

Most frequently encountered invasive species along our trails as of December 2014.

(Please keep in mind that most volunteers were only looking for the 14 common invasives on our Phase 1 list).

Species Frequency			
SPECIES_CODE	SCIENTIFIC_NAME	COMMON_NAME	Number of Observations
0		none	14425
MIVI	<i>Microstegium vimineum</i>	Japanese stilt-grass	8824
BETH	<i>Berberis thunbergii</i>	Japanese barberry	8134
ROMU	<i>Rosa multiflora</i>	multi-flora rose	4816
RUPH	<i>Rubus phoenicolasius</i>	wineberry	3686
ALPE	<i>Alliaria petiolata</i>	garlic mustard	3572
CEOR	<i>Celastrus orbiculatus</i>	oriental bittersweet	3069
EUAL	<i>Euonymus alatus</i>	burning bush	2145
ACPL	<i>Acer platanoides</i>	Norway maple	1512
LOJA	<i>Lonicera japonica</i>	Japanese honeysuckle	1207
AIAL	<i>Ailanthus altissima</i>	tree-of-heaven	1022
LONI	<i>Lonicera spp.</i>	bush honeysuckle	761
AREL	<i>Aralia elata</i>	Japanese angelica tree	493
ELUM	<i>Elaeagnus umbellata</i>	autumn olive	492
POCU	<i>Fallopia japonica var. japonica</i>	Japanese knotweed	374
AMBR	<i>Ampelopsis brevipedunculata</i>	porcelainberry	275
POPE	<i>Persicaria perfoliata</i>	mile-a-minute vine	218
CYLO	<i>Cynanchum louiseae</i>	black swallowwort	202
ARVU	<i>Artemisia vulgaris var. vulgaris</i>	mugwort	133
LIGU	<i>Ligustrum spp. (species unknown)</i>	privet	130
LYSA	<i>Lythrum salicaria</i>	purple loosestrife	119
PHAU	<i>Phragmites australis ssp. Australis</i>	common reed	87
VIDI	<i>Viburnum dilatatum</i>	linden viburnum	80
RHCA	<i>Rhamnus cathartica</i>	common buckthorn	63
WIST	<i>Wisteria spp. (species unknown)</i>	wisteria (species unknown)	53
CENT	<i>Centaurea spp. (species unknown)</i>	knapweed	39
VISI	<i>Viburnum sieboldii</i>	Siebold's viburnum	22
ROPS	<i>Robinia pseudoacacia</i>	black Locust	17
HEHE	<i>Hedera helix</i>	English ivy	8
IRPS	<i>Iris pseudacorus</i>	yellow iris	7
PHAR	<i>Phalaris arundinacea</i>	reed canary grass	7

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PYCA	<i>Pyrus calleryana</i>	callery pear	6
PLMA	<i>Plantago major</i>	common plantain	5
ACPA	<i>Acer palmatum</i>	Japanese maple	4
PHVI	<i>Photinia villosa</i>	oriental photinia	4
RHSC	<i>Rhodotypos scandens</i>	jetbead	3
EUPH	<i>Euphorbia spp. (species unknown)</i>	spurge (species unknown)	3
WIFL	<i>Wisteria floribunda</i>	Japanese wisteria	3
VERB	<i>Verbascum spp. (species unknown)</i>	mullein	2
PATO	<i>Paulownia tomentosa</i>	Princess tree	2
MISI	<i>Miscanthus sinensis</i>	chinese silver grass	2
SETA	<i>Setaria sp.</i>	foxtail grass	2
LIVU2	<i>Linaria vulgaris</i>	butter and eggs	2
LECU	<i>Lespedeza cuneata</i>	Chinese Bush Clover	1
CHMA	<i>Chelidonium majus</i>	swallowwort	1
HYPE	<i>Hypericum perforatum</i>	common St. Johnswort	1
BUDA	<i>Buddleja davidii</i>	butterflybush	1
PATR	<i>Parthenocissus tricuspidata</i>	Boston ivy	1
MYSP	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>	Eurasian water milfoil	1
DACA	<i>Daucus carota</i>	Queen Anne's lace	1
PHYL	<i>Phyllostachys spp. (species unknown)</i>	Bamboo	1
VIMI	<i>Vinca minor</i>	periwinkle	1
CAIM	<i>Cardamine impatiens</i>	narrowleaf bittercress	1

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