

# Ecuador - Cock-of-the-rock

Naturetrek Tour Report

8 - 14 August 2013



Velvet-purple Coronet



Purple-bibbed Whitetip



Crimson-rumped Toucanet



Sword-billed Hummingbird

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## Day 0

Wednesday 7th August

Travel from the UK

## Day 1

Thursday 8th August

### Yanacocha Reserve- Alambi Lodge

The group members were picked up at 6 pm at the hotel Casa Amarilla in Cumbaya. We left for Yanacocha Reserve, and before the entrance stopped twice with great views of Cayambe, Cotacachi and Antisana Volcanoes, and saw Short Tailed Hawk, and Black Chested Buzzard Eagle. Getting to a reservoir of water we found the emblematic bird of Quito and an endemic species - the Black-breasted Puffleg! The view was quick and far but most had the chance to see it through the scope. Just at the entrance of the reserve we got 4 species of hummingbird: Great Sapphirewing, Shining Sunbeam, Tyrian Metaltail, and Buff-winged Starfrontlet. Later on, taking the trails two Antpittas appeared: Rufous and Tawny. It was a lovely morning, with good light and a beautiful Paramo forest, where we found Paramo Sword-billed Hummingbird, Hooded Mountain Tanager, Grass Green Tanager, Caraculated Caracara and Andean Guan.

Then we took the old Mindo-Nono road, we stopped in Alambi, the famous hummingbird's garden where we got 11 new more species of hummers! We walked to the river to find an Andean Cock of the Rock nesting, and White Capped Dipper crossing the area. On the banana feeders were Yellow Tufted Dacnis, Red-headed Barbet, and Three Coloured Brush Finch. We arrived at Mindo Loma at 6 pm

## Day 2

Friday 9th August

### San Tadeo, Bellavista, Nanegalito

We woke up at 6 am and took the road to the San Tadeo and Bellavista area, and found Plate-billed Mountain Toucan, a very exciting view! This good start was followed by Crested Quetzal, Toucan Barbet, and Tawny Bellied Hermit. We tried for Tanager Finch, but we did not see it. After our box breakfast we continued on the route with a couple of mixed flocks, seeing birds such as Streaked Tuftedcheek, Pearled Treerunner, Dusky Bush Tanager, and Mountain Woodcreeper.

After lunch and enjoying the view of the cloud forest, we drove towards Nanegalito in the afternoon, where we heard Golden Headed Quetzal and then saw some very well - around 4 individuals. An excellent birding day! We arrived at the lodge at 6 pm

## Day 3

Saturday 10th August

### Angel Paz-Milpe

We got up at 4:30 to visit the famous Angel Paz Reserve. We arrived at 5:30 to see the Cock of the Rock display, with good activity - around 8 males and one female. After that we went to the banana feeders, and had very close views of Crimson Rumped Toucanet, White Throated Quail Dove, Olivaceous Piha, and pecking around was a Powerful Woodpecker. Of course the speciality of the place is Antpittas, and we saw Moustached, Yellow breasted and Ochre Breasted. We enjoyed a traditional breakfast with a Swallow-tailed Kite flying above us and Black and Turkey Vultures. Driving down to Mindo Loma, Angel showed us the spot where Lyre-tailed Nightjars roost.

We went back to Mindo Loma for lunch and packed to move to the Hotel Mirador Rio Blanco. Before we left we had a quick visit to the feeders to get some Choco endemics such as Empress Brilliant, Velvet Purple Coronet, Violet Tailed Sylph and Black Chinned Mountain Tanager. On the way to El Mirador we walked along the Milpe Road where we saw birds like Chestnut Mandibled Toucan, Choco Toucan, Blue necked Tanager, and Rufous Motmot. We arrived at 6 pm

## Day 4

Sunday 11th August

### Milpe area

Today we started at 6 am from El Mirador to Milpe Garden Reserve and took a trail where we saw Spotted Nightingale Thrush, Choco Warbler, Broad-billed Motmot, Guira Tanager, Golden faced Tyrannulet, and Scaly throated Foliage Gleaner.

After that we visited Milpe Cloudforest Reserve looking for Club-winged Mannakin another Choco endemic. We had great views of this amazing bird displaying. On the trails we found Collared Trogon, Chestnut backed Antbird, Orange billed Sparrow, and Rufous throated Tanager.

We moved backed to the hotel and on the banana feeders were Ecuadorean Thrush, Black Chinned Woodpecker, and White lined Tanager. Meanwhile during lunch were White Collared Swift, Laughing Falcon and Swallow Tailed Kite around the balcony. In afternoon we moved to Quito to stay in Casa Amarilla in Cumbaya.

## Day 5

Monday 12th August

### Chiche River-Guango Lodge

We started today at 6am, the first stop was at the Chiche River, seeing Vermillion Flycatcher, Rusty Flowerpiercer, Giant Hummingbird, Golden Rumped Euphonia, Saffron Finch, Crimson Mantled Woodpecker and others.

Then we moved to a higher elevation to cross to the east side of the Andes, and stopped at Papallacta Pass, where we saw two Condors flying and a few minutes later a Variable Hawk hovering. We were birding over 3700 metres above sea level by now. We drove even higher to 4800 to the antennas area to see Rufous-bellied Seedsnipe, we tried but we didn't see it, but Colin spotted it for us, 1 adult and 4 chicks, so quiet! There were beautiful views of the mountains as we drove. We visited the Papallacta area and saw Agile Tit Tyrant, Blue Backed Conebill, Scarlet Bellied Mountain Tanager, Spectacled Whitestart and others. We arrived at Guango at 5:30 pm

## Day 6

**Tuesday 13th August**

### Guango Lodge - Quijos River - San Isidro

We started the hike at 6:15 am, and taking the trails we found a nice mixed flock: Black Eared Hemispingus, Pale Naped Brush Finch, Lacrimose Mountain Tanager, Mountain Wren and Plushcap. We walked the edge of the river to look for the Torrent Duck but we didn't have any luck. Torrent Tyrannulet, Slaty Backed Chat Tyrants were catching insects. We came back for breakfast and checked the feeders where we saw Long Tailed Sylph, White bellied Woodstar, and Chestnut Breasted Coronet.

Then we packed our stuff and left at about 10am with a box lunch to San Isidro Lodge. On the way, we made several stops looking for the duck, but unfortunately, nothing. After lunch, we birded on the Baeza Road where we had Red breasted Blackbird, Yellow browed Sparrow, Spotted breasted Woodpecker, Pale footed Swallow, Russet backed Oropendola and others. Before arriving at the lodge we spotted an Andean Potoo roosting. We arrived at San Isidro at 5:30 pm.

## Day 7

**Wednesday 14th August**

### San Isidro - Papallacta Pass - Quito

We started early for breakfast at 5:30 am and walked around the parking lot, the best place to see species such as Inca Jay, Subtropical Cacique, Emerald Toucanet, Barred Forest Falcon, Highland Motmot, and Black Billed Peppershrike. Then we left at 10:00 am to Quito because the plan was to stop 2 or 3 times on the way to the airport. The last stop was at the Papallacta Lake for Andean Teal, Greater Yellowlegs, and Andean Coot. We arrived at Quito at 5:00 pm

The group was very interesting, and very good at spotting birds. It was a pleasure guiding them and I enjoyed the trip a lot too!

## Day 8

**Thursday 15th August**

Arrival back in the UK

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## Species List

Birds (✓ = recorded but not counted)

	Common name	Scientific name	August						
			8	9	10	11	12	13	14
1	Andean Teal	<i>Anas andium</i>					✓		✓
2	Yellow-billed Pintail	<i>Anas spinicauda</i>							✓
3	Cattle Egret	<i>Bulbulcus ibis</i>			✓		✓		
4	Andean Condor	<i>Vultur gryphus</i>					✓		
5	Black Vulture	<i>Coragyps atratus</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
6	Turkey Vulture	<i>Cathartes aura</i>			✓				
7	Swallow-tailed Kite	<i>Elanoides forficatus</i>			✓				
8	Plain-breasted Hawk	<i>Accipiter ventralis</i>							✓
9	Black-chested Buzzard-Eagle	<i>Geranoaetus melanoleucus</i>	✓						
10	Gray-lined Hawk	<i>Asturina nitida</i>					✓		
11	Roadside Hawk	<i>Buteo magnirostris</i>	✓			✓		✓	✓
12	Short-tailed Hawk	<i>Buteo brachyurus</i>	✓						
13	Puna Hawk	<i>Buteo poecilochrous</i>				✓	✓		
14	Black-and-Chestnut Eagle	<i>Oroaetus isidori</i>						✓	
15	Carunculated Caracara	<i>Phalcoboenus carunculatus</i>					✓		
16	Barred Forest-Falcon	<i>Micrastur ruficollis</i>							✓
17	Laughing Falcon	<i>Herpeteros cachinnans</i>				✓			
18	American Kestrel	<i>Falco sparverius</i>		✓	✓				
19	Andean Guan	<i>Penelope montagnii</i>	✓						
20	Sickle-winged Guan	<i>Chamaepetes goudotii</i>		✓	✓			✓	
21	Rufous-bellied Seedsnipe	<i>Attagis gayi</i>					✓		
22	Andean Coot	<i>Fulica ardesiaca</i>							✓
23	Greater Yellowlegs	<i>Tringa melanoleuca</i>							✓
24	Spotted Sandpiper	<i>Actitis macularia</i>						✓	✓
25	Southern Lapwing	<i>Vanellus chilensis</i>						✓	
26	Andean Lapwing	<i>Vanellus resplendens</i>	✓						
27	Andean Gull	<i>Larus serranus</i>					✓		✓
28	Rock Dove/Feral Pigeon	<i>Columba livia</i>		✓					
29	Band-tailed Pigeon	<i>Columba fasciata</i>		✓	✓			✓	✓
30	Ruddy Pigeon	<i>Columba subvinacea</i>							
31	Plumbeous Pigeon	<i>Columba plumbea</i>	✓	✓					
32	Eared Dove	<i>Zenaida auriculata</i>	✓				✓		
33	Common Ground-Dove	<i>Columbina passerina</i>					✓		
34	White-throated Quail-Dove	<i>Geotrygon frenata</i>			✓				
35	Maroon-tailed Parakeet	<i>Pyrrhura melanura</i>			✓				
36	White-capped Parrot	<i>Pionus seniloides</i>						✓	
37	Bronze-winged Parrot	<i>Pionus chalcopterus</i>			✓	✓			
38	Squirrel Cuckoo	<i>Piaya cayana</i>			✓	✓			
39	Smooth-billed Ani	<i>Crotophaga ani</i>						✓	✓
40	Andean Potoo	<i>Nyctibius mucosus</i>						✓	
41	Common Potoo	<i>Nyctibius griseus</i>			✓				
42	Lyre-tailed Nightjar	<i>Uropsalis lyra</i>			✓				
43	White-collared Swift	<i>Streptoprocne zonaris</i>			✓	✓		✓	✓
44	Chestnut-collared Swift	<i>Cypseloides rutilus</i>			✓				
45	White-whiskered Hermit	<i>Phaethornis yaruqui</i>		✓		✓			
46	White-necked Jacobin	<i>Florisuga mellivora</i>	✓			✓			
47	Brown Violetear	<i>Colibri delphinae</i>	✓						

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			8	9	10	11	12	13	14
48	Green Violetear	<i>Colibri thalassinus</i>		✓	✓				
49	Sparkling Violetear	<i>Colibri coruscans</i>	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓
50	Western Emerald	<i>Chlorostilbon melanorhynchus</i>	✓				✓		
51	Purple crowned Fairy	<i>Heliothryx barroti</i>				✓			
52	Green-crowned Woodnymph	<i>Thalurania fannyi</i>	✓		✓	✓			
53	Andean Emerald	<i>Amazilia franciae</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓			
54	Rufous-tailed Hummingbird	<i>Amazilia tzacatl</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓			
55	Speckled Hummingbird	<i>Adelomyia melanogenys</i>		✓					
56	Purple-bibbed Whitetip	<i>Urostitte benjamini</i>	✓	✓	✓				
57	Green Thorntail	<i>Popelairia conversii</i>			✓	✓			
58	Empress Brilliant	<i>Heliodoxa imperatrix</i>			✓				
59	Fawn-breasted Brilliant	<i>Heliodoxa rubinoides</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓
60	Green-crowned Brilliant	<i>Heliodoxa jacula</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓			
61	Giant Hummingbird	<i>Patagona gigas</i>					✓		
62	Shining Sunbeam	<i>Aglaeactis cupripennis</i>	✓						
63	Mountain Velvetbreast	<i>Lafresnaya lafresnayi</i>	✓	✓			✓		
64	Great Sapphirewing	<i>Pterophanes cyanopterus</i>	✓						
65	Bronzy Inca	<i>Coeligena coeligina</i>							✓
66	Brown Inca	<i>Coeligena wilsoni</i>		✓	✓				
67	Collared Inca	<i>Coeligena torquata</i>		✓				✓	
68	Buff-winged Starfrontlet	<i>Coeligena lutetiae</i>	✓				✓	✓	
69	Sword-billed Hummingbird	<i>Ensifera ensifera</i>	✓					✓	
70	Buff-tailed Coronet	<i>Boissonneaua flavescens</i>		✓	✓			✓	
71	Chestnut-breasted Coronet	<i>Boissonneaua matthewsii</i>						✓	✓
72	Velvet-purple Coronet	<i>Boissonneaua jardini</i>		✓	✓				
73	Gorgeted Sunangel	<i>Heliangelus strophianus</i>		✓					
74	Tourmaline Sunangel	<i>Heliangelus exortis</i>						✓	
75	Black-breasted Puffleg	<i>Eriocnemis nigrivestis</i>	✓						
76	Glowing Puffleg	<i>Eriocnemis vestitus</i>							
77	Sapphire-vented Puffleg	<i>Eriocnemis luciani</i>	✓						
78	Golden-breasted Puffleg	<i>Eriocnemis mosquera</i>	✓						
79	Booted Racket-tail	<i>Ocreatus underwoodii</i>	✓	✓	✓				
80	Black-tailed Trainbearer	<i>Lesbia victoriae</i>	✓						
81	Purple-backed Thornbill	<i>Ramphomicron mirorhynchum</i>	✓						
82	Tyrian Metaltail	<i>Metallura tyrianthina</i>	✓					✓	
83	Blue-mantled Thornbill	<i>Chalcostigma stanleyi</i>					✓		
84	Long-tailed Sylph	<i>Aglaiocercus kingi</i>						✓	✓
85	Violet-tailed Sylph	<i>Aglaiocercus coelestis</i>		✓	✓	✓			
86	Purple-throated Woodstar	<i>Calliphox mitchellii</i>	✓	✓	✓				
87	White-bellied Woodstar	<i>Acestrura mulsant</i>		✓					
88	Crested Quetzal	<i>Pharomachrus antisianus</i>		✓					
89	Golden-headed Quetzal	<i>Pharomachrus uriceps</i>		✓					
90	Collared Trogon	<i>Trogon collaris</i>				✓			
91	Masked Trogon	<i>Trogon personata</i>		✓	✓			✓	
92	Ringed Kingfisher	<i>Megaceryle torquata</i>	✓						
93	Broad-billed Motmot	<i>Electron platyrhynchum</i>				✓			
94	Rufous Motmot	<i>Baryphthengus martii</i>			✓	✓			
95	Highland Motmot	<i>Momotus aequatorialis</i>							✓
96	Red-headed Barbet	<i>Eubucco bourcierii</i>	✓	✓					
97	Toucan Barbet	<i>Semnornis rampastinus</i>		✓	✓				
98	Emerald Toucanet	<i>Aulacorhynchus prasinus</i>						✓	✓

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99	Crimson-rumped Toucanet	<i>Aulacorhynchus haematopygus</i>			✓				
100	Plate-billed Mountain-Toucan	<i>Andigena laminirostris</i>		✓					
101	Choco Toucan	<i>Ramphastos brevis</i>			✓	✓			
102	Chestnut-madibled Toucan	<i>Ramphastos swainsonii</i>			✓	✓			
103	Crimson-mantled Woodpecker	<i>Piculus(Colaptes) rivolii</i>					✓		✓
104	Golden-olive Woodpecker	<i>Piculus(Colaptes) rubiginosus</i>				✓		✓	✓
105	Black-cheeked Woodpecker	<i>Melanerpes pucherani</i>				✓			
106	Guayaquil Woodpecker	<i>Campephilus gayaquilensis</i>							
107	Spotted-breasted Woodpecker	<i>Chysoptilus punctigula</i>						✓	
108	Powerful Woodpecker	<i>Campephilus pollens</i>			✓				
109	Stout-billed Cinclodes	<i>Cinclodes excelsior</i>					✓		
110	Bar-winged Cinclodes	<i>Cinclodes fuscus</i>					✓		
111	Andean Tit-spinetail	<i>Leptasthenura andicola</i>					✓		
112	Azara's Spinetail	<i>Synallaxis azarae</i>						✓	
113	Slaty Spinetail	<i>Synallaxis brachyura</i>				✓			
114	Red-faced Spinetail	<i>Cranioleuca vulpina</i>				✓		✓	
115	Many-striped Canastero	<i>Asthenes flammulata</i>					✓		
116	Pearled Treerunner	<i>Margarornis squamiger</i>		✓			✓	✓	
117	Streaked Tuftedcheek	<i>Pseudocolaptes boissonneautii</i>		✓					
118	Lineated Foliage-gleaner	<i>Syndactyla subalaris</i>		✓	✓				
119	Scaly-throated Foliage-gleaner	<i>Anabacerthia variegaticeps</i>				✓			
120	Buff-fronted Foliage-gleaner	<i>Philydor ruficaudatus</i>				✓			
121	Striped Treehunter	<i>Thripadectes holostictus</i>		✓					
122	Wedge-billed Woodcreeper	<i>Glyphorhynchus spurius</i>				✓			
123	Strong-billed Woodcreeper	<i>Xiphocolaptes promeropirhynchus</i>		✓	✓				
124	Spotted Woodcreeper	<i>Xiphorhynchus erythropygius</i>				✓			
125	Olive-backed Woodcreeper	<i>Xiphoryhynchus triangularis</i>							✓
126	Montane Woodcreeper	<i>Lepidocolaptes lachrymiger</i>		✓	✓			✓	
127	Long-tailed Antbird	<i>Drymophila caudata</i>		✓					
128	Chesnut backed Antbird	<i>Myrmeciza exsul</i>				✓			
129	Immaculate Antbird	<i>Myrmeciza immaculata</i>				✓			
130	Moustached Antpitta	<i>Grallaria alleni</i>			✓				
131	Chestnut-crowned Antpitta	<i>Grallaria ruficapilla</i>							✓
132	White-bellied Antpitta	<i>Grallaria hypoleuca</i>							✓
133	Yellow-breasted Antpitta	<i>Grallaria flavotincta</i>		✓					
134	Tawny Antpitta	<i>Grallaria quitensis</i>	✓						
135	Sooty-headed Tyrannulet	<i>Phyllomyias griseiceps</i>				✓			
136	Golden-faced Tyrannulet	<i>Ornithion inerme</i>				✓		✓	
137	Southern Beardless-Tyrannulet	<i>Camptostoma obsoletum</i>				✓	✓		
138	White-crested Elaenia	<i>Elaenia albiceps</i>	✓				✓	✓	
139	White-throated Tyrannulet	<i>Mecocerculus leucophrys</i>	✓				✓		
140	White-tailed Tyrannulet	<i>Mecocerculus poecilocercus</i>		✓	✓				✓
141	White-banded Tyrannulet	<i>Mecocerculus stictopterus</i>					✓	✓	
142	Torrent Tyrannulet	<i>Serpophaga cinerea</i>	✓					✓	✓
143	Agile Tit-Tyrant	<i>Uromyias agilis</i>					✓		
144	Streak-necked Flycatcher	<i>Mionectes striaticollis</i>		✓					
145	Olive-striped Flycatcher	<i>Mionectes olivaceus</i>						✓	
146	Slaty-capped Flycatcher	<i>Leptopogon supercilii</i>						✓	
147	Rufous-headed Pygmy-Tyrant	<i>Pseudotriccus ruficeps</i>		✓					
148	Cinnamon Flycatcher	<i>Pyrrhomyias cinnamomea</i>		✓					✓
149	Ornate Flycatcher	<i>Myiotriccus ornatus</i>		✓		✓			

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150	Flavescent Flycatcher	<i>Myiophobus flavicans</i>		✓	✓				
151	Bran-coloured Flycatcher	<i>Myiophobus fasciatus</i>					✓		
152	Smoke-coloured Pewee	<i>Contopus fumigatus</i>		✓					✓
153	Olive-sided Flycatcher	<i>Contopus borealis</i>							
154	Acadian Flycatcher	<i>Empidonax virescens</i>							
155	Black Phoebe	<i>Sayornis nigricans</i>	✓		✓			✓	✓
156	Vermillion Flycatcher	<i>Pyrocephalus rubinus</i>					✓		
157	Brown-backed Chat-Tyrant	<i>Ochthoeca fumicolor</i>					✓		
158	Rufous-breasted Chat-Tyrant	<i>Ochthoeca rufipectoralis</i>						✓	
159	Slaty-backed Chat-Tyrant	<i>Ochthoeca cinnamomeiventris</i>						✓	
160	Yellow-bellied Chat-Tyrant	<i>Silvicultrix diadema</i>		✓					
161	Smoky Bush-tyrant	<i>Myiotheretes fumigatus</i>						✓	
162	Paramo Ground Tyrant	<i>Muscisaxicola alpina</i>	✓				✓		
163	Pale-edged Flycatcher	<i>Myiarchus cephalotes</i>							✓
164	Rusty-margined Flycatcher	<i>Myiozetetes cayanensis</i>				✓			
165	Social Flycatcher	<i>Myiozetetes similis</i>			✓	✓			
166	Golden-crowned Flycatcher	<i>Myiodynastes chrysocephalus</i>	✓	✓	✓				
167	Tropical Kingbird	<i>Tyrannus melancholicus</i>	✓		✓	✓		✓	✓
168	Cinnamon Becard	<i>Pachyramphus cinnamomeus</i>				✓			
169	Black-and-White Becard	<i>Pachyramphus albogriseus</i>			✓				
170	One-coloured Becard	<i>Pachyramphus homochrous</i>				✓			
171	Black-chested Fruiteater	<i>Pipreola lubomirskii</i>		✓					
172	Olivaceous Piha	<i>Lathria cryptolophus</i>			✓				
173	Andean Cock-of-the-Rock	<i>Rupicola peruviana</i>	✓		✓				
174	Golden-winged Manakin	<i>Masius chrysopterus</i>							
175	White-bearded Manakin	<i>Manacus manacus</i>				✓			
176	Club-winged Manakin	<i>Machaeropterus deliciosus</i>				✓			
177	Turquoise Jay	<i>Cyanolyca turcosa</i>		✓				✓	
178	Inca Jay	<i>Cyanocorax yncas</i>						✓	✓
179	Black-billed Peppershrike	<i>Cyclarhis nigrirostris</i>							✓
180	Red-eyed Vireo	<i>Vireo olivaceus</i>		✓	✓	✓			
181	Brown-capped Vireo	<i>Vireo leucophrys</i>		✓	✓	✓			
182	Andean Solitaire	<i>Myadestes ralloides</i>			✓				
183	Spotted Nightingale-Thrush	<i>Catharus dryas</i>				✓			
184	Great Thrush	<i>Turdus fuscater</i>	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓
185	Glossy-black Thrush	<i>Turdus serranus</i>		✓					
186	Black-billed Thrush	<i>Turdus ignobilis</i>						✓	
187	Pale-vented Thrush	<i>Turdus obsoletus</i>							
188	Ecuadorian Thrush	<i>Turdus maculirostris</i>			✓	✓			
189	White-capped Dipper	<i>Cinclus leucocephalus</i>	✓					✓	
190	Brown-bellied Swallow	<i>Notiochelidon murina</i>	✓				✓		
191	Blue and White Swallow	<i>Notiochelidon cyanoleuca</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
192	Pale-footed Swallow	<i>Notiochelidon flavipes</i>						✓	
193	Southern Rough-winged Swallow	<i>Stelgidopteryx ruficollis</i>						✓	
194	Plain-tailed Wren	<i>Thryothorus euophrys</i>		✓					
195	Whiskered Wren	<i>Thryothorus mystacalis</i>							
196	Bay Wren	<i>Thryothorus nigricapillus</i>							
197	Southern House-Wren	<i>Troglodytes musculus</i>			✓	✓			
198	Mountain Wren	<i>Troglodytes solstitialis</i>						✓	✓
199	Gray-breasted Wood-Wren	<i>Henicorhina leucophrys</i>		✓					✓
200	Tropical Parula	<i>Parula pitiayumi</i>		✓	✓	✓			



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201	Slate-throated Whitestart	<i>Myioborus miniatus</i>		✓	✓	✓		✓	
202	Spectacled Whitestart	<i>Myioborus melanocephalus</i>	✓	✓			✓	✓	
203	Three-striped Warbler	<i>Basileuterus tristriatus</i>		✓					
204	Black-crested Warbler	<i>Basileuterus nigrocristatus</i>	✓					✓	
205	Choco Warbler	<i>Basileuterus chlorophrys</i>				✓			
206	Russet-crowned Warbler	<i>Basileuterus coronatus</i>		✓	✓			✓	✓
207	Bananaquit	<i>Coereba flaveola</i>			✓	✓			
208	Golden-rumped Euphonia	<i>Eufonia cyanocephala</i>					✓		
209	Orange-bellied Euphonia	<i>Euphonia xanthogaster</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓			
210	Thick-billed Euphonia	<i>Euphonia laniirostris</i>	✓		✓	✓			✓
211	Cinereous Conebill	<i>Conirostrum cinereum</i>	✓				✓		
212	Blue-backed Conebill	<i>Conirostrum sitticolor</i>					✓		
213	Capped Conebill	<i>Conirostrum albifrons</i>			✓			✓	
214	Masked Flowerpiercer	<i>Diglossa cyanea</i>	✓	✓	✓			✓	
215	Glossy Flowerpiercer	<i>Diglossa lafresnayii</i>	✓						
216	Black Flowerpiercer	<i>Diglossa humeralis</i>	✓						
217	Rusty Flowerpiercer	<i>Diglossa sittoides</i>					✓		
218	White-sided Flowerpiercer	<i>Diglossa albilatera</i>	✓	✓					
219	Purple Honeycreeper	<i>Cyanerpes caeruleus</i>				✓			
220	Golden-collared Honeycreeper	<i>Iridophanes pulcherrina</i>						✓	✓
221	Green Honeycreeper	<i>Chlorophanes spiza</i>			✓				
222	Yellow-tufted Dacnis	<i>Dacnis lineata</i>	✓		✓				
223	Fawn-breasted Tanager	<i>Pipraeidea melanonota</i>				✓			✓
224	Rufous-throated Tanager	<i>Tangara rufigula</i>				✓			
225	Golden Tanager	<i>Tangara arthus</i>	✓		✓	✓			
226	Silvery-throated Tanager	<i>Tangara icterocephala</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓			
227	Saffron-crowned Tanager	<i>Tangara xanthocephala</i>						✓	✓
228	Blue-necked Tanager	<i>Tangara cyanicollis</i>			✓	✓		✓	✓
229	Golden-naped Tanager	<i>Tangara rufivertex</i>			✓				✓
230	Bay-headed Tanager	<i>Tangara gyrola</i>			✓	✓			
231	Beryl-spangled Tanager	<i>Tangara nigroviridis</i>		✓					
232	Scrub Tanager	<i>Tangara vitriolina</i>					✓		
233	Golden-crowned Tanager	<i>Iridosornis rufivertex</i>							
234	Scarlet-bellied Mountain-Tanager	<i>Anisognathus igniventris</i>	✓				✓		
235	Lacrimose Mountain-Tanager	<i>Anisognathus lacrymosus</i>						✓	
236	Blue-winged Mountain-Tanager	<i>Anisognathus somptuosus</i>		✓	✓				
237	Black-chinned Mountain-Tanager	<i>Anisognathus notabilis</i>			✓				
238	Hooded Mountain-Tanager	<i>Buthraupis montana</i>	✓					✓	
239	Blue-gray Tanager	<i>Thraupis episcopus</i>	✓		✓	✓		✓	✓
240	Palm Tanager	<i>Thraupis palmarum</i>	✓			✓			
241	Blue-capped Tanager	<i>Thraupis cyanocephala</i>		✓					
242	Blue and Yellow Tanager	<i>Thraupis bonariensis</i>					✓		
243	Lemon-rumped Tanager	<i>Ramphocelus icteronotus</i>	✓	✓		✓			
244	Ochre-breasted Tanager	<i>Chlorothraupis stolzmanni</i>			✓	✓			
245	White-lined Tanager	<i>Tachyphonus rufus</i>	✓			✓			
246	White-shouldered Tanager	<i>Tachyphonus luctuosus</i>				✓			
247	Guira Tanager	<i>Hemithraupis guira</i>				✓			
248	Yellow-throated Bush-Tanager	<i>Chlorospingus flavigularis</i>				✓			
249	Dusky Bush-Tanager	<i>Chlorospingus semifuscus</i>		✓					
250	Black-backed Bush-Tanager	<i>Urothraupis stolzmanni</i>						✓	
251	Grass-green Tanager	<i>Chlorornis riefferii</i>	✓	✓					

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252	Plushcap	<i>Catamblyrhynchus diadema</i>						✓	
253	Black-eared Hemispingus	<i>Hemispingus melanostis</i>						✓	
254	Black-capped Hemispingus	<i>Hemispingus atropileus</i>						✓	
255	Buff-throated Saltator	<i>Saltator maximus</i>	✓						
256	Southern Yellow-Grosbeak	<i>Pheucticus chrysogaster</i>					✓		
257	Black and White Seedeater	<i>Sporophila luctuosa</i>						✓	✓
258	Chestnut-bellied Seedeater	<i>Sporophila castaneiventris</i>						✓	
259	Plain-colored Seedeater	<i>Catamenia inornata</i>	✓						
260	Plumbeous Sierra-finch	<i>Phrygilus unicolor</i>	✓				✓		
261	Ash-breasted Sierra-Finch	<i>Phrygilus plebejus</i>					✓		
262	Pale-naped Brush-Finch	<i>Atlapetes pallidinuchq</i>						✓	
263	Rufous-naped Brush-Finch	<i>Atlapetes latinuchus</i>	✓	✓					
264	Tricolored Brush-Finch	<i>Atlapetes tricolor</i>	✓						
265	Slaty Brush-Finch	<i>Atlapetes schistaceus</i>						✓	
266	Chestnut-capped Brush-finch	<i>Buarremon brunneinucha</i>			✓	✓			
267	Orange-billed Sparrow	<i>Arremon aurantirostris</i>			✓	✓			
268	Black-striped Sparrow	<i>Arremonops conirostris</i>				✓		✓	
269	Yellow-browed Sparrow	<i>Ammodramus aurifrons</i>						✓	✓
270	Rufous-collared Sparrow	<i>Zonotrichia capensis</i>	✓	✓	✓		✓		
271	Russet-backed Oropendola	<i>Psarocolius angustifrons</i>						✓	✓
272	Subtropical Cacique	<i>Cacicus uropygialis</i>						✓	✓
273	Scrub Blackbird	<i>Dives warszewiczi</i>					✓		
274	Red-breasted Blackbird	<i>Sturnella militaris</i>						✓	
275	Hooded Siskin	<i>Carduelis magellanica</i>	✓				✓		
276	Olivaceous Siskin	<i>Carduelis olivacea</i>						✓	
277	Yellow-bellied Siskin	<i>Carduelis xanthrogastra</i>		✓					
278	Saffron Finch	<i>Sicalis flaveola</i>					✓		
279	House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>					✓		

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