

**HydraClear®**  
*Aquatic Bioherbicide*  
(US Patent # 5,945,099)  
**Development in Progress**

HydraClear® is a bioherbicide for managing the submerged aquatic weeds such as *Hydrilla verticillata* (or hydrilla). Using the patented Biocar® Microsponge™ system for delivery of natural plant pathogen, the product was developed to adhere to underwater plants (published in JAPMS 36: 49-53 and JAPMS 36: 54-56, 1998). Biocar® microsponges were used to provide shelf-life stability and maintain the activity of the plant pathogen for hydrilla. Work is still under development.



Control Tank = Hydrilla Untreated



One Month after Treatment  
with HydraClear®