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<b>FISH:</b>				
Gulf sturgeon	<i>Acipenser oxyrinchus desotoi</i>	SSC	T CH	ESTUARINE: various habitats MARINE: various streams RIVERINE: alluvial and blackwater streams
Bluestripe shiner	<i>Cyprinella callitaenia</i>		ce	RIVERINE: alluvial stream
<b>AMPHIBIANS &amp; REPTILES:</b>				
Reticulated flatwoods salamander	<i>Ambystoma bishopi</i>	SSC	E CH	PALUSTRINE: wet flatwoods, dome swamp, basin swamp, ruderal TERRESTRIAL: mesic flatwoods (reproduces in ephemeral wetlands within this community)
Eastern indigo snake	<i>Drymarchon corais couperi</i>	T	T	ESTUARINE: tidal swamp PALUSTRINE: hydric hammock, wet flatwoods TERRESTRIAL: mesic flatwoods, upland pine forest, sandhills, scrub, scrubby flatwoods, rockland hammock, ruderal
Coal skink	<i>Eumeces anthracinus</i>		ce	PALUSTRINE: seepage slope, baygall TERRESTRIAL: upland pine forest, upland hardwood forest, mesic flatwoods
Gopher tortoise	<i>Gopherus polyphemus</i>	SSC	ce	TERRESTRIAL: sandhills, scrub, scrubby flatwoods, xeric hammocks, coastal strand, ruderal
Barbour's map turtle	<i>Graptemys barbouri</i>	SSC	ce	PALUSTRINE: floodplain stream, floodplain swamp RIVERINE: alluvial stream
Alligator snapping turtle	<i>Macroclemys temminckii</i>	SSC	ce	ESTUARINE: tidal marsh LACUSTRINE: river floodplain lake, swamp lake RIVERINE: alluvial stream, blackwater stream
Florida pine snake	<i>Pituophis melanoleucus mugitus</i>	SSC	ce	LACUSTRINE: ruderal, sandhill upland lake TERRESTRIAL: sandhill, scrubby flatwoods, xeric hammock, ruderal
Suwannee cooter	<i>Pseudemys concinna suwanniensis</i>	SSC		RIVERINE: alluvial stream, blackwater stream, spring-fed stream
Gopher frog	<i>Rana capito</i>	SSC	ce	TERRESTRIAL: sandhill, scrub, scrubby flatwoods, xeric hammock (reproduces in ephemeral wetlands within these communities)
<b>BIRDS:</b>				
Limpkin	<i>Aramus guarauna</i>	SSC		LACUSTRINE: various PALUSTRINE: various RIVERINE: various
Little blue heron	<i>Egretta caerulea</i>	SSC		ESTUARINE: marshes, shoreline PALUSTRINE: floodplains, swamps RIVERINE: shoreline

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Snowy egret	<i>Egretta thula</i>	SSC		ESTUARINE: marshes, tidal swamps, shoreline LACUSTRINE: lake edges PALUSTRINE: swamp, floodplain, ruderal RIVERINE: shoreline
Tricolored heron	<i>Egretta tricolor</i>	SSC		ESTUARINE: marshes, tidal swamps, shoreline LACUSTRINE: lake edges PALUSTRINE: swamp, floodplain, ruderal RIVERINE: shoreline
Arctic peregrine falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus tundrius</i>	E	ce	ESTUARINE: winters along coasts LACUSTRINE: various PALUSTRINE: various TERRESTRIAL: various, ruderal
Southeastern kestrel	<i>Falco sparverius paulus</i>	T	ce	ESTUARINE: various habitats PALUSTRINE: various habitats TERRESTRIAL: open pine forests, clearings, ruderal, various
Bald eagle	<i>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</i>	T	T	ESTUARINE: marsh edges, tidal swamp, open water LACUSTRINE: swamp lakes, edges PALUSTRINE: swamp, floodplain RIVERINE: shoreline, open water TERRESTRIAL: pine and hardwood forests, clearings
Wood stork	<i>Mycteria americana</i>	E	E	ESTUARINE: marshes LACUSTRINE: floodplain lakes, marshes (feeding), various PALUSTRINE: marshes, swamps, various
Red-cockaded woodpecker	<i>Picoides borealis</i>	SSC	E	TERRESTRIAL: mature pine forests
Black skimmer	<i>Rynchops niger</i>	SSC		ESTUARINE: various LACUSTRINE: various RIVERINE: various TERRESTRIAL: ocean beaches, beach dune, ruderal. Nests common on rooftops.
<b>MAMMALS:</b>				
Southeastern big-eared bat	<i>Plecotus rafinesquii</i>		ce	PALUSTRINE: various, floodplains TERRESTRIAL: pine and hardwood forests, ruderal, various
Florida black bear	<i>Ursus americanus floridanus</i>	T	ce	PALUSTRINE: titi swamps, floodplains TERRESTRIAL: pine and hardwood forests

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<b>INVERTEBRATES:</b>				
Southern elktoe (mussel)	<i>Alasmidonta triangulata</i>		ce	RIVERINE: medium-sized creeks to large rivers with sandy mud, sand, and gravel substrates in slow to moderate currents (Panhandle watersheds: Chipola, Apalachicola)
Fat threeridge (mussel)	<i>Amblema neislerii</i>		E CH	RIVERINE: main channels of small to large rivers; slow to moderate currents; various substrates (Panhandle watersheds: Apalachicola, Chipola)
Apalachicola floater (mussel)	<i>Anodonta heardi</i>		ce	RIVERINE: floodplain lakes and backwater areas of large rivers in muddy substrates (Panhandle watersheds: Apalachicola)
Rayed creekshell (mussel)	<i>Anodontoides radiatus</i>		ce	RIVERINE: Small to medium sized creeks in substrates of mud, sandy mud, or sand and gravel (Panhandle watersheds: Apalachicola, Chipola, Escambia, Choctawhatchee)
Chipola slabshell (mussel)	<i>Elliptio chipolaensis</i>		T CH	RIVERINE: main channel of the Chipola River and its larger tributaries; prefers muddy sand and sandy clay substrates, but also found in silty sand substrates (Panhandle watersheds: Chipola)
Purple bankclimber (mussel)	<i>Elliptoideus sloatianus</i>		T CH	RIVERINE: small to large rivers in slow to moderate currents over sand, sand mixed with mud, or gravel substrates (Panhandle watersheds: Apalachicola, Ochlockonee)
Shinyrayed pocketbook (mussel)	<i>Hamiota subangulata</i>		E CH	RIVERINE: medium-sized creeks to mainstem rivers; clean or silty sand substrates, in slow to moderate currents (Panhandle watersheds: Chipola, Ochlockonee upstream of Lake Talquin, Econfina Creek)
Gulf moccasinshell (mussel)	<i>Medionidus penicillatus</i>		E CH	RIVERINE: medium-sized creeks to large rivers with sand and gravel substrates in slow to moderate currents (Panhandle watersheds: Chipola, Econfina Creek)
Oval pigtoe (mussel)	<i>Pleurobema pyriforme</i>		E CH	RIVERINE: medium-sized creeks to small rivers; various substrates; slow to moderate currents (Panhandle watersheds: Chipola, Econfina Creek, Ochlockonee)

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Sculptured pigtoe (mussel)	<i>Quadrula infucata</i>		ce	RIVERINE: small streams to large rivers in sandy, muddy sand, or fine gravel substrates, pools, and rocky areas with swift current, often under debris (Panhandle watersheds: Apalachicola, Chipola, Ochlockonee)
Downy rainbow (mussel)	<i>Villosa villosa</i>		ce	RIVERINE: small streams to large rivers in sand or muddy sand substrates (Panhandle watersheds: Apalachicola, Chipola, Escambia, Choctawhatchee, Ochlockonee, Suwannee)
<b>PLANTS:</b>				
Pine-woods aster	<i>Eurybia spinulosus</i>	E	ce	PALUSTRINE: seepage slope TERRESTRIAL: sandhill, scrubby and mesic flatwoods
Apalachicola wild indigo	<i>Baptisia megacarpa</i>	E		PALUSTRINE: floodplain forest TERRESTRIAL: upland mixed forest, slope forest
Buckthorn	<i>Bumelia lycioides</i>	E		PALUSTRINE: bottomland forest, dome swamp, floodplain forest TERRESTRIAL: upland hardwood forest
Baltzell's sedge	<i>Carex baltzellii</i>	T	ce	TERRESTRIAL: slope forest, moist sandy loam; moist sandy loam
Alternate-leaf or pagoda dogwood	<i>Cornus alternifolia</i>	E		PALUSTRINE: creek swamps TERRESTRIAL: slope forest, upland hardwood forest, bluffs
Canada honewort	<i>Cryptotaenia canadensis</i>	E		PALUSTRINE: floodplain forest, bottomland forest RIVERINE: alluvial stream bank
Tropical waxweed	<i>Cuphea aspera</i>		ce	PALUSTRINE: wet prairie, seepage slope TERRESTRIAL: mesic flatwoods
Spoon-leaved sundew	<i>Drosera intermedia</i>	T		LACUSTRINE: sinkhole lake edges PALUSTRINE: seepage slope, wet flatwoods, depression marsh RIVERINE: seepage stream banks, drainage ditches
Dark-headed hatpin	<i>Eriocaulon nigrobacteatum</i>		ce	PALUSTRINE: Wet Boggy Seepage slopes, mucky soils
Wiregrass gentian	<i>Gentiana pennelliana</i>	E	ce	PALUSTRINE: seepage slope, wet prairie, roadside ditches TERRESTRIAL: mesic flatwoods, planted slash pine
Harper's beauty	<i>Harperocallis flava</i>		E	PALUSTRINE: wet prairie, seepage slope, roadsides, edge of titi swamp

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Florida anise	<i>Illicium floridanum</i>	T		PALUSTRINE: floodplain forest, baygall RIVERINE: seepage stream bank TERRESTRIAL: slope forest, seepage slope
Mountain laurel	<i>Kalmia latifolia</i>	T		RIVERINE: seepage stream bank TERRESTRIAL: slope forest, seepage stream banks
Southern red lily	<i>Lilium catesbaei</i>	T		PALUSTRINE: wet prairie, wet flatwoods, seepage slope TERRESTRIAL: mesic flatwoods, seepage slope; usually with grasses
West's flax	<i>Linum westii</i>	E	ce	PALUSTRINE: dome swamp, depression marsh, wet flatwoods, wet prairie, pond margins
Curtiss' loosestrife	<i>Lythrum curtissii</i>	E	ce	PALUSTRINE: wet flatwoods edges, floodplain swamp, seepage slope, dome swamp edges TERRESTRIAL: seepage slope
Hummingbird flower	<i>Macranthera flammea</i>	E		PALUSTRINE: seepage slope, dome swamp edges, floodplain swamps RIVERINE: seepage stream banks TERRESTRIAL: seepage slopes
Pyramid magnolia	<i>Magnolia pyramidata</i>	E		TERRESTRIAL: slope forest
Giant water-dropwort	<i>Oxypolis filiformis greenmanii</i>	E		PALUSTRINE: dome swamp, wet flatwoods, ditches; in water
Eastern ninebark	<i>Physocarpus opulifolius</i>	E		RIVERINE: seepage stream banks
Godfrey's (violet) butterwort	<i>Pinguicula ionantha</i>	E	T	PALUSTRINE: wet flatwoods, wet prairie, bog, in shallow water RIVERINE: seepage slope; in shallow water. Also, roadside ditches and similar habitat.
Chapman's butterwort	<i>Pinguicula planifolia</i>	T	ce	PALUSTRINE: wet flatwoods, seepage slopes, bog, dome swamp, ditches; in water
Yellow fringed orchid	<i>Platanthera ciliaris</i>	T		PALUSTRINE: bogs, wet flatwoods TERRESTRIAL: Bluff
Yellow fringeless orchid	<i>Platanthera integra</i>	E	ce	PALUSTRINE: wet prairie, seepage slope TERRESTRIAL: mesic flatwoods
Snowy orchid	<i>Platanthera nivea</i>	T		PALUSTRINE: bogs
Meadowbeauty	<i>Rhexia parviflora</i>	E	ce	PALUSTRINE: dome swamp margin, seepage slope, depression marsh; on slopes; with hypericum

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Orange azalea	<i>Rhododendron austrinum</i>	E		PALUSTRINE: bottomland forest RIVERINE: seepage stream bank TERRESTRIAL: slope forest, upland mixed forest
White-top pitcher plant	<i>Sarracenia leucophylla</i>	E	ce	PALUSTRINE: wet prairie, seepage slope, baygall edges, ditches
Parrot pitcher plant	<i>Sarracenia psittacina</i>	T		PALUSTRINE: wet flatwoods, wet prairie, seepage slope
Decumbant pitcher plant	<i>Sarracenia purpurea</i>	T		PALUSTRINE: Bogs
Gentian pinkroot	<i>Spigelia gentianoides</i>	E	E	TERRESTRIAL: mixed hardwood forest; rich humus
Silky camellia	<i>Stewartia malacodendron</i>	E		PALUSTRINE: baygall PALUSTRINE: slope forest, upland mixed forest, TERRESTRIAL: slope forest, upland mixed forest; acid soils
Chapman's crownbeard	<i>Verbesina chapmanii</i>	T	ce	PALUSTRINE: seepage slope TERRESTRIAL: mesic flatwoods with wiregrass ( <i>Aristida stricta</i> )
Harper's yellow-eyed grass	<i>Xyris scabrifolia</i>	T	ce	PALUSTRINE: seepage slope, wet prairie, bogs

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