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Naturetrek Tour Report

24 January - 2 February 2020



Brassy-breasted Tanager



Orange-eyed Thornbird



Rufous-headed Tanager



Spot-billed Toucanet

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Day 1

Friday 24th January

The group arrived on a BA flight from London on the Friday evening and transferred straight to the Linx Hotel just a short distance from the International airport.

Day 2

Saturday 25th January

Breakfast was taken at the hotel and at 07.00 Serginho (our driver for the week) arrived, loaded up the bags and set off out of Rio de Janeiro around the edge of Guanabara Bay and towards Itororo Lodge which was 2.5 hour's drive away.

On the journey, several species were seen including Magnificent Frigatebird, Great Egret, Western Cattle Egret, Black-crowned Night Heron, Snowy Egret and Neotropic Cormorant. The group arrived at the lodge at 09.30 and were greeted by Andy Foster (the guide for the week) and brother and sister team Rainer and Bettina who own and run Itororo Lodge. We soon had all the bags unloaded and started watching the birds coming into the feeders. Action was thick and fast with plenty of new birds including Magpie Tanager, Brassy-breasted Tanager, Azure-shouldered Tanager, Ruby-crowned Tanager, Sayaca Tanager, Slaty-breasted Wood-Rail (for some), Violet-capped Woodnymph, Scaled Woodcreeper, Social Flycatcher, Green-winged Saltator, Golden-chevroned Tanager and Maroon-bellied Parakeet.

The group were quickly shown to their rooms and shortly afterwards we met up again at the lodge to have a quick tour briefing and then went on a short walk and picked up some more new species including Rufous-crowned Greenlet, Cliff Flycatcher, Swallow Tanager, Golden-crowned Warbler, Variegated Flycatcher, Black-goggled Tanager, Buff-fronted Foliage Gleaner, White-throated Hummingbird and a super responsive and very welcome Orange-eyed Thornbird which gave good scope views for the group - such a fantastic bird!

A delicious lunch was served at 13.00 followed by a short break when we met up again at 14.15 to spend the afternoon birding the White Trail. Before leaving, we picked up Black Jacobin at the feeders, Dusky-legged Guan and got great views of a very cooperative Rufous-headed Tanager. We set off towards the White Trail where we spent the afternoon searching picking up several new species including Ochre-rumped Antbird, Serra do Mar Tyrant Manakin, Dusky-tailed Antbird, Sepia-capped Flycatcher and further along the Trail a male Surucua Trogon, Star-throated Antwren and Squirrel Cuckoo. It was now just after 16.30 so we turned around and started heading back to the lodge when we came across a small mixed flock. Marcus immediately picked up a Green-barred Woodpecker, this was followed by Swainson's Flycatcher, Chestnut-crowned Becard and Yellow-browed Woodpecker. We arrived back at the lodge just before 17.00 and met up again at 18.30 for dinner followed by the daily checklist.

Day 3

Sunday 26th January

On our first full day away from the lodge, we set off for some open country birding around Duas Barras and Sumidouro. By 07.30 we had arrived at our first stop and as usual this was very productive. New birds were everywhere and included Blue-winged Macaw, Tail-banded Hornero, Streamer-tailed Tyrant, Yellow-bellied

Elaenia, Scaly-headed Parrot and Blackish Rail! After about 30 minutes, we drove on to our next stop and again picked up several new species including Sapphire-spangled Emerald, Yellow-olive Flycatcher, Gilt-edged Tanager, Guira Cuckoo and Hangnest-Tody Tyrant. Other birds in this area were Blue Dacnis, Olivaceous Woodcreeper, Chestnut-vented Conebill and Magpie Tanager.

Next up was another roadside stop with White-eyed Parakeet, Southern-beardless Tyrannulet, Double-collared Seedeater, Chopi Blackbird, Burnished-buff Tanager, Palm Tanager, Grey-eyed Greenlet, Streaked Xenops and a Variegated Flycatcher....so far so good! The weather was being quite kind to us as clouds built up keeping the temperatures cooler than usual. Our next stop was a viewpoint over a deforested valley. Again, several new species here including White-rumped Monjita, Crested-black Tyrant, Grassland Sparrow, Grassland Yellow Finch, Blue-black Grassquit and good views of a pair of Firewood Gatherers.

It was nearing 10.00 as we dropped down into the town of Duas Barras for coffee and cake and to use the toilets at a rather nice little bakery. Half an hour later we were back on the road and joining a dirt track that we would bird along until lunch time. Shortly after we joined the dirt track, Marcus asked to stop as he had spotted a bird, we all climbed out of the minibus and had great views of a Long-tailed Tyrant. As usual, a stop for one bird meant lots of others, these included White-tailed Hawk, Yellow-chinned Spinetail and some rather nice Campo Flickers! Next was a quick stop to pick up Planalto Hermit, with this bird performed well feeding on some rather large flower spikes by the side of the road. As we drove along further Andy spotted three Red-legged Seriemas in a field, another new bird! It was now warming up again as we spotted five White-eared Puffbirds in a nearby tree followed by a Bran-coloured Flycatcher.

A little further along our usual stop at a small farm didn't disappoint with Black-capped Donacobius, Striated Heron, Aplomado Falcon, Chestnut-capped Blackbird, Common Thornbird and Cattle Tyrant all showing well. As we continued along the dirt track, a Toco Toucan flew into a nearby tree. We pulled over and found a tree with over ten Toco Toucans feeding on some fruit, joined briefly by a Curl-crested Jay.

We arrived at our lunch stop at 12.30 and by 13.00 were setting off again towards Sumidouro, arriving at our Three-toed Jacamar site by 13.45. As usual it was pretty hot here and fortunately within a few minutes we had located a pair of Three-toed Jacamars. After some good views of these localised endemics, we set off and back towards Sumidouro and Nova Friburgo with another stop along the way where we got some nice views of nesting Blue-winged Macaws, Black-capped Donacobius displaying, a rather distant Bat Falcon, Whistling Heron and both Shiny and Giant Cowbird.

Being a Sunday, we drove back through Nova Friburgo without any hold-ups and arrived back at the lodge just after 16.00. We had some nice homemade cake, tea and coffee and watched the feeders for a while before heading off to freshen up before dinner. The feeders were quite busy with Magpie Tanager, Brassy-breasted Tanager, Ruby-crowned Tanager, Green-winged Saltator, Blue Dacnis, Great Kiskadee and we also had more looks at the Swallow-tailed Cotingas working on their nest in front of the deck.

We all met up again for dinner at 18.30 followed by our daily checklist.

Day 4

Monday 27th January

The day started off very cloudy but as we met up for breakfast thankfully the cloud started to lift and it looked like it was going to be a nice day. Today we were to spend a full day birding the Itororo Lodge grounds. We spent a little while after breakfast birding around the front of the lodge. The Swallow-tailed Cotingas were still around the nest which was very encouraging and then shortly afterwards Andy heard the endemic Chestnut-headed Tanager vocalising by the lodge, which eventually showed well for the group. As we headed towards the White Trail we got better views of Pale-breasted Thrush, Streaked Flycatcher, Pallid Spinetail, Rufous-crowned Greenlet, Variable Antshrike and a Gray-capped Tyrannulet. We then scanned the distant hillside as there were several Bare-throated Bellbirds calling, after a few minutes, we had located one and had some good scope views.

Further along the Trail we came across a Grey-fronted Dove and Slaty-breasted Wood Rail. As we approached the area with lots of native bamboo, and after a bit of patience, we finally saw Bertoni's Antbird well, followed by an Ochre-rumped Antbird and then a male Giant Antshrike!

We then began walking up the White Trail, we picked up Euler's Flycatcher, White-collared Foliage Gleaner, Yellow-eared Woodpecker and a Greenish Schiffornis. As it begun to heat up, the birding slowly dropped off but we still managed good views of a Drab-breasted Bamboo Tyrant, Blue Manakin and Richard spotted a Rufous-capped Spinetail that showed well. Further along the track we picked up a Uniform Finch (a nice little endemic) and headed down to an area with lots of lantana where we had great views of a Glittering-bellied Emerald and we also managed to get distant views of a Mantled Hawk - what a great bird!

We arrived back at the lodge at 12.00 and sat watching the feeders until lunch was served at 13.00. After a short break, we met up again at 14.15 for tea, coffee and cake and then set off shortly afterwards onto the Brown Trail, still within the lodge grounds.

Unfortunately, it turned out to be a very quiet afternoon, we put it down to the distant storm that was brewing. On the way to the Brown Trail we did manage to get views of an Amethyst Woodstar, Ochre-rumped Antbird, Bertoni's Antbird and then once on the Brown Trail, we saw a Lesser Woodcreeper and Rufous-browed Peppershrike! Just after 16.00, it finally started to rain. Thankfully we were quite close to the lodge so we rushed back, arriving just before the torrential rain and thunder started. It lasted for about 40 minutes.

We had a break prior to dinner meeting up again at 18.30. Dinner was followed by our daily checklist.

Day 5

Tuesday 28th January

After a good nights rest, we awoke to a beautifully clear morning. It had rained heavily overnight and there was plenty of low lying mist in the valley, but it was looking good for a nice sunny day!

We set off as usual at 06.30 to spend the day birding the higher altitude area of the Serra do Mar Mountains. We arrived at our parking spot at 1700m in altitude at 07.30. As soon as we stepped out of the minibus, Andy heard the endemic Thick-billed Saltator calling which we saw pretty quickly - a good start to the day! The morning continued being productive from there on as we made our way slowly up the mountain towards the peak at 2300m. We picked up many new species along the way, these included Rufous-tailed Antbird, Bay-chested

Warbling Finch, Diademed Tanager, White-rimmed Warbler, Mottle-checked Tyrannulet, Blue-billed Black Tyrant, a very cooperative Mouse-coloured Tapaculo, Serra do Mar Tyrannulet, Rufous-backed Antwreio and Green-crowned Plovercrest! We had now reached the security guards hut just before the steps that would hopefully take us up to the Itatiaia Thistletail, another great Atlantic forest endemic! We signed in and started our walk up the 620+ steps - our last push to the summit! We started to use playback for the Itatiaia Thistletail and had a response quite early on, the bird flicked over some nearby vegetation and refused to come out again, rather frustrating! We then picked up a pair of Velvety Black-Tyrants. We had no option but to carry on up and try to find another Thistletail.... we went up, and up and up! No sign of anymore Thistletails! We did however get some good looks at a pair of Sharp-tailed Streamcreepers! We made it to the top and used some playback to no avail! We decided to head back down, just as we turned to leave, a Thistletail called quite close, after a few minutes we located the bird.....what a relief!!

Feeling “re-charged” by our recent success we headed back down the steps to go and try to find some other new species. Clouds were building up heavily as we stopped for lunch at a viewpoint and all bird vocalisation had stopped. We did manage to pick up good scope views of a nice male Black and Gold Cotinga on the way down, such a great bird! We made it back to the minibus by 14.30 having only missed one target bird, so all in all an excellent days birding! As we set off back to the lodge the skies darkened and within 20 minutes it was pouring with rain, great timing! We had a break before meeting up for the checklist at 18.00 followed by dinner at 18.30.

Day 6

Wednesday 29th January

It was another lovely morning as we met up for breakfast at 06.00. Today, we were to spend a full day on the Macae de Cima Trail some 30 minutes drive away from the lodge.

We departed as usual at 06.30 and were soon at the beginning of the track that we would bird along for the rest of the day. The first couple of stops were super quiet without any birds at all.... hopefully it wouldn't remain this way for the rest of the day! Thick storm clouds were already building up together with a strong breeze that made the birding a little difficult! On our third stop we finally managed to find some birds and from then on, everything went a little smoother! Our first new bird of the day was Planalto Tyrannulet, followed shortly afterwards by a very cooperative Scale-throated Hermit, then Marcos picked up a nice male Dusky-tailed Antbird! We finally hit a good mixed flock that contained Planalto Woodcreeper, White-throated Woodcreeper (nice to have these 2 birds together for a comparison), Buff-fronted Foliage Gleaner, Sharp-billed Treehunter, Sepia-capped Flycatcher, Rufous-capped Spinetail, White-shouldered Fire-eye and Buff-browed Foliage Gleaner!

At the next stop Andy started using some playback for Large-tailed Antshrike, within minutes the bird had responded and eventually showed really well for the group. Whilst we were waiting for the Antshrike to show, a pair of Cinnamon Tanagers landed above us, followed by a Rufous-capped Antshrike that showed well for some, thankfully on the journey back we stopped again for the Antshrike and got good views for the whole group!

Our next stop was at a large stand of native bamboo which didn't disappoint with great views of two male White-bearded Antshrikes, Spot-billed Toucanet, Yellow Tyrannulet and a White-collared Foliage Gleaner. We also heard Tufted Antshrike and Spotted Bamboowren, but these refused to show themselves.

We drove a little further along the track and had our packed lunch. Shortly afterwards, Marcus spotted a male Pin-tailed Manakin. On the journey back we had several stops but bird activity was pretty low, however we did manage to get a few new birds that included Olivaceous Elaenia, Pallid Spinetail..... and no pressure bird of the day, a Saffron Toucanet!!

We arrived back at the lodge at 16.30 and enjoyed some homemade orange cake, tea and coffee before meeting up again at 18.30 for dinner followed by the checklist.

Day 7

Thursday 30th January

It was time to say our goodbyes to Rainer, Bettina and Itororo Lodge as we moved onto our next location of Regua Lodge where we were to spend the last 2 nights of the tour.

Roberto picked us up at 07.00 and we took a 45 minute drive to the Cedae Trail. As we left the access road to the lodge Andy heard a Half-collared Sparrow, we stopped and used some playback, within ten seconds, we were all getting excellent looks at this great endemic! We arrived at the Cedae Trail just before 08.00 and birded for three hours prior to completing our journey, arriving at Regua just after 12.00.

The Cedae Trail was quite productive with lots of new (and already seen before) species at this altitude that included Red-crowned Ant Tanager, Spot-billed Toucanet, Surucua Trogon, Streak-capped Antwren, Ochre-breasted Foliage Gleaner, stunning views of White-barred Piculet, Olive-green Tanager, Chestnut-bellied Euphonia, Rufous-headed Tanager, Red-necked Tanager and Black-throated Grosbeak. As we arrived at the river along the Cedae Trail we spotted a beautiful Mantled Hawk flying over the valley. This was followed by views of Boat-billed Flycatcher, Rufous-thighed Kite, Sick's Swift and brief views of a Black and White Hawk Eagle. Not a bad morning!

Upon arrival at Regua Lodge, we were shown to our rooms and then met up again for lunch at 12.30. It was really quite hot at this time of day so not much activity, although we did get a Swallow-tailed Hummingbird in the garden.

As it was so hot, we had a break after lunch, meeting up again at 15.00 to go and do some birding around the wetlands. We walked along some of the Yellow Trail, picking up some of the more common species including Common Gallinule, Cattle Egret, Cocoi Heron, Boat-billed Heron, Greater Ani, Rufous-tailed Jacamar, Black-bellied Whistling Duck, Wattled Jacana, Striated Heron, Black-crowned Night Heron, White-headed Marsh Tyrant, Yellow-headed Caracara, White-barred Piculet, Rufous-sided Crake and our first Brazilian Tanager, a female!

We continued on, around the wetlands and found a spot and started to play Ferruginous Pygmy Owl to try and call some birds in, it was still extremely hot and we needed some bird action to keep our spirits up! Thankfully the playback worked and we managed to bring in White-bearded Manakin, Streaked Xenops, Yellow-backed Tanager, Crested Becard, Yellow-lored Tody Flycatcher, Chestnut-backed Antshrike, a male Brazilian Tanager and a couple of Lemon-chested Greenlets. Although very hot we had a very productive couple of hours!

We got back to the lodge around 17.30 in time to have showers before doing the bird list at 18.10 followed by dinner at 18.30. Shortly afterwards Adeili (one of the Regua guides) arrived to take us to the Giant Snipe spot, some 20 minutes drive away from the lodge.

As we drove towards the Giant Snipe site, a thunderstorm was clearly brewing and within 20 minutes we had strong winds and lightning getting closer. Unfortunately we had to make a call and it was decided that we should head back to the lodge. On the journey back the rain started but thankfully held off from any heavy rain! Hopefully the weather would be kinder to us tomorrow night so that we could try again!

Day 8

Friday 31st January

We met up for breakfast to a slightly cloudy morning. Today we were to spend the morning around the wetlands and into the lowland forest to try for some lowland endemics. Before leaving the lodge, we saw a Purple-throated Euphonia on the feeders and the Swallow-tailed Hummingbird was also seen again.

As we made our way around the wetlands, we picked up some more of the commoner species we had seen yesterday, we also had brief views of a Blond-crested Woodpecker, Yellow-chinned Spinetail, a male White-headed Marsh Tyrant, Green Kingfisher, a fly past Ringed Kingfisher, Neotropic Cormorant and Greater Ani. We arrived to a split in the Trail and went off into the forest. Our first new forest birds of the day were several White-flanked Antwrens, Black-cheeked Gnatcatcher, Unicoloured Antwren and White-chinned Sapphire.

It was only 09.30 but it was already heating up! At the next stop Andy played some Ferruginous Pygmy Owl and managed to attract in a pair of Flame-crested Tanagers, Chestnut-vented Conebill, Yellow-backed Tanager and also a Least Pygmy Owl!

Andy then heard some Orange-bellied Euphonias. After some playback, a male showed well for the group. A little further along we had a Black-tailed Myiobius, Southern Antpipit (for some of the group) and an Ochre-bellied Flycatcher. Andy then used some playback for Rufous-capped Motmot. We had an almost instant response and slowly but surely, one came closer with several fly pasts until finally everyone in the group had had a good look!

Marcus then spotted a Crescent-chested Puffbird that showed well and gave good scope views for the group, this was followed by a Red-crowned Ant Tanager and last but not least a Scaled Antbird!

It was now extremely hot (36 degrees centigrade!) so we headed back to the lodge arriving at 12.00, just time for showers before lunch was served at 12.30. As it was so hot we had a 3 hour break after lunch and met up again at 15.45 hoping to set off again at 16.00. Unfortunately a large storm was once again brewing and by 16.00 we had heavy rain, thunder, lightning and strong winds. The storm lasted until 17.10 so we decided to have dinner at 18.00 and then go out looking for Giant Snipe and some other night birds.

Adeili arrived at 18.30 and a few minutes later we were setting off again. After a 20 minute drive we arrived at the snipe field and set off to try to find Giant Snipe. We had several responses from a couple of birds but unfortunately they refused to show. We did however pick up excellent views of Western Barn Owl, South American Snipe and a Yellowish Pipit in the same field. We took another short drive and managed to call in a

Common Potoo which showed well for the group. We climbed aboard the transport again and took a 15 minute drive to a fragmented forest patch where we used playback for some owls. The only owl that responded was a Mottled Owl but it refused to come in close enough for us to see it.

We arrived back at the lodge just after 21.30 and retired for the night.

Day 9

Saturday 1st February

Amazingly it was the last day of the tour. The week had just flown by! We met up for breakfast and afterwards set off back towards the Brown Trail again for our last mornings birding. It was pretty hot and humid and bird life for the first hour was very quiet. Once the sun started to hit the forest, activity picked up and we had our first new bird of the day, an Eye-ringed Tody Tyrant. This was followed by a pair of Moustached Wrens. There was a mixed tanager flocked overhead so Andy started to play some Ferruginous Pygmy Owl and some Yellow-backed Tanagers showed up together with a Long-billed Wren, two Reddish Hermits, White-chinned Sapphire and a Chestnut-backed Antshrike. Further along we used some playback to lure in a pair of Grey-hooded Attilas, but unfortunately only a few of the group got onto them. We also stopped for some more great views of White-barred Piculet! It was now 10.30, super hot so we started to make our way back to the lodge picking up Piratic Flycatcher on the way back.

We arrived back to the lodge at 11.00 and met up again at 11.30 to complete our final checklist. It had been a great weeks birding, challenging at times but very rewarding too! Lunch was served at 12.30 and the rest of the afternoon was free to pack, relax or go for a swim in the pool. Marcus and Peter managed another new bird in the afternoon, a Glittering-throated Emerald! Serginho arrived at the lodge to take the group back down to Rio for their onwards journeys at 16.30.

Day 10

Sunday 2nd February

Arrival back to the UK after an flying overnight

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Species Lists

Birds (✓=recorded but not counted; H = heard only)

	Common name	Scientific name	January/February							
			25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1
1	Brown Tinamou	<i>Crypturellus obsoletus</i>	H		H		H			
2	Tataupa Tinamou	<i>Crypturellus tataupa</i>								H
3	Rusty-margined Guan	<i>Penelope supercilialis</i>							1	
4	Dusky-legged Guan	<i>Penelope obscura</i>	5		2	2	4	5		
5	Black-bellied Whistling Duck	<i>Dendrocygna autumnalis</i>						2	2	2
6	Muscovy Duck	<i>Cairina moschata</i>								1
7	Boat-billed Heron	<i>Cochlearius cochlearius</i>						✓	✓	
8	Black-crowned Night Heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>	✓					✓	1	2
9	Striated Heron	<i>Butorides striata</i>		1				4	1	4
10	Western Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>	✓	✓				✓	✓	✓
11	Cocoi Heron	<i>Ardea cocoi</i>						1	1	1
12	Great Egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>	✓					1	1	1
13	Whistling Heron	<i>Syrigma sibilatrix</i>		1						
14	Snowy Egret	<i>Egretta thula</i>	2							
15	Magnificent Frigatebird	<i>Fregata magnificens</i>	✓							
16	Neotropic Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax brasilianus</i>	✓						1	1
17	Turkey Vulture	<i>Cathartes aura</i>		✓	3	1	3	2		
18	Black Vulture	<i>Coragyps atratus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
19	Black-and-white Hawk-Eagle	<i>Spizaetus melanoleucus</i>						1		
20	Rufous-thighed Kite	<i>Harpagus diodon</i>						1		
21	Roadside Hawk	<i>Rupornis magnirostris</i>				1				1
22	White-tailed Hawk	<i>Geranoaetus albicaudatus</i>		1		1				
23	Mantled Hawk	<i>Pseudastur polionotus</i>			1			1		
24	Red-legged Seriema	<i>Cariama cristata</i>		3						
25	Rufous-sided Crake	<i>Laterallus melanophaius</i>						1		H
26	Slaty-breasted Wood Rail	<i>Aramides saracura</i>	1	2	2		1	1		
27	Blackish Rail	<i>Pardirallus nigricans</i>		1						H
28	Common Gallinule	<i>Gallinula galeata</i>						✓	✓	✓
29	Southern Lapwing	<i>Vanellus chilensis</i>	✓	✓						
30	Wattled Jacana	<i>Jacana jacana</i>						✓	✓	✓
31	South American Snipe	<i>Gallinago paraguaiiae</i>							1	
32	Giant Snipe	<i>Gallinago undulata</i>							H	
33	Rock Dove	<i>Columba livia</i>	✓	✓		✓		✓		
34	Picazuro Pigeon	<i>Patagioenas picazuro</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
35	Pale-vented Pigeon	<i>Patagioenas cayennensis</i>				1				
36	Ruddy Ground Dove	<i>Columbina talpacoti</i>		✓						
37	White-tipped Dove	<i>Leptotila verreauxi</i>	H		H			H		H
38	Grey-fronted Dove	<i>Leptotila rufaxilla</i>			2	1				
39	White-eyed Parakeet	<i>Psittacara leucophthalmus</i>		✓						
40	Guira Cuckoo	<i>Guira guira</i>		✓						
41	Greater Ani	<i>Crotophaga major</i>						2	4	3
42	Smooth-billed Ani	<i>Crotophaga ani</i>		✓				2		
43	Squirrel Cuckoo	<i>Piaya cayana</i>	1	1				2	1	H
44	Western Barn Owl	<i>Tyto alba</i>							1	
45	Tropical Screech Owl	<i>Megascops choliba</i>		H						
46	Mottled Owl	<i>Strix virgata</i>							H	
47	Least Pygmy Owl	<i>Glaucidium minutissimum</i>							1	

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			25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	
48	Common Potoo	<i>Nyctibius griseus</i>								1	
49	Grey-rumped Swift	<i>Chaetura cinereiventris</i>						3			2
50	Sick's Swift	<i>Chaetura meridionalis</i>							3		
51	Rufous-breasted Hermit	<i>Glaucis hirsutus</i>									1
52	Scale-throated Hermit	<i>Phaethornis eurynome</i>						1			
53	Planalto Hermit	<i>Phaethornis pretrei</i>		1							
54	Reddish Hermit	<i>Phaethornis ruber</i>									2
55	Swallow-tailed Hummingbird	<i>Eupetomena macroura</i>							1	1	1
56	Black Jacobin	<i>Florisuga fusca</i>	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	1	1
57	Green-crowned Plovercrest	<i>Stephanoxis lalandi</i>				2					
58	Glittering-bellied Emerald	<i>Chlorostilbon lucidus</i>			1						
59	Violet-capped Woodnymph	<i>Thalurania glaucopis</i>	2	2	3	3	2	3	2	2	2
60	White-chinned Sapphire	<i>Hylocharis cyanus</i>								1	1
61	White-throated Hummingbird	<i>Leucochloris albicollis</i>	1	1	2	2	3	1			
62	Sapphire-spangled Emerald	<i>Amazilia lactea</i>		1							
63	Brazilian Ruby	<i>Clytolaema rubricauda</i>		1	1	3	2				
64	Amethyst Woodstar	<i>Calliphlox amethystina</i>			1						
65	Surucua Trogon	<i>Trogon surrucura</i>	1		H		1	2			
66	Green Kingfisher	<i>Chloroceryle americana</i>								1	1
67	Amazon Kingfisher	<i>Chloroceryle amazona</i>									1
68	Ringed Kingfisher	<i>Megaceryle torquata</i>						1			
69	Rufous-capped Motmot	<i>Baryphthengus ruficapillus</i>			H					1	
70	Three-toed Jacamar	<i>Jacamaralcyon tridactyla</i>		2							
71	Yellow-billed Jacamar	<i>Galbula albirostris</i>						3	4	1	
72	White-eared Puffbird	<i>Nystalus chacuru</i>		5							
73	Crescent-chested Puffbird	<i>Malacoptila striata</i>							2	1	
74	Saffron Toucanet	<i>Pteroglossus bailloni</i>					1				
75	Spot-billed Toucanet	<i>Selenidera maculirostris</i>					2	1			
76	Channel-billed Toucan	<i>Ramphastos vitellinus</i>									1
77	Toco Toucan	<i>Ramphastos toco</i>		✓							
78	White-barred Piculet	<i>Picumnus cirratus</i>		H				5		2	
79	Yellow-eared Woodpecker	<i>Veniliornis maculifrons</i>			1						
80	Yellow-browed Woodpecker	<i>Piculus aurulentus</i>	1								
81	Green-barred Woodpecker	<i>Colaptes melanochloros</i>	1								
82	Campo Flicker	<i>Colaptes campestris</i>		4							
83	Blond-crested Woodpecker	<i>Celeus flavescens</i>			H				2	2	
84	Southern Crested Caracara	<i>Caracara plancus</i>				1					
85	Yellow-headed Caracara	<i>Milvago chimachima</i>		2				2	2		
86	Aplomado Falcon	<i>Falco femoralis</i>		1							
87	Bat Falcon	<i>Falco ruficularis</i>		1							
88	Plain Parakeet	<i>Brotogeris tirica</i>			2		H				
89	Scaly-headed Parrot	<i>Pionus maximiliani</i>	H	1	2						
90	Maroon-bellied Parakeet	<i>Pyrrhura frontalis</i>	5	✓	✓	4	✓	✓			
91	Blue-winged Macaw	<i>Primolius maracana</i>		5							
92	Band-tailed Hornero	<i>Furnarius figulus</i>		5							
93	Rufous Hornero	<i>Furnarius rufus</i>		✓		1					
94	Itatiaia Spinetail	<i>Asthenes moreirae</i>				2					
95	Rufous-capped Spinetail	<i>Synallaxis ruficapilla</i>	H		1		2				
96	Pallid Spinetail	<i>Cranioleuca pallida</i>			1	1	1				
97	Yellow-chinned Spinetail	<i>Certhiaxis cinnamomeus</i>		3						2	
98	Rufous-fronted Thornbird	<i>Phacellodomus rufifrons</i>		3							

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99	Orange-eyed Thornbird	<i>Phacellodomus erythrophthalmus</i>	1								
100	Firewood-Gatherer	<i>Anumbius annumbi</i>		2							
101	Buff-browed Foliage-Gleaner	<i>Syndactyla rufosuperciliata</i>			H			1			
102	Ochre-breasted Foliage-Gleaner	<i>Philydor lichtensteini</i>							1		
103	Buff-fronted Foliage-Gleaner	<i>Philydor rufum</i>	1		2		✓		2		
104	White-collared Foliage-Gleaner	<i>Anabazenops fuscus</i>			1		H				
105	Pale-browed Treehunter	<i>Cichlocolaptes leucophrus</i>							H		
106	Rufous-breasted Leaf-tosser	<i>Sclerurus scansor</i>						H			
107	Sharp-tailed Streamcreeper	<i>Lochmias nematura</i>			1	2	1	H			
108	Sharp-billed Treehunter	<i>Heliobletus contaminatus</i>						1			
109	Streaked Xenops	<i>Xenops rutilans</i>		1					1		
110	Plain-winged Woodcreeper	<i>Dendrocincla turdina</i>								H	
111	Olivaceous Woodcreeper	<i>Sittasomus griseicapillus</i>		2	1		2	1			
112	White-throated Woodcreeper	<i>Xiphocolaptes albicollis</i>						1			
113	Planalto Woodcreeper	<i>Dendrocolaptes platyrostris</i>						1			
114	Lesser Woodcreeper	<i>Xiphorhynchus fuscus</i>			1						
115	Scaled Woodcreeper	<i>Lepidocolaptes squamatus</i>	1		1	1	1				
116	Giant Antshrike	<i>Batara cinerea</i>			1	H					
117	Large-tailed Antshrike	<i>Mackenziaena leachii</i>				H	1				
118	Tufted Antshrike	<i>Mackenziaena severa</i>						H			
119	White-bearded Antshrike	<i>Biatas nigropectus</i>						2			
120	Chestnut-backed Antshrike	<i>Thamnophilus palliatus</i>							2	1	1
121	Sooretama Slaty Antshrike	<i>Thamnophilus ambiguus</i>								3	
122	Variable Antshrike	<i>Thamnophilus caerulescens</i>			2		1				
123	Rufous-capped Antshrike	<i>Thamnophilus ruficapillus</i>						1			
124	Spot-breasted Antwren	<i>Dysithamnus stictothorax</i>							H		
125	Plain Antwren	<i>Dysithamnus mentalis</i>		H				2			
126	Rufous-backed Antwren	<i>Dysithamnus xanthopterus</i>					1				
127	Star-throated Antwren	<i>Rhopias gularis</i>	2					H			
128	Silvery-flanked Antwren	<i>Myrmotherula luctuosa</i>								✓	2
129	Unicolored Antwren	<i>Myrmotherula unicolor</i>								2	
130	Serra Antwren	<i>Formicivora serrana</i>		H							
131	Bertoni's Antbird	<i>Drymophila rubricollis</i>			2						
132	Rufous-tailed Antbird	<i>Drymophila genei</i>					3				
133	Ochre-rumped Antbird	<i>Drymophila ochropyga</i>	1		3						
134	Dusky-tailed Antbird	<i>Drymophila malura</i>	1					1			
135	Scaled Antbird	<i>Drymophila squamata</i>								1	
136	Streak-capped Antwren	<i>Terenura maculata</i>							2		
137	White-shouldered Fire-Eye	<i>Pyriglena leucoptera</i>			H			1			
138	White-bibbed Antbird	<i>Myrmeciza loricata</i>						H			
139	Short-tailed Antthrush	<i>Chamaeza campanisona</i>							H		
140	Cryptic Antthrush	<i>Chamaeza meruloides</i>			H			H			
141	Rufous-tailed Antthrush	<i>Chamaeza ruficauda</i>					H				
142	Rufous Gnatcatcher	<i>Conopophaga lineata</i>					1				
143	Black-cheeked Gnatcatcher	<i>Conopophaga melanops</i>							H	1	H
144	Spotted Bamboowren	<i>Psilorhamphus guttatus</i>						H			
145	White-breasted Tapaculo	<i>Eleoscytalopus indigoticus</i>	H								
146	Mouse-colored Tapaculo	<i>Scytalopus spelunca</i>					2	H			
147	Planalto Tyrannulet	<i>Phyllomyias fasciatus</i>						1			
148	Rough-legged Tyrannulet	<i>Phyllomyias burmeisteri</i>			H						
149	Grey-capped Tyrannulet	<i>Phyllomyias griseocapilla</i>			1						

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150	Yellow-crowned Elaenia	<i>Myiopagis flavivertex</i>		4							
151	Olivaceous Elaenia	<i>Elaenia mesoleuca</i>						2			
152	Southern Beardless Tyrannulet	<i>Camptostoma obsoletum</i>		1							
153	Yellow Tyrannulet	<i>Capsiempis flaveola</i>						2			
154	Southern Antpipit	<i>Corythopsis delalandi</i>								1	
155	Mottle-cheeked Tyrannulet	<i>Phylloscartes ventralis</i>	H				2				
156	Serra Do Mar Tyrannulet	<i>Phylloscartes difficilis</i>					3				
157	Ochre-bellied Flycatcher	<i>Mionectes oleagineus</i>								1	1
158	Sepia-capped Flycatcher	<i>Leptopogon amaurocephalus</i>	2		2			1			2
159	Bran-colored Flycatcher	<i>Myiophobus fasciatus</i>		1		1					
160	Drab-breasted Bamboo Tyrant	<i>Hemitriccus diops</i>			1				1		
161	Eye-ringed Tody-Tyrant	<i>Hemitriccus orbitatus</i>									1
162	Hangnest Tody-Tyrant	<i>Hemitriccus nidipendulus</i>		1							
163	Eared Pygmy Tyrant	<i>Myiornis auricularis</i>						H	1		
164	Ochre-faced Tody-Flycatcher	<i>Poecilatriccus plumbeiceps</i>	H			H		H			
165	Yellow-lored Tody-Flycatcher	<i>Todirostrum poliocephalum</i>							2		
166	Yellow-olive Flatbill	<i>Tolmomyias sulphurescens</i>		1	2			2			
167	Cliff Flycatcher	<i>Hirundinea ferruginea</i>	2								
168	Euler's Flycatcher	<i>Lathrotriccus euleri</i>			1						
169	Blue-billed Black Tyrant	<i>Knipolegus cyanirostris</i>					1				
170	Crested Black Tyrant	<i>Knipolegus lophotes</i>		1							
171	Velvety Black Tyrant	<i>Knipolegus nigerrimus</i>					2				
172	White-rumped Monjita	<i>Xolmis velatus</i>		1							
173	Streamer-tailed Tyrant	<i>Gubernetes yetapa</i>		2							
174	Masked Water Tyrant	<i>Fluvicola nengeta</i>		3					✓	✓	✓
175	White-headed Marsh Tyrant	<i>Arundinicola leucocephala</i>							2	2	2
176	Long-tailed Tyrant	<i>Colonia colonus</i>		1				2			
177	Cattle Tyrant	<i>Machetornis rixosa</i>		2							
178	Piratic Flycatcher	<i>Legatus leucophaeus</i>									2
179	Social Flycatcher	<i>Myiozetetes similis</i>	2	2					2	2	2
180	Great Kiskadee	<i>Pitangus sulphuratus</i>	4	✓	2	2	✓	✓	✓	✓	4
181	Streaked Flycatcher	<i>Myiodynastes maculatus</i>			1					1	1
182	Boat-billed Flycatcher	<i>Megarynchus pitangua</i>							2	H	
183	Variiegated Flycatcher	<i>Empidonomus varius</i>	1	2	1			2	✓	1	
184	Tropical Kingbird	<i>Tyrannus melancholicus</i>	✓	✓	✓	2	4	✓	2	2	
185	Swainson's Flycatcher	<i>Myiarchus swainsoni</i>	1					1			
186	Short-crested Flycatcher	<i>Myiarchus ferox</i>		5							
187	Grey-hooded Attila	<i>Attila rufus</i>									2
188	Hooded Berryeater	<i>Carpornis cucullata</i>						H			
189	Bare-throated Bellbird	<i>Procnias nudicollis</i>	H	H	3	1	H				
190	Black-and-gold Cotinga	<i>Tijuca atra</i>					1	H			
191	Grey-winged Cotinga	<i>Tijuca condita</i>					H				
192	Saffron-crested Tyrant-Manakin	<i>Neopelma chrysocephalum</i>	1								
193	Pin-tailed Manakin	<i>Ilicura militaris</i>				H		1			
194	White-bearded Manakin	<i>Manacus manacus</i>							4	✓	✓
195	Blue Manakin	<i>Chiroxiphia caudata</i>	1			4		1			
196	Black-tailed Myiobius	<i>Myiobius atricaudus</i>								1	
197	Greenish Schiffornis	<i>Schiffornis virescens</i>				1					
198	Chestnut-crowned Becard	<i>Pachyramphus castaneus</i>	1					1			
199	Crested Becard	<i>Pachyramphus validus</i>							1		
200	Swallow-tailed Cotinga	<i>Phibalura flavirostris</i>	2	2	1	1	1				

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201	Rufous-browed Peppershrike	<i>Cyclarhis gujanensis</i>	H		2	1	2				
202	Rufous-crowned Greenlet	<i>Hylophilus poicilotis</i>	1		1	2	2				
203	Grey-eyed Greenlet	<i>Hylophilus amaurocephalus</i>		1							
204	Lemon-chested Greenlet	<i>Hylophilus thoracicus</i>							2		
205	Curl-crested Jay	<i>Cyanocorax cristatellus</i>		1							
206	Grey-breasted Martin	<i>Progne chalybea</i>		1							
207	Blue-and-white Swallow	<i>Notiochelidon cyanoleuca</i>	✓	✓	✓		✓				✓
208	Southern Rough-winged Swallow	<i>Stelgidopteryx ruficollis</i>		✓							
209	Black-capped Donacobius	<i>Donacobius atricapilla</i>		✓							
210	Moustached Wren	<i>Pheugopedius genibarbis</i>									2
211	Long-billed Wren	<i>Cantorchilus longirostris</i>									1
212	House Wren	<i>Troglodytes aedon</i>	1	1							
213	Chalk-browed Mockingbird	<i>Mimus saturninus</i>		2							
214	Yellow-legged Thrush	<i>Turdus flavipes</i>					1				
215	Rufous-bellied Thrush	<i>Turdus rufiventris</i>	4	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
216	Pale-breasted Thrush	<i>Turdus leucomelas</i>			2	1	1	1			
217	House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>		2							
218	Common Waxbill	<i>Estrilda astrild</i>							✓		2
219	Yellowish Pipit	<i>Anthus lutescens</i>									1
220	Hooded Siskin	<i>Spinus magellanicus</i>			1						
221	Purple-throated Euphonia	<i>Euphonia chlorotica</i>									2
222	Violaceous Euphonia	<i>Euphonia violacea</i>									1 1
223	Orange-bellied Euphonia	<i>Euphonia xanthogaster</i>									1
224	Chestnut-bellied Euphonia	<i>Euphonia pectoralis</i>							2		
225	White-rimmed Warbler	<i>Myiothlypis leucoblephara</i>			H	2					
226	Golden-crowned Warbler	<i>Basileuterus culicivorus</i>	1					1	1		
227	Red-rumped Cacique	<i>Cacicus haemorrhous</i>		1						✓	✓
228	Giant Cowbird	<i>Molothrus oryzivorus</i>		1							
229	Shiny Cowbird	<i>Molothrus bonariensis</i>		1							
230	Chopi Blackbird	<i>Gnorimopsar chopi</i>		✓							
231	Chestnut-capped Blackbird	<i>Chrysomus ruficapillus</i>		5					✓	2	2
232	Bananaquit	<i>Coereba flaveola</i>	3	2	2	2	3	2			
233	Rufous-collared Sparrow	<i>Zonotrichia capensis</i>	4	2	2	✓	2	2			
234	Grassland Sparrow	<i>Ammodramus humeralis</i>		1							
235	Half-collared Sparrow	<i>Arremon semitorquatus</i>							2		
236	Cinnamon Tanager	<i>Schistochlamys ruficapillus</i>						2			
237	Magpie Tanager	<i>Cissopis leverianus</i>	5	✓	5	1	2	2			
238	Olive-green Tanager	<i>Orthogonys chloricterus</i>							2		
239	Chestnut-headed Tanager	<i>Pyrrhocomma ruficeps</i>			1						
240	Black-goggled Tanager	<i>Trichothraupis melanops</i>	1		1		4	2			
241	Flame-crested Tanager	<i>Tachyphonus cristatus</i>								2	2
242	Ruby-crowned Tanager	<i>Tachyphonus coronatus</i>	✓	4	✓	✓	✓	✓			
243	Brazilian Tanager	<i>Ramphocelus bresilius</i>							✓		
244	Sayaca Tanager	<i>Thraupis sayaca</i>	4	4	2	✓	2	2			
245	Azure-shouldered Tanager	<i>Thraupis cyanoptera</i>	2	1	2	2	2	2			
246	Golden-chevroned Tanager	<i>Thraupis ornata</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			
247	Palm Tanager	<i>Thraupis palmarum</i>		✓							
248	Diademed Tanager	<i>Stephanophorus diadematus</i>				✓					
249	Green-headed Tanager	<i>Tangara seledon</i>									1
250	Red-necked Tanager	<i>Tangara cyanocephala</i>							2		
251	Brassy-breasted Tanager	<i>Tangara desmaresti</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			

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252	Gilt-edged Tanager	<i>Tangara cyanoventris</i>		5							
253	Burnished-buff Tanager	<i>Tangara cayana</i>	1	3	2	2		1			
254	Swallow Tanager	<i>Tersina viridis</i>	✓		4						
255	Blue Dacnis	<i>Dacnis cayana</i>	1	3	1		1	✓	✓	2	
256	Rufous-headed Tanager	<i>Hemithraupis ruficapilla</i>	2	2				2			
257	Yellow-backed Tanager	<i>Hemithraupis flavicollis</i>						2	4	4	
258	Chestnut-vented Conebill	<i>Conirostrum speciosum</i>		1					1	1	
259	Uniform Finch	<i>Haplospiza unicolor</i>			1						
260	Bay-chested Warbling Finch	<i>Poospiza thoracica</i>				2					
261	Saffron Finch	<i>Sicalis flaveola</i>		✓				2	2	3	
262	Grassland Yellow Finch	<i>Sicalis luteola</i>		1							
263	Blue-black Grassquit	<i>Volatinia jacarina</i>		✓							
264	Double-collared Seedeater	<i>Sporophila caeruleascens</i>		✓			1				
265	White-bellied Seedeater	<i>Sporophila leucoptera</i>		H							
266	Red-crowned Ant Tanager	<i>Habia rubica</i>						2	1		
267	Black-throated Grosbeak	<i>Saltator fuliginosus</i>						1			
268	Green-winged Saltator	<i>Saltator similis</i>	1	1	1						
269	Thick-billed Saltator	<i>Saltator maxillosus</i>				1					

Mammals

1	Brazilian Squirrel	<i>Sciurus aestuans</i>						1		
2	Capybara	<i>Hydrochoerus hydrochaeris</i>						2		2
3	Brazilian Tapir	<i>Tapirus terrestris</i>							1	
4	White-tufted ear Marmoset	<i>Callithrix aurita</i>						1	✓	✓

Reptiles

1	Broad-snouted Caiman	<i>Caiman latirostris</i>								1
2	Tegu Lizard	<i>Tupinambis sp</i>	1						1	
3	Highland Tail luring Snake	<i>Bothrops sp</i>					1			



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