

Invasive cattail look alike

Two of Wisconsin's invasive cattails, narrowleaf cattail (*Typha angustifolia*) and hybrid cattail (*Typha x glauca*) may be confused with the native common cattail (*Typha latifolia*).



NARROWLEAF CATTAIL leaves have leaves up to $\frac{1}{2}$ " wide. The female flowers are separated from the male flowers by $\frac{1}{2}$ - 4".



HYBRID CATTAIL is a hybrid between *T. angustifolia* and *T. latifolia*. Leaves are $\frac{1}{3}$ - $\frac{3}{4}$ " wide. The female flowers are separated from the male flowers by up to 2".



COMMON CATTAIL has leaves up to 1" wide. There is no gap between female and male flowers.