



A [Tropical Birding](#) SET DEPARTURE tour

ECUADOR: East Andean Foothills

10th - 16th October 2021



Spectacled Bear in paramo grassland near **Papallacta Pass**

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INTRODUCTION:

*This short tour visited a fantastic lodge in the foothills of the Andes on the east slope, but also squeezed in some birds of higher elevations on the way there. It was a great tour, with some of the special and most popular birds seen including **White-lored and Plain-backed Antpittas, Gray-tailed Piha, Plain-winged Antwren, Brown Nunlet, Coppery-chested Jacamar, White-chested Puffbird, White-chested Swift, Ecuadorian Piedtail, Black-throated Brilliant, Buff-throated Tody-Tyrant, Military Macaw, Green-backed and Ecuadorian Hillstars, Andean Cock of the Rock, Rufous-bellied Seedsnipe, and Gould's Jewelfront.** Our final tally was over 270 species, of which more than 230 were seen by at least one in the group.*

TOUR SUMMARY:**Day 1 (of birding) 11th October - Quito to WildSumaco**

After we all met up in the hotel in *Puembo* in the morning, we started driving eastwards towards *WildSumaco Lodge*, but took our time getting there, making some important birding stops along the way. Once we arrived at *Papallacta Pass*, we decided to make a short visit to nearby *Cayambe-Coca National Park*. First off, we drove all the way up to the radio towers, where as soon as we arrived there, we had wonderful views of pair of **Rufous-bellied Seedsnipe** (photo below), which can be very tricky on some trips. On our way down from there, we found **Brown-backed Chat-Tyrant**, **White-chinned Thistletail**, **Many-striped Canastero**, **Giant Conebill**, **Andean Tit-Spinetail**, **Plain-capped (Paramo) Ground Tyrant**, **Carunculated Caracara** in flight, **Chestnut-winged and Stout-billed Cincloides**, **Blue-mantled Thornbill**, and a great view of the often-elusive **Ecuadorian Hillstar**. Just before leaving the area we got arguably the sighting of the morning, and it was NOT a bird..We had awesome views of mom and cub **Spectacled Bears** (photo page 1) feeding on *Puya* plants in the open!



Rufous-bellied Seedsnipe on cushion plants in the paramo at **Cayambe-Coca National Park**

After such a fantastic start, we went *Guango Lodge*, where this brief stop started quietly. However, even then we saw birds at the feeders like **Tourmaline Sunangel**, **Collared Inca**, **Long-tailed Sylph** and the odd-looking **Sword-billed Hummingbird**.

Our short trail walk provided us with a small feeding flock containing **Gray-hooded Bush-Tanager**, **Chestnut-capped**, **Pale-naped** and **Slaty Brushfinches**, **Pearled Treerunner**, **Capped** and **Blue-backed Conebills**, **Rufous Wren**, **Fawn-breasted Tanager**, **Black-crested Warbler**, and we also saw some gaudy species, like **Green (Inca) Jay** and **Masked Trogon** with them too. After that, we went for lunch in the highland town of *Baeza*. Once we had eaten, we visited *Brisas de Colibries*, and admired yet more hummingbirds, like the lovely **Booted Racket-Tail**, **Tawny-bellied Hermit**, **Long-tailed Sylph** (photo below), **Bronzy Inca**, **Chestnut-breasted Coronet**, **Speckled Hummingbird**, **Violet-fronted** and **Fawn-breasted Brilliants**, **Lesser** and **Sparkling Violetears**, **Green-backed Hillstar** and a striking **Gorgeted Woodstar** coming to the *Verbena* flowers. Just before leaving the area we encountered a small feeding flock with colorful species like, **Saffron-crowned**, **Golden**, **Black-capped**, and **Flame-faced Tanagers**, as well as **Montane Woodcreeper**, **Golden-olive Woodpecker**, **Canada Warbler**, **Olivaceous Siskin** and a noisy **Scarlet-rumped (Subtropical) Cacique**.

After such awesome moment it was time to head towards the lodge, but on our way down we got chance to see a bunch **Cliff Flycatcher** sitting on a power line and others on a low cliff face. Just as we were reaching the lodge some **Military Macaws** flew over, one of the rarer species in the area. At the end of the day, we arrived at the lodge with some awesome birds in the bag already. We were then ready for a delicious dinner at *Wild Sumaco Lodge*, where we also did our first checklist of the tour.



Long-tailed Sylph from *Brisas de Colibries*

Day 2 (12th October) – WildSumaco Area

We spent this day birding immediately around the lodge, on other parts of their property dotted about nearby. The day started with a visit to the local blind after breakfast, where birds gather to sweep up the insects attracted overnight. This included **Western Fire-eye** (recently split from **White-backed Fire-eye**), **Ornate Flycatcher**, **Plain Antvireo**, **Black-billed Treehunter**, **White-chested Puffbird** (photo below), **Peruvian Warbling-Antbird** and the very attractive **Black faced Antbird** that gave us wonderful looks. Some of these species can be typically shy and difficult to see away from a blind set up like this wonderful one at the lodge.



White-chested Puffbird from WildSumaco Lodge in the East Andean Foothills

After such a wonderful start, we went to bird along one of the lodge trails. While this can be challenging compared to what we had done thus far, it is the only way to see some of the interior forest species, many of which are stunning. The trail led us to find **White-crowned Manakin**, **Golden-olive Woodpecker** watching us from a tree hollow. We also saw the rare **Gray-tailed Piha** a few times, as well as **Musician Wren**, **White-breasted Wood-Wren**, and **Buff-throated Tody-Tyrant** a reclusive canopy dweller. As we emerged out of the forest trail, we picked up some birds at the edge, like **Dark-breasted Spinetail**, **Chestnut-fronted Macaw**, **Red-headed Barbet** and a bright male **Andean Cock-of-the-rock** feeding on *Cecropia* fruits.

We took lunch back at the lodge and spent some time with the hummingbird feeders on the property too. The feeders brought us **Ecuadorian Piedtail**, **Booted Racket-tail**, **Golden-tailed Sapphire**, **Black-throated Brilliant**, **Sparkling** and **Brown Violetears**, **Gould's Jewelfront**, **Fork-tailed Woodnymph**, **Many-spotted Hummingbird**, **Black-throated Mango** and the cute **Wire-crested Thorntail**.

Verbena flowers near the front porch also produced birds away from the feeders like, **Gorgeted Woodstar** and **Violet-headed Hummingbird**. Our late afternoon plans involved birding a dirt the road just a short drive away near *Pacto Sumaco* village. This was, as usual, very productive, with species like **Yellow-tufted Woodpecker** in a dead tree chattering at us, **Magpie**, **White-lined** and **Spotted Tanagers**, **Blue-headed Parrot**, **White-eyed Parakeet**, **Plumbeous** and **Ruddy Pigeons**, **Black-and-white Seedeater**, **Lined Antshrike**, and **Olive-chested Flycatcher**. We also saw a fighting pair of **Yellow-throated Toucans**, in addition to **Thrush-like Wren**, **Blue-gray Saltator**. We finished the day seeing the secretive **Blackish Rail** (photo below) at a well-known spot near the village, where it gave us killer looks to end the day.



Blackish Rail in rank grassland in *Pacto Sumaco*

Day 3 (13th October) – **WildSumaco Area**

On this day, we visited another of the lodge trails (some of these involved short drives to reach). Our particular focus by visiting this steeper trail, was to try and get some deep forest birds not possible along the road or flatter trails on the property. We enjoyed great success with some of these, starting out with **Wing-banded Wren** and also finding the shy **Chestnut-crowned Gnateater** too. While slowly walking the trail we also encountered an excellent feeding flocks, which held **Foothill Elaenia**, **Ecuadorian Tyrannulet**, the very scarce **Yellow-shouldered Grosbeak**, and **Yellow-breasted Antwren**. In the same general area, the understory provided us with **Plain Antvireo**, **Plain-winged Antshrike**, **Black-and-white Tody-Flycatcher**, and **Foothill and Plain-winged Antwrens**, with the help of playback for the latter, rare species.

Later on, the same trail brought us **Scale-crested Pygmy-Tyrant**, **Ruddy Foliage-Gleaner**, **Short-tailed Anthrush**, **(Eastern) Striped Woodhaunter**, and getting out of the trail by the parking we found **Large-headed Flatbill** and **Crimson-crested Woodpecker**.

After such a successful morning, we went back to the lodge for lunch and to take a little rest before our afternoon journey. So, right after lunch, some of us went to enjoy watching the hummingbirds some more, while others rested. After this, we visited an *antpitta feeding station in the forest*. On the way there though, we were distracted by another feeding flock, which held **Montane Foliage-Gleaner**, **Olivaceous Woodcreeper**, **Rufous-naped Greenlet**, **Streaked Xenops**, **Blue-necked Tanager** and some migrant birds too, like **Cerulean Warbler** and **Summer Tanager**.

Once, we reached the feeding station this enabled us to see the normally shy **Northern White-crowned Tapaculo**, and two species of antpittas: **Ochre-breasted** and **Plain-backed Antpittas** (photo below) were called out were fed by one of the lodge staff. After such a productive pause, we decided to bird down the road from the lodge, which yielded **Amazonian Umbrellabird**, **Golden-collared Toucanet**, **Dusky Spinetail**, **Coppery-chested Jacamar**, **Violaceous Jay**, and **Russet-backed** and **Crested Oropendolas**. After this very productive day it was time to head back to the lodge for another good checklist and dinner.



Plain-backed Antpitta at a forest feeding station in **WildSumaco**

Day 4 (14th October) – WildSumaco Area and the Papanku Road

This day's schedule was slightly different from the previous days, as we decided to bird a dirt road a short drive from the lodge. While the road has some nice forest patches, it has open areas too, allowing us to get a varied mix of birds in the process. Along this road, we found **Chestnut-bellied Seed-Finch**, **Chestnut-bellied Seedeater**, **Spot-breasted Woodpecker**, **Coraya Wren**, **Chestnut-eared Aracari**, **Lined Antshrike**, **Golden-winged Tody-Flycatcher** and a small feeding flock that brought us **Ecuadorian Tyrannulet**, **Montane Foliage-Gleaner**, **Rusty-winged Antwren**, **Yellow-bellied and Flame-crested Tanageras**, and **Russet Antshrike**. We also got better looks at the striking **Golden-collared Toucanet**, and even heard a **White-lored Antpitta** singing too. After such a promising start, we opted to continue birding further along the same road and were rewarded with another impressive mixed species feeding flock with **Yellow-throated Chlorospingus**, **Slaty-capped Flycatcher**, **Marbled-faced Bristle-Tyrant**, **Canada Warbler** and the arboreal **Rufous-rumped Antwren**.

After such a productive morning, we returned to the lodge for lunch. After that, some spent some further time with the impressive hummingbird mix on the lodge deck, while others took the time to rest instead. The hummingbird horde included **Sparkling and Brown Violetears**, **Booted Racket-tail**, **Gould's Jewelfront**, **Many-spotted Hummingbird**, **Golden-tailed Sapphire**, **White-necked Jacobin**, **Black-throated Mango**, **Black-throated and Violet-fronted Brilliants**, and **Wire-crested Thorntail**, which were all repeats. However, a **Rufous-vented Whitetip**, a scarcity even here, was new for us. Earlier, during lunch, we were entertained by a couple of non-avian animals, a troop of **Black-mantled (Graells's) Tamarin**, and a **Tayra** (photo below) came to take advantage of a fruit feeder at the back of the lodge. An afternoon walk yielded another rarity for the site, **Brown Nunlet**, as well as **Blackish Antbird**, **Squirrel Cuckoo**, **Collared Trogon** and **Spectacled Bristle-Tyrant**.



Tayra from WildSumaco



Fork-tailed Woodnymph from **WildSumaco**

Day 5 (15th October) – **WildSumaco to Quito**

This was our final's day birding of the tour. Therefore, with a longish drive back to Quito, we had a half a day to bird the area before leaving for Ecuador's capital. Right after breakfast we revisited the excellent forest blind by the lodge, seeing **Black-faced and Peruvian Warbling- Antbirds, White-chested Puffbird, Plain Antvireo, Black-billed Treehunter** and **Western Fire-eye**. After the blind, we went to bird the road below the lodge, where we stumbled upon another exciting mixed feeding flock with **Wing-barred Piprites, Golden-collared Honeycreeper, Bronze-green Euphonia, Cerulean and Blackburnian Warblers, Rusty-winged Antwren, Blue-necked, Spotted and Yellow-bellied Tanagers, Streaked Xenops, Olivaceous and Rufous-naped Greenlets, Green (Inca) Jay** and **Montane Foliage-Gleaner** in attendance. In this same, productive, area we noticed a swarm of *swifts* overhead, which included **Chestnut-collared and White-collared Swifts** and the rare **White-chested Swift** too in the mob. A couple of other final good birds included **Scaled Fruiteater** and a ventriloquial **Western Striolated Puffbird** sitting in the treetops.

Following this, we packed up, checked out and took a boxed lunch with us for the four-hour ride back to Quito, where we took our Covid tests and looked back at a wonderful tour.



Western Fire-eye (above) and Wing-barred Piprites from WildSumaco



BIRD LIST

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(H) indicates a species that was HEARD only.

(GO) indicates a species recorded by the GUIDE ONLY.

TINAMOUS

Great Tinamou

DUCKS, GEESE, AND SWANS

Andean Teal

GUANS, CHACHALACAS, CURASSOWS

Speckled Chachalaca

Sickle-winged Guan

NEW WORLD QUAIL

Rufous-breasted Wood-Quail

PIGEONS AND DOVES

Rock Pigeon

Plumbeous Pigeon

Ruddy Pigeon

Ruddy Quail-Dove

White-tipped Dove

White-throated Quail-Dove

Eared Dove

CUCKOOS

Smooth-billed Ani

Squirrel Cuckoo

NIGHTJARS

Common Pauraque

SWIFTS

White-chested Swift

Chestnut-collared Swift

White-collared Swift

Short-tailed Swift

Gray-rumped Swift

Lesser Swallow-tailed Swift

HUMMINGBIRDS

White-necked Jacobin

Green Hermit

TINAMIDAE

Tinamus major

H

ANATIDAE

Anas andium andium

CRACIDAE

Ortalis guttata

Chamaepetes goudotii

ODONTOPHORIDAE

Odontophorus speciosus

H

COLUMBIDAE

Columba livia

Patagioenas plumbea

Patagioenas subvinacea

Geotrygon montana

Leptotila verreauxi

Zentrygon frenata

Zenaida auriculata

CUCULIDAE

Crotophaga ani

Piaya cayana

CAPRIMULGIDAE

Nyctidromus albicollis

APODIDAE

Cypseloides lemosi

Streptoprocne rutila

Streptoprocne zonaris

Chaetura brachyura

Chaetura cinereiventris

Panyptila cayennensis

TROCHILIDAE

Florisuga mellivora

Phaethornis guy

Tawny-bellied Hermit
Gray-chinned Hermit
Brown Violetear
Lesser (Green) Violetear
Sparkling Violetear
Black-throated Mango
Tourmaline Sunangel
Wire-crested Thorntail
Ecuadorian Piedtail
Speckled Hummingbird
Long-tailed Sylph
Ecuadorian Hillstar
Blue-mantled Thornbill
Bronzy Inca
Collared Inca
Sword-billed Hummingbird
Chestnut-breasted Coronet
Booted Racket-tail
Green-backed Hillstar
Rufous-vented Whitetip
Black-throated Brilliant
Gould's Jewelfront
Fawn-breasted Brilliant
Violet-fronted Brilliant
Amethyst Woodstar
Gorgeted Woodstar
Violet-headed Hummingbird
Fork-tailed Woodnymph
Many-spotted Hummingbird
Golden-tailed Sapphire

RAILS, GALLINULES, COOTS

Blackish Rail

SEEDSNIPES

Rufous-bellied Seedsnipe

CORMORANTS AND SHAGS

Neotropic Cormorant

NEW WORLD VULTURES

Black Vulture

Phaethornis syrmatorphorus
Phaethornis griseogularis
Colibri delphinae
Colibri cyanotus
Colibri coruscans
Anthracothorax nigricollis
Heliangelus exortis
Discosura popelairii
Phlogophilus hemileucurus
Adelomyia melanogenys
Agelaiocercus kingii
Oreotrochilus chimborazo
Chalcostigma stanleyi
Coeligena coeligena
Coeligena torquata
Ensifera ensifera
Boissonneaua matthewsii
Ocreatus underwoodii
Urochroa leucura
Urosticte ruficrissa
Heliodoxa schreibersii
Heliodoxa aurescens
Heliodoxa rubinoides
Heliodoxa leadbeateri
Calliphlox amethystina
Chaetocercus heliodor
Klais guimeti
Thalurania furcata
Taphrospilus hypostictus
Chrysuronia oenone
RALLIDAE
Pardirallus nigricans
THINOCORIDAE
Attagis gayi
PHALACROCORACIDAE
Nannopterum brasilianum
CATHARTIDAE
Coragyps atratus

Turkey Vulture

Greater Yellow-headed Vulture

HAWKS, EAGLES, KITES

Swallow-tailed Kite

Black Hawk-Eagle

Plumbeous Kite

Barred Hawk

Roadside Hawk

Variable Hawk

OWLS

Foothill Screech-Owl

Band-bellied Owl

TROGONS

Green-backed (Amaz. White-tailed) Trogon

Collared Trogon

Masked Trogon

PUFFBIRDS

Western Striolated-Puffbird

White-chested Puffbird

Brown Nunlet

JACAMARS

Coppery-chested Jacamar

NEW WORLD BARBETS

Gilded Barbet

Lemon-throated Barbet

Red-headed Barbet

TOUCANS

Chestnut-eared Aracari

Golden-collared Toucanet

Yellow-throated Toucan (Black-mandibled) Toucan

White-throated Toucan

WOODPECKERS

Lafresnaye's Piculet

Yellow-tufted Woodpecker

Little Woodpecker

Crimson-bellied Woodpecker

Crimson-crested Woodpecker

Lineated Woodpecker

*Cathartes aura**Cathartes melambrotus***ACCIPITRIDAE***Elanoides forficatus**Spizaetus tyrannus* H*Ictinia plumbea**Morphnarchus princeps**Rupornis magnirostris**Geranoaetus polyosoma***STRIGIDAE***Megascops roraimae* H*Pulsatrix melanota* H**TROGONIDAE***Trogon viridis* H*Trogon collaris**Trogon personatus***BUCCONIDAE***Nystalus obamai**Malacoptila fusca**Nonnula brunnea***GALBULIDAE***Galbula pastazae***CAPITONIDAE***Capito auratus**Eubucco richardsoni* H*Eubucco bourcierii***RAMPHASTIDAE***Pteroglossus castanotis**Selenidera reinwardtii**Ramphastos ambiguus**Ramphastos tucanus* H**PICIDAE***Picumnus lafresnayi* GO*Melanerpes cruentatus**Dryobates passerinus* H*Campephilus haematogaster**Campephilus melanoleucos**Dryocopus lineatus*

Golden-olive Woodpecker

Crimson-mantled Woodpecker

Spot-breasted Woodpecker

FALCONS AND CARACARAS

Black Caracara

Carunculated Caracara

Yellow-headed Caracara

American Kestrel

PARROTS

Blue-headed Parrot

Maroon-tailed Parakeet (east)

Military Macaw

Chestnut-fronted Macaw

White-eyed Parakeet

TYPICAL ANTIBIRDS

Rufous-rumped Antwren

Lined Antshrike

Plain-winged Antshrike

White-shouldered Antshrike

Russet Antshrike

Plain Antvireo

Foothill Stipplethroat

Ornate Stipplethroat

Plain-winged Antwren

Yellow-breasted Antwren

Rusty-winged (Rufous-winged) Antwren

Peruvian Warbling-Antbird

Blackish Antbird

Western (White-backed) Fire-eye

Black-faced Antbird

GNATEATERS

Chestnut-crowned Gnateater

ANTPITTAS

Plain-backed Antpitta

Tawny Antpitta

Ochre-breasted Antpitta

TAPACULOS

Long-tailed (Eq. Rufous-vented) Tapaculo

*Colaptes rubiginosus**Colaptes rivolii*

GO

*Colaptes punctigula***FALCONIDAE***Daptrius ater*

GO

*Phalcoboenus carunculatus**Milvago chimachima**Falco sparverius*

GO

PSITTACIDAE*Pionus menstruus**Pyrrhura melanura melanura/souancei**Ara militaris**Ara severus**Psittacara leucophthalmus***THAMNOPHILIDAE***Euchrepomis callinota**Thamnophilus tenuipunctatus**Thamnophilus schistaceus**Thamnophilus aethiops*

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*Thamnistes anabatinus**Dysithamnus mentalis**Epinecrophylla spodionota**Epinecrophylla ornata*

GO

*Myrmotherula behni**Herpsilochmus axillaris**Herpsilochmus frater**Hypocnemis peruviana**Cercomacroides nigrescens**Pyriglena maura**Myrmoborus myotherinus***CONOPOPHAGIDAE***Conopophaga castaneiceps***GRALLARIIDAE***Grallaria haplonota**Grallaria quitensis*

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*Grallarica flavirostris***RHINOCRYPTIDAE***Scytalopus micropterus*

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(Northern) White-crowned Tapaculo

Paramo Tapaculo

ANTTHRUSHES

Short-tailed Antthrush

OVENBIRDS & WOODCREEPERS

Olivaceous Woodcreeper (east)

Plain-brown Woodcreeper

Wedge-billed Woodcreeper

Buff-throated Woodcreeper

Olive-backed Woodcreeper

Montane Woodcreeper

Streaked Xenops

Chestnut-winged (Bar-winged) Cinclodes

Stout-billed Cinclodes

Buff-fronted Foliage-gleaner

Montane Foliage-gleaner

Ruddy Foliage-gleaner

Black-billed Treehunter

Striped (Eastern) Woodhaunter

Spotted Barbtail

Pearled Treerunner

Andean Tit-Spinetail

Many-striped Canastero

White-chinned Thistletail

Dusky Spinetail

Dark-breasted Spinetail

Azara's Spinetail

MANAKINS

Blue-rumped Manakin

Striolated (Striped) Manakin

White-crowned Manakin

COTINGAS

Scaled Fruiteater

Andean Cock-of-the-rock

Gray-tailed Piha

Amazonian Umbrellabird

TITYRAS AND ALLIES

Masked Tityra

*Scytalopus atratus**Scytalopus opacus*

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FORMICARIIDAE*Chamaeza campanisona***FURNARIIDAE***Sittasomus griseicapillus*
*amazonus**Dendrocincla fuliginosa**Glyphorhynchus spirurus**Xiphorhynchus guttatus*
guttatoides

GO

*Xiphorhynchus triangularis**Lepidocolaptes lacrymiger**Xenops rutilans**Cinclodes albidiventris**Cinclodes excelsior**Dendroma rufa**Anabacerthia striaticollis**Clibanornis rubiginosus**Thripadectes melanorhynchus**Automolus subulatus subulatus**Premnoplex brunnescens**Margarornis squamiger**Leptasthenura andicola**Asthenes flammulata**Asthenes fuliginosa**Synallaxis moesta**Synallaxis albigularis**Synallaxis azarae*

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PIPRIDAE*Lepidothrix isidorei**Machaeropterus striolatus*

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*Dixiphia pipra***COTINGIDAE***Ampelioides tschudii**Rupicola peruvianus**Snowornis subalaris**Cephalopterus ornatus***TITYRIDAE***Tityra semifasciata*

White-winged Becard (east)	<i>Pachyramphus polychopterus nigriventris</i>	H
SHARPBIL, ROYAL FLYCATCHER AND ALLIES	OXYRUNCIDAE	
Black-tailed Flycatcher	<i>Myiobius atricaudus</i>	GO
TYRANT FLYCATCHERS	TYRANNIDAE	
Wing-barred Piprites	<i>Piprites chloris</i>	
White-banded Tyrannulet	<i>Mecocerculus stictopterus</i>	
Foothill Elaenia	<i>Myiopagis olallai</i>	
Olive-striped Flycatcher	<i>Mionectes olivaceus</i>	
Slaty-capped Flycatcher	<i>Leptopogon superciliaris</i>	
Rufous-breasted Flycatcher	<i>Leptopogon rufipectus</i>	H
Marble-faced Bristle-Tyrant	<i>Phylloscartes ophthalmicus</i>	
Spectacled Bristle-Tyrant	<i>Phylloscartes orbitalis</i>	
Ecuadorian Tyrannulet	<i>Phylloscartes gualaquizae</i>	
Rough-legged (White-fronted) Tyrannulet	<i>Phyllomyias burmeisteri leucogonys</i>	H
Plumbeous-crowned Tyrannulet	<i>Phyllomyias plumbeiceps</i>	H
Golden-faced Tyrannulet	<i>Zimmerius chrysops chrysops</i>	
Ornate Flycatcher	<i>Myiotriccus ornatus</i>	
Scale-crested Pygmy-Tyrant	<i>Lophotriccus pileatus</i>	
Double-banded Pygmy-Tyrant	<i>Lophotriccus vitiosus</i>	H
Buff-throated Tody-Tyrant	<i>Hemitriccus rufigularis</i>	
Black-and-white Tody-Flycatcher	<i>Poecilotriccus capitalis</i>	
Golden-winged Tody-Flycatcher	<i>Poecilotriccus calopterus</i>	
Common Tody-Flycatcher	<i>Todirostrum cinereum</i>	
Cliff Flycatcher	<i>Hirundinea ferruginea</i>	
Olive-chested Flycatcher	<i>Myiophobus cryptoxanthus</i>	
Bran-colored Flycatcher	<i>Myiophobus fasciatus</i>	H
Western Wood-Pewee	<i>Contopus sordidulus</i>	
Black Phoebe	<i>Sayornis nigricans</i>	
Plain-capped (Páramo) Ground-Tyrant	<i>Muscisaxicola alpinus</i>	
Slaty-backed Chat-Tyrant	<i>Ochthoeca cinnamomeiventris</i>	
Brown-backed Chat-Tyrant	<i>Ochthoeca fumicolor</i>	
Large-headed Flatbill	<i>Ramphotrigon megacephalum</i>	
Dusky-capped Flycatcher	<i>Myiarchus tuberculifer</i>	
Boat-billed Flycatcher	<i>Megarynchus pitangua</i>	
Social Flycatcher	<i>Myiozetetes similis</i>	
Lemon-browed Flycatcher	<i>Conopias cinchoneti</i>	H
Crowned Slaty Flycatcher	<i>Empidonomus aurantioatrocristatus</i>	

Tropical Kingbird

VIREOS AND ALLIES

Olivaceous Greenlet

Slaty-capped Shrike-Vireo

Rufous-naped Greenlet

Brown-capped Vireo

CROWS, JAYS, AND MAGPIES

Turquoise Jay

Green (Inca) Jay

Violaceous Jay

SWALLOWS

Blue-and-white Swallow

Brown-bellied Swallow

White-thighed Swallow

Southern Rough-winged Swallow

WRENS

Wing-banded Wren

House Wren

Grass (Sedge) Wren

Thrush-like Wren

Coraya Wren

Rufous Wren

White-breasted Wood-Wren

Musician Wren

MOCKINGBIRDS AND THRASHERS

Tropical Mockingbird

THRUSHES AND ALLIES

Speckled (Spotted) Nightingale-Thrush

Swainson's Thrush

White-necked Thrush

Black-billed Thrush

Great Thrush

SISKINS AND ALLIES

Thick-billed Euphonia

Bronze-green Euphonia

Orange-bellied Euphonia

Olivaceous Siskin

*Tyrannus melancholicus***VIREONIDAE***Hylophilus olivaceus**Vireolanius leucotis* H*Pachysylvia semibrunnea**Vireo leucophrys***CORVIDAE***Cyanolyca turcosa**Cyanocorax yncas yncas**Cyanocorax violaceus***HIRUNDINIDAE***Pygochelidon cyanoleuca**Orochelidon murina**Atticora tibialis**Stelgidopteryx ruficollis***TROGLODYTIDAE***Microcerculus bambla**Troglodytes aedon* H*Cistothorus platensis*
*aequatorialis**Campylorhynchus turdinus**Pheugopedius coraya**Cinnycerthia unirufa**Henicorhina leucosticta**Cyphorhinus arada***MIMIDAE***Mimus gilvus***TURDIDAE***Catharus maculatus* H*Catharus ustulatus* GO*Turdus albicollis**Turdus ignobilis**Turdus fuscater***FRINGILLIDAE***Euphonia laniirostris**Euphonia mesochrysa**Euphonia xanthogaster**Spinus olivaceus*

SPARROWS AND ALLIES

Yellow-throated Chlorospingus (Bush-Tanager)
 Short-billed Chlorospingus (Yellow-whiskered Bush-Tan)
 Yellow-browed Sparrow
 Gray-browed (Stripe-headed) Brushfinch
 Chestnut-capped Brushfinch
 Rufous-collared Sparrow
 Slaty Brushfinch
 Pale-naped Brushfinch

TROUPIALS AND ALLIES

Russet-backed Oropendola
 Crested Oropendola
 Scarlet-rumped (Subtropical) Cacique
 Yellow-rumped Cacique
 Giant Cowbird

NEW WORLD WARBLERS

American Redstart
 Cerulean Warbler
 Tropical Parula
 Blackburnian Warbler
 Black-crested Warbler
 Russet-crowned Warbler
 Canada Warbler
 Slate-throated Redstart (Whitestart)
 Spectacled Redstart (Whitestart)

GROSBEAKS AND ALLIES

Summer Tanager
 Scarlet Tanager

TANAGERS AND ALLIES

Magpie Tanager
 Black-eared Hemispingus
 Flame-crested Tanager
 White-lined Tanager
 Silver-beaked Tanager
 Fawn-breasted Tanager
 Blue-gray Tanager
 Palm Tanager
 Yellow-bellied Tanager

PASSERELLIDAE

Chlorospingus flavigularis
Chlorospingus parvirostris
Ammodramus aurifrons
Arremon assimilis
Arremon brunneinucha
Zonotrichia capensis
Atlapetes schistaceus
Atlapetes pallidinucha

ICTERIDAE

Psarocolius angustifrons
Psarocolius decumanus
Cacicus uropygialis uropygialis
Cacicus cela
Molothrus oryzivorus

PARULIDAE

Setophaga ruticilla
Setophaga cerulea
Setophaga pitaiayumi
Setophaga fusca
Myiothlypis nigrocristata
Myiothlypis coronata
Cardellina canadensis
Myioborus miniatus
Myioborus melanocephalus

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CARDINALIDAE

Piranga rubra
Piranga olivacea

THRAUPIDAE

Cissopis leverianus
Sphenopsis melanotis
Loriotus cristatus
Tachyphonus rufus
Ramphocelus carbo
Pipraeidea melanonota
Thraupis episcopus
Thraupis palmarum
Ixothraupis xanthogastra

Spotted Tanager	<i>Ixothraupis punctata</i>	
Black-capped Tanager	<i>Stilpnia heinei</i>	
Paradise Tanager	<i>Tangara chilensis</i>	GO
Bay-headed Tanager	<i>Tangara gyrola</i>	
Saffron-crowned Tanager	<i>Tangara xanthocephala</i>	
Flame-faced Tanager	<i>Tangara parzudakii</i>	
Green-and-gold Tanager	<i>Tangara schrankii</i>	
Golden Tanager	<i>Tangara arthus</i>	
Black-faced Dacnis	<i>Dacnis lineata lineata</i>	GO
Blue Dacnis	<i>Dacnis cayana</i>	
Golden-collared Honeycreeper	<i>Iridophanes pulcherrimus</i>	
Giant Conebill	<i>Conirostrum binghami</i>	
Blue-backed Conebill	<i>Conirostrum sitticolor</i>	
Capped Conebill	<i>Conirostrum albifrons</i>	
Plumbeous Sierra Finch	<i>Geospizopsis unicolor</i>	
Gray-hooded Bush Tanager	<i>Cnemoscopus rubrirostris</i>	
Blue-black Grassquit	<i>Volatinia jacarina</i>	GO
Chestnut-bellied Seedeater	<i>Sporophila castaneiventris</i>	
Chestnut-bellied (Lesser) Seed-Finch	<i>Sporophila angolensis</i>	
Black-and-white Seedeater	<i>Sporophila luctuosa</i>	
Bananaquit	<i>Coereba flaveola</i>	
Yellow-shouldered Grosbeak	<i>Parkerthraustes humeralis</i>	
Blue-gray (Grayish) Saltator	<i>Saltator coerulescens</i>	
Slate-colored Grosbeak	<i>Saltator grossus</i>	H

MAMMALS**MARMOSETS, CAPUCHINS, SQUIRREL MONKEYS**

Graells's (Black-mantled) Tamarin

SQUIRRELS

Red-tailed Squirrel

RABBITS

Tapeti (Brazilian Rabbit)

WEASELS & OTTERS

Tayra

BEARS

Spectacled Bear

CEBIDAE*Saguinus graellsii***SCIURIDAE***Sciurus granatensis***LEPORIDAE***Sylvilagus brasiliensis***MUSTELIDAE***Eira barbara***URSIDAE***Tremarctos ornatus*