactus, Coville's (see Uno et al., Fig. 19.26)	<i>Ferrocactus covillei</i>
Basil	<i>Ocimum basilicum</i>
Basswood	<i>Tilia</i> spp.
Basswood, American	<i>Tilia americana</i>
Bat	<i>Eidolon</i> spp., <i>Epomophorus</i> spp., and others
Bat (see Stern, Fig. 23.17)	<i>Leptonycteris sanbornii</i>
Bat, greater short-nosed (see Uno et al., Fig. 12.27a)	<i>Cynopterus</i> sp.
Bay	<i>Laurus nobilis</i>
Bayberry	<i>Myrica pensylvanica</i> , <i>M. californica</i>
Bay, California	<i>Umbellularia californica</i>
Bay laurel	<i>Laurus nobilis</i>
Bay, sweet	<i>Laurus nobilis</i>
Beach strawberry	<i>Fragaria chinensis</i>
Bean, broad	<i>Vicia faba</i>
Bean, castor	<i>Ricinus communis</i>
Bean Family	Fabaceae (formerly Leguminosae)
Bean, garbanzo	<i>Cicer arietinum</i>

Bean garden	<i>Phaseolus vulgaris</i>
Bean, green	<i>Phaseolus vulgaris</i>
Bean, jack	<i>Canavalia ensiformis</i>
Bean, jequirity	<i>Abrus precatorius</i>
Bean, kidney	<i>Phaseolus vulgaris</i>
Bean, lima	<i>Phaseolus lunatus</i>
Bean, mescal (see Mescal button)	
Bean, Mexican jumping	<i>Sebastiania</i> spp. and others
Bean, mung	<i>Phaseolus aureus</i> (= <i>Vigna radiata</i>)
Bean, navy	<i>Phaseolus vulgaris</i>
Bean, pinto	<i>Phaseolus vulgaris</i>
Bean, scarlet runner	<i>Phaseolus coccineus</i>
Bean, tepary	<i>Phaseolus acutifolius</i> var. <i>latifolius</i>
Bean, wax	<i>Phaseolus vulgaris</i>
Bean, Windsor	<i>Vicia faba</i>
Bean, winged	<i>Psophocarpus tetragonolobus</i>
Bear	<i>Ursus</i> spp. and others
Bear, Kodiak	<i>Ursus arctos</i>
Bears, Kodiak, medicinal plants used by	<i>Ligusticum</i> spp.
Bear, polar	<i>Thalarctos maritimus</i>
Bearberry (Kinnikinnick)	<i>Arctostaphylos uva-ursi</i>
Beardtongue	<i>Penstemon</i> spp.
Beardtongue, Oklahoma (see Uno et al., p. 367)	<i>Penstemon oklahomensis</i>
Beaver, mountain	<i>Aplodontia rufa</i>
Bedstraw	<i>Galium</i> spp.
Beech, American	<i>Fagus grandifolia</i>
Beech, European	<i>Fagus sylvatica</i>
Beech Family	<i>Fagaceae</i>
Beefsteak morel	<i>Helvella</i> sp.
Bee, honey	<i>Apis mellifera</i>
Beet, garden	<i>Beta vulgaris</i>
Beet, sugar	<i>Beta vulgaris</i> (horticulturally selected strains)
Beetle	Member of Order Coleoptera, Class Insecta, Phylum Arthropoda, Kingdom Animalia
Beetle, Asian long-horned	<i>Anoplophora glabripennis</i>
Beetle, Colorado potato	<i>Leptinotarsa decemlineata</i>
Beetle, elm bark	<i>Hylurgopinus rufipes, Scolytus multistriatus</i>
Beetles, fungi ("ambrosia") used for food by	<i>Ambrosiella</i> spp., <i>Monilia</i> spp.
Beetle, scarab	Member of Family Scarabaeidae (see Beetle)
Begonia	<i>Begonia</i> spp.
Begonia, rex	<i>Begonia x rex-cultorum</i> hybrids
Belladonna, source of	<i>Atropa belladonna</i>
Bell-fruited mallee	<i>Eucalyptus pressiana</i>
Bergamot	<i>Citrus bergamia</i>
Bermuda grass	<i>Cynodon dactylon</i>
Betel nut	<i>Areca catechu</i>
Betony, wood	<i>Pedicularis canadensis</i>
Bigleaf maple (see Stern, Fig. 8.20)	<i>Acer macrophyllum</i>
Big tree	<i>Sequoiadendron giganteum</i>
Birch	<i>Betula papyrifera</i> and others
Birch, yellow	<i>Betula alleghaniensis</i>

Bird-of-paradise plant	<i>Strelitzia reginae</i>
Bird's foot trefoil	<i>Lotus corniculatus</i>
Bird's nest fern	<i>Asplenium nidus</i>
Bird's nest fungus (see Stern, Fig. 1923)	<i>Crucibulum levis</i>
Bird's nest fungus (see Uno et al., Fig. 16.8c)	<i>Cyathus striatus</i>
Birth control pills, fungi used in manufacture of	<i>Rhizopus nigricans, R. arrhizus</i>
Birthwort Family	Aristolochiaceae
Bison	<i>Bison bison</i>
Bitter melon	<i>Momordica charantia</i>
Bittersweet	<i>Celastrus scandens</i>
Blackberry	<i>Rubus argutus, R. laciniatus, R. procerus, R. ursinus</i> , and others
Blackbird	<i>Euphagus</i> spp. and others
Black bread mold	<i>Rhizopus stolonifer</i> and others
Blackfly	Member of Simuliidae, Order Insecta, Phylum Arthropoda, Kingdom Animalia
Black ironwood	<i>Krugiodendron ferreum</i>
Black locust	<i>Robinia pseudo-acacia</i>
Black mangrove	<i>Avicennia germinans</i> (see Uno et al., Fig. 7.17); <i>A. nitida</i> (see Stern, Fig. 5.10)
Black oak	<i>Quercus velutina</i>
Black pepper	<i>Piper nigrum</i>
Black spruce	<i>Picea mariana</i>
Black stem rust of wheat	<i>Puccinia graminis</i>
Black walnut	<i>Juglans nigra</i>
Bladderwort	<i>Utricularia</i> spp.
Bladderwort (see Uno et al., Fig. 9.29)	<i>Utricularia minor</i>
Blazing star	<i>Liatris ligulistylis</i>
Blechnum fern (see Uno et al., Fig. 17.20)	<i>Blechnum</i> , sp.
Bleeding, ground pine used to arrest	<i>Lycopodium clavatum</i>
Bleeding heart	<i>Dicentra</i> spp.
Bleeding heart, Chinese/old-fashioned (see Simpson & Ogorzaly, Fig. 11.4b)	<i>Dicentra spectabilis</i>
Bleeding heart, eastern	<i>Dicentra eximia</i>
Bleeding heart, Pacific	<i>Dicentra formosa</i>
Bloodroot	<i>Sanguinaria canadensis</i> (+ <i>Sanguinaria isabellinus</i>)
Bluebell(s)	<i>Campanula rotundifolia, Mertensia virginica</i>
Blueberry	<i>Vaccinium</i> spp.
Blueberry, high-bush	<i>Vaccinium corymbosum</i>
Blueberry, low-bush	<i>Vaccinium angustifolium</i>
Blue curls	<i>Trichostema</i> spp.
Blue-green algae (see Cyanobacteria)	
Blue-green bacteria (see Cyanobacteria)	
Bluegrass, Kentucky	<i>Poa pratensis</i>
Blue jay	<i>Cyanocitta cristata</i>
Bogbean	<i>Menyanthes trifoliata</i>
Bobcat	<i>Felis rufus</i>
Bog myrtle	<i>Myrica gale</i>
Bok choi	<i>Brassica chinensis</i>
Bolete	<i>Boletus</i> spp. and others

Bollworm	<i>Pectinophora gossypiella</i>
Boneset	<i>Eupatorium</i> spp.
Boston fern	<i>Nephrolepis exaltata</i>
Boston ivy	<i>Parthenocissus tricuspidata</i>
Bottle gourd	<i>Lagenaria siceraria</i>
Bougainvillea	<i>Bougainvillea x buttiana</i> (= <i>Bougainvillea glabra</i> x <i>B. peruviana</i>) and others
Bowstring fibers, source of	<i>Sansevieria metalaea</i>
Bowstring hemp, source of	<i>Sansevieria</i> spp.
Box elder	<i>Acer negundo</i>
Boxwood	<i>Buxus sempervirens</i> and other <i>Buxus</i> spp
Boysenberry	<i>Rubus</i> hybrids, with <i>R. ursinus</i> as one parent
Bracken fern	<i>Pteridium aquilinum</i>
Bracket fungus	<i>Laetiporus sulfureus</i> (see Levetin & McMahon, Fig. 19.21, <i>Polyporus squamosus</i> , and others; see also Fungus, bracket)
Brazil nut	<i>Bertholetta excelsa</i>
Brazilian tree fern	<i>Cyathea</i> spp.
Breadfruit	<i>Artocarpus altilis</i>
Brewer's yeast	<i>Saccharomyces cerevisiae</i>
Bridalwreath	<i>Spiraea vanhouttei</i> hybrids and others
Brittle bush	<i>Encelia farinosa</i>
Broccoli	<i>Brassica oleraceae</i> var. <i>botrytis</i>
Bromeliad ("air plant")	Member of the Bromeliad Family (Bromeliaceae) ⁵
Broomrape	<i>Orobanche</i> spp.
Brown algae	Member of Division Chromophyta, Kingdom Protista. Representative genera include <i>Ascophyllum</i> , <i>Durvillea</i> , <i>Ecklonia</i> , <i>Ectocarpus</i> , <i>Hizikia</i> , <i>Laminaria</i> , <i>Undaria</i> , and others
Brown mallee	<i>Eucalyptus astringens</i>
Brown spot of rice, causal agent of	<i>Drechslera oryzae</i>
Brussels sprouts	<i>Brassica oleracea</i> var. <i>gemmaifera</i>
Bryophyte (see also individual listings)	Member of Divisions Anthocerophyta, Hepaticophyta, or Bryophyta, Kingdom Plantae
Bryopsid	Member of Division Chlorophyta, Kingdom Protista
Bt	<i>Bacillus thuringiensis</i>
Buckbrush	<i>Ceanothus cuneatus</i>
Buckeye	<i>Aesculus</i> spp.
Buckwheat	<i>Fagopyrum esculentum</i>
Buffalo	<i>Bison bison</i>
Buffalo gourd	<i>Cucurbita foetidissima</i>
Bullhorn acacia	<i>Acacia cornigera</i>
Bunchberry	<i>Cornus canadensis</i>
Burdock	<i>Arctium lappa</i>
Burn plant	<i>Aloe vera</i>
Burn treatment, horsetail source of ashes for	<i>Equisetum hyemale</i> and others
Butcher's-broom	<i>Ruscus aculeata</i>
Buttercup	<i>Ranunculus</i> spp.
Buttercup, aquatic (see Uno et al., Fig. 15.3)	<i>Ranunculus hyperboreus</i>

Buttercup, aquatic (see Uno et al., p. 357)	
Buttercup, European bulbous	<i>Ranunculus peltatus</i>
Buttercup Family	<i>Ranunculus bulbosa</i>
Buttercup, Himalayan (highest altitude flowering plant)	<i>Ranunculaceae</i>
Buttercup(s), New Zealand	<i>Ranunculus lobatus</i>
Butterfly	<i>Ranunculus insignis</i> , <i>R. verticillatus</i> , <i>R. nivicola</i> (<i>R. nivicola</i> = <i>R. insignis</i> x <i>R. verticillatus</i>)
Butterfly bush	Member of Superfamily Papilioidea, Order Lepidoptera, Phylum Arthropoda, Kingdom Animalia
Butterfly pea	<i>Buddleia davidii</i> and other <i>Buddleia</i> spp.
Butterfly weed	<i>Clitoria ternata</i>
Butternut	<i>Asclepias curassavica</i>
Butterwort	<i>Juglans cinerea</i>
Button snakeroot	<i>Pinguicula grandiflora</i> , <i>P. vulgaris</i> , and other <i>Pinguicula</i> spp.
Caapi	<i>Eryngium</i> spp.
Cabbage (green or red)	<i>Banisteriopsis caapi</i>
Cabbage Family	<i>Brassica oleracea</i> var. <i>capitata</i>
Cabbage looper	Brassicaceae (formerly Cruciferae)
Cabbage worm	<i>Trichoplusia ni</i>
Cacahuanache tree	<i>Pieris rapae</i>
Cacao	<i>Licania arborea</i>
Cactus (see Stern, Fig. 24.14A)	<i>Theobroma cacao</i>
Cactus, barrel	<i>Hamatocactus setispinus</i>
Cactus, cholla	<i>Mamillaria</i> spp., <i>Ferrocactus</i> spp., and others
Cactus, Christmas	<i>Opuntia</i> spp. (cylindrical forms)
Cactus, Coville's barrel (see Uno et al., Fig. 19.26)	<i>Schlumbergera bridgesii</i>
Cactus, giant saguaro	<i>Ferrocactus covillei</i>
Cactus, hedgehog	<i>Carnegia gigantea</i>
Cactus, hedgehog (see Uno et al., Fig. 15.17b)	<i>Echinocereus</i> spp. and others
Cactus, living rock	<i>Echinocereus triglochidiatus</i>
Cactus, organ-pipe	<i>Ariocarpus fissuratus</i> and others
Cactus, prickly pear	<i>Lemaireocereus</i> spp.
Cactus Family	<i>Opuntia</i> spp.
Cajuput, source of	Cactaceae
Calabash	<i>Melaleuca cajuputi</i>
Calabazilla	<i>Lagenaria siceraria</i>
Caladium	<i>Cucurbita foetidissima</i>
Calendula	<i>Caladium</i> spp.
California bay	<i>Calendula</i> spp.
California fuchsia	<i>Umbellularia californica</i>
California lilac (also known as Deerbrush; not related to true lilacs)	<i>Epilobium canum</i>
California nutmeg	<i>Ceanothus integerrimus</i>
California poppy	<i>Torreya californica</i>
California soaproot	<i>Eschscholzia californica</i> ⁶
Camel	<i>Chlorogalum pomeridianum</i>
Camelina	<i>Camelus</i> spp.
Camellia ⁷	<i>Camelina sativa</i>
	<i>Camellia</i> spp. ⁷

Camphor, source of	<i>Cinnamomum camphora</i>
Canada thistle	<i>Cirsium arvensis</i>
Candelilla	<i>Euphorbia antisyphilitica</i>
Candlenut	<i>Aleurites moluccana</i>
Candytuft	<i>Iberis</i> spp.
Cankerworm	<i>Alsophila pometaria</i> and others
Canna	<i>Canna edulis</i> and other <i>Canna</i> spp. and hybrids
Canola oil, seed source of	<i>Brassica napus</i> (<i>B. rapa</i>), <i>B. campestris</i>
Cantaloupe	<i>Cucumis melo</i>
Cape primrose (see Primrose, Cape)	
Caper	<i>Capparis spinosa</i>
Cape sundew	<i>Drosera capensis</i>
Cap-thrower fungus	<i>Pilobolus</i> spp.
Carambola	<i>Averrhoa carambola</i>
Caraway	<i>Carum carvi</i>
Cardamon/Cardamom	<i>Elettaria cardamomum</i>
Caribou	<i>Rangifer tarandus</i>
Carnation	<i>Dianthus caryophyllus</i>
Carnaubalike wax, source of	<i>Stipa tenacissima</i>
Carnauba wax, source of	<i>Copernicia cerifera</i>
Carob	<i>Ceratonia siliqua</i>
Carpetweed Family	Molluginaceae
Carrot	<i>Daucus carota</i>
Carrot Family	Apiaceae (formerly Umbelliferae)
Cashew	<i>Anacardium occidentale</i>
Cassava	<i>Manihot esculenta</i>
Cassia ⁸	<i>Cinnamomum cassida</i> ⁸
Castilla	<i>Castilla elastica</i>
Catalina mahogany	<i>Cercocarpus traskiae</i>
Catalpa	<i>Catalpa</i> spp.
Catechu	<i>Acacia catechu</i>
Caterpillar	Larval stage of member of Order Lepidoptera, Phylum Arthropoda, Kingdom Animalia
Catnip	<i>Nepeta cataria</i>
Cattail	<i>Typha</i> spp.
Cattle (see Cow)	
Cauliflower	<i>Brassica oleracea</i> var. <i>botrytis</i> (= <i>B. oleracea</i> var. <i>cauliflora</i>) ⁹
Caussu wax, source of	<i>Calathea lutea</i>
Cedar, Atlantic white	<i>Chamaecyparis thyoides</i>
Cedar, eastern red	<i>Juniperus virginiana</i>
Cedar, eastern white	<i>Thuja occidentalis</i>
Cedar, incense	<i>Calocedrus decurrens</i>
Cedar, mountain	<i>Juniperus ashei</i>
Cedar, southern white	<i>Chamaecyparis thyoides</i>
Cedar, western red	<i>Thuja plicata</i>
Celantro (see Cilantro)	
Celery	<i>Apium graveolens</i>
Cell-from-hell (a dinoflagellate)	<i>Pfiesteria piscicida</i>
Cellular slime mold	Member of Division Acrasiomycota, Kingdom Protista

Century plant	<i>Agave americana</i> and others
Chain fern	<i>Woodwardia fimbriata</i>
Chaconia	<i>Warszewiczia coccinea</i>
Chamise	<i>Adenostoma fasciculatum</i>
Chantarelle (mushroom)	<i>Cantharellus cibarius</i>
Chara	<i>Chara</i> spp.
Chard	<i>Beta vulgaris</i> var. <i>cicla</i>
Chaulmoogra	<i>Hydnocarpus kurzii</i> , <i>H. pentandra</i> , and others
Chayote	<i>Sechium edule</i>
Cheese bacteria (see Bacteria, buttermilk)	<i>Penicillium camembertii</i> (for Camembert cheese), <i>P. roquefortii</i> (for blue, Gorgonzola, Roquefort, and Stilton cheeses)
Cheese fungi	<i>Annona cherimola</i>
Cherimoya	<i>Prunus avium</i>
Cherry, sweet	<i>Prunus cerasus</i>
Cherry, sour	<i>Anthriscus cerefolium</i>
Chervil	<i>Castanea dentata</i>
Chestnut, American	<i>Endothia parasitica</i> (= <i>Cryphonectria parasitica</i>)
Chestnut blight	<i>Castanea mollissima</i>
Chestnut, Chinese	<i>Castanea sativa</i>
Chestnut, European	<i>Castanea crenata</i>
Chestnut, Japanese	<i>Salvia columbariae</i>
Chia	<i>Parus gambeli</i>
Chickadee, mountain	<i>Cicer arietinum</i>
Chickpea	<i>Stellaria decumbens</i>
Chickweed (Himalayan)	<i>Manilkara zapota</i>
Chicle, source of	<i>Cichorium intybus</i>
Chicory	<i>Capsicum annuum</i>
Chili pepper	<i>Pan troglodytes</i> and others
Chimpanzee	<i>Aspilia mossambicensis</i> , <i>Vernonia amygdalina</i>
Chimpanzees, medicinal plants used by	
China grass	<i>Boehmeria nivea</i>
Chinese cabbage	<i>Brassica pe-tsai</i>
Chinese gooseberry (see Kiwi)	
Chinese hibiscus	<i>Hibiscus rosa-sinensis</i>
Chinese tannin, gall source of	<i>Rhus semialata</i>
Chinese vegetable tallow	<i>Sapium sebiferum</i>
Chipmunk	<i>Eutamias</i> spp., <i>Tamias</i> spp., and others
Chives	<i>Allium schoenoprasum</i>
Chlamydomonas	<i>Chlamydomonas</i> spp.
Chlorella	<i>Chlorella</i> spp.
Chlorophytum	<i>Chlorophytum</i> spp.
Chloroxybacteria	Member of Chloroxybacteriae, Division Eubacteria, Kingdom Monera
Chocolate, source of	<i>Theobroma cacao</i>
Chokecherry	<i>Prunus virginiana</i> var. <i>melanocarpa</i>
Cholla (actus)	<i>Opuntia</i> spp. (cylindrical forms)
Cholla, teddy bear	<i>Opuntia bigelovii</i>
Chowchow	<i>Sechium edule</i>

Christmas cactus	<i>Schlumbergia bridgesii</i>
Christmas flower	<i>Euphorbia pulcherrima</i>
Chrysanthemum	<i>Chrysanthemum frutescens</i> , <i>C. x morifolium</i> , and other <i>Chrysanthemum</i> spp. and hybrids
Chuckwalla	<i>Sauromalus obesus</i>
Chufa	<i>Cyperus esculentus</i>
Chytrid	Member of Division Chytridiomycota, Kingdom Protista
Chytrid (see Levetin & McMahon, p. 377)	<i>Allomyces arbusculus</i>
Cilantro (celantro)	<i>Coriandrum sativum</i>
Cimicifuga	<i>Cimicifuga</i> spp.
Cinchona	<i>Cinchona officinalis</i> , <i>C. ledgeriana</i>
Cinnamon, true	<i>Cinnamomum zeylanicum</i>
Cinnamon, cassia	<i>Cinnamomum cassia</i> , <i>C. burmannii</i> , <i>C. loureii</i>
Cinnamon fern	<i>Osmunda cinnamomea</i>
Cinquefoil (see Uno et al., Fig. 15.12)	<i>Potentilla glandulosa</i>
Citric acid, fungal producers of	<i>Aspergillus niger</i> and others
Citron	<i>Citrus medica</i>
Citronella oil, source of	<i>Cymbopogon nardus</i>
Citrus	<i>Citrus</i> spp.
Citrus Family	Rutaceae
Cladophora	<i>Cladophora</i> spp.
Clematis	<i>Clematis</i> spp.
Climbing fern, Asian	<i>Lygodium salicifolium</i>
Climbing fern, tropical	<i>Dicranopteris linearis</i>
Closterium	<i>Closterium</i> spp.
Clover	<i>Trifolium</i> spp.
Clover, alsike	<i>Trifolium hybridum</i>
Clover, arrowhead	<i>Trifolium vesiculosum</i>
Clover, bur	<i>Medicago polymorpha</i>
Clover, crimson	<i>Trifolium incarnatum</i>
Clover, Egyptian (Berseem)	<i>Trifolium alexandrinum</i>
Clover, Kura	<i>Trifolium ambiguum</i>
Clover, Persian	<i>Trifolium resupinatum</i>
Clover, red	<i>Trifolium pratense</i>
Clover, strawberry	<i>Trifolium fragiferum</i> , <i>T. castaneum</i>
Clover, subterranean	<i>Trifolium subterraneum</i>
Clover, white sweet	<i>Melilotus alba</i>
Clover, yellow sweet	<i>Melilotus officinalis</i>
Clover, white	<i>Trifolium repens</i>
Clover, white sweet	<i>Melilotus alba</i>
Cloves	<i>Syzygium aromaticum</i> (formerly <i>Eugenia caryophyllus</i>)
Club fungus	Member of Division Basidiomycota, Kingdom Fungi
Club moss	Member of Division Lycophyta, Kingdom Plantae
Club moss (see Stern, Fig. 21.3A)	<i>Lycopodium cernuum</i>
Club moss (see Stern, Fig. 21.3B)	<i>Lycopodium clavatum</i>
Club moss (see Uno et al., Fig. 17.15)	<i>Lycopodium obscurum</i>
Coastal redwood	<i>Sequoia sempervirens</i>

Cobra plant	<i>Darlingtonia californica</i>
Coca/Cocaine, source of	<i>Erythroxylum</i> (often misspelled <i>Erythroxylon</i>) <i>coca. E. novogratavatense</i> is a lesser source.
Coca Family	<i>Erythroxylaceae</i>
Coccidiomycosis (Valley fever), fungal cause of	<i>Coccidioides immitis</i>
Cochineal insect	<i>Dactylopius coccus</i>
Cocklebur	<i>Xanthium strumarium</i>
Cockroach	<i>Blatta orientalis, Blatella germanica</i> , and others
Cockroach plant	<i>Haplophyton cimicidum</i>
Cockscomb	<i>Celosia</i> spp.
Cocoyam (Taro; the common name <i>cocoyam</i> is also used for Yautia; see listing for Yautia)	<i>Colocasia esculenta</i>
Coffee, Arabian	<i>Coffea arabica</i>
Coffee Family (= Madder Family)	<i>Rubiaceae</i>
Coffee, Liberian	<i>Coffea liberica</i>
Coffee, robusta	<i>Coffea canephora</i>
Coffee rust	<i>Hemileia vastatrix</i>
Coir (derived from coconuts)	<i>Cocos nucifera</i>
Colchicine, source of	<i>Colchicum autumnale</i>
Coleochaete	<i>Coleochaete</i> sp.
Coleus	<i>Coleus blumei, C. x hybrida</i> , and others
Collards	<i>Brassica oleracea</i> var. <i>acephala</i>
Colorado potato beetle	<i>Leptinotarsa decemlinata</i>
Columbine	<i>Aquilegia</i> spp.
Columbine (see Stern, Fig. 24.3A)	<i>Aquilegia formosa</i>
Colza (see Rape)	
Compass plant (see Stern, Fig. 7.13)	<i>Lactuca serriola</i>
Compass plant (see Uno et al., Perspective 6.3, p. 141)	<i>Silphium laciniatum</i>
Coneflower	<i>Rudbeckia</i> sp.
Coneflower, Asian	<i>Strobilanthes</i> spp.
Conferva	An algal genus recognized by Linnaeus that subsequently was reorganized into many algal taxa in different genera
Copaiba tree, Amazonian	<i>Copaifera langsdorffii</i>
Copal, sources of	<i>Agathis alba, Copaifera demeussei, Hymenea courbaril, Trachylobium verrucosum</i> , and others
Copperhead	<i>Ancistrodon contortrix</i>
Coral	Skeletal remains of marine coelenterate polyps
Coral fungi	<i>Clavaria</i> spp., <i>Clavicorona</i> spp., <i>Hericum</i> spp., and others
Coral gum	<i>Eucalyptus camaldulensis</i>
Coral tree	<i>Erythrina crista-galli</i>
Cordage, fibers, source of	<i>Agave sisalina, A. heterocantha, A. lophantha, Phormium tenax</i> , and others
Coreopsis	<i>Coreopsis</i> spp.
Coriander	<i>Coriandrum sativum</i>
Cork oak	<i>Quercus suber</i>
Corn (Maize)	<i>Zea mays</i>

Corn leaf blight, causal agent	<i>Bipolaris maydis</i> (<i>Helminthosporium maydis</i> ; <i>Drechslera maydis</i>)
Corn lily/Western hellebore	<i>Veratrum californicum</i>
Corn plant (houseplant)	<i>Dracaena fragrans</i>
Corn smut	<i>Ustilago maydis</i>
Costus	<i>Costus</i> spp.
Cotoneaster	<i>Cotoneaster dammeri</i> , <i>C. horizontalis</i> , and other <i>Cotoneaster</i> spp.
Cotton	<i>Gossypium arboreum</i> , <i>G. barbadense</i> , <i>G. herbaceum</i> , <i>G. hirsutum</i> , and <i>G. raimondii</i>
Cotton, upland	<i>Gossypium hirsutum</i>
Cottonwood	<i>Populus deltoides</i> , <i>P. fremontii</i> , and others
Cow	<i>Bos</i> sp.
Cow parsnip	<i>Heracleum lanatum</i>
Cowpea	<i>Vigna sinensis</i> , <i>V. unguiculata</i> (see also Black-eyed pea)
Cowslip	<i>Caltha palustris</i>
Cow tree	<i>Mimosa pudica</i> , <i>Brosimum utile</i> , and others
Crabapple	<i>Crataegus</i> spp.
Crabapple (see Simpson & Ogorzaly, Fig. 3.5)	<i>Malus sylvestris</i> (= <i>Malus sylvestris</i> ?)
Crab grass	<i>Digitaria sanguinalis</i>
Cranberry, American	<i>Vaccinium macrocarpon</i>
Cranberry, European	<i>Vaccinium oxycoccus</i>
Cranberry, high-bush	<i>Viburnum trilobum</i>
Cranberry, mountain	<i>Vaccinium vitis-idaea</i>
Crape myrtle	<i>Lagerstroemia indica</i>
Creosote bush	<i>Larrea divaricata</i>
Cress, garden	<i>Lepidium sativum</i> , <i>Barbarea verna</i> , and others
Cress, mouse-ear	<i>Arabidopsis thaliana</i>
Cress, rock	<i>Arabis</i> spp.
Crocus, spring	<i>Crocus vernus</i> and many other <i>Crocus</i> spp.
Crocus, autumn/fall	<i>Colchium autumnale</i> and other <i>Crocus</i> spp.
Crown gall	<i>Agrobacterium tumefaciens</i>
Crown-of-thorns	<i>Euphorbia milii</i> var. <i>splendens</i> and others
Crozier, tropical tree fern	<i>Sadleria cyatheoides</i>
(see Stern, Chapter 11 opener, p. 187)	
Crustacean	Member of Class Crustacea, Phylum Arthropoda, Kingdom Animalia
Cryptomonad	Member of Division Cryptophyta, Kingdom Protista
Cube root	<i>Lonchocarpus nicou</i>
Cucumber	<i>Cucumis sativus</i>
Cucumber, squirting	<i>Ecballium elaterium</i>
Cucumber tree	<i>Magnolia acuminata</i>
Cumin	<i>Cuminum cyminum</i>
Curare, source of	<i>Strychnos nox-vomica</i> , <i>S. toxifera</i> with <i>Chondrodendron tomentosum</i> ; also <i>Curarea</i> <i>toxicofera</i> and <i>C. radicans</i>
Custard apple	<i>Annona squamosa</i>

Cyanobacteria	Member of Kingdom Monera; common genera include <i>Anabaena</i> , <i>Lyngbya</i> , <i>Oscillatoria</i> , <i>Phormidium</i> , <i>Schizothrix</i> , and <i>Spirulina</i> <i>Spirulina</i> sp.
Cyanobacteria, Lake Chad edible	<i>Trichodesmium erythraeum</i>
Cyanobacteria, Red Sea	<i>Bacillusiphon induratus</i> , <i>Synechococcus</i> spp., and others
Cyanobacteria, thermal	
Cycad (see Stern, Chapter 22 opener)	<i>Cycas</i> sp.
Cycad (see Stern, Fig. 22.12A; Uno et al., Fig. 18.3b)	<i>Dioon edule</i>
Cycad (see Stern, Fig. 22.12B)	<i>Encephalartos altensteinii</i>
Cycad (see Uno et al., Fig. 18.6d)	<i>Zamia</i> sp.
Cycadeoid (extinct gymnosperm with palmlike leaves)	<i>Cycadeoidea</i> and other genera
Cycadeoid (see Uno et al., Fig. 18.2)	<i>Cycadeoidea</i> sp.
Cycad, Florida	<i>Zamia floridana</i>
Cyclamen	<i>Cyclamen</i> spp.
Cypress	<i>Cupressus</i> spp.
Cypress, bald	<i>Taxodium distichum</i>
Cypress Family	Cupressaceae
Daffodil	<i>Narcissus</i> spp. (see footnote 18)
Dahlia	<i>Dahlia</i> spp.
Daikon (Japanese radish)	<i>Raphanus sativus</i>
Daisy	<i>Dimorphotheca</i> spp., <i>Layia</i> spp., and others
Daisy fleabane	<i>Erigeron</i> spp.
Dammar, source of	<i>Agathis australis</i> , <i>A. dammara</i> , <i>Shorea</i> spp., <i>Bursera</i> spp.
Dandelion	<i>Taraxacum officinale</i>
Dandruff, ferns used in treatment of	<i>Adiantum capillus-veneris</i> , <i>Polystichum munitum</i>
Dasheen	<i>Colocasia esculenta</i>
Date	<i>Phoenix dactylifera</i>
Datura	<i>Datura stramonium</i>
Daylily	<i>Hemerocallis</i> spp. and their hybrids
DDT-like compound, algal producers of	<i>Laurencia</i> spp. and others
Death angel (death cap)	<i>Amanita phalloides</i>
Deer	<i>Odocoileus</i> spp. and others
Deerbrush	<i>Ceanothus integerrimus</i>
Deerfly	<i>Tabanus</i> spp.
Deer, mule	<i>Odocoileus hemionus</i>
Degenaria (beetle-pollinated plant of Fiji)	<i>Degenaria vitiensis</i>
Delphinium	<i>Delphinium</i> spp.
Dendrobium (orchid)	<i>Dendrobium</i> spp. and hybrids
Dermatophytes (fungi that attack skin, hair, and nails)	<i>Epidermophyton</i> spp., <i>Microsporum</i> spp., <i>Trichophyton</i> spp., and others
Desert sunflower	<i>Machaeranthera gracilis</i>
Desmids	<i>Closterium</i> spp., <i>Cosmarium</i> spp., and others
Destroying angel	<i>Amanita virosa</i>
Deutzia	<i>Deutzia scabra</i> and other <i>Deutzia</i> spp. and hybrids
Dewberry	<i>Rubus</i> hybrids with <i>R. ursinus</i> as one parent

Diatom	<i>Biddulphia</i> spp., <i>Cymbella</i> spp., <i>Navicula</i> spp., and others
Diatom (illustrations)	<i>Cymatopleura solea</i> (see Stern, Fig. 18.14), <i>Thalassiosira elsayedii</i> , <i>Delphineis karstenii</i> , and <i>Pseudonitzchia australis</i>
Diatom, domoic acid (deadly neurotoxin)-producing	<i>Pseudonitzchia australis</i>
Diatoms used in shrimp farming	<i>Chaetoceros</i> spp., <i>Skeletonema</i> spp.
Dicot	Member of Class Magnoliopsida, Division Magnoliophyta, Kingdom Plantae
Dicroidium (fossil)	<i>Dicroidium</i> sp.
Dieffenbachia (see Dumbcane)	
Digitalis, source of	<i>Digitalis purpurea</i> , <i>D. lanata</i>
Dill	<i>Anethum graveolens</i>
Dinoflagellate (see also Cell-from-hell)	Member of Division Dinophyta, Kingdom Protista. Representative genera include <i>Gambierdiscus</i> , <i>Gonyaulax</i> , and <i>Gymnodinium</i> . <i>Gonyaulax polyedra</i> Many genera and spp. of extinct reptiles (e.g., <i>Apatasaurus</i> spp., <i>Stegosaurus</i> spp.)
Dinoflagellate, midnight-bioluminescent	<i>Dioscorea</i> spp.
Dinosaur	<i>Dischidia rafflesiana</i>
Dioscorea	<i>Caesalpina coriaria</i>
Dischidia	<i>Cuscuta</i> spp.
Divi-divi	<i>Apocynum</i> spp.
Dodder	<i>Cornus</i> spp.
Dogbane	<i>Pseudotsuga menziesii</i>
Dogwood	Member of Family Columbidae, Class Aves, Phylum Vertebrata, Kingdom Animalia
Douglas fir	<i>Zenaidura macroura</i>
Dove	<i>Plasmopora viticola</i>
Dove, mourning	<i>Dracaena</i> spp., <i>Daemonorops</i> spp.
Downy mildew of grape	<i>Dracaena draco</i>
Dragon's blood	<i>Drimys winteri</i> and other <i>Drimys</i> spp.
Dragon tree	<i>Dubautia ciliolata</i> (see Uno et al., Fig. 14.12c)
Drimys	
Dubautia	
Duboisia	<i>Duboisia myoporoides</i> , <i>D. leichtardii</i>
Duck, mallard	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>
Duckweed	<i>Lemna</i> spp., <i>Wolffia</i> spp., and others
Dulse	<i>Rhodymenia</i> spp.
Dumbcane	<i>Dieffenbachia</i> spp. and their hybrids
Dung mosses (on dung of carnivores)	<i>Tayloria</i> spp.
Dung mosses (on dung of herbivores)	<i>Splachnum</i> spp.
Dusty miller	Common name of various taxa, including species of <i>Artemisia</i> , <i>Centaurea</i> , <i>Cineraria</i> , <i>Chrysanthemum</i> , <i>Lychnis</i> , and <i>Senecio</i> <i>Ceratocystis ulmi</i> (<i>Ophiostoma ulmi</i>)
Dutch elm disease, causal agent of	<i>Dicentra cucullaria</i>
Dutchman's breeches	<i>Aristolochia macrophylla</i> , <i>A. sipho</i> , and others
Dutchman's pipe	<i>Orthocarpus pusillus</i> (= <i>Triphysaria pusilla</i>)
Dwarf owl's clover	<i>Isatis tinctoria</i>
Dyer's woad	
Dyes, sources of (see listing in Stern, Appendix 3)	

Eagle, golden	<i>Aquila chrysaetos</i>
Earth star	<i>Geaster</i> spp. and others
Earthworm	<i>Lumbricus</i> spp. and others
Eastern white pine	<i>Pinus strobus</i>
Ebony	<i>Diospyros ebenum</i>
Eddo	<i>Colocasia esculenta</i>
Eelgrass, marine	<i>Zostera</i> spp.
Eelworm (nematode)	Member of Class Nematoda, Phylum Aschelminthes, Kingdom Animalia <i>Dactylaria</i> spp., <i>Arthrobotrys actylloides</i>
Eelworm (nematode) fungi that trap with constricting rings	<i>Dactylella</i> spp.
Eelworm (nematode) fungi that trap with passive rings	
Eggplant	<i>Solanum melongena</i>
Egret, common	<i>Casmerodius albus</i>
Elephant	<i>Elephas</i> spp., <i>Loxodonta</i> spp.
Elephant ears	<i>Colocasia</i> spp.
Elk	<i>Cervus canadensis</i>
Elm	<i>Ulmus</i> spp.
Elm, American	<i>Ulmus americana</i>
Elm, slipper	<i>Ulmus fulva</i>
Elm, winged (red elm)	<i>Ulmus alata</i>
Elm bark beetle	<i>Hylurgopinus rufipes</i> , <i>Scolytus multistriatus</i>
Elodea	<i>Elodea</i> spp.
Endive	<i>Cichorium endivia</i>
English ivy	<i>Hedera helix</i>
English yew	<i>Taxus baccata</i>
Epera	<i>Eperua purpurea</i> and others
Ephedra	<i>Ephedra viridis</i> and other <i>Ephedra</i> spp.
Ephedrine, natural source of	<i>Ephedra sinica</i> and other <i>Ephedra</i> spp.
Ergot	<i>Claviceps purpurea</i>
Ermania (highest elevation flowering plant)	<i>Ermania</i> (= <i>Ermaniosis</i> ?) <i>himalayensis</i>
Ermine	<i>Mustela erminea</i>
Etrog	<i>Citrus medica</i>
Eucalyptus, source of bark/wood for tannins	<i>Eucalyptus wandoo</i>
Eucalyptus oil, source of	<i>Eucalyptus</i> spp. (Note: There are more than 250 spp. of <i>Eucalyptus</i> .) <i>Eucalyptus regnans</i>
Eucalyptus, Tasmanian giant	Member of Division Euglenophyta, Kingdom Protista
Eustoma (see Prairie bluebells)	<i>Euphorbia</i> spp.
Euglenoid	<i>Euphorbia punicea</i>
Euphorbia	<i>Euphorbia cotinifolia</i>
Euphorbia (see Uno et al., Fig. 9.26)	<i>Fagus sylvatica</i>
Euphorbia used as fish poison	<i>Pyrausta nubialis</i>
European beech	<i>Tradescantia paludosa</i>
European corn borer	<i>Pinus pinea</i>
European spiderwort	<i>Oenothera hookeri</i> (= <i>Oenothera elata</i>)
European stone pine	
Evening primrose (see Uno et al., Figs. 12.5 and 12.23)	

Extinguisher mosses	<i>Encalypta</i> spp.
Fairy elephant's feet	<i>Fritchia pulchra</i>
Fall webworm	<i>Hyphantria cunea</i>
False morel	<i>Helvella</i> sp.
False pakchoi (false bokchoi)	<i>Brassica parachinensis</i>
Fennel	<i>Foeniculum vulgare</i>
Fennel, giant	<i>Ferula communis</i>
Fenugreek	<i>Trigonella foenumgraecum</i>
Fern(s), adder's tongue	<i>Ophioglossum</i> spp.
Fern, <i>Alsophila</i> (see Uno et al., Fig. 17.21b)	<i>Alsophila sinuata</i>
Fern, amphibious	<i>Marsilea</i> spp. and others
Fern, ant-harboring (see Uno et al., Fig. 17.23)	<i>Solanopteris brunei</i>
Fern, "Appalachian gametophyte"	<i>Vittaria</i> sp.
Fern, aquatic/floating	<i>Azolla</i> spp., <i>Salvinia</i> spp.
Fern, sources of astringent	<i>Actiniopteris radiata</i> , <i>Drynaria quercifolia</i> , <i>Pteridium aquilinum</i> , and others
Fern, beech	<i>Thelypteris</i> spp.
Fern, bird's foot	<i>Pellaea mucronata</i>
Fern, bird's nest	<i>Asplenium nidus</i>
Fern, Boston	<i>Nephrolepis exaltata</i>
Fern, bracken	<i>Pteridium aquilinum</i>
Fern, Brazilian tree	<i>Cyathea</i> sp.
Fern used in treating burns	<i>Polysticum munitum</i>
Fern, chain	<i>Woodwardia fimbriata</i>
Fern, cinnamon	<i>Osmunda cinnamomea</i>
Fern, Asian climbing	<i>Lygodium salicifolium</i>
Fern used in treating coughs	<i>Adiantum aethiopicum</i> , <i>A. lunulatum</i> , <i>Polypodium glycyrrhiza</i>
Fern used in treating dandruff	<i>Adiantum capillus-veneris</i> , <i>Polystichum munitum</i>
Fern used in treating diabetes	<i>Adiantum caudatum</i>
Fern used in treating diarrhea	<i>Botrychium lunaria</i> , <i>B. ternatum</i> , <i>Pteridium aquilinum</i> , and others
Fern used as diuretic	<i>Adiantum venustum</i> , <i>Lygodium japonicum</i>
Fern sources of dyes	<i>Sadleria cyatheoides</i> (trunk), <i>Sphenomeris chusana</i> (fronds)
Fern used in treating dysentery	<i>Botrychium lunaria</i> , <i>B. ternatum</i> , <i>Pteridium aquilinum</i> , and others
Fern used in treating eczema	<i>Lygodium flexuosum</i>
Fern used in treating eye diseases	<i>Asplenium adiantum-nigrum</i>
Fern used to reduce fevers	<i>Marsilea quadrifolia</i>
Fern, five-finger	<i>Adiantum pedatum</i>
Fern used as food	<i>Athyrium filix-femina</i> , <i>Dryopteris austriaca</i> , <i>D. filix-mas</i> , <i>Polysticum minitum</i> , and others
Fern, fossil	<i>Psaronius</i> spp., <i>Thamnopteris</i> spp., and others
Fern, fragile	<i>Cystopteris fragilis</i>
Fern, giant maidenhair	<i>Adiantum trapeziforme</i>
Fern, goldback	<i>Pentagramma triangularis</i>
Fern used for hairwash	<i>Dryopteris dilatata</i>
Fern, holly	<i>Polystichum lonchitis</i>

Fern used by hummingbirds	
Fern used for treating insect stings and bites	
Fern, interrupted	<i>Adiantum capillus-veneris</i>
Fern used for easing labor pains	<i>Osmunda claytoniana</i>
Fern, lady	<i>Athyrium filix-femina</i>
Fern used as laxative	<i>Athyrium filix-femina</i>
Fern used in treating leprosy	<i>Asplenium trichomanes, Polypodium vulgare</i>
Fern, licorice	<i>Marsilea quadrifolia</i>
Fern, lip	<i>Polypodium glycyrrhiza</i>
Fern poisonous to livestock	<i>Cheilanthes spp.</i>
Fern, edible Malaysian (relative of Lady fern)	<i>Onoclea sensibilis, Pteridium aquilinum</i>
Fern, male	<i>Athyrium esculentum</i>
Fern, marginal woodfern	<i>Dryopteris filix-mas</i>
Fern, mosquito	<i>Dryopteris marginalis</i>
Fern, nest	<i>Azolla caroliniana</i>
Fern used to arrest nosebleeds	<i>Asplenium nidus</i>
Fern used for orchid bark	<i>Pellaea mucronata</i>
Fern, Oriental water	<i>Cibotium spp., Osmunda spp.</i>
Fern used as poison antidote	<i>Ceratopteris thalictroides</i>
Fern, polypody	<i>Polystichum squarrosum</i>
Fern, rabbit's-foot	<i>Polypodium spp.</i>
Fern used in treating rickets	<i>Davallia spp.</i>
Fern, reticulate adder's tongue	<i>Asplenium ruta-muraria, Osmunda regalis</i>
Fern, royal	<i>Ophioglossum reticulatum</i> (see also Adder's tongue fern, reticulate)
Fern(s), seed (Pteridosperms)	<i>Osmunda regalis</i>
Fern, staghorn	<i>Lyginopteris spp., Medullosa spp., and others</i>
Fern used for stuffing mattresses, pillows, upholstery	<i>Platycerium bifurcatum</i> and others
Fern, sword	<i>Cibotium spp., Sadleria spp.</i>
Fern used in quelling toothache	<i>Polystichum munitum</i>
Fern, Hawaiian tree	<i>Pentagramma triangularis</i>
Fern, ostrich	<i>Cibotium spp., Sadleria spp.</i>
Fern, <i>Thelypteris</i> (see Uno et al., p. 428)	<i>Mattueccia struthiopteris</i>
Fern, tree (see also Fern, Hawaiian tree; Fern, small Hawaiian tree; and Fern, tropical tree)	<i>Thelypteris dentata</i>
Fern, small Hawaiian tree	<i>Cyathea spp., Ctenitis spp., Dicksonia spp., Marattia spp., Sphaeropteris spp., and others</i>
Fern, tropical (see Stern, Fig. 21.18)	<i>Sadleria cyatheoides</i>
Fern, tropical tree (see Stern, Fig. 21.25)	<i>Dicranopteris linearis</i>
Fern, walking	<i>Cibotium sp.</i>
Fern used for expelling worms	<i>Asplenium rhizophyllum</i>
Fern used for treating wounds	<i>Dryopteris filix-mas</i>
Fescue	<i>Lygodium circinatum, Ophioglossum vulgatum</i>
Feverbark tree	<i>Festuca spp., Vulpia spp.</i>
Fevers, fern used to reduce	<i>Cinchona spp.</i>
Fevers, ground pine used to reduce	<i>Marsilea quadrifolia</i>
Feverwort	<i>Lycopodium clavatum</i>
Field horsetail	<i>Centaurium erythraea, Eupatorium perfoliatum</i>
Fig, common	<i>Equisetum arvense</i>
Fig, tropical	<i>Ficus carica</i>
Fig, tropical (see Stern, Fig. 5.14)	<i>Ficus spp.</i>
	<i>Ficus macrophyllus</i>

Figwort Family	Scrophulariaceae
Filaree	<i>Erodium</i> spp.
Filbert (see Hazelnut)	
Finch	<i>Carpodacus</i> spp., <i>Leucosticte</i> spp.
Fir, balsam	<i>Abies balsamea</i>
Fir, Douglas	<i>Pseudotsuga menziesii</i>
Fir, white	<i>Abies concolor</i>
Firethorn	<i>Pyracantha coccinea</i> and others
Fireweed	<i>Epilobium angustifolium</i>
Fish	Member of Class Pisces, Phylum Vertebrata, Kingdom Animalia
Fish, flashlight	<i>Anomalops katoptron</i> , <i>Photoblepharon palpebratus</i>
Fish molds	<i>Saprolegnia</i> spp. and others
Five-finger fern	<i>Adiantum pedatum</i>
Flashlight powder, ground pine source of	<i>Lycopodium</i> spp.
Folios lichen (see Stern, Fig. 19.34)	<i>Physcia</i> sp.
Foolish-seedling disease (of rice), cause of	<i>Gibberella fujikuroi</i>
Forsythia	<i>Forsythia x intermedia</i> and other <i>Forsythia</i> spp. and hybrids
Fossil, compression (see Stern, Fig. 21.26)	<i>Annularia radiata</i>
Fossil ground pine (<i>Lycopodium</i>) (see Stern, Fig. 21.9)	<i>Lepidodendron</i>
Fossil horsetails	<i>Equisetites</i> spp., <i>Hyenia</i> spp., <i>Sphenophyllum</i> spp., and others
Fossil horsetails, treelike	<i>Calamites</i> spp.
Fossil genera somewhat resembling whisk ferns (<i>Psilotum</i>)	<i>Cooksonia</i> , <i>Rhynia</i> , <i>Zosterophyllum</i>
Four-leaf clover	
Four-o'clock	<i>Trifolium</i> spp. (occasional deviation from typical three leaflets)
Four-o'clock Family	<i>Mirabilis jalapa</i>
Fox, arctic	<i>Nyctaginaceae</i>
Fox, gray	<i>Alopex lagopus</i>
Fox, red	<i>Urocyon cinereoargentus</i>
Foxglove	<i>Vulpes fulva</i>
Frangipanni	<i>Digitalis purpurea</i>
Frankincense	<i>Plumeria rubra</i> and other <i>Plumeria</i> spp.
Freesia	<i>Boswellia sacra</i>
Frog	<i>Freesia alba</i> , <i>F. refracta</i> , and hybrids involving other <i>Freesia</i> spp.
Fruit fly, common	<i>Rana</i> spp. and others
Fuchsia	<i>Drosophila melanogaster</i> (There are many other species of fruit fly.)
Fuchsia, California	<i>Fuchsia</i> spp. and their hybrids
Fucus	<i>Epilobium canum</i>
Fumitory, Himalayan	<i>Fucus</i> spp.
Fungi that produce antibiotics	<i>Corydalis gerdae</i>
Fungi that cause aspergilloses	<i>Penicillium</i> spp., <i>Cephalosporium</i> spp., and others
Fungi that cause athlete's foot	<i>Aspergillus fumigatus</i> , <i>Candida albicans</i> , <i>Coccidioides immitis</i> , and others
	<i>Trichophyton</i> spp.

Fungi used by beetles for food	<i>Ambrosiella</i> spp., <i>Monilia</i> spp.
Fungi, bird's nest	<i>Nidularia</i> spp., <i>Crucibulum levis</i>
Fungi used in manufacturing birth control pills	<i>Rhizopus nigricans</i> , <i>R. arrhizus</i>
Fungi, ant and termite nest	One <i>Leucoagaricus</i> sp. has been identified, but vasty majority are unknown.
Fungi, cheese	<i>Penicillium camembertii</i> (for Camembert cheese), <i>P. roquefortii</i> (for blue, Gorgonzola, Roquefort, and Stilton cheeses)
Fungi, hallucinogenic	<i>Amanita muscaria</i> , <i>Conocybe</i> spp., <i>Panaeolus</i> spp., <i>Psilocybe</i> spp., and others
Fungi, horse dung	<i>Pilobolus</i> spp.
Fungi, imperfect (asexual) (see Levetin & McMahon, Fig. 22.12)	<i>Alternaria</i> spp., <i>Aspergillus</i> spp., <i>Cladosporium</i> spp., <i>Curvularia</i> spp., <i>Penicillium</i> spp., <i>Pithomyces</i> spp., and others
Fungi, industrial alcohol-producing	<i>Aspergillus</i> spp.
Fungi, insect-parasitizing	Members of Order Laboulbeniales, Division Ascomycota, Kingdom Fungi, and others
Fungi, jelly	<i>Auricularia</i> spp., <i>Exidia</i> spp., <i>Tremella</i> spp., and others
Fungi, meat-tenderizing	<i>Thamnidium</i> spp.
Fungi, ringworm	<i>Epidermophyton</i> spp., <i>Microsporium</i> spp., <i>Trichophyton</i> spp.
Fungi, shelf (see Fungi, bracket)	<i>Aspergillus oryzae</i> , <i>A. sojae</i>
Fungi, shoyu	<i>Aspergillus</i> spp.
Fungi used in silvering mirrors	<i>Penicillium</i> spp.
Fungi used in manufacturing soap	<i>Penicillium chrysogenum</i> , <i>P. notatum</i> , and other <i>Penicillium</i> spp.
Fungi, pencillin	<i>Fusarium</i> spp. and others
Fungi, soil	<i>Aspergillus oryzae</i> , <i>A. sojae</i>
Fungi, soy sauce	<i>Actinomucor elegans</i> , <i>Mucor</i> spp.
Fungi, sufu	<i>Conocybe</i> spp., <i>Panaeolus</i> spp., <i>Psilocybe</i> spp., and others
Fungi, teonanacatlé (sacred)	<i>Fomes fomentarius</i>
Fungus, amadou (water-absorbing and tinder fungus)	<i>Crucibulum</i> spp., <i>Cyathus</i> spp., and others
Fungus, bird's nest	<i>Serillus pungens</i>
Fungus, bolete (see Stern, Fig. 19.20)	<i>Fomes</i> spp., <i>Daedalea</i> spp., and others
Fungus, bracket	<i>Phacolus</i> sp.
Fungus, bracket (see Stern, Fig. 19.13C)	<i>Fomes</i> sp.
Fungus, bracket (see Stern, Fig. 19.21)	<i>Grifola sulphurea</i>
Fungus, bracket/shelf (see Uno et al., Fig. 16.8d)	<i>Monolinia fruticola</i> and others
Fungus, brown fruit rot	<i>Pilobolus</i> sp.
Fungus, cap/hat-throwing	<i>Cephalosporium acremonium</i>
Fungus producing cephalosporin (antibiotic) (see Levetin & McMahon, p. 416)	<i>Aspergillus terreus</i>
Fungus, chlorine-assimilating	<i>Aspergillus niger</i> and others
Fungus, citric acid-producing	<i>Tolypocladium inflatum</i>
Fungus producing cyclosporin A (immune system depressant)	<i>Plasmopora viticola</i>
Fungus, downy mildew of grape	<i>Merulius lacrymans</i> (= <i>Serpula lacrymans</i>)
Fungus, dry rot (see Levetin & McMahon, p. 307)	<i>Gibberella fujikuroi</i>
Fungus, "foolish seedling" (of rice)	

Fungus, flavor-producing	<i>Aspergillus</i> spp.
Fungus, fly	<i>Entomophora</i> sp.
Fungus used in Beadle & Tatum genetic experiments	<i>Neurospora crassa</i>
Fungus producing griseofulvin (antibiotic)	<i>Penicillium griseofulvum</i>
Fungus, horse dung	<i>Pilobolus</i> spp.
Fungus, jelly	<i>Auricularia</i> spp., <i>Exidia</i> spp., <i>Tremella</i> spp., and others <i>Tremella mesenterica</i> <i>Colletotrichum lindemuthianum</i>
Fungus, jelly (see Uno et al., Fig. 16.8b)	
Fungus, kidney bean leaf (that stimulates production of fungal inhibitors)	
Fungus, miso	<i>Aspergillus oryzae</i>
Fungus, causal agent of Panama disease (of bananas)	<i>Fusarium oxysporum</i>
Fungus used in producing plastics	<i>Aspergillus terreus</i>
Fungus, sac (see Stern, Fig. 19.7)	<i>Caloscypha fulgens</i>
Fungus producing streptomycin (antibiotic)	<i>Streptomyces griseus</i>
Fungus, tempeh	<i>Rhizopus oligosporus</i>
Fungus used in manufacturing toothpaste	<i>Aspergillus niger</i>
Fungus, white piedra	<i>Trichosporon beigeli</i>
Fungus, wood-rotting (see Levetin & McMahon, Box Fig. 18.2)	<i>Ganoderma applanatum</i> (cancer-inhibiting properties also claimed for this species) <i>Blakeslea trispora</i>
Fungus used in manufacturing yellow food-coloring agent	
Funori, source of	<i>Gloioeltis</i> spp.
Fur, green algae that inhabit animal	<i>Trentepohlia</i> spp.
Fynbos cotyledon plant (see Stern, Chapter 26 opener, p. 480)	<i>Cotyledon</i> sp.
Gardenia	<i>Gardenia jasminoides</i>
Garlic	<i>Allium sativum</i>
Genlisea	<i>Genlisea</i> spp.
Gentian, source of	<i>Gentiana</i> spp.
Geranium	<i>Geranium</i> spp., <i>Pelargonium</i> spp. (see Levetin & McMahon, <i>Pelargonium domesticum</i>) Geraniaceae <i>Gerardia aphylla</i>
Geranium Family	
Gerardia (plant parasite member of the Figwort Family)	
Gerber daisy (see Transvaal daisy)	
Gherkin	<i>Cucumis sativus</i>
Giant bacterium	<i>Epulopiscium fishelsonii</i>
Giant fennel	<i>Ferula communis</i>
Giant kelp	<i>Macrocystis pyrifera</i>
Gila monster	<i>Heloderma suspectum</i>
Ginger	<i>Zingiber officinale</i> and others
Ginseng, source of	<i>Panax quinquefolium</i> and others
Giraffe	<i>Giraffa camelopardalis</i>
Gladiolia/Gladiolus	<i>Gladiolus</i> spp.
Gloeocapsa	<i>Gloeocapsa</i> spp.
Goat	<i>Capra</i> spp.
Goat grass	<i>Aegilops speltoides</i> , <i>A. longissima</i>
Goldback fern	<i>Pentagramma triangularis</i>

Golden-brown algae	Members of Division Chromophyta, Kingdom Protista
Golden chain tree	<i>Laburnum anagyroides</i>
Goldenrod	<i>Solidago</i> spp.
Goldenseal	<i>Hydrastis canadensis</i>
Goldenweed	<i>Haplopappus gracilis</i> ¹⁰
Goose	<i>Branta</i> spp. and others
Gooseberry	<i>Ribes</i> spp.
Goosefoot Family	Chenopodiaceae
Gopher	<i>Geomys</i> spp., <i>Thomomys</i> spp.
Gopher plant	<i>Euphorbia lathyrus</i> (<i>E. lathyris</i> = <i>E. lathyrus</i>)
Gopher, pocket	<i>Geomys bursarius</i> and others
Gourd	<i>Lagenaria siceraria</i> and others
Gourd Family	Cucurbitaceae
Grape	<i>Vitis</i> spp.
Grape Family	Vitaceae
Grape, fox	<i>Vitis lambrusca</i>
Grape, <i>Phylloxera</i> -resistant	<i>Vitis rupestris</i>
Grapefruit	<i>Citrus paradisi</i>
Grape, wine/table	<i>Vitis vinifera</i>
Grass (including lawn grasses)	<i>Bromus</i> spp. and others ¹¹
Grass, Antarctic hair	<i>Deschampsia antarctica</i>
Grass, bahia	<i>Paspalum notatum</i>
Grass, bent	<i>Agrostis tenuis</i> and other <i>Agrostis</i> spp.
Grass, Bermuda	<i>Cynodon dactylon</i>
Grass, big bluestem	<i>Andropogon gerardii</i>
Grass, blue grama	<i>Bouteloua gracilis</i>
Grass, carpet	<i>Axonopus</i> spp.
Grass, centipede	<i>Eremochloa ophiuroides</i>
Grass, crested wheat	<i>Agropyron cristatum</i>
Grass Family	Poaceae (formerly Gramineae)
Grass, fescue	<i>Festuca</i> spp., <i>Vulpina</i> spp.
Grass, goat	<i>Aegilops speltoides</i> , <i>A. longissima</i>
Grasshopper, milkweed	<i>Poekilocerus bufonius</i>
Grass, cultivated forage (see Uno et al., p. 344)	<i>Bothriochloa intermedia</i>
Grass, Indian	<i>Sorghastrum nutans</i>
Grass, Johnson	<i>Sorghum halepense</i>
Grass, little bluestem	<i>Andropogon scoparius</i>
Grass, pampas (see Stern, Fig. 7.5)	<i>Cortaderia selloana</i>
Grass, perennial rye	<i>Lolium perenne</i>
Grass, red fescue/fine	<i>Festuca rubra</i>
Grass, rye	<i>Lolium</i> spp.
Grass, St. Augustine	<i>Stenotaphrum secundatum</i>
Grass, sea	<i>Zostera</i> spp.
Grass, tall fescue	<i>Festuca elatior</i>
Grass, timothy	<i>Phleum pratense</i>
Grass tree, Australian	<i>Xanthorrhaea</i> spp.
Grass, wheat	<i>Agropyron</i> spp.
Grass, zoysia	<i>Zoysia matrella</i> and other <i>Zoysia</i> spp.
Gray pine ¹²	<i>Pinus sabiniana</i>
Green alga, smallest known	<i>Micromonas</i> sp.

Green algae	Member of Division Chlorophyta, Kingdom Protista. Representative genera include <i>Caulerpa</i> , <i>Chlorella</i> , <i>Codium</i> , <i>Dunaliella</i> , <i>Enteromorpha</i> , <i>Hydrodictyon</i> , <i>Microcystis</i> , <i>Pandorina</i> , <i>Pithophora</i> , <i>Scenedesmus</i> , <i>Spirogyra</i> , and <i>Tetraselmis</i> . There are more than 200 genera and about 7,500 species.
Green algae, multinucleate	Bryopsids
Green amaranth	<i>Amaranthus hypochondriacus</i> (= <i>Amaranthus hybridus</i> var. <i>erythrostachys</i>)
Greenbrier	<i>Smilax</i> spp.
Greenbrier Family	Smilacaceae
Griseofulvin (antibiotic), fungus used for production of	<i>Penicillium griseofulvum</i>
Ground cherry	<i>Physalis</i> spp.
Ground pine	<i>Lycopodium</i> spp.
Ground pine, fossil relatives of	<i>Baragwanathia</i> spp., <i>Drephanophycus</i> spp., <i>Protolepidodendron</i> spp., and others
Ground pine used for baby powder	<i>Lycopodium clavatum</i>
Ground pine used to arrest bleeding	<i>Lycopodium clavatum</i>
Ground pine used as intoxicant	<i>Lycopodium selago</i>
Ground pine used for ornaments	<i>Lycopodium clavatum</i> , <i>L. complanatum</i> , and other <i>Lycopodium</i> spp.
Ground pine used to reduce fevers	<i>Lycopodium clavatum</i>
Guar	<i>Cyamopsis tetragonolobus</i>
Guarana	<i>Paullinia cupana</i>
Guayule	<i>Parthenium argentatum</i>
Guava	<i>Psidium guajava</i>
Guinea fowl	<i>Numida meleagris</i> and other <i>Numida</i> spp.
Gum arabic, source of	<i>Acacia senegal</i>
Gum ghatti, source of	<i>Anogeissus latifolia</i>
Gum tragacanth, source of	<i>Astragalus echidnaeformis</i> , <i>A. gossypinus</i> , <i>A. gummifer</i> , and others
Guppy	<i>Lebistes reticulatus</i>
Gutta percha	<i>Palaquium gutta</i>
Hackberry	<i>Celtis</i> spp.
Haircap moss	<i>Polytrichum</i> spp.
Hairwash, fern used as	<i>Dryopteris dilatata</i>
Hairwash, horsetail used as	<i>Equisetum hyemale</i>
Hairy cap moss (see Stern, p. 368)	<i>Polytrichum commune</i>
Hanging heliconia	<i>Heliconia rostrata</i>
Haptophyte	Member of Division Prymnesiophyta, Kingdom Protista
Harveya (plant parasite members of the Figwort Family)	<i>Harveya</i> spp.
Hawk	<i>Buteo</i> spp., <i>Falco</i> spp., and others
Hawthorn(e)	<i>Crataegus</i> spp.
Hazelnut	<i>Corylus</i> spp.
Hazelnut, European	<i>Corylus avellana</i>
Heath	<i>Erica</i> spp. and others
Heath Family	Ericaceae

Hedgehog cactus (see Uno et al., Fig. 15.17b)	<i>Echinocereus triglochidiatus</i>
Hedysarum	<i>Hedysatum canadense</i>
Heliotrope	<i>Heliotropium spp.</i>
Hellebore (see also Corn lily)	<i>Helleborus spp.</i>
Hellebore, false	<i>Veratrum viride, V. album</i>
Hellebore, Indian	<i>Veratrum viride</i>
Hemlock, eastern	<i>Tsuga canadensis</i>
Hemlock, mountain	<i>Tsuga mertensiana</i>
Hemlock, poison	<i>Conium maculatum</i>
Hemlock, water	<i>Cicuta spp.</i>
Hemlock, eastern	<i>Tsuga canadensis</i>
Hemlock, Japanese	<i>Tsuga sieboldii</i>
Hemlock, western	<i>Tsuga heterophylla</i>
Hemp	<i>Cannabis sativa</i>
Hemp Family	<i>Cannabaceae (= Cannabidaceae)</i>
Hemp, Manila	<i>Musa textilis</i>
Hemp, Mauritius	<i>Furcraea gigantea</i>
Henbane	<i>Hyoscyamus niger, H. muticus</i>
Henbit	<i>Lamium amplexicaule</i>
Henequen	<i>Agave fourcroydes</i>
Henna	<i>Lawsonia inermis</i>
Hepatica	<i>Hepatica spp.</i>
Hepatica (see Stern, Fig. 24.3B)	<i>Hepatica americana</i>
Hibiscus, Chinese	<i>Hibiscus rosa-sinensis</i>
Hickory	<i>Carya spp.</i>
Himalayan fumitory	<i>Corydalis gerdae</i>
Himantandra	<i>Galbulimina belgraveana</i>
Histoplasmosis, causal agent of	<i>Histoplasma capsulatum</i>
Hoary plantain	<i>Plantago media</i>
Hog	<i>Sus scrofa</i> and others
Hog fennel	<i>Lomatium spp.</i>
Holly, American	<i>Ilex opaca</i>
Holly fern	<i>Polystichum lonchitis</i>
Hollyhock	<i>Althaea rosea</i>
Holly, Peruvian	<i>Ilex guayusa</i>
Holly, yaupon	<i>Ilex vomitoria</i>
Honey bee	<i>Apis mellifera</i>
Honey locust	<i>Gleditsia triacanthos</i>
Honey-possum, Australian	<i>Tarsipes spenserae</i>
Honeysuckle	<i>Lonicera spp.</i>
Honeysuckle, Japanese	<i>Lonicera japonica</i>
Hoopoe	<i>Upupa africana</i>
Hop hornbeam	<i>Ostrya virginiana</i>
Hops	<i>Humulus lupulus</i>
Horehound	<i>Marrubium vulgare</i>
Hornwort	<i>Anthoceros spp.</i>
Hose	<i>Equus caballus</i>
Horse chestnut	<i>Aesculus hippocastanum</i>
Horseradish	<i>Rorippa armoracia (= Armoracia rusticana)</i>
Horsetail	<i>Equisetum spp.</i>
Horsetail (see Stern, Fig. 21.10A)	<i>Equisetum hyemale</i>

Horsetail (see Stern, Fig. 21.10B)	<i>Equisetum telmateia</i>
Horsetail used as abrasive	<i>Equisetum</i> (all spp.)
Horsetail used as astringent	<i>Equisetum arvense</i> , <i>E. debile</i> , and other <i>Equisetum</i> spp.
Horsetail used for treating burns	<i>Equisetum hyemale</i> and others
Horsetail used for treating diarrhea	<i>Equisetum hyemale</i>
Horsetail used as diuretic	<i>Equisetum arvense</i> , <i>E. debile</i> , and others
Horsetail used for treating dysentery	<i>Equisetum hyemale</i>
Horsetail, field	<i>Equisetum arvense</i>
Horsetail, fossil	<i>Equisetites</i> spp., <i>Hyenia</i> spp., <i>Sphenophyllum</i> spp., and others
Horsetail, Hopi Indian flour source	<i>Equisetum laevigatum</i>
Horsetail, treelike fossil	<i>Calamites</i> spp.
Horsetail, giant	<i>Equisetum telmateia</i>
Horsetail, giant fossil	<i>Calamites</i> spp.
Horsetail used as hairwash	<i>Equisetum hyemale</i>
Horsetail used as water source	<i>Equisetum telmateia</i>
Hot springs, blue-green bacteria (cyanobacteria) of	<i>Bacillusiphon induratus</i> , <i>Synechococcus</i> spp., and others
Hottentot bread	<i>Dioscorea elephantipes</i>
Hoya (wax plant)	<i>Hoya carnosa</i>
Human	<i>Homo sapiens</i>
“Human hair” slime mold	<i>Stemonitis</i> spp.
Hummingbird	<i>Archilocus</i> spp. and others
Hummingbird, Oasis (see Stern, Fig. 23.15)	<i>Rhodopis vesper</i>
Hummingbird, rufous	<i>Selasphorus rufus</i>
Hummingbirds, ferns used by (for nest material)	<i>Cyathea arborea</i> , <i>Lophosoria quadripinnata</i> , <i>Nephelea mexicana</i>
Hummingbirds, tropical	<i>Chlorostilbon maugaeus</i> and others
Hyacinth	<i>Hyacinthus orientalis</i> and other <i>Hyacinthus</i> spp.
Hyacinth, grape	<i>Muscari</i> spp.
Hydnora (nocturnal carrion flower)	<i>Hydnora africana</i>
Hydrangea	<i>Hydrangea macrophylla</i> and other <i>Hydrangea</i> spp.
Hydrodictyon	<i>Hydrodictyon</i> spp.
Hyobanche (plant parasite members of the Figwort Family)	<i>Hyobanche</i> spp.
Hyssop	<i>Hyssopus officinalis</i>
Ice-minus bacteria	<i>Pseudomonas syringae</i> (genetically engineered form)
Ice plant	<i>Carpobrotus</i> spp. (esp. <i>C. edulis</i>), <i>Mesembryanthemum crystallinum</i> , and others
Illinois bundleflower	<i>Desmanthus illinoensis</i>
Impatiens	<i>Impatiens balsamina</i>
Incense cedar	<i>Calocedrus decurrens</i>
India, toxic blue-green bacteria (cyanobacteria) of	<i>Lyngbya majuscula</i>
Indian paintbrush (facultative plant parasites)	<i>Castilleja</i> spp.
Indian pipe	<i>Monotropa uniflora</i>
Indian warrior	<i>Pedicularis densiflora</i>
Indigo	<i>Indigofera tinctoria</i>

Insects (see individual entries)	
Insects, fern used for treating stings and bites of	<i>Adiantum cappillus-veneris</i>
Ipecac, source of	<i>Cephaelis ipecacuanha</i>
Iris	<i>Iris</i> spp.
Iris, butterfly	<i>Moraea</i> spp.
Iris Family	Iridaceae
Irish moss	<i>Chondrus crispus</i>
Ironwood, South American	<i>Krugiodendron ferreum</i>
Isopyrum	<i>Isopyrum occidentale</i>
Ivy, Algerian	<i>Hedera canariensis</i>
Ivy, Boston	<i>Parthenocissus tricuspidata</i>
Ivy, English	<i>Hedera helix</i>
Ivy, poison	<i>Toxicodendron radicans</i> (formerly <i>Rhus toxicodendron</i>)
Ivy, Swedish	<i>Plectranthus</i> spp.
Jaborandi	<i>Pilocarpus pennatifolius</i>
Jacaranda	<i>Jacaranda</i> spp.
Jack bean	<i>Canavalia ensiformis</i>
Jackfruit	<i>Artocarpus heterophyllus</i>
Jack-in-the-pulpit	<i>Arisaema triphyllum</i>
Jade plant	<i>Crassula argentea, C. arborescens</i> (<i>C. ovata</i> ?)
Jaeger	<i>Stercorarius</i> spp.
Japanese morning glory	<i>Ipomoea nil</i>
Japanese yew (see Stern, Fig. 22.9)	<i>Taxus cuspidata</i>
Jasmine	<i>Jasminum grandiflorum</i> and other <i>Jasminum</i> spp.
Jerusalem artichoke	<i>Helianthus tuberosus</i>
Jimson weed	<i>Datura</i> spp.
Jimson weed (see Stern, Fig. 8.6)	<i>Datura stramonium</i>
Johnson grass	<i>Sorghum halepense</i>
Joint fir	<i>Ephedra</i> spp.
Jojoba	<i>Simmondsia californica, S. chinensis</i>
Joshua tree	<i>Yucca brevifolia</i>
Jumping mouse	<i>Zapus hudsonius, Napaeozapus insignis</i>
Junco	<i>Junco</i> spp.
Junco, slate-colored	<i>Junco hyemalis</i>
Juneberry	<i>Amelanchier</i> spp.
Juniper	<i>Juniperus</i> spp.
Juniper, dwarf	<i>Juniperus communis</i> and others
Juniper, Utah	<i>Juniperus osteosperma</i>
Jute	<i>Corchorus capsularis</i> and others
Kaffir lily	<i>Clivia miniata</i>
Kalanchoe	<i>Kalanchoe integra</i> and other <i>Kalanchoe</i> spp.
Kale	<i>Brassica oleracea</i> var. <i>acephala</i>
Kapok	<i>Ceiba pentandra</i>
Karaya gum	<i>Sterculia urens</i>
Kariba weed	<i>Salvinia molesta</i>
Kat	<i>Catha edulis</i>
Kauri pine/resin	<i>Agathis australis, A. robusta</i>

Kava	<i>Piper methysticum</i>
Kelp	<i>Alaria</i> spp., <i>Dictyoneurum</i> spp., <i>Ecotocarpus</i> spp., <i>Egregia</i> spp., <i>Laminaria</i> spp., <i>Lessoniopsis</i> spp., <i>Nereocystis</i> spp., and others
Kelp, giant	<i>Macrocystis pyrifera</i>
Kenaf	<i>Hibiscus cannabinus</i>
Kentucky bluegrass	<i>Poa pratensis</i>
Kentucky coffee tree	<i>Gymnocladus dioica</i>
Khaya (African mahogany)	<i>Khaya</i> spp.
Ki (Ti) plant	<i>Cordyline fruticosa</i>
Kiwi fruit	<i>Actinidia chinensis</i>
Klamath weed	<i>Hypericum perforatum</i>
Klamath weed, European beetles that control	<i>Chrysolina</i> spp.
Knopern nuts (acorns)	<i>Quercus robur</i>
Knotweed	<i>Polygonum aviculare</i>
Kohlrabi	<i>Brassica oleracea</i> var. <i>caulorapa</i> (= <i>B. oleracea</i> var. <i>gongyloides</i>)
Kola	<i>Cola nitida</i>
Kombu	<i>Laminaria</i> spp.
Koonwarra angiosperm (extinct angiosperm whose fossil was discovered in Australia)	<i>Pueraria thunbergiana</i> (= <i>P. lobata</i>)
Kudzu	<i>Fortunella japonica</i>
Kumquat	
Labor pain, fern used to ease	<i>Athyrium filix-femina</i>
Lace bark	<i>Lagetta lagetto</i>
Lacquer, source of	<i>Rhus verniciflua</i> and others
Lady fern	<i>Athyrium filix-femina</i>
Lady's slipper (orchids)	<i>Cypripedium</i> spp.
La flor de muerte	<i>Lisianthus nigrescens</i>
Lamb's ears	<i>Stachus byzantina</i>
Landophia	<i>Landophia</i> spp.
Lantana (bush or shrub verbena)	<i>Lantana camara</i> and other <i>Lantana</i> spp.
Larch, eastern	<i>Larix laricina</i>
Larch, European	<i>Larix decidua</i>
Larch, western	<i>Larix occidentalis</i>
Larkspur, blue	<i>Delphinium</i> spp.
Larkspur, red	<i>Delphinium nudicaule</i>
Late blight of potato	<i>Phytophthora infestans</i>
Laurel	<i>Laurus nobilis</i>
Laurel, American/Mountain	<i>Kalmia</i> spp.
Laurel Family	<i>Lauraceae</i>
Lavender	<i>Lavandula officinalis</i> , <i>L. angustifolia</i>
Laxative, ferns used as	<i>Asplenium trichomanes</i> , <i>Polypodium vulgare</i>
Lead tree	<i>Leucaena leucocephala</i> (= <i>Leucaena latisiliqua</i>)
Leaf hopper	Member of Order Homoptera, Phylum Arthropoda, Kingdom Animalia
Leaf miner	<i>Agromyza</i> spp. and others
Leaf roller	<i>Archips argyrospila</i> and others
Leafy liverwort (see Liverwort, leafy)	<i>Allium porrum</i> (= <i>Allium ampeloprasum</i>)
Leek	

Legume Family	Fabaceae (formerly Leguminosae)
Lemming	<i>Lemmus</i> spp., <i>Dicrostonyx groenlandicus</i>
Lemon	<i>Citrus limon</i>
Lemongrass oil, source of	<i>Cymbopogon citratus</i> , <i>C. flexuosus</i>
Lemon thyme	<i>Thymus citriodorus</i>
Lentil	<i>Lens esculenta</i> (= <i>Lens culinaris</i>)
Leprosy, fern used for treating	<i>Marsilea quadrifolia</i>
Lespedeza, Korean	<i>Lespedeza stipulacea</i>
Lespedeza, sericea	<i>Lespedeza cuneata</i>
Lespedeza, striate	<i>Lespedeza striata</i>
Lettuce	<i>Lactuca sativa</i>
Lettuce, wild	<i>Lactuca saligna</i> , <i>L. serriola</i> , and others
Leucaena	<i>Leucaena</i> spp.
Lichen (symbiotic association of an alga and a fungus)	Member of Division Ascomycota, Kingdom Fungi ¹³
Lichen, foliose (see Stern, Fig. 19.34)	<i>Physicia</i> sp.
Lichen, foliose (see Stern, Fig. 19.35B)	<i>Parmelia</i> sp.
Lichen, fruticose (see Stern, Fig. 19.35C)	<i>Usnea</i> sp.
Lichen, grazed by North African sheep	<i>Lecanora</i> spp.
Lichen, litmus	<i>Roccella</i> spp.
Lichen, natural dye	<i>Parmelia</i> spp., <i>Usnea</i> spp., and others
Lichen, perfume stabilizer	<i>Evernia</i> spp.
Lichen, reindeer (reindeer moss)	<i>Cladonia</i> spp., <i>Cetraria islandica</i>
Lichens, crustose (see Stern, Fig. 19.35A)	Black, <i>Rinodina</i> sp.; chartreuse, <i>Acarospora citrina</i> ; gray, <i>Psora</i> sp.; orange-red <i>Caloplaca elegans</i> ; yellow, <i>Candelariella vitellina</i>
Lichens, algal and cyanobacterial component genera of more than 90% lichen spp.	<i>Trebouxia</i> , <i>Trentepohlia</i> , <i>Nostoc</i>
Lichens used as miniature trees and shrubs	<i>Cladonia</i> spp. and others
Licorice, source of	<i>Glycyrrhiza glabra</i>
Lignum vitae	<i>Guaiacum officinale</i>
Lilac, common	<i>Syringa vulgaris</i>
Lily	<i>Lilium</i> spp. and others
Lily (see Uno et al., Fig. 15.2)	<i>Lilium regale</i> , <i>L. auratum</i> , <i>L. martagon</i>
Lily Family	Liliaceae
Lily, kaffir	<i>Clivia</i> sp.
Lily-of-the-valley	<i>Convallaria majalis</i>
Lily, tiger	<i>Lilium pardalinum</i>
Lily, Turk's cap	<i>Lilium superbum</i>
Lily, wood	<i>Lilium superbum</i>
Lime	<i>Citrus aurantifolia</i>
Linseed	<i>Linum usitatissimum</i>
Lisianthus (black-flowered)	<i>Lisianthus nigrescens</i>
Litchi	<i>Litchi sinensis</i>
Litmus indicator dye, source of	<i>Roccella</i> spp.
Live oak	<i>Quercus chrysolepis</i> , <i>Q. virginiana</i> , <i>Q. wislizenii</i> , and others
Liverwort	Member of Division Hepaticophyta, Kingdom Plantae
Liverwort, ancient	<i>Pallaviciniites devonicus</i>
Liverwort, aquatic (see Uno et al., Fig. 17.6d)	<i>Ricciocarpus natans</i>

Liverwort, gypsum salt pan	
Liverwort, leafy (see Stern, Fig. 20.8)	
Liverwort, leafy (see Uno et al., Fig. 17.6b,c)	
Liverworts, leafy	
Liverworts, thalloid	
Liverworts, thalloid (see Uno et al., Fig. 17.6e)	
Livestock, ferns poisonous to	
Living rock cactus	
Lizard	
Lobelia, garden	
Lobeline sulphate, source of (used in formulas to assist in stopping smoking)	
Locoweed	
Locust, black	
Locust gum, source of	
Loganberry	
Logwood	
Loon	
Loquat	
Lords & Ladies	
Lotus, aquatic	
Lotus, oriental sacred	
Louse	
Love-lies-bleeding	
Lucerne (see Alfalfa)	
Luffa	
Luminous moss	
Lunaria	
Lupine	
Lupine, Arctic tundra (see Uno et al., Fig. 2.11)	
Lupine, Nootka (see Uno et al., Fig. 12.15a)	
Lupine, tree with seed valves	
Lynx	
Macadamia nut	
Mace	
Madagascar rosy periwinkle	
Madder	
Madder Family	
Magnolia	
Magnolia Family	
Magnolia, Southern	
Maguey	
Mahogany (many genera and spp.; see representative listings that follow)	
Mahogany, African	
	<i>Carposp. sp.</i>
	<i>Porella sp.</i>
	<i>Calopogeia sp., Bazzania trilobata</i>
	<i>Frullania spp., Jungermannia spp., Porella spp.,</i> and others ¹⁴
	<i>Conocephalum spp., Lunularia spp., Marchantia spp.,</i> and others
	<i>Conocephalum conicum</i>
	<i>Onoclea sensibilis, Pteridium aquilinum</i>
	<i>Ariocarpus fissuratus</i> and others
	<i>Sceloporus spp.</i> and others
	<i>Lobelia cardinalis</i> and other <i>Lobelia</i> spp. and hybrids
	<i>Lobelia inflata</i>
	<i>Astragalus mollisimus</i> and other <i>Astragalus</i> spp.
	<i>Robinia pseudo-acacia</i>
	<i>Ceratonia siliqua</i>
	<i>Rubus</i> hybrids, with <i>R. ursinus</i> as one parent;
	<i>Rubus vitifolius</i>
	<i>Haematoxylon campechianum</i>
	<i>Gavia spp.</i>
	<i>Eriobotrya japonica</i>
	<i>Arum maculatum</i>
	<i>Nelumbo nucifera</i>
	<i>Nelumbo nucifera</i>
	Orders Mallophaga and Anoplura, Class Insecta, Phylum Arthropoda, Kingdom Animalia
	<i>Amaranthus caudatus</i>
	<i>Luffa cylindrica, L. acutangula</i>
	<i>Schisostega pennata</i>
	<i>Lunaria spp.</i>
	<i>Lupinus spp.</i>
	<i>Lupinus arcticus</i>
	<i>Lupinus nootkaensis</i>
	<i>Lupinus arboreus</i>
	<i>Felis lynx</i>
	<i>Macadamia integrifolia</i>
	<i>Myristica fragrans</i>
	<i>Catharanthus roseus</i>
	<i>Rubia tinctorium</i>
	Rubiaceae
	<i>Magnolia spp.</i>
	Magnoliaceae
	<i>Magnolia grandiflora</i>
	<i>Agave pacifica</i>
	<i>Khaya spp.</i>

Mahogany, Cuban	<i>Swietenia mahagoni</i>
Mahogany, Mexican	<i>Swietenia macrophylla, S. humilis</i>
Mahogany, Philippine	<i>Shorea polysperma</i>
Ma huang	<i>Ephedra</i> spp.
Maidenhair fern	<i>Adiantum</i> spp.
Maidenhair tree	<i>Ginkgo biloba</i>
Malaria, causal agents of	<i>Plasmodium falciparum, P. malariae, P. ovale, P. vivax</i>
Malay apple	<i>Syzygium malaccense</i>
Male fern	<i>Dryopteris filix-mas</i>
Mallee, brown	<i>Eucalyptus astringens</i>
Mallow	<i>Malva</i> spp.
Mallow Family	Malvaceae
Mammey sapota	<i>Pouteria sapota</i>
Manacheel (manchineel) tree	<i>Hippomane mancinella</i>
Mandarin orange	<i>Citrus reticulata</i>
Mandrake	<i>Mandragora officinarum</i>
Mango	<i>Mangifera indica</i>
Mangrove	<i>Rhizophora mangle, R. candelaria</i> , and others
Mangrove, black	<i>Avicennia germinans</i> (see Uno et al., Fig. 7.17); <i>A. nitida</i> (see Stern, Fig. 5.10)
Manila hemp	<i>Musa textilis</i>
Manioc (see Cassava)	
Manroot	<i>Marah</i> spp.
Manzanita	<i>Arctostaphylos</i> spp.
Mao chu (see Bamboo, hairy)	
Maple	<i>Acer</i> spp.
Maple, bigleaf (see Stern, Fig. 8.20)	<i>Acer macrophyllum</i>
Maple Family	Aceraceae
Maple, hard	<i>Acer saccharum</i>
Maple, red	<i>Acer rubrum</i>
Maple, silver	<i>Acer saccharinum</i>
Maple, sugar	<i>Acer saccharum</i>
Marginal woodfern	<i>Dryopteris marginalis</i>
Marigold	<i>Tagetes erecta</i> and other <i>Tagetes</i> spp.
Marijuana	<i>Cannabis sativa</i>
Marjoram	<i>Majorana hortensis</i> (= <i>Origanum majorana</i>); pot marjoram = <i>Origanum onites</i>
Marsh hawk	<i>Circus cyaneus</i>
Marshmallow	<i>Althaea officinalis</i>
Mastic, source of	<i>Pistacia lentiscus</i>
Mate	<i>Ilex paraguariensis</i>
Maternity plant	<i>Kalanchoe daigremontiana</i>
Mauritius hemp	<i>Furcraea gigantea</i>
Mayapple	<i>Podophyllum peltatum</i>
Meadow foam	<i>Limnanthes</i> spp.
Meadow saffron	<i>Colchicum autumnale</i>
Meadowsweet	<i>Spiraea alba, S. latifolia, Filipendula</i> spp.
Mealy bugs	<i>Pseudococcus</i> spp.
Melon	<i>Cucumis melo</i>
Melon, honeydew	<i>Cucumis melo</i> (variety)

Melonette	<i>Melothria pendula</i>
Mermaid's wineglass	<i>Acetabularia</i> spp.
Mescal bean	<i>Sophora secundiflora</i>
Mesquite	<i>Prosopis glandulosa</i>
Micrasterias	<i>Micrasterias</i> spp.
Midge	Small, gnatlike, dipteran insects of several families (especially Chironimidae), Kingdom Animalia
Milk vetch	<i>Astragalus</i> spp., <i>Oxytropis</i> spp.
Milkweed	<i>Asclepias syriaca</i> and other <i>Asclepias</i> spp.
Milkweed, swamp	<i>Asclepias incarnata</i>
Millet ¹⁵	
Millipede	Member of Class Diplopoda, Phylum Arthropoda, Kingdom Animalia
Mimosa	<i>Mimosa</i> spp.
Miner's lettuce (see Uno et al., Fig. 9.8b)	<i>Montia perfoliata</i> (= <i>Claytonia perfoliata</i>)
Mink	<i>Mustela vison</i>
Mint (see Peppermint, Spearmint, etc.)	Lamiaceae (formerly Labiatae)
Mint Family	<i>Lepechinia fragrans</i> (see Uno et al., Fig. 12.24)
Mint	<i>Sechium edule</i>
Mirliton	<i>Phoradendron</i> spp.
Mistletoe	<i>Arceuthobium</i> spp.
Mistletoe, dwarf	Member of Order Acarina, Phylum Arthropoda, Kingdom Animalia
Mite	<i>Philadelphus x virginalis</i> and other <i>Philadelphus</i> spp. and hybrids
Mock orange	Member of Phylum Mollusca, Kingdom Animalia
Mollusc	<i>Ricinodendron rautanenii</i>
Mongongo (nut)	<i>Ateles duriensis</i> and many others
Monkey	<i>Alouatta</i> sp.
Monkey, mantled howler	<i>Prosopis glandulosa</i>
Monkey flower	<i>Mimulus kelloggii</i>
Monkey flower, Kellogg's ("small")	<i>Mimulus lewisii</i>
Monkey flower, Lewis'	<i>Aconitum columbianum</i>
Monkshood	Member of Class Liliopsida, Division Magnoliophyta, Kingdom Plantae
Monocot	<i>Alces americana</i> , <i>A. alces</i>
Moose	<i>Morchella esculenta</i> and other <i>Morchella</i> spp.
Morel	<i>Helvella</i> sp.
Morel, beefsteak	<i>Helvella</i> sp.
Morel, false	<i>Ephedra</i> spp.
Mormon tea	<i>Ipomoea violacea</i> and others
Morning glory	Convolvulaceae
Morning Glory Family	<i>Ipomoea nil</i>
Morning glory, Japanese	<i>Anopheles</i> spp., <i>Culex</i> spp., and others
Mosquito	<i>Anopheles</i> spp.
Mosquito, malaria	<i>Azolla caroliniana</i>
Mosquito fern	

Moss	Member of Division Bryophyta, Kingdom Plantae
Moss (see Uno et al., Fig. 17.1c)	<i>Dawsonia</i> sp.
Moss (see Uno et al., Fig. 17.1d)	<i>Hylocomium splendens</i>
Moss (see Uno et al., Fig. 17.4b)	<i>Racomitrium</i> sp.
Moss with exceptional resistance to desiccation	<i>Tortula ruralis</i>
Moss, luminous	<i>Schistostega pennata; Mittenia</i> sp.
Moss, mammal dung (see Uno et al., Fig. 17.4d)	<i>Splachnum luteum</i>
Moss, rock	<i>Grimmia</i> spp.
Moss rose	<i>Portulaca grandiflora</i>
Mosses, annual (bare soil)	<i>Acaulon</i> spp., <i>Ephemerum</i> spp., and others
Mosses, antler and bone	<i>Tetraplodon</i> spp.
Mosses used by Indians to treat burns	<i>Bryum</i> spp., <i>Mnium</i> spp.
Mosses associated with copper-rich substrates	<i>Mielichhoferia</i> spp., <i>Scopelophila</i> spp.
Mosses on dung of carnivores	<i>Tayloria</i> spp.
Mosses on dung of herbivores	<i>Splachnum</i> spp.
Mosses, extinguisher	<i>Encalypta</i> spp.
Mosses, hair(y)cap	<i>Polytrichum</i> spp.
Mosses, indicators for absence of calcium	<i>Andreaea</i> spp., <i>Rhacomitrium lanuginosum</i>
Mosses, indicators for presence of calcium	<i>Didymodon</i> spp., <i>Desmatodon</i> spp., and others
Mosses, peat	<i>Sphagnum</i> spp.
Mosses, pollution-sensitive	<i>Hypnum</i> spp. and others
Mosses, pygmy (see Mosses, annual)	<i>Andreaea</i> spp., <i>Grimmia</i> spp., and others
Mosses, rock	<i>Pottia</i> spp.
Mosses, indicators for saline (salty) soil	<i>Fontinalis</i> spp.
Mosses, indicators for seasonal running water	<i>Sphagnum</i> spp.
Mosses, sphagnum	<i>Philonotis</i> spp., <i>Fontinalis</i> spp., and others
Mosses used with splints	<i>Dicranoweisia</i> sp.
Mosses used in Europe to waterproof roofs	Member of Order Lepidoptera, Class Insecta, Phylum Arthropoda, Kingdom Animalia
Moth	<i>Cactoblastus cactorum</i>
Moth, Argentine, used to control cactus in Australia	<i>Carpocapsa pomonella</i>
Moth, codling	<i>Porthezia dispar</i>
Moth, gypsy	<i>Carpocapsa asaltitans</i>
Moth, Mexican jumping bean	<i>Pronuba</i> spp., <i>Tegeticula</i> spp.
Moth, Yucca	<i>Verbascum blattaria</i>
Moth mullein	<i>Aplodontia rufa</i>
Mountain beaver	<i>Juniperus ashei</i>
Mountain cedar	<i>Kalmia latifolia</i>
Mountain laurel	<i>Mus musculus, Peromyscus</i> spp., and others
Mouse	<i>Zapus hudsonius, Napaeozapus insignis</i>
Mouse, jumping	<i>Arabidopsis thaliana</i>
Mouse-ear cress	<i>Morus</i> spp.
Mulberry	<i>Broussonetia papyrifera</i>
Mulberry, paper	<i>Morus rubra</i>
Mulberry, red	<i>Morus alba</i>
Mulberry, white	<i>Wyethia</i> spp.
Mule ears	<i>Verbascum thapsus</i>
Mullein	<i>Verbascum blattaria</i>
Mullein, moth	<i>Phaseolus aureus</i>
Mung bean	

Mushroom ¹⁶	<i>Agaricus</i> spp. and others
Mushroom, <i>Armillaria</i> (see Levetin & McMahon, p. 379)	<i>Armillaria bulbosa</i> , <i>A. ostoya</i>
Mushroom, <i>Armillariella</i> (see Levetin & McMahon, Fig. 22.10a)	<i>Armillariella tabescens</i>
Mushroom, Black Forest	<i>Lentinus edodes</i>
Mushroom, common red (see Stern, Fig. 19.13A)	<i>Russula</i> sp.
Mushroom, fairy ring (see Stern, Fig. 19.19)	<i>Pholiota</i> sp.
Mushroom, common cultivated edible	<i>Agaricus bisporus</i>
Mushroom, inky cap	<i>Coprinus</i> spp.
Mushroom, oyster	<i>Pleurotus ostreatus</i>
Mushroom, pore (see Stern, Fig. 19.20)	<i>Serillus pungens</i>
Mushroom, portabella	<i>Agaricus bisporus</i> (variety)
Mushroom, shaggy mane	<i>Coprinus comatus</i>
Mushroom, shiitake	<i>Lentinus edodes</i>
Mushroom, straw	<i>Volvariella volvacea</i>
Mushroom, teonanacatl (sacred)	<i>Conocybe</i> spp., <i>Panaeolus</i> spp., <i>Psilocybe</i> spp., and others
Muskrat	<i>Ondatra zibethicus</i>
Mustard	<i>Brassica campestris</i> , <i>B. nigra</i> , and others
Mustard, cultivated	<i>Brassica alba</i> , <i>B. juncea</i> , and others
Mustard Family	Brassicaceae (formerly Cruciferae)
Mustard grown for seed use	<i>Brassica nigra</i> , <i>B. alba</i>
Mustard greens	<i>Brassica juncea</i>
Mycoses, systemic—drugs used to treat (drugs derived primarily from <i>Streptomyces</i> spp. and other actinomycetes)	Amphotericin B, miconazole, ketoconazole
Mycotoxins, common producers of	
Myriophyllum	<i>Alternaria</i> spp., <i>Aspergillus</i> spp., <i>Cladosporium</i> spp., <i>Fusarium</i> spp., <i>Penicillium</i> spp., <i>Stachybotrys</i> spp.
Myrobalans	<i>Myriophyllum</i> spp.
Myrrh, source of	<i>Terminalia chebula</i>
Myrtle ¹⁷	<i>Commiphora abyssinica</i>
Myrtle Family	<i>Umbellularia californica</i> ¹⁷
Narcissus	<i>Narcissus</i> spp. and hybrids ¹⁸
Nasturtium (garden)	<i>Tropaeolum majus</i>
Nectarine	<i>Prunus persica</i>
Neem tree	<i>Azadirachta indica</i>
Nematode	Member of Class Nematoda, Phylum Aschelminthes, Kingdom Animalia
Nettle	<i>Urtica</i> spp.
Nicotine relative (nornicotine), source of	<i>Duboisia hopwoodii</i> , <i>Nicotiana tabacum</i>
Nightshade, deadly	<i>Atropa belladonna</i>
Nightshade Family	Solanaceae
Nori (see Purple laver)	
Nosebleeds, fern used to arrest	<i>Pellaea mucronata</i>
Nostoc	<i>Nostoc</i> spp.
Nutmeg	<i>Myristica fragrans</i>
Nutmeg, California	<i>Torreya californica</i>

Nutmeg Family	Myristicaceae
Nutsedge	<i>Cyperus</i> spp.
Oak	<i>Quercus</i> spp.
Oak, black	<i>Quercus velutina</i>
Oak, blue	<i>Quercus douglasii</i>
Oak, bur	<i>Quercus macrocarpa</i>
Oak, cork	<i>Quercus suber</i>
Oak, Hooker	<i>Quercus lobata</i>
Oak, live (see Stern, Fig. 9.7)	<i>Quercus wislizenii</i> (other live oaks include <i>Quercus chrysolepis</i> and <i>Q. virginiana</i>)
Oak, pin	<i>Quercus palustris</i>
Oak, poison	<i>Toxicodendron diversilobum</i>
Oak, red	<i>Quercus borealis</i>
Oak, scarlet	<i>Quercus coccinea</i>
Oak, scrub	<i>Quercus dumosa</i>
Oak, turkey	<i>Quercus laevis</i>
Oak, white	<i>Quercus alba</i>
Oats	<i>Avena</i> spp.
Oca	<i>Oxalis</i> <i>tuberosa</i>
Ocotillo	<i>Fouquieria splendens</i>
Odontites (partial parasite member of the Figwort Family)	<i>Odontites rubra</i>
Oedogonium	<i>Oedogonium</i> spp.
Okra	<i>Abelmoschus esculentus</i>
Oleander	<i>Nerium oleander</i>
Olibanum tree	<i>Boswellia</i> spp.
Olive	<i>Olea europaea</i>
Olive Family	Oleaceae
Ololiuqui	<i>Rivea corymbosa</i> , <i>R. hypocrateriformis</i> , <i>Ipomoea tricolor</i>
Onion	<i>Allium cepa</i>
Oomycete	Member of Division Oomycota, Kingdom Fungi
Opium, source of	<i>Papaver somniferum</i>
Opuntia (see Prickly pear)	
Orange, sweet	<i>Citrus sinensis</i>
Orange, bitter	<i>Citrus aurantium</i>
Orchid	<i>Cattleya</i> spp. and others ¹⁹
Orchid, bamboo	<i>Arundina graminifolia</i>
Orchid, Bletilla (see Stern, Fig. 8.18B)	<i>Bletilla</i> sp.
Orchid, bog	<i>Platanthera</i> spp.
Orchid, bucket	<i>Coryanthes</i> spp.
Orchid, catasetum	<i>Catasetum</i> spp. and their hybrids
Orchid “bark,” fern sources of	<i>Cibotium</i> spp., <i>Osmunda</i> spp.
Orchid with cladophylls	<i>Epidendrum</i> spp.
Orchid (see Uno et al., Fig. 12.25)	<i>Epidendrum</i> sp.
Orchid Family	Orchidaceae
Orchid, goodyera	<i>Goodyera repens</i>
Orchid, showy	<i>Orchis</i> spp.
Orchids, saprophytic	<i>Corallorrhiza</i> spp., <i>Europhyton austinae</i> , and others

Orchid, underground-flowering	<i>Rhizanthella gardneri</i>
Orchid, vanilla	<i>Vanilla planifolia</i> and others
Orchids, wasp-mimic	<i>Ophrys</i> spp.
Oregano	<i>Origanum vulgare</i> and others
Oregon grape	<i>Berberis aquifolium</i> (= <i>Mahonia aquifolium</i>) and other <i>Mahonia</i> spp.
Organpipe cactus	<i>Lemaireocereus</i> spp.
Ornaments, ground pines used for	<i>Lycopodium complanatum</i> , <i>L. clavatum</i> , and others
<i>Orthocarpus pusillus</i> (= <i>Triphysaria pusilla</i> ; see Dwarf owl's clover)	
Osage orange	<i>Maclura pomifera</i>
Oscillatoria	<i>Oscillatoria</i> spp.
Ostrich fern	<i>Matteuccia struthiopteris</i>
Our Lord's Candle	<i>Yucca whipplei</i>
Owl, short-eared	<i>Asio flammeus</i>
Owl, snowy	<i>Nyctea scandiaca</i>
Oyster mushroom	<i>Pleurotus ostreatus</i>
Pachysandra	<i>Pachysandra procumbens</i> , <i>P. terminalis</i> , and other <i>Pachysandra</i> spp.
Pacific yew	<i>Taxus brevifolia</i>
Painted lady	<i>Echeveria derenbergii</i>
Pakchoi, false	<i>Brassica parachinensis</i>
Palauquium (see Gutta percha)	
Palm, coconut	<i>Cocos nucifera</i>
Palm, date	<i>Phoenix dactylifera</i>
Palm Family	Areceae (formerly Palmae)
Palm, oil	<i>Elaeis guineensis</i>
Palm, panama hat	<i>Carludovica palmata</i>
Palm, Seychelles Island	<i>Lodoicea maldivica</i>
Palm, carnauba wax	<i>Copernicia cerifera</i>
Panama disease of bananas, fungal causal agent	<i>Fusarium oxysporum</i>
Panama hat palm	<i>Carludovica palmata</i>
Pandanus (see Screw pine)	
Pando quaking aspen	<i>Populus tremuloides</i>
Panic grass	<i>Panicum</i> spp.
Pansy	<i>Viola tricolor</i>
Pansy, hybrid	<i>Viola x wittrockiana</i>
Papaya	<i>Carica papaya</i>
Paper birch	<i>Betula papyrifera</i>
Paper mulberry	<i>Broussonetia papyrifera</i>
Papyrus	<i>Cyperus papyrus</i>
Paraguay tea (yerba mate)	<i>Ilex paraguariensis</i>
Para rubber tree	<i>Hevea brasiliensis</i>
Parasites and bacteria, plant leaves eaten by chimpanzees to control	
Parasponia	<i>Aspilia</i> spp.
Pareira	<i>Parasponia</i> spp.
Parsley	<i>Chondrodendron tomentosum</i>
Parsley Family	<i>Petroselinum crispum</i> Apiaceae (formerly Umbelliferae)

Parsnip	<i>Pastinaca sativa</i>
Passion fruit	<i>Passiflora edulis</i> , <i>P. mollissima</i> , and other <i>Passiflora</i> spp.
Patchouli oil, source of	<i>Pogostemon cablin</i> and others
Pea, black-eyed	<i>Vigna sinensis</i> (= <i>Vigna unguiculata</i>)
Pea, butterfly	<i>Clitoria ternata</i>
Peach	<i>Prunus persica</i>
Peach brown rot	<i>Sclerotinia fructicola</i>
Peach leaf curl	<i>Taphrina deformans</i>
Pea, garden	<i>Pisum sativum</i> var. <i>hortense</i>
Peanut	<i>Arachis hypogaea</i>
Pea, pigeon	<i>Cajanus cajan</i>
Pear	<i>Pyrus communis</i>
Pea, sweet	<i>Lathyrus odoratus</i>
Peat moss	<i>Sphagnum</i> spp.
Pecan	<i>Carya illinoensis</i>
Peccary	<i>Pecari angulatus</i> , <i>Tayassus pecari</i>
Pediastrum	<i>Pediastrum</i> spp.
Pedicularis (partial parasite member of the Figwort Family)	<i>Pedicularis</i> spp.
Pencil tree cactus	<i>Euphorbia tirucalli</i>
Penicillium mold ²⁰	<i>Penicillium</i> spp. ²⁰
Pennyroyal	<i>Hedeoma pulegioides</i>
Penstemon (see Beardtongue)	
Peony	<i>Paeonia</i> spp.
Peperomia	<i>Peperomia</i> spp.
Pepper ²¹	<i>Capsicum annuum</i> , <i>C. frutescens</i> ²¹
Pepper, black	<i>Piper nigrum</i>
Pepper, cayenne/chili	<i>Capsicum annuum</i>
Pepper Family	<i>Piperaceae</i>
Pepper, green	<i>Capsicum annuum</i>
Pepper, red	<i>Capsicum annuum</i> , <i>C. baccatum</i> , <i>C. chinense</i> , <i>C. frutescens</i> , <i>C. pubescens</i>
Peppergrass	<i>Lepidium</i> spp.
Peppermint	<i>Mentha piperita</i>
Periwinkle	<i>Vinca</i> spp.
Periwinkle, Madagascar rosy	<i>Caltharanthus roseus</i>
Persimmon	<i>Diospyros</i> spp.
Persimmon, Japanese	<i>Diospyros kaki</i>
Peruvian holly	<i>Ilex guayusa</i>
Petigrain oil, source of	<i>Citrus aurantium</i> var. <i>amara</i>
Petrocoptis	<i>Petrocoptis</i> spp.
Petsai	<i>Brassica pekinensis</i>
Petunia	<i>Petunia</i> spp.
Petunia, hybrid	<i>Petunia x hybrida</i>
Peyote	<i>Lophophora williamsii</i>
Phacus	<i>Phacus</i> spp.
Philodendron	<i>Philodendron</i> spp.
Phlox	<i>Phlox</i> spp. (moth-pollinated sp. = <i>P. longifolia</i> ; butterfly-pollinated sp. = <i>P. sibirica</i>)
Phoebe	<i>Sayornis phoebe</i>

Philodendron	<i>Philodendron scandens</i> and others
Phlox	<i>Phlox drummondii</i> and other <i>Phlox</i> spp.
Phyllanthus used as fish poison	<i>Phyllanthus brasiliensis</i>
Physarum	<i>Physarum</i> spp.
Pieris	<i>Pieris japonica</i>
Pigmy mosses	<i>Acaulon</i> spp., <i>Ephemera</i> spp., and others
Pig's weed	<i>Oryza ivara</i>
Pigweed ²²	<i>Amaranthus</i> spp., <i>Chenopodium</i> spp.
Pigweed Family ²²	Amaranthaceae, Chenopodiaceae
Pillbugs	<i>Cylisticus convexus</i> and others
Pina	<i>Ananas comosus</i>
Pine	<i>Pinus</i> spp.
Pine, Afghanistan	<i>Pinus eldarica</i>
Pine, Aleppo	<i>Pinus halepensis</i>
Pine, bristlecone	<i>Pinus longaeva</i>
Pine, Chilghoza	<i>Pinus gerardiana</i>
Pine, Colorado bristlecone	<i>Pinus aristata</i>
Pine, Coulter	<i>Pinus coulteri</i>
Pine, eastern white	<i>Pinus strobus</i>
Pine, European stone	<i>Pinus pinea</i>
Pine, gray (formerly pine, digger)	<i>Pinus sabiniana</i>
Pine, jack	<i>Pinus banksiana</i>
Pine, Jeffrey	<i>Pinus jeffreyi</i>
Pine, kauri	<i>Agathis australis</i> , <i>A. robusta</i>
Pine, knobcone	<i>Pinus attenuata</i>
Pine, loblolly	<i>Pinus taeda</i>
Pine, lodgepole	<i>Pinus contorta</i>
Pine, longleaf	<i>Pinus palustris</i>
Pine, Merkus	<i>Pinus merkusii</i>
Pine, Mexican pinyon	<i>Pinus cembroides</i>
Pine, Mexican stone	<i>Pinus cembroides</i>
Pine, Monterey	<i>Pinus radiata</i>
Pine, pinyon	<i>Pinus edulis</i> , <i>P. monophylla</i> , <i>P. quadrifolia</i>
Pine, pitch	<i>Pinus rigida</i>
Pine, ponderosa	<i>Pinus ponderosa</i>
Pine, red	<i>Pinus resinosa</i>
Pine, Scotch	<i>Pinus sylvestris</i>
Pine, shortleaf	<i>Pinus echinata</i>
Pine, Siberian white	<i>Pinus sibirica</i>
Pine, slash	<i>Pinus caribaea</i> , <i>P. elliottii</i>
Pine, southern yellow (see Pine, loblolly; Pine, longleaf; Pine, shortleaf; and Pine, slash)	
Pine, stone (see Pine, European stone, and Pine, Mexican stone)	
Pine, sugar	<i>Pinus lambertiana</i>
Pine, western white	<i>Pinus monticola</i>
Pine, western yellow	<i>Pinus ponderosa</i>
Pine, Wollemi	<i>Wollemia nobilis</i>
Pineapple	<i>Ananas comosus</i>
Pinedrops	<i>Pterospora</i> spp.
Pistachio	<i>Pistacia vera</i>

Pitcher plant	<i>Sarracenia</i> spp. and others
Pitcher plant, Asian	<i>Nepenthes</i> spp. and others
Pitcher plant, yellow	<i>Sarracenia flava</i>
Pitcher sage, fragrant	<i>Lepechinia fragrans</i>
Pith plant	<i>Aeschynomene aspera</i>
Pittosporum, species whose fruits are used as torches	<i>Pittosporum undulatum</i>
Plantain	<i>Plantago</i> spp.
Plantain, hoary	<i>Plantago media</i>
Plantain, psyllium	<i>Plantago afra</i> , <i>P. ovata</i> , <i>P. psyllium</i>
Plastic, fungus used in production of	<i>Aspergillus terreus</i>
Plasticizers, source of oil for	<i>Euphorbia agascae</i>
Plover	<i>Charadrius</i> spp. and others
Plum brown rot	<i>Sclerotinia fructicola</i>
Plum, European ²³	<i>Prunus domestica</i> ²³
Plum, Japanese	<i>Prunus salicina</i>
Pneumonia bacteria	<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>
Podocarps, New Zealand timber	<i>Podocarpus dacrydoides</i> , <i>P. totara</i>
Podocarps, ornamental	<i>Podocarpus macrophylla</i> , <i>P. nagi</i> , and others
Poinsettia	<i>Euphorbia pulcherrima</i>
Poison antidote, fern used as	<i>Polystichum squarrosum</i>
Poison ivy	<i>Toxicodendron radicans</i>
Poison oak	<i>Toxicodendron diversilobum</i>
Poison sumac	<i>Toxicodendron vernix</i>
Polyanthus	<i>Primula polyanthus</i> and hybrids
Polygonum	<i>Polygonum</i> spp.
Pomegranate	<i>Punica granatum</i>
Pomelo (see Pummelo)	
Poor man's pepper	<i>Lepidium virginicum</i>
Popcorn	<i>Zea mays</i> (horticultural variety)
Poplar	<i>Populus</i> spp.
Poppy	<i>Papaver</i> spp. and others
Poppy Family	Papaveraceae
Poplar leaf spot rust	<i>Melampsora medusae</i>
Poppy	<i>Papaver</i> spp. and others
Poppy, bush	<i>Dendromecon rigida</i>
Poppy, California	<i>Eschscholzia californica</i> (see footnote 6 under California poppy)
Poppy, Mexican	<i>Hunnemannia</i> spp.
Poppy opium	<i>Papaver somniferum</i>
Poppy, Oriental	<i>Papaver orientale</i>
Poppy, prickly (see Stern, Fig. 24.5)	<i>Argemone glauca</i>
Poppy, prickly (see Uno et al., Fig. 14.17)	<i>Argemone albiflora</i>
Poppy Family	Papaveraceae
Poppy, yellow (northernmost flowering plant)	<i>Papaver radicatum</i>
Porcupine	<i>Erythizon</i> spp., <i>Hystrix</i> spp. ²⁴
Porifera	Member of Phylum Porifera (sponges), Kingdom Animalia
Portabella mushroom	<i>Agaricus bisporus</i> (variety)
Portulaca Family	Portulacaceae
Potato blight	<i>Phytophthora infestans</i>
Potato, Andean	<i>Solanum stenotomum</i> , <i>S. sparsipilum</i> (?)

Potato, Irish	<i>Solanum tuberosum</i> spp. <i>andigena</i> ; <i>S. tuberosum</i> ssp. <i>tuberosum</i> <i>Ipomea batatas</i>
Potato, sweet	<i>Solanum jasminoides</i>
Potato, white (see Potato, Irish)	<i>Potentilla</i> spp.
Potato vine	<i>Calliandra inaequilatera</i>
Potentilla (cinquefoil)	<i>Erysiphe</i> spp. and others
Powderpuff flower (see Stern, Fig. 24.11C)	<i>Eustoma</i> sp.
Powdery mildew	<i>Maranta</i> spp.
Prairie bluebells	<i>Cladoxylon</i> spp., <i>Protopteridium</i> spp., and others
Prayer plant	<i>Opuntia</i> spp.
Prefers	<i>Cactoblastus cactorum</i>
Prickly pear	<i>Primula vulgaris</i> and about 400 other <i>Primula</i> spp.
Prickly pear control insect used in Australia	<i>Streptocarpus x hybridus</i> (<i>S. rexii</i> is the usual dominant in complex hybrids)
Primrose	<i>Amaranthus cruentus</i>
Primrose, Cape	<i>Stanleya elata</i>
Prince's feather/Prince of Wales feather	<i>Ligustrum vulgare</i>
Prince's plume	<i>Prochloron</i> sp., <i>Prochlorothrix</i> sp.
Privet	<i>Antilocarpa americana</i>
Prochlorophytes	<i>Protea</i> spp.
Pronghorn	<i>Protea cynaroides</i>
Protea	One-celled members of Kingdom Protista (e.g., <i>Stentor</i> spp.; <i>Paramecium</i> spp.)
Protea, king	<i>Psilotum nudum</i> and other <i>Psilotum</i> spp.
Protozoa	<i>Plantago ovata</i>
Psilotum	<i>Lagopus</i> spp.
Psyllium	<i>Lyginopteris</i> spp., <i>Medullosa</i> spp., and others
Ptarmigan	<i>Calvatia cyathiformis</i> and other <i>Calvatia</i> spp.; <i>Lycoperdon</i> spp.
Pteridosperms	<i>Pulmonaria</i> spp.
Puffball	<i>Agave</i> spp.
Pulmonaria (lungwort)	<i>Citrus grandis</i>
Pulque, source of	<i>Cucurbita pepo</i>
Pummelo	Cucurbitaceae
Pumpkin	<i>Tribulus terrestris</i>
Pumpkin Family	<i>Porphyra tenera</i> spp. and others
Puncture vine	<i>Porphyra tenera</i>
Purple laver	<i>Lythrum salicaria</i>
Purple laver (see Stern, Fig. 18.28)	<i>Puya raimondii</i>
Purple loosestrife	<i>Chrysanthemum cinerariifolium</i> , <i>C. coccineum</i> , <i>C. marschallii</i>
Puya (rare)	
Pyrethrum	
Quaking aspen	<i>Populus tremuloides</i>
Quebracho	<i>Schinopsis lorentzii</i>
Queen Anne's Lace	<i>Daucus carota</i> var. <i>carota</i>
Quesnelia (air plant)	<i>Quesnelia marmorata</i> (Grecian vase) and other <i>Quesnelia</i> spp.

Quillwort	<i>Isoetes</i> spp.
Quillwort, fossil relatives of	<i>Isoetites</i> spp.
Quina-quina tree	<i>Cinchona ledgeriana</i> and other <i>Cinchona</i> spp.
Quince	<i>Cydonia oblonga</i>
Quinine, source of	<i>Cinchona officinalis</i> , <i>C. ledgeriana</i>
Quinoa	<i>Chenopodium quinoa</i>
Rabbit	<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>
Rabbit, cottontail	<i>Sylvilagus</i> spp.
Rabbit, jack	<i>Lepus</i> spp.
Raccoon	<i>Procyon lotor</i>
Raddichio	<i>Cichorium intybus</i>
Radish	<i>Raphanus sativus</i>
Rafflesia	<i>Rafflesia</i> spp.
Rafflesia (see Stern, Fig. 8.2)	<i>Rafflesia micropylora</i>
Ragweed	<i>Ambrosia</i> spp.
Ragweed, common/short	<i>Ambrosia artemisiifolia</i>
Ragweed, giant	<i>Ambrosia trifida</i>
Rambutan	<i>Nephelium lappaceum</i>
Ramie	<i>Boehmeria nivea</i>
Rape/rapeseed	<i>Brassica napus</i>
Raspberry	<i>Rubus</i> spp.
Raspberry, black	<i>Rubus occidentalis</i>
Raspberry, red	<i>Rubus idaeus</i> , <i>R. strigosus</i> , and their hybrids
Rat	<i>Rattus norvegicus</i> , <i>R. rattus</i> , and others
Rat, kangaroo	<i>Dipodomys</i> spp.
Rat, Norwegian	<i>Rattus norvegicus</i>
Rat snake, black	<i>Elaphe obsoleta</i>
Rattlesnake	<i>Crotalus</i> spp.
Red algae	Member of Division Rhodophyta, Kingdom Protista. Representative genera include <i>Chondrus</i> , <i>Eucheuma</i> , <i>Gelidium</i> , <i>Gigartina</i> , <i>Gracilaria</i> , <i>Polysiphonia</i> , <i>Porphyra</i> , and <i>Pterocladia</i> . There are about 3,900 spp. of red algae.
Redbud, eastern	<i>Cercis canadensis</i>
Redbud, western	<i>Cercis occidentalis</i>
Red-capped Amanita	<i>Amanita muscaria</i>
Red-hot-poker (poker plant; torch flower)	<i>Kniphofia uvaria</i>
Red pepper	<i>Capsicum annuum</i>
Red spruce	<i>Picea rubens</i>
Redwood, coastal	<i>Sequoia sempervirens</i>
Redwood, dawn	<i>Metasequoia glyptostroboides</i>
Redwood, giant	<i>Sequoiadendron giganteum</i>
Redwood sorrel	<i>Oxalis oregana</i>
Reed	<i>Phragmites</i> spp., <i>Arundo donax</i> , and others
Reindeer	<i>Rangifer</i> spp.
Reindeer moss	<i>Cladonia rangiferina</i>
Reserpine, source of	<i>Rauvolfia serpentina</i>
Resurrection plant	<i>Selaginella lepidophylla</i>
Rhododendron	<i>Rhododendron</i> spp.

Rhubarb	<i>Rheum rhabonticum</i>
Ribbon weed	<i>Vallisneria spiralis</i>
Ribes (gooseberry)	<i>Ribes</i> spp.
Rice ²⁵	<i>Oryza sativa</i> ²⁵
Rice, brown spot of (causal agent)	<i>Drechslera oryzae</i>
Rice mimic grass	<i>Echinochloa crus-galli</i> var. <i>oryzicola</i>
Rice-paper plant	<i>Tetrapanax papyriferus</i> (Some authors refer to <i>Fatsia japonica</i> (<i>F. papyrifera</i>) as rice-paper plant.)
Rice, wild	<i>Zizania aquatica</i>
Rice, Texas wild	<i>Zizania texana</i>
Rickets, ferns used in treating	<i>Asplenium ruta-maria, Osmunda regalis</i>
Ringworm fungi	<i>Epidermophyton</i> spp., <i>Microsporium</i> spp., <i>Trichophyton</i> spp.
Robin	<i>Turdus migratorius</i>
Rock cress	<i>Arabis</i> sp.
Rock moss	<i>Grimmia</i> spp.
Rock-rose, European	<i>Helianthemum vulgare</i>
Rock tripe	<i>Umbilicaria</i> spp.
Rockweeds	<i>Fucus</i> spp., <i>Pelvetia</i> spp., and others
Root nodule bacteria associated with white clover	<i>Rhizobium trifolii</i>
Rosary bean/pea	<i>Abrus precatorius</i>
Rose	<i>Rosa odorata</i> and other <i>Rosa</i> spp. (There are more than 25,000 rose cultivars.)
Rose apple	<i>Syzygium jambos</i>
Rose, damask	<i>Rosa damascena</i>
Rose Family	<i>Rosaceae</i>
Rose mallow (see Uno et al., Fig. 12.4)	<i>Hibiscus rosa-sinensis</i>
Rose of Sharon	<i>Hibiscus syriacus</i>
Rose, Sitka (see Stern, Fig. 24.8)	<i>Rosa rugosa</i>
Rosemary	<i>Rosmarinus officinalis</i>
Rosette plant (see Uno et al., Fig. 8.6)	<i>Echeveria</i> x <i>gilva</i> (= <i>Echeveria agavoides</i> x <i>E. elegans</i>) and others
Rosette plants, giant	<i>Espeletia</i> spp., <i>Lobelia</i> spp., <i>Senecio</i> spp.
Rotenone, source of	<i>Derris elliptica, Lonchocarpus nicou</i>
Rotenone relative	<i>Tephrosia vogelii</i>
Royal fern	<i>Osmunda regalis</i>
Rubber, African	<i>Funtumia elastica</i>
Rubber, bambong	<i>Ficus elastica</i>
Rubber, ceara	<i>Manihot glaziovii</i>
Rubber, Indian	<i>Ficus elastica</i>
Rubber, Para	<i>Hevea brasiliensis</i>
Rubber plant	<i>Ficus elastica</i>
Ruellia	<i>Ruellia portellae</i> and others
Rust, apple	<i>Gymnosporangium juniperi-virginianum</i>
Rust, black stem of wheat	<i>Puccinia graminis</i>
Rust, corn	<i>Puccinia sorghi</i>
Rust, poplar leaf spot	<i>Melampsora medusae</i>
Rust, rock cress	<i>Puccinia monoica</i>
Rust, white pine blister	<i>Cronartium ribicola</i>
Rutabaga	<i>Brassica campestris</i> var. <i>napobrassica</i>

Rye	(= <i>Brassica napus</i>)
Ryegrass	<i>Secale cereale</i> <i>Lolium</i> spp.
Sacred lotus	<i>Nelumbo nucifera</i>
Safflower	<i>Carthamus tinctorius</i>
Saffron, true	<i>Crocus sativus</i>
Saffron, meadow	<i>Colchicum autumnale</i>
Sage	<i>Salvia officinalis</i> ²⁶
Sagebrush	<i>Artemisia tridentata</i>
Sagebrush, California	<i>Artemisia californica</i>
Sage, Jerusalem	<i>Phlomis fruticosa</i>
Sage, soft-leaved purple	<i>Salvia leucophylla</i>
Sagittaria (arrowhead)	<i>Sagittaria</i> spp.
Sago	<i>Cycas</i> spp.
Saguaro	<i>Carnegiea gigantea</i>
St. John's wort	<i>Hypericum perforatum</i>
Sake, agent used in the breakdown of rice starch during production of	<i>Aspergillus oryzae</i>
Salmon	<i>Oncorhynchus</i> spp., <i>Salmo</i> <i>salar</i> , and others
Salmonberry	<i>Rubus spectabilis</i>
Salsify	<i>Tragopogon</i> spp.
Saltbush/Saltscale	<i>Atriplex</i> spp.
Salt cedar	<i>Tamarix</i> spp.
Salt bacteria	<i>Halobacterium halobium</i>
Salt marsh harvest mouse	<i>Reithrodontomys raviventris</i>
Salt water (beach) fungus	<i>Corollospora maritima</i>
Salvia	<i>Salvia</i> spp.
Sandpiper	<i>Ereunetes</i> spp., <i>Erolia</i> spp., <i>Tryngites</i> spp., and others
Sansevieria	<i>Sansevieria trifasciata</i> and other <i>Sansevieria</i> spp.
Santonin, source of	<i>Artemisia cina</i>
Sapodilla/Sapodillo	<i>Manilkara zapota</i>
Saponaria (soapwort)	<i>Saponaria</i> spp.
Sargassum (see Stern, Fig. 18.18)	<i>Sargassum</i> sp.
Sarsaparilla, source of	<i>Smilax</i> spp.
Sassafras	<i>Sassafras albidum</i>
Sauropod, large plant-eating	<i>Apatosaurus</i> (formerly <i>Brontosaurus</i>), <i>Brachiosaurus</i> spp., <i>Diplodocus</i> spp., and others
Sauropod, small (ornithiscian type) plant-eating	<i>Ankylosaurus</i> spp., <i>Montanoceratops</i> spp., <i>Parasaurolophus</i> spp., and others
Sausage tree, African	<i>Kigelia pinnata</i>
Savory	<i>Satureia hortensis</i>
Saxifrage	<i>Saxifraga</i> spp.
Scarlet gilia	<i>Ipomopsis aggregata</i>
Scarlet monkey flower	<i>Mimulus cardinalis</i>
Scenedesmus	<i>Scenedesmus</i> spp.
Schefflera (aralia)	<i>Schefflera</i> spp.
Screw pine	<i>Pandanus veitchii</i> and other <i>Pandanus</i> spp.
Scrub oak	<i>Quercus dumosa</i>

Sea anemone	<i>Stephanauge</i> spp. and others
Sea grass	<i>Zostera</i> spp.
Sea hare	<i>Aplysia californica</i>
Sea lettuce	<i>Ulva</i> spp.
Sea palm	<i>Postelsia palmaeformis</i>
Sea rocket	<i>Cakile edentula</i>
Sea squirt	<i>Styela</i> spp. and others
Sedge	<i>Carex</i> spp. and others
Sedum	<i>Sedum</i> spp.
Seed ferns (Pteridosperms)	<i>Lyginopteris</i> spp., <i>Medullosa</i> spp., and others
Senna	<i>Cassia senna</i> and others
Sensitive plant	<i>Mimosa pudica</i>
Sesame	<i>Sesamum indicum</i>
Seychelles Island Palm	<i>Lodoicea maldivica</i>
Shagbark hickory	<i>Carya ovata</i>
Shaggy mane mushroom	<i>Coprinus comatus</i>
Shallot ²⁷	<i>Allium cepa</i> ²⁷
Shamrock	<i>Trifolium procumbens</i> and others
Sheep	<i>Ovis</i> spp.
Shepherd's purse	<i>Capsella bursa-pastoris</i>
Shrew	<i>Sorex</i> spp.
Shrimp	<i>Crago</i> spp. and others
Silk-tassel bush	<i>Garrya fremontii</i>
Silk tree	<i>Albizia julibrissin</i>
Silphium (rosinweed)	<i>Silphium</i> spp.
Silversword	<i>Argyroxiphium sandwicense</i>
Sisal	<i>Agave sisalina</i>
Sitka willow	<i>Salix sitchensis</i>
Skunk	<i>Mephitis</i> spp.
Skunk cabbage	<i>Symplocarpus foetidus</i>
Slime mold	Member of Divisions Myxomycota and Acrasiomycota, Subkingdom Myxobionta, Kingdom Protista
Slime mold (see Stern, Fig. 18.31A)	<i>Lamproderma</i> sp.
Slime mold (see Stern, Fig. 18.31B)	<i>Lycogala epidendrum</i>
Slime mold, cellular	Member of Division Acrasiomycota, Kingdom Protista
Slime mold, human-hair	<i>Stemonitis</i> spp.
Sloth	<i>Bradypus</i> spp., <i>Choleopus</i> spp.
Smoke tree	<i>Cotinus</i> spp.
Smut	<i>Ustilago</i> spp. and others
Smut, corn	<i>Ustilago maydis</i>
Snail	<i>Haplotrema concava</i> and others
Snakeroot	<i>Rauvolfia serpentina</i> , <i>R. tetraphylla</i> , <i>R. vomitoria</i>
Snakeroot, white	<i>Eupatorium rugosum</i>
Snapdragon	<i>Antirrhinum majus</i>
Snow-on-the-mountain	<i>Euphorbia marginata</i>
Snow pea	<i>Pisum sativum</i>
Snowplant	<i>Sarcodes sanguinea</i>
Snowshoe hare	<i>Lepus americanus</i>

Snowy owl	<i>Nyctea scandiaca</i>
Soaproot, California	<i>Chlorogalum pomeridianum</i>
Soft-leaved purple sage	<i>Salvia leucophylla</i>
Soil bacteria (see Bacteria, soil)	
Soil fungi	<i>Rhizoctonia</i> spp. and others
Sorghum	<i>Sorghum bicolor</i> and other <i>Sorghum</i> spp.
Sorrel	<i>Oxalis</i> spp.
Soursop	<i>Annona muricata</i>
Southern magnolia	<i>Magnolia grandiflora</i>
Southern yellow pine (see Pine, loblolly; Pine, longleaf; Pine, shortleaf; and Pine, slash)	
Southwest willow flycatcher	<i>Epidonax traillii extimus</i>
Soybean	<i>Glycine max</i>
Spanish moss	<i>Tillandsia usneoides</i>
Sparrow, savannah	<i>Passerculus sandwichensis</i>
Sparrow, song	<i>Melospiza melodia</i>
Sparrow, vesper	<i>Pooecetes gramineus</i>
Spearmint	<i>Mentha spicata</i>
Spider plant	<i>Chlorophytum comosum</i>
Spiderwort	<i>Tradescantia virginiana</i> and other <i>Tradescantia</i> spp.
Spiderwort, European	<i>Tradescantia paludosa</i>
Spike moss	<i>Selaginella</i> spp.
Spike moss, fossil relatives of	<i>Lepidodendron</i> spp., <i>Sigillaria</i> spp., and others
Spinach	<i>Spinacia oleracea</i>
Spiraea	<i>Spiraea x vanhouttei</i> and other <i>Spiraea</i> spp. and hybrids
Spirogyra	<i>Spirogyra</i> spp.
Split-leaf philodendron	<i>Monstera deliciosa</i>
Sponge	<i>Spongilla</i> spp. and others
Sponge, vegetable	<i>Luffa cylindrica</i>
Spring beauty	<i>Claytonia virginica</i>
Spruce	<i>Picea</i> spp.
Spruce, black	<i>Picea mariana</i>
Spruce, Norway	<i>Picea abies</i>
Spruce, red	<i>Picea rubens</i>
Spruce, Sitka	<i>Picea sitchensis</i>
Spruce, white	<i>Picea glauca</i>
Spurge	<i>Euphorbia</i> spp.
Spurge (see Stern, Fig. 24.13)	<i>Euphorbia peplus</i>
Spurge Family	Euphorbiaceae
Squash	<i>Cucurbita maxima</i> , <i>C. mixta</i> , <i>C. moschata</i> , <i>C. pepo</i> , and others
Squash, winter	<i>Cucurbita moschata</i>
Squawroot ²⁸	<i>Perideridia</i> spp. ²⁸
Squill	<i>Scilla</i> spp.
Squills	<i>Urginea maritima</i>
Squirrel	<i>Citellus</i> spp., <i>Sciurus</i> spp., and others
Squirrel, gray	<i>Sciurus carolinensis</i>
Squirrel corn	<i>Dicentra canadensis</i>
Squirting cucumber	<i>Ecballium elaterium</i>

Staghorn fern	<i>Platycerium bifurcatum</i> and others
Stapelia (see Stern, Fig. 23.14)	<i>Stapelia similis</i>
Star anise	<i>Illicium verum</i>
Star fruit	<i>Averrhoa carambola</i>
Star-of-Bethlehem	<i>Campanula isophylla</i> , <i>Ornithogalum</i> spp.
Steershead	<i>Dicentra uniflora</i>
Sticktight	<i>Bidens frondosa</i> and others
Sticktight, Hawaiian	<i>Bidens ctenophylla</i> , <i>B. hillebrandiana</i> , <i>B. pilosa</i> , <i>B. skottsbergii</i> , and others
Stinging nettle	<i>Urtica dioica</i>
Stinging Nettle Family	<i>Urticaceae</i>
Stinkhorn	<i>Mutinus</i> spp., <i>Phallus</i> spp., and others
Stinkhorn (see Uno et al., Fig. 16.8f)	<i>Phallus impudicus</i>
Stinkhorn, common (see Stern, Fig. 19.12)	<i>Mutinus caninus</i>
Stinkhorn, veil/Lady-of-the-veil	<i>Dictyophora</i> sp.
Stonecrop	<i>Sedum</i> spp., <i>Crassula</i> spp., and others
Stonecrop (see Uno et al., Fig. 12.7)	<i>Sedum lanceolatum</i>
Stonecrop Family	<i>Crassulaceae</i>
Stoneseed	<i>Lithospermum ruderale</i>
Stonewort	<i>Chara</i> spp., <i>Nitella</i> spp.
Strawberry	<i>Fragaria ananassa</i> and other <i>Fragaria</i> spp. and hybrids
Strawberry, Chilean	<i>Fragaria chiloensis</i>
Strawberry, Virginia	<i>Fragaria virginiana</i>
Strawberry, beach	<i>Fragaria chinensis</i>
Straw mushroom	<i>Volvariella volvacea</i>
String-of-pearls	<i>Senecio rowellianus</i>
Strychnine, source of	<i>Strychnos nox-vomica</i> and other <i>Strychnos</i> spp.
Stuffing, fern, used for mattresses, etc.	<i>Cibotium</i> spp., <i>Sadleria</i> spp., and others
Sugar apple	<i>Annona squamosa</i>
Sugar beet	<i>Beta vulgaris</i> (horticulturally selected strains)
Sugar cane	<i>Saccharum officinarum</i>
Sugar maple	<i>Acer saccharum</i>
Sumac	<i>Rhus</i> spp.
Sumac, tanner's	<i>Rhus coriaria</i> , <i>R. typhina</i>
Sunbird	<i>Anthodiaeta</i> spp., <i>Notiocinnyris</i> spp., and others
Sundew	<i>Drosera</i> spp.
Sundew, Cape	<i>Drosera capensis</i>
Sundew relative used for flypaper	<i>Drosophyllum lusitanicum</i>
Sunflower	<i>Helianthus annuus</i>
Sunflower (see Uno et al., p. 310)	<i>Helianthus debilis</i>
Sunflower, desert	<i>Machaeranthera gracilis</i>
Sunflower Family	Asteraceae (formerly Compositae)
Swamp pink	<i>Helonias bullata</i>
Swedish ivy	<i>Plectranthus</i> spp.
Sweet pea	<i>Lathyrus odoratus</i>
Sweet sop	<i>Annona reticulata</i>
Sweet William	<i>Dianthus barbatus</i>
Swiss chard	<i>Beta vulgaris</i> var. <i>cicla</i>
Sword fern	<i>Polystichum minitum</i>
Sycamore	<i>Platanus occidentalis</i> and others

Tagua (vegetable ivory), source of	<i>Phytelephas macrocarpa</i> (seeds)
Tamarack	<i>Larix</i> spp.
Tamarillo	<i>Cyphomandra betacea</i>
Tamarind	<i>Tamarindus indica</i>
Tamarisk	<i>Tamarix</i> spp.
Tangerine	<i>Citrus reticulata</i>
Tannia	<i>Xanthosoma sagittifolium</i>
Tannin, Turkish, source of	<i>Quercus infectoria</i> (galls)
Tapioca (see Cassava)	
Tapir	<i>Tapirus</i> spp.
Tara	<i>Caesalpinia spinosa</i>
Taro	<i>Colocasia esculenta</i>
Tarragon	<i>Artemisia dracunculus</i>
Tarweed/gum plant	<i>Grindelia</i> spp.
Tarweed, western (see Stern, Fig. 4.13A)	<i>Calycadenia</i> sp.
Tarwi	<i>Lupinus mutabilis</i>
Tasmanian gum tree	<i>Eucalyptus regnans</i>
Taxol, fungal source of	<i>Taxomyces andreanne</i>
Tea	<i>Camellia sinensis</i>
Tea Family	Theaceae
Teak	<i>Tectona grandis</i>
Teddy bear cholla	<i>Opuntia bigelovii</i>
Telegraph plant	<i>Desmodium gyrans</i> (= <i>Codariocalyx motorius</i>)
Tent caterpillar	<i>Malacosoma americanum</i> and others
Teonanacatl (sacred) mushrooms	<i>Conocybe</i> spp., <i>Panaeolus</i> spp., <i>Psilocybe</i> spp., and others
Teosinte (annual)	<i>Zea mexicana</i>
Teosinte (perennial)	<i>Zea diploperennis</i>
Tequila, source of	<i>Agave</i> spp.
Termite	<i>Odontotermes</i> spp., <i>Reticulitermes</i> spp., and others
Tetrahymena (one-celled protist)	<i>Tetrahymena</i> sp.
Tetrastigma (Javan grape)	<i>Tetrastigma</i> spp.
Texas bluebonnet	<i>Lupinus subcarnosus</i>
Texas snakeweed (see Uno et al., p. 367)	<i>Gutierrezia texana</i>
Thalloid liverworts	<i>Marchantia</i> spp., <i>Conocephalum</i> spp., and others
Thimbleberry	<i>Rubus parviflorus</i>
Thistle	<i>Cirsium</i> spp. and others
Thistle, Canada	<i>Cirsium arvense</i>
Thoroughwort	<i>Eupatorium perfoliatum</i>
Thrasher	<i>Toxostoma</i> spp.
Thrush, causal agent of	<i>Candida albicans</i>
Thyme	<i>Thymus vulgaris</i> and others
Thyme, lemon	<i>Thymus citriodorus</i>
Ti (Ki) plant	<i>Cordyline fruticosa</i>
Tiger	<i>Panthera tigris</i>
Timothy (grass)	<i>Phleum pratense</i>
Tiredness/sickness, shrub used by chimps and Africans to treat	<i>Vernonia amygdalina</i> (= <i>Vernonia amygdalina</i>)

Toad	<i>Bufo americanus</i>
Tobacco	<i>Nicotiana tabacum, N. rustica</i>
Tomato	<i>Lycopersicon esculentum</i> ²⁹
Tomato, Galapagos	<i>Lycopersicon esculentum</i> var. <i>minor</i> , <i>L. pimpinellifolium</i> , <i>L. cheesmanii</i> (salt-tolerant sp.)
Tomato fruitworm	<i>Heliothis armigera</i>
Tomato hornworm	<i>Protoparce quinquemaculata</i>
Toothache, fern chewed for	<i>Pentagramma triangularis</i>
Toothwort	<i>Dentaria</i> spp.
Tortoise, giant Galapagos	<i>Testudo elephantopus porteri</i>
Touch-me-not	<i>Impatiens glandulifera</i> and others
Tragacanth	<i>Astragalus gummifer</i>
Transvaal daisy	<i>Gerbera jamesonii</i>
Tree fern	<i>Cyathaea</i> spp., <i>Ctenitis</i> spp., <i>Dicksonia</i> spp., <i>Sphaeropteris</i> spp., and others
Tree fern (see Stern, Fig. 21.25B)	<i>Cibotium glaucum</i>
Tree fern, Hawaiian	<i>Cibotium</i> spp., <i>Sadleria</i> spp.
Tree fern, small Hawaiian (see Stern, Fig. 21.16D)	<i>Sadleria cyatheoides</i>
Tree lupine	<i>Lupinus arboreus</i>
Tree-of-heaven	<i>Ailanthus altissima</i>
Tree tomato (see Tamarillo)	<i>Trillium</i> spp.
Trillium	<i>Tripsacum</i> spp.
Tripsacum	<i>Triticum x Secale</i>
Triticale (wheat x rye hybrid)	<i>Dicranopteris linearis</i>
Tropical climbing fern	<i>Tuber</i> spp.
Truffles	<i>Campsis radicans</i>
Trumpet creeper	<i>Glossina morsitans, G. palpalis</i>
Tsetse fly	<i>Derris elliptica</i>
Tuba root	<i>Mycobacterium tuberculosis</i>
Tuberculosis, causal agent of	<i>Taxodium mucronatum</i>
Tule tree	<i>Tulipa</i> spp.
Tulip	<i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i>
Tulip tree	<i>Liriodendron chinensis</i>
Tulip tree, Asian	<i>Sisymbrium altissimum</i>
Tumble mustard	<i>Amaranthus albus, Salsola pestifera</i> , and others
Tumbleweeds	<i>Aleurites fordii</i>
Tung oil, source of	<i>Quercus laevis</i>
Turkey oak	<i>Quercus infectoria</i> (galls)
Turkish tannin, source of	<i>Curcurma longa</i> (see Simpson & Ogorzaly, p. 205; <i>Curcuma domestica</i>)
Turmeric, source of	<i>Brassica rapa</i>
Turnip	<i>Pinus elliotii, P. palustris, P. pinaster, P. sylvestris</i>
Turpentine, source of	<i>Chelydra</i> spp., <i>Chrysemys</i> spp., and others
Turtle	<i>Boehmeria cylindrica</i>
Twine, source of fibers used by native Americans for	<i>Linnaea borealis</i>
Twinflower	
Ulothrix	<i>Ulothrix</i> spp.
Ulva (sea lettuce)	<i>Ulva</i> spp.

Upas tree	<i>Antiaris toxicaria</i>
Ultraviolet light, flowers seen in (see Stern, Fig. 23.13)	<i>Rudbeckia</i> sp.
Unicorn plant	<i>Proboscidea</i> spp.
Urn plant	<i>Aechmea fasciata</i>
Valley fever (coccidioidomycosis), fungal cause of	<i>Coccidioides immitis</i>
Vanilla, source of	<i>Vanilla planifolia</i>
Vaucheria	<i>Vaucheria</i> spp.
Venus's flytrap	<i>Dionaea muscipula</i>
Vetch	<i>Vicia</i> spp.
Vetchling, yellow	<i>Lathyrus aphaca</i>
Viburnum	<i>Viburnum</i> spp.
Vinegar weed	<i>Trichostema</i> spp.
Violet	<i>Viola odorata</i> and other <i>Viola</i> spp.
Violet, African	<i>Saintpaulia ionantha</i> and other <i>Saintpaulia</i> spp.
Violet, gold	<i>Viola douglasii</i>
Virginia creeper	<i>Parthenocissus quinquefolia</i>
Virus ³⁰	<i>Paramyxovirus</i>
Vole	<i>Microtus</i> spp. and others
Volvox	<i>Volvox</i> spp.
Voodoo lily	<i>Sauromatum guttatum</i>
Vriesia (air plant)	<i>Vriesia carinata</i> (lobster claws) and more than 200 other <i>Vriesia</i> spp.
Wahoo	<i>Euonymus alata</i> and others
Wake-robin	<i>Trillium</i> spp.
Walking fern	<i>Asplenium rhizophyllum</i>
Wallflower, western	<i>Erysimum capitatum</i>
Walnut	<i>Juglans</i> spp.
Walnut, black	<i>Juglans nigra</i>
Walnut Family	Juglandaceae
Walnut, Northern California black	<i>Juglans californica</i> var. <i>hindsii</i>
Walnut, English	<i>Juglans regia</i>
Wandering jew	<i>Zebrina pendula</i>
Warbler	<i>Dendroica</i> spp. and others
Warts, organisms causing	<i>Papavovirus</i>
Watercress	<i>Nasturtium officinale</i>
Water fern, oriental	<i>Ceratopteris thalictroides</i>
Water hemlock	<i>Cicuta</i> spp.
Water hyacinth	<i>Eichhornia crassipes</i>
Water lily	<i>Nymphaea</i> spp. and others
Water lily, giant	<i>Victoria amazonica</i>
Watermeal	<i>Wolffia</i> spp.
Watermelon	<i>Citrullus lanatus</i>
Watermelon plant	<i>Peperomia argyreia</i>
Water mold	Member of Division Oomycota, Subkingdom Mastigobionta, Kingdom Protista
Water mold (see Levetin & McMahon, pp. 375-76)	<i>Saprolegnia</i> sp.
Water net	<i>Hydrodictyon</i> spp.
Watersilk	<i>Spirogyra</i> spp.
Water source, horsetails used as	<i>Equisetum telmateia</i>

Water weed	<i>Elodea</i> spp.
Water weed, yellow	<i>Ludwigia repens</i>
Wattle	<i>Acacia decurrens</i> , <i>A. mearnsii</i> , and others
Wax gourd	<i>Benincasa hispidum</i>
Wax plant	<i>Hoya carnosa</i>
Weaver birds	<i>Anaplectes</i> spp., <i>Hyphantoris</i> spp., and others
Weeping fig	<i>Ficus benjamina</i>
Weld	<i>Reseda luteola</i>
Welwitschia	<i>Welwitschia mirabilis</i>
Whale, sperm	<i>Physeter catodon</i>
Wheat ³¹	
Wheat bunt, causal agent	<i>Tilletia foetida</i>
Wheel tree	<i>Trochodendron aralioides</i>
Whisk fern	<i>Psilotum</i> spp.
Whisk fern, fossil relatives of	<i>Asteroxylon</i> spp., <i>Psilophyton</i> spp., <i>Rhynia</i> spp., and others
Whisk fern, living relatives of	<i>Tmesipteris</i> spp.
White fly	<i>Aleurocanthus woglumi</i> and others
White piedra fungus	<i>Trichosporon beigeli</i>
White pine, eastern	<i>Pinus strobus</i>
White pine, Siberian	<i>Pinus sibirica</i>
White pine, western	<i>Pinus monticola</i>
White pine blister rust	<i>Cronartium ribicola</i>
White snakeroot	<i>Eupatorium rugosum</i>
White spruce	<i>Picea glauca</i>
Wilkesia	<i>Wilkesia gymnoxiphium</i> (see Uno et al., Fig. 14.12b)
Willow	<i>Salix</i> spp.
Willow, Arctic	<i>Salix arctica</i>
Willow, black	<i>Salix nigra</i>
Willow Family	Salicaceae
Willow, Sitka	<i>Salix sitchensis</i>
Willow, white	<i>Salix alba</i>
Window leaves, plants with	<i>Fenestraria</i> spp. and others
Windsor bean	<i>Vicia faba</i>
Winged bean	<i>Psophocarpus tetragonolobus</i>
Winter creeper	<i>Euonymus fortunei</i>
Wintergreen oil, sources of	<i>Gaultheria procumbens</i> and others
Wisteria	<i>Wisteria sinensis</i> and other <i>Wisteria</i> spp.
Witch hazel	<i>Hamamelis virginiana</i>
Witchweed	<i>Striga lutea</i> and other <i>Striga</i> spp.
Woad, dyer's	<i>Isatis tinctoria</i>
Woadwaxen	<i>Genista tinctoria</i>
Wolfsbane	<i>Aconitum vulparia</i>
Wollemi pine	<i>Wollemia nobilis</i>
Wolverine	<i>Gulo luscus</i> , <i>G. gulo</i>
Woodpecker	<i>Dendrocopos</i> spp. and others
Worms, fern used in expelling from intestinal tract	<i>Dryopteris filix-mas</i>
Wormword	<i>Artemisia annua</i> , <i>A. absinthium</i>
Wounds, ferns used for treating	<i>Lygodium circinatum</i> , <i>Ophioglossum vulgatum</i>

Yam	<i>Dioscorea alata, D. cayensis, D. composita, D. esculenta, D. floribunda, D. rotunda, D. trifida</i>
Yam Family	Dioscoreaceae
Yareta	<i>Azorella yareta</i>
Yarrow, American	<i>Achillea lanulosum</i>
Yarrow, European	<i>Achillea millefolium</i>
Yaupon holly	<i>Ilex vomitoria</i>
Yautia	<i>Xanthosoma sagittifolium</i>
Yeast used for alcohol production	<i>Saccharomyces cerevisiae, S. uivarum</i>
Yeast, baking/brewing	<i>Saccharomyces cerevisiae</i>
Yellow-green algae	Member of Division Chromophyta, Kingdom Protista
Yellow-plumed honey-eater	<i>Psittirostra</i> sp.
Yellow vetchling	<i>Lathyrus aphaca</i>
Yellow-wort	<i>Blackstonia perfoliata</i>
Yerba mate	<i>Ilex paraguariensis</i>
Yew	<i>Taxus</i> spp.
Yew, English	<i>Taxus baccata</i>
Yew, Japanese (see Stern, Fig. 22.9; Uno et al., Fig. 18.6b)	<i>Taxus cuspidata</i>
Yew, Pacific	<i>Taxus brevifolia</i>
Yucca	<i>Yucca</i> spp.
Zanthoxylum	<i>Zanthoxylum</i> spp.
Zebra	<i>Equus zebra</i> and others
Zebrina	<i>Zebrina pendula</i>
Zinnia	<i>Zinnia elegans</i> and others
Zucchini (squash)	<i>Cucurbita pepo</i>
Zosterophyll	<i>Bathurstia denticulata, Zosterophyllum</i> spp., and others
Zoysia	<i>Zoysia matrella</i> and other <i>Zoysia</i> spp.