

Victor Emanuel Nature Tours

Year 2000 Summer Grand Venezuela

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This report contains the species of Birds, Mammals and Reptiles seen in the Summer Grand Venezuela 2000. Notably was the sighting of Rusty-flanked Crake in the marshes of Yaracuy, huge nesting colony of Cattle Egret -which did let us take notes of nesting behavior of the adults, three new species for Hato El Cedral (Hook-billed Kite, Plain-brown Woodcreeper and the Ashy-tailed Swift) and Ramon, the bird-feeder man in El Cedral. We also had Giant otters with sungrebe calling in background and Sword-billed Hummingbird exploring the ground of hotel Los Frailes. Last but not least, we reported altitudinal and range extensions such as Saffron-headed Parrot in Altamira as well as Variegated Bristle-Tyrant in San Isidro.

Other memorable experiences includes the large numbers of Jabiru Storks having a feast in the reduced pools along the road to El Cedral as well as the large concentrations of Pied Lapwing and Collared Plovers in the Llanos. It was also fantastic the display of three males Booted Racquet-tail in San Isidro and the clean shot for all the birdsexpected to see in the Paramo zone.

It is worth to mention the 25 endemics or near-enedemics found in our trip and specially the Plain-flanked Rail, a species just found recently after forty years of mystery!

The english and latin name are acompanied by three columns. The first one indicates an estimated number of individuals seen.The second shows the localities where the species was reported. For those ones only heard it have been indicated with an "H". If the species have been either seen and heard, we estimate the total number of individuals. The third column indicates detailed or important information regarding the report.

The list of birds follows the nomenclature of De Schauensee and Phelps in "A Guide to the Birds of Venezuela", although recent changes are also followed. In the case of taxonomic split followed by new english name, the old english name is written into brackets followed by the new latin name. Species underlined means of special interest for next tour since the report is fairly new.

It was a great pleasure to be your leader. We hope to see you again in another southamerican experience, could be hiking in the forest, driving throughtout the paramo zone or birding in the rain in a country like Venezuela filled with enchanting, bizarre and beautiful birds.

Key for localities

(CC) Coastal Cordillera / June 19th.-23th.

Colonia Tovar, La Victoria Road, Macarao, Henri Pittier National Park (Rancho Grande, Choroní Road, Ocumare Road) and Parque del Este in Caracas (July 1st.). Habitats covered: wet, humid & moist premontane forest, dry tropical forest, secondary growth, farmland and park. Elevation ranged from 1200 ft at La Victoria to 6600 ft in Macarao NP.

(FY) States of Falcon and Yaracuy / June 23th.-24th.

Cuare Wildlife Refuge, Morrocoy National Park (Cerro Chichiriviche), Cerro La Mision and San Pablo Marsh. Habitats covered: brackish water swamp, dry & humid tropical forest, swamp and farmland. Elevation ranged from sea level to 600 ft in San Pablo.

(AD) Andes of Merida and Barinas / June 25th.-28th.

Sierra Nevada NP (Laguna Mucubaji) , Altamira, Boconoito, Paramo of Santo Domingo and San Isidro forest. Habitats covered: humid premontane forest, patches of elfin forest, paramo, farmland and coffee plantation. Elevation ranged from 4500 ft. in Paso del Condor to 600 ft. in Barinas.

(LL) Llanos of Apure and Barina / June 28th.- July 1st..

HC-Hato El Cedral (Matiyure River, Caicara River, Sabanas de Aroa medio), Puerto de Nutrias and Bruzual. Habitats covered: patches of dry tropical forest, grasslands, pastures and farmland, river, gallery forest, savannas of native *Andropogon bicornis*, scrub and mata. Elevation ranged from 600 ft in Barinas to 240 ft in Hato El Cedral.

(GN) General.

Used when the species occurs in or more than 3 regions or is widespread within the localities visited.

Birds

English name	Latin name	#	Loc	Remarks
Red-legged Tinamou	<i>Crypturellus erythropus</i>	H	CC	1 heard in Henri Pittier NP
Least Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus dominicus</i>	3	FY	3-San Pablo
Brown Pelican	<i>Pelecanus occidentalis</i>	50+	FY	several in Falcon
Olivaceous Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax olivaceus</i>	160+	GN	common along lowland wetlands
Anhinga	<i>Anhinga anhinga</i>	20+	GN	fairly common in Falcon and Llanos
Magnificent Frigatebird	<i>Fregata magnificens</i>	200+	FY	common in Falcon
Cocoi (White-necked) Heron	<i>Ardea cocoi</i>	110+	FY/LL	very common HC w/nuptial plumes
Great Egret	<i>Casmerodius albus</i>	110+	FY/LL	very common in HC
Snowy Egret	<i>Egretta thula</i>	31	FY/LL	several in HC
Little Blue Heron	<i>Egretta caerulea</i>	4	LL	some in HC
Reddish Egret	<i>Dichromanassa rufescens</i>	4	FY	few in Cuare
Tricolored Heron	<i>Hydranassa tricolor</i>	25	FY	several along the marsh of Cuare
Green Heron	<i>Butorides virescens</i>	2	FY	near Tucacas
Striated Heron	<i>Butorides striatus</i>	20	LL	common in HC
Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>	7000 +	LL	large nesting col. of 3000+ pairs
Whistling Heron	<i>Syrigma sibilatrix</i>	12	LL	roosting in small groups (6-10)
Capped Heron	<i>Pilherodius pileatus</i>	3	LL	seen along the road
Black-crowned Night-Heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>	40+	LL	common in HC

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Rufescent Tiger-Heron	<i>Tigrisoma lineatum</i>	12	LL	1 pair nesting in HC lodge
Boat-billed Heron	<i>Cochlearius cochlearius</i>	20	LL	common in gallery forest
Buff-necked Ibis	<i>Theristicus caudatus</i>	110+	LL	very common in HC
Sharp-tailed Ibis	<i>Cercibis oxycerca</i>	4	LL	few in the upper zones of HC
Green Ibis	<i>Mesembrinibis cayennensis</i>	6	LL	always related to gallery forest
Whispering (Bare-faced) Ibis	<i>Phimosus infuscatus</i>	130+	LL	impressive number due to low waters
White Ibis	<i>Eudocimus albus</i>	7	LL	flying with scarlet ibis
Scarlet Ibis	<i>Eudocimus ruber</i>	600+	FY/LL	several in Falcon and HC
Glossy Ibis	<i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>	120	LL	mostly in HC
Roseate Spoonbill	<i>Ajaia ajaja</i>	145	LL	several along the Llanos
American Flamingo	<i>Phoenicopterus ruber</i>	8000	FY	impressive number in Cuare
Horned Screamer	<i>Anhima cornuta</i>	7	FY	several San Pablo
White-faced Whistling-Duck	<i>Dendrocygna viduata</i>	700+	LL	70% of total
Black-bellied Whistling-Duck	<i>Dendrocygna autumnalis</i>	300+	LL	30% of total
Orinoco Goose	<i>Neochen jubata</i>	80+	LL	large concentrations in HC (50+)
Andean (Speckled) Teal	<i>Anas andinus</i>	8	AD	near Mucubaji
Blue-winged Teal	<i>Anas discors</i>	1	AD	left over? Broken wing?
Torrent Duck	<i>Merganetta armata</i>	4	AD	Sto. Domingo river-as always!
Brazilian Duck	<i>Amazonetta brasiliensis</i>	6	LL	few pairs in HC
American Wood-Ibis	<i>Mycteria americana</i>	552+	FY/LL	several subadults feeding in pools
Maguari Stork	<i>Euxenura maguari</i>	66+	LL	several pairs starting to nest
Jabiru	<i>Jabiru mycteria</i>	200+	LL	one conc. 150+ ind.
Andean Condor	<i>Vultur gryphus</i>	1	AD	1 subadult liberated recently
King Vulture	<i>Sarcoramphus papa</i>	2	FY	Cerro Mision
Black Vulture	<i>Coragyps atratus</i>	400+	GN	common and widespread
Turkey Vulture	<i>Cathartes aura</i>	300+	GN	common and widespread
Lesser Yellow-headed Vulture	<i>Cathartes burrovianus</i>	14	LL	HC
White-tailed(Black-shouldered)Kite	<i>Elanus leucurus</i>	16	FY/LL	several along the roads
Pearl Kite	<i>Gampsonyx swainsonii</i>	3	FY	near Tucacas
Swallow-tailed Kite	<i>Elanoides forficatus</i>	17	AD/LL	Boconoito and Portuguesa
Gray-headed Kite	<i>Leptodon cayanensis</i>	1	LL	road to Barinas
Hook-billed Kite	<i>Chondrohierax uncinatus</i>	1	LL	new species for Hato El Cedral!

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Snail Kite	<i>Rostrhamus sociabilis</i>	6	LL	several in the upper llanos
Bicolored Hawk	<i>Accipiter bicolor</i>	1	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Black-chested Buzzard-Eagle	<i>Geranoaetus melanoleucus</i>	2	AD	Paramo zone
White-tailed Hawk	<i>Buteo albicaudatus</i>	8	LL	common HC
Roadside Hawk	<i>Buteo magnirostris</i>	12+	GN	common and widespread
Short-tailed Hawk	<i>Buteo brachyurus</i>	2	CC	Maracay
Gray Hawk	<i>Buteo nitidus</i>	2	CC/FY	along the northern area of Vzla
Bay-winged(Harris' Hawk)Hawk	<i>Parabuteo unicinctus</i>	6	LL	few males w/chicks HC
White Hawk	<i>Leucopternis albicollis</i>	2	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Black-collared Hawk	<i>Busarellus nigricollis</i>	14	LL	common in HC
Savanna Hawk	<i>Heterospizias meridionalis</i>	16+	LL	common in HC
Common Black Hawk	<i>Buteogallus anthracinus</i>	1	FY	Cerro Mision
Great Black Hawk	<i>Buteogallus urubitinga</i>	7	LL	HC
Black Hawk-Eagle	<i>Spizaetus tyrannus</i>	1	AD	Altamira
Crane Hawk	<i>Geranospiza caerulescens</i>	2	CC/LL	Llanos and Turiamo bay
Osprey	<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>	2	LL	HC
Laughing Falcon	<i>Herpetotheres cachinnans</i>	1	FY	seen only by DAE -San Pablo
Yellow-headed Caracara	<i>Milvago chimachima</i>	40+	CC/LL	common along pastures and farmland
Crested Caracara	<i>Polyborus plancus</i>	80+	GN	common along lowlands
Bat Falcon	<i>Falco rufigularis</i>	2	AD/LL	1 in southern bank of Rio Apure
Aplomado Falcon	<i>Falco femoralis</i>	1	LL	at far distance in HC
American Kestrel	<i>Falco sparverius</i>	5	AD/LL	large individuals in the Andes
Rufous-vented Chachalaca	<i>Ortalis ruficauda</i>	38	FY/LL	common in moist & gallery forest
Band-tailed Guan	<i>Penelope argyrotis</i>	3	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Helmeted Curassow	<i>Pauxi pauxi</i>	H	CC	NEAR ENDEMIC heard in R. Grande
Yellow-knobbed Curassow	<i>Crax daubentoni</i>	1	CC	NEAR ENDEMIC. Great study. Male
Crested Bobwhite	<i>Colinus cristatus</i>	4	LL	HC
Venezuelan Wood-Quail	<i>Odontophorus columbianus</i>	3	CC	ENDEMIC.flying across the road
Limpkin	<i>Aramus guarauna</i>	27	LL	mostly outside HC
<u>Plain-flanked Rail</u>	<i>Rallus wetmorei</i>	5	FY	ENDEMIC. 3 seen plus 2 heard
Gray-necked Wood-rail	<i>Aramides axillaris</i>	6	CC/LL	Turiamo bay & HC
Rusty-flanked Crake	<i>Laterallus levraudi</i>	5	FY	ENDEMIC. 1 seen, 4 more heard

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Common (Gallinule) Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>	10	FY	San Pablo
Purple Gallinule	<i>Porphyryla martinica</i>	9	FY/LL	mostly in the llanos
<u>Azure Gallinule</u>	<i>Porphyryla flavirostris</i>	6	LL	just arriving to the low llanos
Sunbittern	<i>Eurypga helias</i>	6	LL	HC- just beautiful!
Sungrebe	<i>Heliornis fulica</i>	H	LL	calling aside of Giant Otters!
Wattled Jacana	<i>Jacana jacana</i>	2000 +	LL	very common in HC
Southern Lapwing	<i>Vanellus chilensis</i>	130+	LL	common in HC
Pied Lapwing	<i>Hoploxypterus cayanus</i>	90+	LL	common in HC
Collared Plover	<i>Chardrius collaris</i>	80+	LL	large concentrations in HC (50+)
Common Stilt	<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>	50+	FY/LL	numerous in Falcon
Double-striped Thick-Knee	<i>Burhinus bistriatus</i>	6	LL	3 pairs in HC
Large-billed Tern	<i>Phaetusa simplex</i>	350+	FY/LL	several in the llanos
Least Tern	<i>Sterna albifrons</i>	2	FY	Cuare WR
Royal Tern	<i>Sterna maxima</i>	1	FY	Cuare WR
Black Skimmer	<i>Rynchops niger</i>	50	FY/LL	common in Cuare and HC
Band-tailed Pigeon	<i>Columba fasciata</i>	50+	CC/A D	large numbers in San Isidro
Bare-eyed Pigeon	<i>Columba corensis</i>	9	FY	Falcon - restricted distribution
Pale-vented Pigeon	<i>Columba cayennensis</i>	53	GN	common along the lowlands
Ruddy Pigeon	<i>Columba subvinacea</i>	3	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Eared Dove	<i>Zenaida auriculata</i>	80+	GN	common in lowlands
Plain-breasted Ground-Dove	<i>Columbina minuta</i>	30+	LL	very common in HC
Ruddy Ground-Dove	<i>Columbina talpacoti</i>	30+	CC/LL	common along the lowlands
Blue Ground-Dove	<i>Claravis pretiosa</i>	7	LL	specially conspicuous this time HC
Scaled Dove	<i>Scardafella squammata</i>	60+	GN	mostly in the lowlands
White-tipped Dove	<i>Leptotila verreauxi</i>	9	GN	along the mountain area
Gray-fronted Dove	<i>Leptotila rufaxilla</i>	1	AD	Altamira
Lined Quail-Dove	<i>Geotrygon linearis</i>	1	AD	San Isidro
Military Macaw	<i>Ara militaris</i>	4	CC	great views in Turiamo Bay
Scarlet Macaw	<i>Ara macao</i>	16	LL	HC
Red-and-green Macaw	<i>Ara chloroptera</i>	2	FY	Yes! In Falcon after much effort
Chestnut-fronted Macaw	<i>Ara severa</i>	30+	LL	mostly in the upper llanos

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Scarlet-fronted Parakeet	<i>Aratinga wagleri</i>	25	CC/A D	flying in large groups
Brown-throated Parakeet	<i>Aratinga pertinax</i>	20+	GN	common in the lowlands
Blood-eared Parakeet	<i>Pyrrhura hoematotis</i>	60+	CC	ENDEMIC. Henri Pittier NP
Green-rumped Parrotlet	<i>Forpus passerinus</i>	80+	GN	common along the lowlands
Orange-chinned Parakeet	<i>Brotogeris jugularis</i>	26	CC/LL	good views in Caracas
Saffron-headed Parrot	<i>Pionopsitta pyrrhia</i>	7	AD	low in Altamira road!
Blue-headed Parrot	<i>Pionus menstruus</i>	2	AD	Altamira
Red-billed Parrot	<i>Pionus sordidus</i>	11	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Yellow-crowned Parrot	<i>Amazona ochrocephala</i>	40	FY/LL	widespread in the lowlands
Orange-winged Parrot	<i>Amazona amazonica</i>	12	CC/FY	restricted to coastal lowlands
Hoatzin	<i>Opisthocomus hoatzin</i>	105+	LL	common in HC
Dwarf Cuckoo	<i>Coccyzus pumilus</i>	3	LL	NEAR ENDEMIC. All seen in HC
Squirrel Cuckoo	<i>Piaya cayana</i>	8	GN	4 seen plus another 4 heard
Little Cuckoo	<i>Piaya minuta</i>	4	FY/LL	San Pablo and HC
Greater Ani	<i>Crotophaga major</i>	25	LL	HC
Smooth-billed Ani	<i>Crotophaga ani</i>	80+	GN	common and widespread pastures
Groove-billed Ani	<i>Crotophaga sulcirostris</i>	18	FY/LL	Falcon and HC
Striped Cuckoo	<i>Tapera naevia</i>	H	FY/LL	Falcon and HC
Foothill (Vermiculated) Screech-Owl	<i>Otus roraimae</i>	1	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Spectacled Owl	<i>Pulsatrix perspicillata</i>	2	AD	Foothills of the Andes
Andean Pygmy-Owl	<i>Glaucidium jardinii</i>	H	AD	Hotel Los Frailes
Ferruginous Pygmy-Owl	<i>Glaucidium brasillianum</i>	H	CC	Turiamo bay
Burrowing Owl	<i>Speotyto cunicularia</i>	1	LL	HC
Black-and-white Owl	<i>Ciccaba nigrolineata</i>	1	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Great Potoo	<i>Nyctibius grandis</i>	1	LL	Boat trip in HC
Common (Gray) Potoo	<i>Nyctibius griseus</i>	1	LL	Boat trip in HC
Band-tailed Nighthawk	<i>Nyctiprogne leucopyga</i>	30+	LL	Boat trip in HC
Nacunda Nighthawk	<i>Podager nacunda</i>	12	FY/LL	several roosting on the ground HC
Pauraque	<i>Caprimulgus albicollis</i>	3	FY/LL	along the road within HC
Band-winged Nightjar	<i>Caprimulgus longirostris</i>	1	CC	Henri Pittier NP
White-collared Swift	<i>Streptoprocne zonaris</i>	350+	CC/A D	Colonia Tovar and Andes

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Chestnut-collared Swift	<i>Cypseloides rutilus</i>	20	CC/A D	Colonia Tovar and Andes
Vaux's swift	<i>Chaetura vauxi</i>	8	CC	seen very well near Colonia Tovar
Gray-rumped Swift	<i>Chaetura cinereiventris</i>	10	CC	seen very well near Colonia Tovar
<u>Ashy-tailed Swift</u>	<i>Chaetura andrei</i>	6	LL	possibly this species in HC
Short-tailed Swift	<i>Chaetura brachyura</i>	4	FY	Cerro Mision mostly
White-tipped Swift	<i>Aeronautes montivagus</i>	20+	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Lesser Swallow-tailed Swift	<i>Panyptila cayennensis</i>	3	AD	Altamira
Fork-Tailed Palm Swift	<i>Reinarda squamata</i>	20	CC/LL	Maracay and Barinas
Rufous-breasted Hermit	<i>Glaucis hirsuta</i>	3	GN	seen in 3 different localities
Band-tailed Barbthroat	<i>Threnetes ruckeri</i>	2	AD	Altamira
Pale-bellied Hermit	<i>Phaethornis anthophilus</i>	1	LL	HC
Gray-chinned Hermit	<i>Phaethornis griseogularis</i>	1	AD	Altamira
White-necked Jacobin	<i>Florisuga mellivora</i>	1	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Brown Violetear	<i>Colibri delphinae</i>	2	CC	near Colonia Tovar
Green Violetear	<i>Colibri thalassinus</i>	2	CC/A D	the one seen in the Andes
Sparkling Violetear	<i>Colibri coruscans</i>	16	AD	vocalizing most of the day!
Black-throated Mango	<i>Anthracothorax nigricollis</i>	5	FY/LL	lowlands
<u>Blue-chinned Sapphire</u>	<i>Chlorestes notatus</i>	18+	CC	local migration? Henri Pittier NP
Blue-tailed Emerald	<i>Chlorostilbon mellisugus</i>	3	LL	HC. Gallery forest
Green-tailed Emerald	<i>Chlorostilbon alicae</i>	3	CC	ENDEMIC. Near Colonia Tovar
Golden-tailed Sapphire	<i>Chrysuronia oenone</i>	2	AD	Altamira
Glittering-throated Emerald	<i>Amazilia fimbriata</i>	15	FY/LL	along the lowlands
Steely-vented Hummingbird	<i>Amazilia saucerrottei</i>	8	AD	including one ind. nesting
Copper-rumped Hummingbird	<i>Amazilia tobaci</i>	4	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Rufous-tailed Hummingbird	<i>Amazilia tzacatl</i>	1	CC	Turiamo bay
White-vented Plumeleteer	<i>Chalybura buffonii</i>	14	FY/AD	Altamira and Cerro Mision
Speckled Hummingbird	<i>Adelomyia melanogenys</i>	2	CC/A D	one seen in Henri Pittier NP
Violet-fronted Brilliant	<i>Heliodoxa leadbeateri</i>	1	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Violet-chested Hummingbird	<i>Sternoclyta cyanopectus</i>	2	CC	ENDEMIC. Henri Pittier NP
Bronzy Inca	<i>Coeligena coeligena</i>	2	AD	San Isidro
Sword-billed Hummingbird	<i>Ensifera ensifera</i>	1	AD	Hotel Los Frailes grounds

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Orange-throated Sunangel	<i>Heliangelus mavors</i>	1	AD	Hotel Los Frailes grounds
Booted Racket-tail	<i>Ocreatus underwoodii</i>	8	CC/A D	imp. air display between 3 males!
Tyrian Metaltail	<i>Metallura tyrianthina</i>	20+	AD	Hotel Los Frailes grounds
Bearded Helmetcrest	<i>Oxyopogon guerinii</i>	3	AD	great studies of 1 male
Long-tailed Sylph	<i>Agelaiocercus kingi</i>	12+	GN	common in mountainous areas
White-tipped Quetzal	<i>Pharomachrus fulgidus</i>	1	CC	NEAR ENDEMIC. Subadult male
Collared Trogon	<i>Trogon collaris</i>	4	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Ringed Kingfisher	<i>Ceryle torquata</i>	20+	FY/LL	common in most wetlands
Amazon Kingfisher	<i>Chloroceryle amazona</i>	15	GN	seen in 3 localities
Green Kingfisher	<i>Chloroceryle americana</i>	7	CC/LL	6 seen in Henri Pittier. Migrants?
Pygmy Kingfisher	<i>Chloroceryle aenea</i>	4	LL	common in HC
Pale-headed Jacamar	<i>Brachygalba goeringi</i>	2	LL	NEAR ENDEMIC. Great views
Rufous-tailed Jacamar	<i>Galbula ruficauda</i>	10	GN	common in moist and gallery forest
Russet-throated Puffbird	<i>Bucco ruficollis</i>	6	GN	common in moist and gallery forest
Red-headed Barbet	<i>Eubucco bourcierii</i>	2	AD	San Isidro
Groove-billed Toucanet	<i>Aulacorhynchus sulcatus</i>	20+	CC	ENDEMIC. Feeding in <i>P. americana</i>
Scaled Piculet	<i>Picumnus squamulatus</i>	7	CC/LL	commonest of this group
Spot-breasted Woodpecker	<i>Chrysoptilus punctigula</i>	4	GN	seen in 3 localities
Golden-Olive Woodpecker	<i>Piculus rubiginosus</i>	2	CC/A D	Henri Pittier NP and San Isidro
Lineated Woodpecker	<i>Dryocopus lineatus</i>	4	LL	near Boconoito
Yellow-tufted Woodpecker	<i>Melanerpes cruentatus</i>	1	AD	Altamira
Red-crowned Woodpecker	<i>Melanerpes rubricapillus</i>	30+	GN	common and widespread
Smoky-brown Woodpecker	<i>Veniliornis fumigatus</i>	3	CC	mostly Henri Pittier NP
Red-rumped Woodpecker	<i>Veniliornis kirkii</i>	3	LL	1 seen near Puerto Nutrias
Crimson-crested Woodpecker	<i>Campephilus melanoleucos</i>	2	LL	1 seen and another heard
<u>Plain-brown Woodcreeper</u>	<i>Dendrocincla fuliginosa</i>	3	CC/LL	new species for Hato El Cedral!
Olivaceous Woodcreeper	<i>Sittasomus griseicapillus</i>	3	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Strong-billed Woodcreeper	<i>Xiphocolaptes promeropirhynchus</i>	1	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Black-banded Woodcreeper	<i>Dendrocolaptes picumnus</i>	1	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Straight-billed Woodcreeper	<i>Xiphorhynchus picus</i>	5	FY/LL	Falcon and HC
Striped Woodcreeper	<i>Xiphorhynchus obsoletus</i>	2	LL	HC. Gallery forest

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Cocoa (Buff-throated) Woodcreeper	Xiphorhynchus susurrans	2	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Streak-headed Woodcreeper	Lepidocolaptes souleyetii	10	GN	common in moist and dry forest
Red-billed Scythebill	Campylorhamphus trochilirostris	4	CC/LL	2 seen plus 2 more heard
Bar-winged Cinclodes	Cinclodes fuscus	3	AD	always close to streams
Pale-legged Hornero	Furnarius leucopus	3	FY	possible future split. Falcon
Andean Tit-Spinetail	Leptasthenura andicola	1	AD	Paramo
Pale-breasted Spinetail	Synallaxis albescens	6	GEN	only one seen at Cerro La Mision
Stripe-breasted Spinetail	Synallaxis cinnamomea	H	AD	Altamira
Black-throated (Rufous) Spinetail	Synallaxis castanea	9	CC	ENDEMIC. 2 seen while other heard
Yellow-chinned(throated)Spinetail	Certhiaxis cinnamomea	30+	LL	HC. Associated with water bodies
Crested Spinetail	Cranioleuca subcristata	5	CC/A D	mostly in mountainous areas
Rusty-backed Spinetail	Cranioleuca vulpina	2	LL	HC. Gallery forest
Ochre-browed Thistletail	Schizoeaca coryi	3	AD	ENDEMIC. Great views!
Streak-backed Canastero	Asthenes wyatti	2	AD	great views of a pair. Paramo
Spotted Barbtail	Premnoplex brunnescens	1	AD	San Isidro
Guttulated Foliage-Gleaner	Syndactyla guttulata	2	CC	ENDEMIC. Seen by DAE
Montane Foliage-Gleaner	Anabacerthia striaticollis	12	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Buff-fronted Foliage-Gleaner	Philydor rufus	3	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Streaked Xenops	Xenops rutilans	3	CC/A D	mountainous areas
Gray-throated Leafloser (Leafscrp)	Sclerurus albigularis	2	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Black-crested Antshrike	Sakesphorus canadensis	3	FY/LL	common in lowland forests
Black-backed Antshrike	Sakesphorus melanonotus	2	FY	NEAR ENDEMIC. Falcon
Barred Antshrike	Thamnophilus doliatus	6	GEN	seen in 3 localities. Common
Rufous-winged Antwren	Herpsilochmus rufimarginatus	2	CC	Turiamo bay
White-fringed Antwren	Formicivora grisea	4	FY/LL	common in lowland shrubs/edgings
Long-tailed Antbird	Drymophila caudata	1	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Rufous-rumped Antwren	Terenura callinota	2	AD	San Isidro
<u>Jet Antbird</u>	Cercomacra nigricans	2	LL	range extension! HC
White-browed Antbird	Myrmoborus leucophrys	1	AD	Altamira
White-bellied Antbird	Myrmeciza longipes	H	FY	Falcon area
Short-tailed Antthrush	Chamaeza campanisona	2	CC	Great views in Henri Pittier NP

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Scalloped/Scwartz's (Rufous-tailed) Antthrush	<i>Chamaeza turdina</i>	2	CC	1 seen by most of the group part.
Black-faced Antthrush	<i>Formicarius analis</i>	6	CC	seen near rancho Grande
Plain-backed Antpitta	<i>Grallaria haplonota</i>	3	CC	superb views for about 2 minutes
Chesnut-crowned Antpitta	<i>Grallaria ruficapilla</i>	H	CC	Colonia Tovar and Andes
Rusty-breasted Antpitta	<i>Grallaricula ferrugineipectus</i>	H	AD	San Isidro
Caracas Tapaculo	<i>Scytalopus caracae</i>	3	CC	ENDEMIC. 2 seen and another heard
Merida (Brown-rumped) Tapaculo	<i>Scytalopus meridae</i>	1	AD	Hotel Los Frailes grounds
Golden-breasted Fruiteater	<i>Pipreola aureopectus</i>	5	CC/A D	common in cloud forest
Handsome Fruiteater	<i>Pipreola formosa</i>	5	CC	ENDEMIC. Superb views
Wire-tailed Manakin	<i>Pipra filicauda</i>	2	CC	Turiamo bay
Lance-tailed Manakin	<i>Chiroxiphia lanceolata</i>	18+	CC/FY	many juvenals seen near Cumboto
Golden-winged Manakin	<i>Masius chrysopterus</i>	1	AD	San Isidro
Sooty-headed Tyrannulet	<i>Phyllomyias griseiceps</i>	2	FY	Falcon area
Black-capped Tyrannulet	<i>Tyranniscus nigrocapillus</i>	1	AD	Andes
Golden-faced Tyrannulet	<i>Tyranniscus viridiflavus</i>	3	AD	Andes
Southern Beardless-Tyrannuley	<i>Camptostoma obsoletum</i>	6	GN	lowland forests
Mouse-colored Tyrannulet	<i>Phaeomyias murina</i>	6	GN	lowland forests
Scrub Flycatcher	<i>Sublegatus modestus</i>	1	LL	seen by one tour participant
Forest Elaenia	<i>Myiopagis gaimardii</i>	8	CC/LL	lowland forests
Yellow-bellied Elaenia	<i>Elaenia flavogaster</i>	10+	CC/LL	lowland forests
<u>Small-billed Elaenia</u>	<i>Elaenia parvirostris</i>	4	LL	probable report. Will keep track!
<u>Lesser Elaenia</u>	<i>Elaenia chiriquensis</i>	2	CC	lowlands of Henri Pittier NP
Mountain Elaenia	<i>Elaenia frantzii</i>	6	CC/A D	highland forests
White-throated Tyrannulet	<i>Mecocerculus leucophrys</i>	16	CC/A D	Colonia Tovar and Andes
Torrent Tyrannulet	<i>Serpophaga cinerea</i>	4	AD	Santo Domingo river
River Tyrannulet	<i>Serpophaga hypoleuca</i>	2	LL	HC
Pale-tipped Tyrannulet	<i>Inezia subflava</i>	4	LL	Gallery forest in HC
Olive-striped Flycatcher	<i>Mionectes olivaceus</i>	1	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Slaty-capped Flycatcher	<i>Leptopogon superciliaris</i>	5	CC/A D	2 seen while others were heard
Marbled-faced Bristle-Tyrant	<i>Pogonotriccus ophthalmicus</i>	3	CC	Henri Pittier NP

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Variegated Bristle-Tyrant	<i>Pogonotriccus poecilotis</i>	3	AD	San Isidro. Range extension!
Scale-crested Pygmy-Tyrant	<i>Lophotriccus pileatus</i>	2	CC	1 seen, 1 heard in Henri Pittier NP
Pale-eyed Pygmy-Tyrant	<i>Atalotriccus pilaris</i>	1	LL	Gallery forest in HC
Black-headed Tody-Flycatcher	<i>Todirostrum nigriceps</i>	H	AD	Altamira. Very difficult to observe
Common Tody-Flycatcher	<i>Todirostrum cinereum</i>	18+	GN	common and widespread
Slate-headed Tody-Flycatcher	<i>Todirostrum sylvia</i>	1	AD	foothills of the andes
Yellow-breasted Flycatcher	<i>Tolmomyias flaviventris</i>	3	FY/LL	common in lowland forests
Bran-colored Flycatcher	<i>Myiophobus fasciatus</i>	3	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Cinnamon Flycatcher	<i>Pyrrhomyias cinnamomea</i>	12	CC/A D	Henri Pittier NP and Andes
Tropical Pewee	<i>Contopus cinereus</i>	3	FY/AD	common in lowland forests
Smoke-colored (Greater) Pewee	<i>Contopus fumigatus</i>	11	CC/A D	common in mountainous areas
Black Phoebe	<i>Sayornis nigricans</i>	5	CC/A D	common along mountain rivers
Vermilion Flycatcher	<i>Pyrocephalus rubinus</i>	10	FY/LL	Falcon and HC
Brown-backed Chat-Tyrant	<i>Ochthoeca fumicolor</i>	7	AD	Paramo zone
Streak-throated Bush-Tyrant	<i>Myiotheretes striaticollis</i>	3	AD	Hotel Los Frailes grounds
Amazonian Black-Tyrant	<i>Phaeotriccus poecilocerus</i>	2	LL	HC
Pied Water-Tyrant	<i>Fluvicola pica</i>	27+	FY/LL	mostly in HC. Some in Falcon
White-headed Marsh-Tyrant	<i>Arundinicola leucocephala</i>	17	LL	mostly in HC
Yellow-browed Tyrant	<i>Satrapa icterophrys</i>	3	LL	Mata. HC
Cliff Flycatcher	<i>Hirundinea ferruginea</i>	6	AD	San Isidro and Altamira
Cattle Tyrant	<i>Machetornis rixosus</i>	17+	GN	common in lowland pastures
Short-crested Flycatcher	<i>Myiarchus ferox</i>	2	AD/LL	finally seen some in HC!
Venezuelan Flycatcher	<i>Myiarchus venezuelensis</i>	1	CC	Turiamo bay
Pale-edged Flycatcher	<i>Myiarchus cephalotes</i>	1	CC	near Rancho Grande
Brown-crested Flycatcher	<i>Myiarchus tyrannulus</i>	9	GN	the commonest of the Myiarchus
Dusky-capped Flycatcher	<i>Myiarchus tuberculifer</i>	3	LL	mostly in Gallery Forest. HC
Great Kiskadee	<i>Pitangus sulphuratus</i>	36+	GN	including one pair nesting
Lesser Kiskadee	<i>Pitangus lictor</i>	5	FY/LL	including one individual nesting
Boat-billed Flycatcher	<i>Megarhynchus pitangus</i>	9	GN	mostly along moist forest
Rusty-margined Flycatcher	<i>Myiozetetes cayanensis</i>	20+	GN	common in most of lowlands
Social Flycatcher	<i>Myiozetetes similis</i>	25	GN	less numbers than dry season

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White-bearded Flycatcher	<i>Conopias inornatus</i>	6	LL	NEAR ENDEMIC. HC
Streaked Flycatcher	<i>Myiodynastes maculatus</i>	4	AD/LL	a possible migration involved here
Golden-crowned Flycatcher	<i>Myiodynastes chrysocephalus</i>	6	CC/A D	replace Boat-billed in highlands
Piratic Flycatcher	<i>Legatus leucophaeus</i>	2	AD	Altamira
Variegated Flycatcher	<i>Empidonomus varius</i>	9	CC/A D	Altamira and Henri Pittier NP
<u>Fork-tailed Flycatcher</u>	<i>Muscivora tyrannus</i>	150+	GN	poss. migrant race involved here
Tropical Kingbird	<i>Tyrannus melancholicus</i>	160+	GN	common and wdp. in disturbed hbt.
Gray Kingbird	<i>Tyrannus dominicensis</i>	8	LL	HC
White-naped Xenopsaris	<i>Xenopsaris albinucha</i>	1	LL	NEAR ENDEMIC. HC. Mata
Cinereous Becard	<i>Pachyramphus rufus</i>	4	FY/LL	several males singing
Chestnut-crowned Becard	<i>Pachyramphus castaneus</i>	4	CC	Henri Pittier NP
White-winged Becard	<i>Pachyramphus polychopterus</i>	4	FY	Falcon area
Black-and-white Becard	<i>Pachyramphus albogriseus</i>	2	AD	San isidro
Masked Tityra	<i>Tityra semifasciata</i>	1	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Black-crowned Tityra	<i>Tityra inquisitor</i>	2	AD	below Altamira
White-winged Swallow	<i>Tachycineta albiventer</i>	5	FY/LL	common in lowland wetlands
Brown-chested Martin	<i>Progne tapera</i>	40+	CC/FY	including one near Colonia Tovar!
Gray-breasted Martin	<i>Progne chalybea</i>	80+	GN	common in Falcon and most regions
Brown-bellied Swallow	<i>Notiochelidon murina</i>	21	AD	Andes. Mostly in Paramo
Blue-and-white Swallow	<i>Notiochelidon cyanoleuca</i>	120+	CC/A D	common between 1200-3000 ft. el.
Southern Rough-winged Swallow	<i>Stelgidopteryx ruficollis</i>	55+	GN	common along the lowlands
Violaceous Jay	<i>Cyanocorax violaceus</i>	H	AD	Andean foothills
Inca (Green) Jay	<i>Cyanocorax yncas</i>	13	CC/A D	common in mountainous areas
White-capped Dipper	<i>Cinclus leucocephalus</i>	4	AD	1 ind. nesting in a rock crevice
Black-capd. Donacobius(Mock.thrush)	<i>Donacobius atricapillus</i>	8	FY/LL	Falcon and Boconoito
Bicolored Wren	<i>Campylorhynchus griseus</i>	2	LL	Hato El Cedral camp site
Stripe-backed Wren	<i>Campylorhynchus nuchalis</i>	8	FY/LL	lowlands. Specially in Mata
Merida (Paramo) Wren	<i>Cistothorus meridae</i>	6	AD	NEAR ENDEMIC. Excellent studies
Whiskered (Moustached) Wren	<i>Thryothorus mystacalis</i>	4	CC/A D	2 seen and another 2 heard
Rufous-breasted Wren	<i>Thryothorus rutilus</i>	8	GN	common along moist-humid forest

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Rufous-and-White Wren	<i>Thryothorus rufalbus</i>	3	AD	Andean lowland humid forest
Buff-breasted Wren	<i>Troglodytes leucotis</i>	5	FY/LL	common in lowland forests
House Wren	<i>Troglodytes aedon</i>	15	GN	common and widespread
Gray-breasted Wood-Wren	<i>Henicorhina leucophrys</i>	5	CC/A D	1 seen and several more heard
Nightingale Wren	<i>Microcerculus marginatus</i>	3	CC/A D	1 seen in Altamira
Tropical Mockingbird	<i>Mimus gilvus</i>	44+	GN	common and widespread
Andean Solitaire	<i>Myadestes ralloides</i>	4	CC/A D	Henri Pittier NP and San Isidro
Orange-billed Nightingale-Thrush	<i>Catharus aurantirostris</i>	1	CC	near Colonia Tovar
Slaty-backed Nightingale-Thrush	<i>Catharus fuscater</i>	H	AD	1 ind. in San Isidro lowest alt. range
Yellow-legged Thrush	<i>Platycichla flavipes</i>	11	CC/A D	Henri Pittier NP and andean foothills
Great Thrush	<i>Turdus fuscater</i>	20+	AD	Paramo and elfin forest
Glossy-black Thrush	<i>Turdus serranus</i>	21	CC/A D	including some juvenals
Black-hooded Thrush	<i>Turdus olivater</i>	5	CC/A D	Henri Pittier NP and San Isidro
Pale-breasted Thrush	<i>Turdus leucomelas</i>	9	CC	including 1 adult feeding 2 juv.
Cocoa Thrush	<i>Turdus fumigatus</i>	2	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Pale-vented Thrush	<i>Turdus obsoletus</i>	1	AD	seen perched in Boconoito
Bare-eyed Thrush	<i>Turdus nudigenis</i>	24+	GN	common in lowlands
Long-billed Gnatwren	<i>Ramphocaenus melanurus</i>	4	CC/A D	common in dry top moist forest
Tropical Gnatcatcher	<i>Polioptila plumbea</i>	7	LL	common in dryer habitats
Paramo Pipit	<i>Anthus bogotensis</i>	10+	AD	including groups up to 4 ind. each
Rufous-browed Peppershrike	<i>Cyclarhis gujanensis</i>	8	GN	common and widespread
Red-eyed Vireo	<i>Vireo olivaceus</i>	8	GN	seen in 3 localities
Brown-capped Vireo	<i>Vireo leucophrys</i>	6	CC/A D	singing continuously
Golden-fronted Greenlet	<i>Hylophilus aurantiifrons</i>	4	CC/FY	common in lowland moist forest
Scrub Greenlet	<i>Hylophilus flavipes</i>	2	LL	common in lowland fdry forest
Tropical Parula	<i>Parula pitiayumi</i>	7	CC/FY	common in premontane humid forest
Slate-throated Redstart	<i>Myioborus miniatus</i>	8	CC/A D	common in forested lowlands
White-fronted Redstart	<i>Myioborus albifrons</i>	3	AD	ENDEMIC. Above Santo Domingo

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Black-crested Warbler	<i>Basileuterus nigrocristatus</i>	2	CC	near Colonia Tovar
Three-striped Warbler	<i>Basileuterus tristriatus</i>	4	AD	San Isidro
Golden-crowned Warbler	<i>Basileuterus culicivorus</i>	6	CC/A D	common in premontane humid forest
Bluish Flower-Piercer	<i>Diglossa caerulescens</i>	3	CC	seen well above santo Domingo
Masked Flower-Piercer	<i>Diglossa cyanea</i>	3	AD	Hotel Los Frailes grounds
Merida (Coal-black) Flower-Piercer	<i>Diglossa gloriosa</i>	17	AD	NEAR ENDEMIC. Hotel Los Frailes
White-sided Flower-Piercer	<i>Diglossa albilatera</i>	6	CC/A D	Colonia Tovar and andes
Blue-backed Conebill	<i>Conirostrum sitticolor</i>	4	AD	Hotel Los Frailes grounds
Bicolored Conebill	<i>Conirostrum bicolor</i>	5	FY	Mangroves of Falcon
White-eared Conebill	<i>Conirostrum leucogenys</i>	2	FY	San Pablo
Blue Dacnis	<i>Dacnis cayana</i>	2	FY	Cerro Mision
Purple Honeycreeper	<i>Cyanerpes caeruleus</i>	2	AD	La Soledad
Red-legged Honeycreeper	<i>Cyanerpes cyaneus</i>	1	AD	La Soledad
Green Honeycreeper	<i>Chlorophanes spiza</i>	2	AD	Altamira
Bananaquit	<i>Coereba flaveola</i>	26	GN	common and widespread
Hooded Tanager	<i>Nemosia pileata</i>	16	FY/LL	several family groups ?
Fulvous-headed Tanager	<i>Thlypopsis fulviceps</i>	1	CC	Rancho Grande area
Blue-necked Tanager	<i>Tangara cyanicollis</i>	17	CC/A D	foothills of Andes and CC
Golden Tanager	<i>Tangara arthus</i>	18	CC/A D	common in cloud forest
Beryl-spangled Tanager	<i>Tangara nigroviridis</i>	24	CC/A D	common in cloud forest
Blue-and-Black Tanager	<i>Tangara vassorii</i>	1	AD	San isidro. Quite low!
Rufous-cheeked Tanager	<i>Tangara rufigenis</i>	3	CC	ENDEMIC. Henri Pittier NP
Black-capped Tanager	<i>Tangara heinei</i>	5	CC	below Rancho Grande
Burnished-buff Tanager	<i>Tangara cayana</i>	14	GN	common in lowlands
Bay-headed Tanager	<i>Tangara gyrola</i>	24	CC/A D	Henri Pittier NP
Speckled Tanager	<i>Tangara guttata</i>	16	CC/A D	Henri Pittier NP and San isidro
Thick-billed Euphonia	<i>Euphonia laniirostris</i>	6	CC	Turiamo bay
Trinidad Euphonia	<i>Euphonia trinitatis</i>	H	CC/LL	Mata and forest edging
Orange-bellied Euphonia	<i>Euphonia xanthogaster</i>	10	CC/A D	mountainous areas

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Blue-naped Chlorophonia	<i>Chlorophonia cyanea</i>	4	AD	San Isidro
Swallow-Tanager	<i>Tersina viridis</i>	9	CC/A D	mountainous areas
Common Bush-Tanager	<i>Chlorospingus ophthalmicus</i>	12	CC/A D	common in mountainous area
Fawn-breasted Tanager	<i>Pipraeidea melanonota</i>	4	CC	2 nesting inside a bromeliad roots
Blue-winged Mountain-Tanager	<i>Anisognathus flavinucha</i>	7	CC	family group in Henri Pittier NP
Lachrymose Mountain-Tanager	<i>Anisognathus lacrymosus</i>	2	AD	Santo Domingo area
Blue-capped Tanager	<i>Thraupis cyanocephala</i>	13+	CC	common in montane forest
Palm Tanager	<i>Thraupis palmarum</i>	13	GN	fairly common in lowlands
Blue-gray Tanager	<i>Thraupis episcopus</i>	130+	GN	common and widespread
Glaucous Tanager	<i>Thraupis glaucocolpa</i>	2	LL	HC feeder
White-winged Tanager	<i>Piranga leucoptera</i>	7	CC/A D	small groups in Henri Pittier mostly
Highland Hepatic Tanager	<i>Piranga flava</i>	1	AD	San Isidro
Silver-beaked Tanager	<i>Ramphocelus carbo</i>	70+	GN	common in uninhabited lowlands
Gray-headed Tanager	<i>Eucometis penicillata</i>	4	CC/A D	Henri Pittier NP and Andes
White-shouldered Tanager	<i>Tachyphonus luctuosus</i>	2	AD	Altamira. Only one male
White-lined Tanager	<i>Tachyphonus rufus</i>	22	GN	common at low and medium elev.
Shiny Cowbird	<i>Molothrus bonariensis</i>	12	GN	widespread
Crested Oropendola	<i>Psarocolius decumanus</i>	27	CC/A D	reported in most of lowlands
Russet-backed Oropendola	<i>Psarocolius angustifrons</i>	20+	CC/A D	seen quite low in henri Pittier NP
Yellow-rumped Cacique	<i>Cacicus cela</i>	36	LL	common in HC
Carib Grackle	<i>Quiscalus lugubris</i>	180+	GN	common and wideapread
Yellow-hooded Blackbird	<i>Agelaius icterocephalus</i>	12+	LL	upper llanos
Orange-crowned Oriole	<i>Icterus auricapillus</i>	1	CC	Turiamo bay
Troupial	<i>Icterus icterus</i>	7	LL	mostly in HC
Yellow Oriole	<i>Icterus nigrogularis</i>	15	FY/LL	common in lowlands
Yellow-backed Oriole	<i>Icterus chrysater</i>	4	CC/A D	mountainous areas
Oriole Blackbird	<i>Gymnomystax mexicanus</i>	27	GN	common in parks and pastures
Red-breasted Blackbird	<i>Leistes militaris</i>	8	FY/LL	common in pastures and grasses
Eastern Meadowlark	<i>Sturnella magna</i>	4	FY/LL	2 seen and 2 heard as well
Streaked Saltator	<i>Saltator albicollis</i>	3	CC	mostly in Henri Pittier NP

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Grayish Saltator	<i>Saltator coerulescens</i>	13	GN	common and widespread
Buff-throated Saltator	<i>Saltator maximus</i>	7	GN	seen in 3 localities
Orinocan Saltator	<i>Saltator orinocensis</i>	4	LL	NEAR ENDEMIC. HC
Red-capped Cardinal	<i>Paroaria gularis</i>	30+	LL	common in HC
Blue-black Grosbeak	<i>Cyanocompsa cyanoides</i>	2		definitive this species. Henri Pittier NP
Large-billed Seed-Finch	<i>Oryzoborus crassirostris</i>	2	LL	road to Barinas. Excellent studies
Blue-black Grassquit	<i>Volatinia jacarina</i>	20+	FY/LL	common in pastures
Lined Seedeater	<i>Sporophila lineola</i>	6	LL	upper llanos
Lesson's Seedeater	<i>Sporophila bouvronides</i>	4	FY/LL	Falcon and low llanos
Yellow-Bellied Seedeater	<i>Sporophila nigricollis</i>	17	CC/LL	pastures and grasses
Gray Seedeater	<i>Sporophila intermedia</i>	60+	FY/LL	pastures and grasses
Rudy-breasted Seedeater	<i>Sporophila minuta</i>	40+	FY/LL	pastures and wet grasses
Ochre-breasted Brush-Finch	<i>Atlapetes semirufus</i>	3	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Slaty Brush-Finch	<i>Atlapetes schistaceus</i>	2	AD	Hotel Los Frailes grounds
Chesnut-capped Brush-Finch	<i>Atlapetes brunneinucha</i>	2	CC	San Isidro
Plain-colored Seedeater	<i>Catamenia inornata</i>	12	AD	Paramo. Large concentrations!
Plumbeous Sierra-Finch	<i>Phrygilus unicolor</i>	20+	AD	Paramo. Very common
Pectoral Sparrow	<i>Arremon taciturnus</i>	H	AD	Boconoito
Black-striped Sparrow	<i>Arremonops conirostris</i>	2	CC	Henri Pittier NP
Rufous-collared Sparrow	<i>Zonotrichia capensis</i>	44	CC/A D	Common in highlands
Yellow-browed Sparrow	<i>Ammodramus aurifrons</i>	22	LL	singing in HC
Gray Pileated Finch	<i>Coryphospingus pileatus</i>	3	GN	seen in 3 localities
Saffron Finch	<i>Sicalis flaveola</i>	80+	GN	leaving to upper llanos
Orange-fronted Yellow-Finch	<i>Sicalis columbiana</i>	90+	LL	several pairs nesting mud cavities
Andean Siskin	<i>Carduelis spinescens</i>	50+	AD	large concentrations in Sto Domingo
Dark-backed (Lesser) Goldfinch	<i>Carduelis psaltria</i>	9	GN	few but widespread

Mammals and Reptiles

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Common Opossum	<i>Didelphis marsupialis</i>	2	LL	visiting the bird feeder in HC
Weeping Capuchin	<i>Cebus olivaceus</i>	1	CC	vocalizing near Rancho Grande
Red-Howler Monkey	<i>Alouatta seniculus</i>	5	CC/LL	Henri Pittier NP & HC
Crab-eating Fox	<i>Dusicyon</i> sp	3	LL	does really eat crabs in Venezuela?
Ocelot	<i>Felis pardalis</i>	1	LL	standing in the road for a while
Red-tailed Squirrel	<i>Sciurus granatensis</i>	4	CC/A D	common in mountains
Capybara	<i>Hydrochaeris hydrochaeris</i>	5000 +	LL	very common in Hato Cedral
Red-rumped Agouti	<i>Dasyprocta agouti</i>	2	CC	Rancho Grande
White-tailed Deer	<i>Odocoileus virginianus</i>	30+	LL	Short ssp. HC
Spectacled Cayman	<i>Caiman crocodilus</i>	500+	LL	Very common. HC
Llanos Side-necked Turtle	<i>Podocnemis vogli</i>	1000 +	LL	HC
Green Iguana	<i>Iguana iguana</i>	50+	LL	Large numbers. HC
Anaconda	<i>Eunectes murinus</i>	1	LL	HC