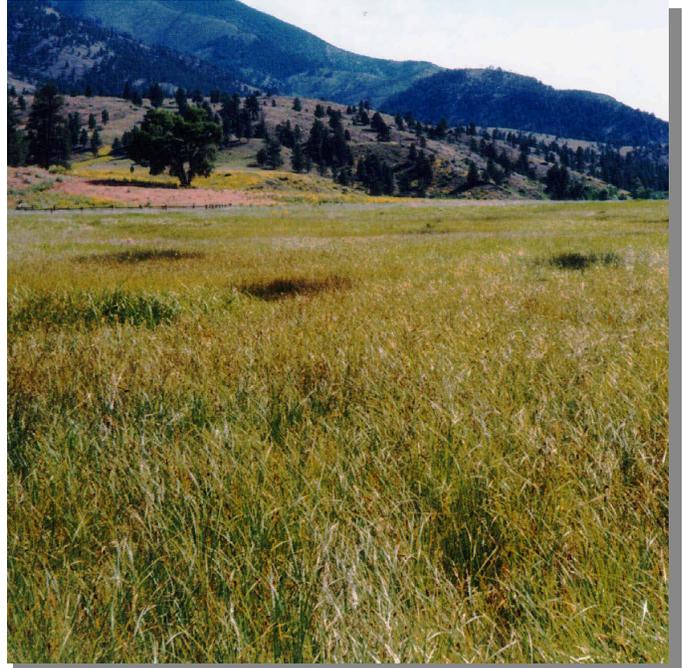


Montana Land Cover Atlas

6200 Graminoid & Forb Riparian

DOMINANT SPECIES

- Baltic Rush (*Juncus balticus*)
- Bluejoint Reedgrass (*Calamagrostis canadensis*)
- Bog Sedge (*Carex rostrata*)
- Cinquefoil (*Potentilla spp*)
- Cattails (*Typha spp*)
- Lake Sedge (*Carex lacustris*)
- Maritime Sedge (*Carex incurviformis*)
- Northern Reedgrass (*Calamagrostis inexpectata*)
- Rushes (*Juncus spp*)
- Saxifrage (*Saxifraga spp*)
- Sedges (*Carex spp*)
- Tufted Hairgrass (*Deschampsia cespitosa*)



DESCRIPTION

Riparian areas dominated by herbaceous species, with total herbaceous cover 30-100%. Riparian areas with tree and shrub cover less than 15%. Standing water may be present in the riparian area (cattail marshes).

TOTAL AREA	ELEVATION
702,574 hectares	524 - 3155 m range
281,322 patches	1075 m mean
1.84 % of state	

STATE RANGE

Occurs in riparian areas across the state.

