

Ecuador

Chocó Specialities

25th August to 8th September 2021 (15 days)

Trip Report



Giant Antpitta by Dušan Brinkhuizen

Trip report compiled by Tour Leader: Dušan Brinkhuizen

Top ten birds as voted for by participants:

- 1. Giant Antpitta
- 2. Berlepsch's Tinamou
- 3. Sapayoa
- 4. Golden-chested Tanager
- 5. Five-colored Barbet

- 6. Long-wattled Umbrellabird
- 7. Choco Poorwill
- 8. Stub-tailed Antbird
- 9. Crested Owl
- 10. Rufous-necked Wood Rail

Tour Summary

The Chocó, an eco-region and biodiversity hotspot ranging from the Pacific coast of Colombia south to Ecuador supports the largest number of range-restricted birds of any Endemic Bird Area in the Americas, with over 60 unique species. Our tour had been carefully designed to target as many Chocó endemics as possible, especially focusing on the tricky and remote lowland species. Sadly, the sites we visited were also the final accessible pristine lowland forests in the Esmeraldas province. In addition to seeing tonnes of fantastic birds and other wildlife, our tour directly supported the conservation of various private reserves in this critically threatened region. Highlights that we got to see included Berlepsch's Tinamou, Rufous-headed Chachalaca, Rufous-necked Wood Rail, Ecuadorian Rail, Pinnated Bittern, Blue-footed Booby, Rose-faced Parrot, Great Green Macaw, Sapayoa, Long-wattled Umbrellabird, Streak-chested, Chestnut-crowned, Rufous, Tawny, Ochre-breasted, Yellow-breasted and Giant Antpittas, Black-headed and Rufous-breasted Antthrushes, Choco Tapaculo, Choco Vireo, Orange-breasted Fruiteater, Rufousbrown Solitaire, Olive-backed Quail-Dove, Dark-backed and Rufous-fronted Wood Quail, Five-colored and Orange-fronted Barbet, Choco and Slaty-tailed Trogon, Purple-chested Hummingbird and Blueheaded Sapphire, Scarlet-breasted, Scarlet-thighed and Yellow-tufted Dacnis, Indigo Flowerpiercer, Scarlet-and-white, Glistening-green, Blue-whiskered, Rufous-throated, Dusky-faced, Lemon-spectacled, Moss-backed, Yellow-green and Golden-chested Tanagers, Black-tipped Cotinga, Green Manakin, Ochraceous Attila, Crimson-bellied and Lita Woodpeckers, Stub-tailed, Jet, Ocellated, Bicolored, Spotted and Zeledon's Antbirds, Rufescent Screech, Choco Screech, Cloud-forest Pygmy, Pacific Pygmy, Crested and Black-and-white Owls, Dagua Thrush, Ecuadorian Seedeater and Choco Poorwill.

Our Chocó Specialities tour kicked off in the capital Quito, where we picked up Streak-throated Bush Tyrant and Black-tailed Trainbearer right in front of our hotel – a great start! We then began our journey to the "wild" west, driving along the higher flanks of the Pichincha volcano at c. 3,600m elevation, where we visited the well-known Yanacocha reserve. En route to the reserve we had a productive stop which yielded targets like Red-crested Cotinga, White-crested Elaenia, Plain-colored Seedeater and Paramo Pipit. The bird feeders at the reserve's entrance were awesome, with Andean Guan, Masked and Glossy Flowerpiercers, Yellow-breasted Brushfinch and Black-chested Mountain Tanager – all only a couple of feet away from us! There were also many hummingbirds to enjoy, including Buff-winged Starfrontlet and Shining Sunbeam. The amazing Sword-billed Hummingbird with its extraordinarily long bill, also came in nicely. Along the foggy Inca trail a Tawny Antpitta foraging out in the open was the first bird we got our eyes on! A little further along the track we got nice views of other skulkers including White-browed Spinetail and Rufous Antpitta. A family group of Rufous Wren showed well, and Blue-backed Conebill and White-banded Tyrannulet were other flocking species we picked up. Barred Fruiteater and Andean Pygmy Owl were both heard calling but unfortunately, we could not get visuals. We did get views of the scarce Bar-bellied Woodpecker though! At the feeders at the end of the trail we enjoyed both Sapphire-

vented and Golden-breasted Puffleg, and also males and females of the impressive Great Sapphirewing. A stunning Scarlet-bellied Mountain Tanager came down to eye-level, which was a real treat. We then continued our journey down the western Andean slope along the winding Nono-Mindo road. It was rainy but we did pick up some goodies including Crimson-mantled Woodpecker and a pair of showy White-



active nest of Andean Cock-of-the-rock containing two bizarre spiky-plumaged chicks. At the Bellavista reserve higher up we tried for the elusive Tanager Finch, a rare species which had been seen here a day earlier. Unfortunately, this target did not seem to be around but we did get nice views of a fantastic Chestnut-crowned Antpitta. Gorgeted Sunangel was another good catch for the late afternoon. The rare and secretive Flammulated Treehunter was vocal and only briefly seen in flight.

capped Dippers. Some of us got a brief view of a female Torrent Duck. In the lower Tandayapa valley, we watched an

Black-chested Mountain Tanager by Howard Laidlaw

Our morning birding started with an unexpected roadside stop near the ancient settlement of Tulipe. On the road Dušan thought he heard the song of Ecuadorian Seedeater from the car window, and this was certainly worth further investigation. Indeed, once we got out of the car, the identification of this rare and erratic species got confirmed! There was a small patch of mixed secondary woodland with plenty of bamboo, and it was Lisa that first spotted the seedeater, an adult male. A few minutes later, the male came closer, showing nicely its glossy-blue plumage, and nearby we also discovered the female that was feeding a juvenile – *what a find!* At the same spot some flock activity produced other goodies including a pair of

White-winged Tanager and quite a few Chivi Vireos. At the highest point of the Pacto-Pachijal road we stopped for a flock of Choco Toucans, which showed really nicely. Our next stop was the entrance track to the Amagusa reserve where a singing Indigo Flowerpiercer was among the first targets we got. The flowerpiercer was foraging in the canopy and rather tricky to get in the bins, in contrast to a Moss-backed Tanager that suddenly popped up in a nearby tree crown! Shortly after, we heard the song of the rare Choco Vireo, and believe it or not, this shy canopy dweller eventually came down to eye-level providing us with magnificent views! Our "Chocó endemics fiesta" and



Choco Vireo by Dušan Brinkhuizen

excitement continued with a male Orange-breasted Fruiteater posing in a mossy tree, and a Pacific Tuftedcheek that was also scoped nicely. A cherry on the cake was a Rufous-brown Solitaire, not a Chocó endemic but really rare, foraging on berries. At the reserve's banana feeders, we enjoyed stunners like

Glistening-green and Flame-faced Tanager up close! Fun was also the pair of pet Crested Guans (not included in the checklist) that were particularly interested in perching atop the tour leader. The hummingbird feeders were mind-blowing with gems like Velvet-purple Coronet, Purple-bibbed Whitetip, Green Thorntail and Empress Brilliant, all literally buzzing around us. A family flock of Rose-faced Parrots perched for a prolonged time in a tree, allowing us close approach. In the afternoon, we descended down the Pacto-Pachijal road in search of mixed-species flocks. It rained for a while, but we did manage to get good views of Choco Warbler among others. A Barred Puffbird perched really nicely on a bare snag. Another highlight was a singing Yellow-green Tanager that we scoped for a prolonged time. This rare Chocó endemic has now been placed in the genus *Bangsia*, and is typically hard to get the grips with. During our drive back to Mindo, we had another unexpected roadside sighting. Dušan thought he possibly heard an owl at the gas station, and a few minutes later we were watching a marvellous Black-and-white Owl perched in a tree across the highway – what a day!

The following morning, pre-dawn, we targeted a Rufescent Screech Owl that we had "warmed up" the previous evening. This time, the bird flew in almost instantly, and we all managed to see it nicely in the spotlight. This species was previously known as Colombian Screech-owl, a Chocó endemic, but was lumped again into Rufescent by most authorities. We then continued to Refugio Paz de las Aves, also



Rufous-breasted Antthrush by Howard Laidlaw

known as "Paz de las Antpittas". We started with the amazing Andean Cock-of-the-rocks at their lek site, and we got wonderful views of these noisy and flaming red creatures. Goldenheaded Quetzal and Masked Trogon were nice bonusses that we got at the hide. Back on the road we got a Scaled Fruiteater, soon followed by scope views of Ashy-headed Tyrannulet. Next, we went to a stakeout for Dark-backed Wood Ouail, and within less than a minute our local guide Angel Paz, "the antpitta whisperer", had lured it in view with a banana. Another big catch was a Rufous-bellied Nighthawk on its day roost, perched in the canopy of a dense mossy tree. Without a doubt, the slam-dunk of the morning spectacle was "Maria", a chunky and healthy-looking Giant Antpitta, that came out of the forest to feed on worms. This enigmatic species had been hard-to-get during

the previous few years, and we felt very lucky to connect with it intimately. Another roadside stop got us a singing Cloud-forest Pygmy Owl, but a rather distant and cryptic individual, which took a while to discern in the scope. Yellow-breasted Antpitta was also picked up at a roadside stakeout, two birds showing really nicely after Angel whistled them in – *yet another difficult Chocó endemic in the bag!* At Angel Paz's restaurant we watched the flowers and feeders, with White-throated Daggerbill and Tawny-bellied Hermit among others, while we enjoyed a delicious "bolon de verde" and cheese empanadas. After this hearty meal, we continued down a trail where we met "Shakira", a very obliging Ochre-breasted Antpitta. "Susan", a Moustached Antpitta, remained rather elusive and was only seen briefly, while "Pepito", a stunning Rufous-breasted Antthrush, wasn't camera-shy at all! After a wonderful garden lunch at Septimo Paraiso, we continued our journey to Kapari Lodge located in the tropical foothills along the Rio Blanco. The lodge grounds got us some neat birds in the late afternoon, including Striped Cuckoo,

Band-backed Wren, Snowy-throated Kingbird, and Masked Water Tyrant. After dinner, the owling was hard work, going down a steep trail, and hearing both Crested and Choco Screech Owl. Back at the lodge deck, our efforts got rewarded with cracking views of the Crested Owl, a truly spectacular sight at night.



Choco Screech Owl by Howard Laidlaw

Back on the trail, we also got the Choco Screech Owl in view, much smaller in size than the previous species, but equally obliging – *a late but great night!*

An early morning departure got us to a small village located in the humid foothills south of the Rio Blanco. At the crack of dawn, we met our local guide Luis, and we continued together to a nearby forested valley. The magical Longwattled Umbrellabird was our prime target for the morning, and we had to hike up a track to get to the key area. It was foggy and rainy, with challenging conditions on a slippery trail but luckily everybody made it up to the spot in time. We watched up to six umbrellabirds perched in the treetops, including a few "alpha males" with their "Elvis crests" and long, dangling wattles – what a peculiar beast! Unfortunately, the rain only intensified and we did not get much else apart from a skulking Bronze-olive Pygmy Tyrant. During our hike back down, the rain lessened and the clouds briefly lifted. Suddenly, an Ornate Hawk Eagle vocalized in the distance and Luis confirmed the presence of an active nest of this rare raptor. He knew in which trees to scan, and soon we got an adult in the scope - distant but sweet! Back at Kapari, we once again enjoyed the various bird feeders with

Pallid Dove, Red-headed Barbet, Pale-mandibled Aracari, Ecuadorian Thrush, Orange-billed Sparrow, Scrub Blackbird, and plenty of hummers including White-whiskered Hermit, White-necked Jacobin, Long-billed Starthroat, Purple-crowned Fairy and Violet-bellied Hummingbird. The afternoon was a long drive, mainly through depressive landscapes of oil palm monocultures and other sterile plantations with very little birdlife. Just before dusk we arrived at the remote forest of Rio Canandé, where we got greeted by the loud sounds of the Mantled Howler Monkeys!

On our first morning at the Rio Canandé reserve we started with canopy viewing from the top hill. It was pretty amazing and we bagged a number of high-quality birds within a short time frame. The first bird was a male Scarlet-browed Tanager in a fruiting *Cecropia* tree, soon followed by other goodies like Orange-fronted Barbet, Guira Tanager, Yellow-tufted Dacnis and Dusky Pigeon. A cracking male Scarlet-breasted Dacnis was the winner though, giving us prolonged scope views while perched atop the canopy. We then continued with the Tawny-faced Quail trail behind the lodge, which has always proved to be slow and tough forest birding. Indeed, we were getting the birds little by little, starting with a secretive Broad-billed Motmot. The tiny Golden-crowned Spadebill gave its insect-like call, and was another welcome find that we got to see well. Further in, we ran into some activity that produced good views of Spot-crowned Antvireo, Stripe-throated Wren and Western Woodhaunter. A male Red-capped Manakin showed itself nicely in the subcanopy. A female Red-capped Manakin was a little confusing at first, but too short-tailed for being the rare and sought-after Green Manakin. However, a little further along the trail we suddenly heard a Green Manakin vocalize. We waited for quite a while, and just before giving up on it, the bird came out in the open! Green Manakin of the subspecies *litae* is a rather drab bird but a likely future split,



Spot-crowned Antvireo by Nicholas Barden

often referred to as "Choco Manakin". Trogons were wellrepresented by voice, and we got views of both Choco and White-tailed Trogons. Rufous Piha remained elusive until one perched right above our heads, of which we got stunning views. We took the same trail in the afternoon, and although the weather was rainy and very few birds were active in the forest, we did get a very important target bird of the trip. For the family listers among us it was surely the prime goal, the enigmatic Sapayoa! Normally, this tricky species is first noticed by its vocalizations, typically moving along with a mixed-species flock. In our case, the bird was perched silently in the understory away from a flock, and we ran into it by sheer luck. After the discovery everybody quickly secured views of this monotypic family species, and soon the pressure for the tour leader was off the pan – mission accomplished! To our surprise, the Sapayoa perched for a prolonged time out in the open, together with a second bird, possibly indicating that we were at a nesting site. Primates were quite vocal in the forest today and we got great views of both Mantled Howler Monkey and Black-headed Spider Monkey, the latter species carrying a young.

Today we hiked the infamous trail to the mirador, also known as the Black-tipped Cotinga viewpoint. It is a tough and physically challenging trail, steadily climbing up the cordillera, but the forest up there hosts some rare birds including Golden-chested Tanager and Choco Tapaculo, so it was a must do. At breakfast, we enjoyed a male Black-crowned Antshrike that almost flew into the dining room, plus an impressive flock of at least thirteen Yellow-throated Toucans flying out of a fruiting tree. Along the lower stretch of the trail, we picked up some goodies including Checker-throated Stipplethroat, Western Woodhaunter, and White-whiskered Puffbird, all showing nicely. The morning "mega" was surely the adult Olive-backed Quail-Dove that we watched as it walked along a stream bank below us! The action continued with a stunning Black-headed Antthrush that walked out fully in the open on the trail. A pair of magnificent Ocellated Antbirds circling around us was another real treat – *surely* the king of the antbirds! Further up the trail we tactically lured in a Choco Tapaculo, a notorious skulker, that we actually got to see really well. A cracking male Scarlet-



Sapayoa by Dušan Brinkhuizen

and-white Tanager was a prize bird that we got to pull out of a small mixed-species canopy flock. Other good stuff in the various flocks overhead included Slate-throated Gnatcatcher, Grey-and-gold Tanager, and Grey-mantled Wren. Unfortunately, at the top no sign of Golden-chested Tanager, nor Black-tipped Cotinga. However, our demanding hike all the way to the top of the cordillera did pay off. Without a

doubt, the afternoon "mega" was a Berlepsch's Tinamou. Dušan had heard the bird calling nearby and quickly prepared a camouflaged hide. After some trial and error, this highly elusive and rarely observed Chocó endemic came out on the trail twice – we all got point-blank views!

The following morning, we did the Manakin loop trail and had a fantastic start with a male Rufousfronted Wood Quail. Like with the tinamou. we used camouflaged sheet and we also got superb views of this shy forest-dweller. Rufous Mourner and Ruddy-tailed Flycatcher were new additions to the list but unfortunately it started to rain intensely, resulting in a steep drop of bird activity and birding opportunities. For a brief moment the rain stopped, and during this window we got a nice Great Jacamar in view. After lunch, we did canopy scanning and it was Jörg that found a nice male Black-



Rio Canandé by Lisa Holzapfel

tipped Cotinga! Another highlight was the "Christmas tree" full of tanagers and allies, including four species of dacnis in a single binocular view, namely Scarlet-thighed, Scarlet-breasted, Yellow-tufted and Blue Dacnis – *sweet!* Blue-whiskered Tanager and Pacific Antwren were other welcome additions that we



Pacific Pygmy Owl by Howard Laidlaw

got. The porterweed flowers at the lodge attracted various hummers, and Joan had been carefully studying them while we had been hiking the challenging trails. Thanks to her, we learned that both Striped-throated and Bronzy Hermit were around, and Purple-chested and Rufous-tailed Hummingbird were the more regular garden guests. In the late afternoon, some of us did another hike into the forest, and just before the rain picked up again, we had another awesome encounter with Olive-backed Quail-Dove!

An active nest of Slaty Spinetail was a neat find during some early morning porch birding at Canandé, before departure. Today's drive was pretty long, but we did make various birding stops. We had lunch in a small town where an obliging Ecuadorian Ground Dove was a new trip bird. House Sparrow, still a relatively scarce species in Ecuador, was also added to the list. Low tide at Playa San Vicente was fun, with high congregations of waterbirds, a very different way of birding compared to the deep jungle birding of the previous days! The number of White Ibises and Tricolored Herons was truly impressive, dozens of them, and we saw a

lot of new species, including various migrant waders like Semipalmated Plover and Western Sandpiper. Another brief stop at some dry forest produced Pacific Pygmy Owl and Amazilia Hummingbird, both

species at the far northern limit of their range. At the river mouth of Rio Verde, we enjoyed some birding coastal with more American Golden Plover being our best find, a rare migrant for the area. A pair of Rufous-headed Chachalaca caused an emergency stop (one bird almost hit the wind shield), resulting in great views of this Tumbesian cracid. A cryptic Lesser Nighthawk roosting on the flotsam was another nice catch. In the late afternoon, we arrived just in time at the wetlands of Las Peñas to find a Pinnated Bittern bingo!



Coastal birding by Lisa Holzapfel

The following morning, we started at a small patch of mangroves where we got fantastic views of three Rufous-necked Wood Rails that were foraging out in the open! Hook-billed Kites were present in good numbers along the road, but we also got an adult Crane Hawk. The forest remnants and woodlands produced various of our desired targets including Jet Antbird and Ochraceous Attila. A single Greater Ani was a welcome surprise. A female becard showed exceptionally well, and was most likely a Slaty Becard,



Jungle hike by Lisa Holzapfel

although she never vocalized. Olivaceous Piculet and Scarlet-backed Woodpecker also posed at close range. A scenic walk through the mangroves produced a large flock of the electrifying Red-legged Honeycreepers, and Panama Flycatcher, among others. A visit to the nearby shrimp ponds was rewarding with close up viewing of many different boreal waders, gulls, terns, and ducks. A Western Sandpiper with a crab stuck to its bill was a very unusual sighting that kept us entertained for a while. During a delicious seafood lunch, we had a flyby Blue-footed Booby, surprisingly close to shore! In the afternoon, we traveled to the Rio Santiago where we boarded our canoe to Playa de Oro. A handsome adult Fasciated Tiger Heron was picked up along the way.

At Playa de Oro, a male Spotted Antbird was the first bird we worked on just behind the lodge. We then continued on the Pueblo trail which was hard work with low bird activity, and a vocal Black-throated Trogon that kept eluding us. Far in, we finally run into a canopy mixed-species flock but it was frustrating at the same time, as viewing conditions were nearly impossible. The rare



Choco Poorwill by Dušan Brinkhuizen

Double-banded Graytail was singing from the flock, but were unable to connect with the pair visually. On the way back, we ran into a pair of Sapayoa at a forest stream. The views we got were excellent, just like last time, and these birds were also possibly nesting. The superstar that we got before lunch was a male Five-colored Barbet that we watched while it sang – a splendid Chocó endemic! A small, quick moving flock in the garden produced Orange-Scarlet-breasted fronted Barbet, Dacnis, Scarlet-thighed before we continued to Domingo's finca. The trail some dense thickets through productive with awesome views of a male Stub-tailed Antbird. Streak-chested Antpitta was more elusive but many got

decent views of this skulker. Owling at night produced prolonged and high-quality views of a male Choco Poorwill posing on a branch.

Today we went up to the scenic mirador, a full day hike with packed lunch. A Lemon-spectacled Tanager was our first highlight, and we watched it out in the open while it sang. A Pacific Flatbill also showed really well at the same spot. Sapayoa was encountered during multiple occasions on the way up, and we also got brief views of Ocellated Antbirds. A White-whiskered Puffbird posed nicely too. The forest up at the plateau was among the most beautiful and pristine, but at the same time challenging jungle birding. Dagua Thrush was only available for some, before it flew off. Luckily, a male Guayaquil Woodpecker

was more cooperative. Lita Woodpecker was present in a large mixed-species flock but very hard to connect with. Doublebanded Graytails were in the same flock but equally difficult to see. In the late morning, we heard a Lanceolated Monklet sing, a highly desired rarity. It took a while, but eventually we found it all the way up in the canopy! At the viewpoint we spotted a Blacktipped Cotinga male, Slatecolored Grosbeak and a Laughing Falcon, but not much else. Unfortunately, it rained for the rest of the afternoon but we did get a Great Tinamou and a Collared Peccary on the trail.



Primary forest at Playa de Oro by Lisa Holzapfel

The rain continued the following morning, and consequently Band-rumped Swifts were flying low over the garden showing their pale rump patch nicely. A short loop trail behind the lodge produced a nice male Stub-tailed Antbird, and finally a good view of Black-throated Trogon. Otherwise, birding was rather slow in this semi-degraded forest patch. Some nice flock activity in the garden produced good views of birds including White-ringed Flycatcher, Snowy-throated Kingbird, One-colored Becard, Brown-capped Tyrannulet and Moustached Antwren, among others. A small antswarm not far from the lodge was attended by various species including Northern Barred Woodcreeper, Bicolored and Spotted Antbird, White-whiskered Puffbird, and Stripe-throated Wren, all showing nicely. Of course, we trawled for *Neomorphus* and *Pittasoma* but without any luck. In the late morning after continued effort, we finally connected with a nice male Lita Woodpecker perched up in a bare tree. In the afternoon, a pair of Great-green Macaws flew over at the river on our way to another remote forest trail. A Dagua Thrush was a nice catchup for many, and this time the bird hung around for longer views. The late afternoon jackpot was a Crimson-bellied Woodpecker, a rare forest-based *Campephilus*, not often encountered at Playa de Oro.

Our last day of the tour was a busy one, with lots of different habitats visited, which resulted in a good mix of exciting species! During our canoe trip back to Selva Alegre, we counted a total of four Fasciated Tiger Herons and a Little Blue Heron. At Yalare we picked up a pair of Pied Puffbirds and a lovely male Slaty-tailed Trogon. The forest edge was pretty birdy with species including Streaked Flycatcher, Yellow-margined Flatbill, Scarlet-breasted and Scarlet-thighed Dacnis, and Black-cheeked Woodpeckers. A Black-breasted Puffbird had been singing in the distance but



Ecuadorian Rail by Dušan Brinkhuizen

seemingly never approached us. After a lot of trawling and scanning, we had to give up on this desired target. The road to the Awa reserve was pretty frustrating to bird, knowing that the quality of the roadside forest had diminished over the years, and the ongoing deforestation that we witnessed in the area. The secondary woodland produced a few birds only, including a shy Rufous-tailed Jacamar but a showy Black-capped Pygmy Tyrant. Rufous Mourner was kind of a surprise here, and a male Long-wattled Umbrellabird that briefly perched in the canopy was even more of a surprise. Suddenly, vocalizing from a tall mossy tree, we were rewarded with one of the best Chocó endemics of the trip, a pair of stunning Golden-chested Tanagers! The couple perched long enough for full frame scope views for all, simply amazing and our third species of *Bangsia* for the trip! At a dry valley near Ibarra, we targeted Blue-headed Sapphire and got great views of a splendid male. Our last cracker for the tour we got at Lago San Pablo, a bold Ecuadorian Rail, totally out in the open, posing only a few meters away from us!

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Annotated List of species recorded

Note: Number in brackets () indicate number of days on the tour the species was recorded.

Birds (465 in total: 410 seen, 55 heard)

Nomenclature and taxonomy follows Gill, F, D Donsker, and P Rasmussen (Eds). 2020. IOC World Bird List (v 10.2).

Status codes: E = Endemic, NE = Near-endemic, I = Introduced

IUCN codes: CR = Critically endangered, **EN** = Endangered, **VU** = Vulnerable, **EW** = Extinct in the Wild, **NT** = Near Threatened, **DD** = Data Deficient

Tinamous Tinamidae

Great Tinamou (NT)

Tinamus major

(7) Up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9 and up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 3-6.9.

Mostly vocal but a few seen walking on the trails.

Berlepsch's Tinamou (LC)

Crypturellus berlepschi

(2) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8 and 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Fantastic views of an adult on the trail.

Little Tinamou (LC)

Crypturellus soui

(4) 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8 and up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9.

Chachalacas, Curassows, Guans Cracidae

Rufous-headed Chachalaca (VU)

Ortalis erythroptera

(3) 3 Rio Verde 2.9, Majagual 3.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and Yalare 7.9.

Andean Guan (LC)

Penelope montagnii

(1) 2 Yanacocha 26.8.

At feeders.

Crested Guan

Penelope purpurascens aequatorialis

(4) Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9, 2 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 3.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9.

New World Quail Odontophoridae

Rufous-fronted Wood Quail (LC)

Odontophorus erythrops

(1) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9.

Stunning looks at a male in the forest.

Dark-backed Wood Quail (VU)

Odontophorus melanonotus

(1) Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

At a banana feeder.

Tawny-faced Quail

Rhynchortyx cinctus australis

(1) 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9.

Singing at dusk.

Ducks, Geese, Swans Anatidae

Black-bellied Whistling Duck

Dendrocygna autumnalis autumnalis

(2) Las Peñas--La Tola road 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Torrent Duck (LC) Merganetta armata

(1) Nono to Tandayapa, Old Nono-Mindo Road 26.8.

Blue-winged Teal (LC)

Spatula discors

(1) Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

White-cheeked Pintail (LC)

Anas bahamensis

(2) Las Peñas--La Tola road 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Yellow-billed Pintail

Anas georgica spinicauda

(1) Lago San Pablo 7.9.

Andean Duck

Oxyura ferruginea ferruginea

(1) Lago San Pablo 7.9.

Also known as Andean Ruddy Duck.

Nightjars Caprimulgidae

Lesser Nighthawk

Chordeiles acutipennis aequatorialis

(1) Rio Verde 2.9.

Day-roost on the flotsam.

Rufous-bellied Nighthawk (LC)

Lurocalis rufiventris

(1) Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Day-roost in the canopy.

Choco Poorwill (NT)

Nyctiphrynus rosenbergi

(2) 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 3.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9.

Superb views of an adult male after dusk.

Swifts Apodidae

Chestnut-collared Swift

Streptoprocne rutila brunnitorques

(1) Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

White-collared Swift

Streptoprocne zonaris subtropicalis

(6) Kapari Lodge 28.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9 and La Union road, Reserva Awa 7.9.

Band-rumped Swift

Chaetura spinicaudus aetherodroma

(2) Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9. Lesser Swallow-tailed Swift (LC)

Panyptila cayennensis

(1) Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9.

Hummingbirds Trochilidae

White-necked Jacobin

Florisuga mellivora mellivora

(5) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Kapari Lodge 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8, Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8 and Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9.

Bronzy Hermit (LC)

Glaucis aeneus

(3) Observed Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9.

Band-tailed Barbthroat

Threnetes ruckeri ruckeri

(5) Up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9, 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9 and 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Stripe-throated Hermit

Phaethornis striigularis subrufescens

(3) Observed Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31-2.9.

White-whiskered Hermit (LC)

Phaethornis yaruqui

(9) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Kapari Lodge 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8, Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8, observed Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9 and up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9.

Tawny-bellied Hermit (LC)

Phaethornis syrmatophorus

(2) 1 heard Bellavista Cloud Forest Reserve & Lodge 26.8 and Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

White-throated Daggerbill (LC)

Schistes albogularis

(2) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8 and Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Previously known as Wedge-billed Hummingbird.

Brown Violetear (LC)

Colibri delphinae

(1) Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Lesser Violetear

(2) Nono to Tandayapa, Old Nono-Mindo Road 26.8 and Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Sparkling Violetear

Colibri coruscans coruscans

(1) Quito--Guápulo 26.8.

Purple-crowned Fairy (LC)

Heliothryx barroti

(7) Kapari Lodge 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 2.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9 and La Union road, Reserva Awa 7.9.

Gorgeted Sunangel (LC)

Heliangelus strophianus

(1) Bellavista Cloud Forest Reserve & Lodge 26.8.

Green Thorntail (LC)

Discosura conversii

(4) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Kapari Lodge 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8 and Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9.

Violet-tailed Sylph (LC)

Aglaiocercus coelestis

(3) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8, Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8 and 23 de Junio 29.8.

Black-tailed Trainbearer (LC)

Lesbia victoriae

Eriocnemis luciani

(1) Quito--Guápulo 26.8.

Tyrian Metaltail (LC)

Metallura tyrianthina

(1) Yanacocha 26.8.

Sapphire-vented Puffleg (LC)

(1) Yanacocha 26.8.

Golden-breasted Puffleg (LC) Eriocnemis mosquera

(1) Yanacocha 26.8.

Shining Sunbeam Aglaeactis cupripennis cupripennis

(1) Yanacocha 26.8.

Brown Inca (LC) Coeligena wilsoni

(2) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8 and Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Buff-winged Starfrontlet (LC)Coeligena lutetiae

(1) Yanacocha 26.8.

Mountain Velvetbreast Lafresnaya lafresnayi saul

(1) Yanacocha 26.8.

Sword-billed Hummingbird (LC) *Ensifera ensifera*

(1) 2 Yanacocha 26.8.

Great SapphirewingPterophanes cyanopterus peruvianus

(1) 2 Yanacocha 26.8.

Velvet-purple Coronet (LC) *Boissonneaua jardini*

(2) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8 and 23 de Junio 29.8.

White-booted Racket-tail Ocreatus underwoodii melanantherus

(2) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8 and Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Purple-bibbed Whitetip (LC) Urosticte benjamini

(2) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8 and Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Fawn-breasted Brilliant (LC)

Heliodoxa rubinoides

(1) Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Green-crowned Brilliant Heliodoxa jacula jamersoni

(3) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Kapari Lodge 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8 and Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8.

Empress Brilliant (LC)Heliodoxa imperatrix

(1) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

Long-billed Starthroat (LC)Heliomaster longirostris

(1) Kapari Lodge 28.8.

Purple-throated Woodstar (LC) Calliphlox mitchellii

(1) Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Crowned Woodnymph

Thalurania colombica verticeps

(4) Kapari Lodge 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8, Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9.

Rufous-tailed Hummingbird

Amazilia tzacatl jucunda

(8) Kapari Lodge 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8, Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8, Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8, 23 de Junio 29.8, observed Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9.

Amazilia Hummingbird

Amazilis amazilia

(1) San Vicente--beach 2.9.

Andean Emerald

Uranomitra franciae

(3) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Kapari Lodge 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8, Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8, Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8 and 23 de Junio 29.8.

Blue-headed Sapphire

Chrysuronia grayi

(1) Tulquizan 7.9.

Adult male at Inga tree. **Purple-chested Hummingbird**

Polyerata rosenbergi

(7) Observed Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-2.9 and observed Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9.

Violet-bellied Hummingbird

Chlorestes julie feliciana

(2) Kapari Lodge 28.8 and Kapari Lodge 29.8.

Cuckoos Cuculidae

Greater Ani (LC)

Crotophaga major

(1) Majagual 3.9.

A single adult with Smooth-billed Anis.

Smooth-billed Ani (LC)

Crotophaga ani

(5) Tulipe--rd to Pacto 27.8, en route 29.8, San Vicente--beach 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and Yalare 7.9.

Striped Cuckoo (LC)

Tapera naevia

(3) Kapari Lodge 28.8, 1 heard Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and 1 heard Yalare 7.9.

Squirrel Cuckoo (LC)

Piaya cayana

(4) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 2.9 and 1 heard Yalare 7.9.

Pigeons, Doves Columbidae

Rock Dove

Columba livia domestica

(4) Tulipe--rd to Pacto 27.8, en route 29.8, en route 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Band-tailed Pigeon

Patagioenas fasciata albilinea

(2) Nono to Tandayapa, Old Nono-Mindo Road 26.8, Yanacocha 26.8 and Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Pale-vented Pigeon (LC)

Patagioenas cayennensis

(5) Kapari Lodge 28.8, 1 heard 23 de Junio 29.8, en route 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and Yalare 7.9.

Ruddy Pigeon (VU)

Patagioenas subvinacea

(5) Up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9, 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9 and 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9.

Dusky Pigeon (LC)

Patagioenas goodsoni

(8) Up to 2 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-2.9, up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-7.9 and 1 heard La Union road, Reserva Awa 7.9.

Ecuadorian Ground Dove

Columbina buckleyi buckleyi

(2) Viche 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Croaking Ground Dove (LC)

Columbina cruziana

(2) San Vicente--beach 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Blue Ground Dove (LC) (1) 1 heard Majagual 3.9.

Claravis pretiosa

Ruddy Quail-Dove

Geotrygon montana montana

(1) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9.

Olive-backed Quail-Dove (LC)

Leptotrygon veraguensis

(2) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8 and Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9.

Nice views of this scarce species.

White-tipped Dove (LC)

Leptotila verreauxi

(3) Bellavista Cloud Forest Reserve & Lodge 26.8, San Vicente--beach 2.9 and Tulquizan 7.9.

Pallid Dove (LC)

Leptotila pallida

(5) Kapari Lodge 28.8, 1 heard Kapari Lodge 29.8, 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, 1 heard Rio Canandé, J

Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9 and 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9. **Eared Dove**Zenaida auriculata hypoleuca

(1) Quito--Guápulo 26.8.

Rails, Crakes & Coots Rallidae

Rufous-necked Wood Rail (LC)

Aramides axillaris

(1) 3 Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Three birds showing well at a small mangrove patch.

Ecuadorian Rail

Rallus aequatorialis aequatorialis

(1) Lago San Pablo 7.9.

Cracking views of an adult bird.

Andean Coot

Fulica ardesiaca atrura

(1) Lago San Pablo 7.9.

Purple Gallinule

Porphyrio martinica

(1) Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

White-throated Crake

Laterallus albigularis albigularis

(2) 1 heard Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and 1 heard Yalare 7.9.

Grebes Podicipedidae

Pied-billed Grebe

Podilymbus podiceps antarcticus

(2) Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and Lago San Pablo 7.9.

Oystercatchers *Haematopodidae*

American Oystercatcher (LC)

Haematopus palliatus

(1) Rio Verde 2.9.

Stilts, Avocets Recurvirostridae

Black-necked Stilt

Himantopus mexicanus mexicanus

(2) Las Peñas--La Tola road 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Plovers Charadriidae

Southern Lapwing

Vanellus chilensis cayennensis

(1) Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 7.9 and Lago San Pablo 7.9.

American Golden Plover (LC)

Pluvialis dominica

(1) Rio Verde 2.9.

Photographed. A scarce migrant.

Grey Plover

Pluvialis squatarola cynosurae

(2) Rio Verde 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Semipalmated Plover (LC)

Charadrius semipalmatus

(2) San Vicente--beach 2.9, Rio Verde 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Jacanas Jacanidae

Wattled Jacana (LC)

Jacana jacana

(2) Las Peñas--La Tola road 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Sandpipers, Snipes Scolopacidae

Hudsonian Whimbrel

Numenius hudsonicus

(2) San Vicente--beach 2.9, Rio Verde 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Ruddy Turnstone

Arenaria interpres morinella

(2) San Vicente--beach 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Stilt Sandpiper (LC)

Calidris himantopus

(1) Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Sanderling

Calidris alba rubida

(2) San Vicente--beach 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Least Sandpiper (LC)

Calidris minutilla

(2) San Vicente--beach 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Pectoral Sandpiper (LC)

Calidris melanotos

(1) Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Semipalmated Sandpiper (NT)

Calidris pusilla

(1) San Vicente--beach 2.9.

Western Sandpiper (LC)

Calidris mauri

(2) San Vicente--beach 2.9, Rio Verde 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Short-billed Dowitcher

Limnodromus griseus caurinus

(1) Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Wilson's Phalarope

Phalaropus tricolor

(1) Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Spotted Sandpiper (LC)

Actitis macularius

(6) San Vicente--beach 2.9, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 2.9, Rio Verde 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and observed Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-7.9.

Lesser Yellowlegs (LC)

Tringa flavipes

(1) Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Willet

Tringa semipalmata inornata

(2) San Vicente--beach 2.9, Rio Verde 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Greater Yellowlegs (LC)

Tringa melanoleuca

(2) San Vicente--beach 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and Rio Verde 2.9.

Gulls, Terns, Skimmers Laridae

Black Skimmer (LC)

Rynchops niger

(1) Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Small flock at a dry shrimp pond.

Laughing Gull

Leucophaeus atricilla megalopterus

(2) Rio Verde 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Gull-billed Tern (LC)

Gelochelidon nilotica

(2) Rio Verde 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Royal Tern (LC)

Thalasseus maximus

(2) San Vicente--beach 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Storks Ciconiidae

Wood Stork (LC)

Mycteria americana

(2) San Vicente--beach 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Frigatebirds Fregatidae

Magnificent Frigatebird (LC)

Fregata magnificens

(2) San Vicente--beach 2.9, Rio Verde 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Gannets, Boobies Sulidae

Blue-footed Booby (LC)

Sula nebouxii

(1) Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Cormorants, Shags Phalacrocoracidae

Neotropic Cormorant

Phalacrocorax brasilianus brasilianus

(7) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 29.8, San Vicente--beach 2.9, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 2.9, Rio Verde 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and observed Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-7.9.

Ibises, Spoonbills Threskiornithidae

American White Ibis

Eudocimus albus ramobustorum

(2) San Vicente--beach 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Herons, Bitterns Ardeidae

Fasciated Tiger Heron

Tigrisoma fasciatum salmoni

(3) Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 3.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9 and 4 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 7.9.

Up to 4 adults along the river Rio Santiago.

Pinnated Bittern

Botaurus pinnatus pinnatus

(1) Las Peñas--La Tola road 2.9.

A single adult was scoped nicely.

Black-crowned Night Heron

Nycticorax nycticorax hoactli

(2) San Vicente--beach 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Yellow-crowned Night Heron (LC)

Nyctanassa violacea

(2) San Vicente--beach 2.9, Rio Verde 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Striated Heron

Butorides striata striata

(3) Las Peñas--La Tola road 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and Yalare 7.9.

Western Cattle Egret (LC)

Bubulcus ibis

(6) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8, en route 29.8, en route 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9, Yalare 7.9 and Lago San Pablo 7.9.

Cocoi Heron (LC)

Ardea cocoi

(3) Las Peñas--La Tola road 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and 2 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 7.9.

Great Egret

Ardea alba egretta

(2) San Vicente--beach 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and Rio Verde 2.9.

Tricolored Heron (LC)

Egretta tricolor

(2) San Vicente--beach 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and Rio Verde 2.9.

Little Blue Heron (LC)

Egretta caerulea

(3) San Vicente-beach 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 7.9.

Snowy Egret (LC)

Egretta thula

(6) San Vicente--beach 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9, Rio Verde 2.9 and observed Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-7.9.

Pelicans Pelecanidae

Brown Pelican (LC)

Pelecanus occidentalis

(2) San Vicente--beach 2.9, Rio Verde 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

New World Vultures Cathartidae

Black Vulture (LC)

Coragyps atratus

(10) Quito--Guápulo 26.8, Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Kapari Lodge 28.8, Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8, 23 de Junio 29.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, San Vicente--beach 2.9, Rio Verde 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and observed Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5-7.9.

Turkey Vulture (LC)

Cathartes aura

(12) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Kapari Lodge 28.8, Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8, 23 de Junio 29.8, observed Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-2.9, San Vicente--beach 2.9, Rio Verde 2.9, observed Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 3-7.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Ospreys Pandionidae

Western Osprey

Pandion haliaetus carolinensis

(2) Rio Verde 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Kites, Hawks, Eagles Accipitridae

Hook-billed Kite

Chondrohierax uncinatus uncinatus

(3) Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Swallow-tailed Kite (LC)

Elanoides forficatus

(3) en route 29.8, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9 and 6 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Ornate Hawk-Eagle (NT)

Spizaetus ornatus

(1) 23 de Junio 29.8.

Adult at nest.

Plumbeous Kite (LC)

Ictinia plumbea

(1) Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 3.9.

Crane Hawk (LC)

Geranospiza caerulescens

(1) Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Plumbeous Hawk (VU)

Cryptoleucopteryx plumbea

(1) 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9.

Barred Hawk (LC)

Morphnarchus princeps

(1) 1 heard Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Roadside Hawk

Rupornis magnirostris magnirostris

(5) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, 1 heard Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and La Union road, Reserva Awa 7.9.

Harris's Hawk

Parabuteo unicinctus harrisi

(1) Tulquizan 7.9.

Grey-lined Hawk (LC)

Buteo nitidus

(1) Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Short-tailed Hawk

Buteo brachyurus brachyurus

(1) San Vicente--beach 2.9.

Owls Strigidae

Rufescent Screech Owl

Megascops ingens colombianus

(1) Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8.

Seen nicely pre-dawn.

Choco Screech Owl

Megascops centralis

(2) Kapari Lodge 28.8 and 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 3.9.

Adult showing well at Kapari.

Black-and-white Owl

Strix nigrolineata

(1) San Miguel de Los Bancos 27.8. Perched in a tree at the gas station!

Crested Owl (LC)

Lophostrix cristata

(1) Kapari Lodge 28.8.

Cracking views of an adult at night.

Andean Pygmy Owl (LC)

Glaucidium jardinii

(1) Yanacocha 26.8.

Cloud-forest Pygmy Owl (VU)

Glaucidium nubicola

(1) Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

A cryptic rufous morph.

Pacific Pygmy Owl (LC)

Glaucidium peruanum

(1) San Vicente--beach 2.9.

Photographed.

Trogons Trogonidae

Golden-headed Quetzal

Pharomachrus auriceps auriceps

(2) 1 heard Bellavista Cloud Forest Reserve & Lodge 26.8 and Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Slaty-tailed Trogon

Trogon massena australis

(1) Yalare 7.9.

A single male.

Choco Trogon (LC)

Trogon comptus

(3) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9 and 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9.

White-tailed Trogon (LC)

Trogon chionurus

(6) Up to 2 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9 and up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9.

Black-throated Trogon (LC)

Trogon rufus

(5) 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9 and up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9.

Collared Trogon (LC)

Trogon collaris

(1) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8.

Masked Trogon (LC)

Trogon personatus

(1) Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Kingfishers Alcedinidae

Green Kingfisher (LC)

Chloroceryle americana

(4) Las Peñas--La Tola road 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 7.9.

Ringed Kingfisher

Megaceryle torquata torquata

(5) Rio Verde 2.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 3.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 7.9.

Motmots Momotidae

Rufous Motmot (LC)

Baryphthengus martii

(5) Kapari Lodge 28.8, 1 heard Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8, 23 de Junio 29.8 and up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9.

Broad-billed Motmot (LC)

Electron platyrhynchum

(3) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8 and 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9.

Jacamars Galbulidae

Rufous-tailed Jacamar

Galbula ruficauda melanogenia

(2) Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and La Union road, Reserva Awa 7.9.

Great Jacamar (LC)

Jacamerops aureus

(1) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9.

Puffbirds Bucconidae

White-necked Puffbird

Notharchus hyperrhynchus hyperrhynchus

(1) 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Black-breasted Puffbird (LC)

Notharchus pectoralis

(1) 1 heard Yalare 7.9.

Pied Puffbird

Notharchus tectus subtectus

(1) 2 Yalare 7.9.

Barred Puffbird (LC)

Nystalus radiatus

(1) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

White-whiskered Puffbird

Malacoptila panamensis poliopis

(4) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8 and up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9.

Lanceolated Monklet (LC)

Micromonacha lanceolata

(1) Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9.

Singing from the canopy.

New World Barbets Capitonidae

Orange-fronted Barbet (NT)

Capito squamatus

(2) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9.

Five-colored Barbet (VU)

Capito quinticolor

(3) Up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9.

A singing male showing well.

Red-headed Barbet (LC)

Eubucco bourcierii

(2) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8 and Kapari Lodge 28.8.

Toucan Barbets Semnornithidae

Toucan Barbet

Semnornis ramphastinus ramphastinus

(1) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

Toucans Ramphastidae

Crimson-rumped Toucanet

Aulacorhynchus haematopygus sexnotatus

(2) 1 heard Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8 and Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Stripe-billed Aracari (LC)

Pteroglossus sanguineus

(3) Up to 11 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9.

Dark-billed birds at Playa de Oro, with some intermediate individuals, approaching Pale-mandibled.

Pale-mandibled Aracari (LC)

Pteroglossus erythropygius

(3) Kapari Lodge 29.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8 and Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9.

Choco Toucan (LC)

Ramphastos brevis

(8) 4 Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9, up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9 and Yalare 7.9.

Yellow-throated Toucan

Ramphastos ambiguus swainsonii

(12) 1 heard Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, 1 heard Kapari Lodge 28.8, up to 13 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 29-2.9, 1 heard 23 de Junio 29.8, up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 3-6.9 and La Union road, Reserva Awa 7.9.

Woodpeckers Picidae

Olivaceous Piculet

Picumnus olivaceus harterti

(1) 2 Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Black-cheeked Woodpecker (LC)

Melanerpes pucherani

(9) Observed Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9, observed Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9 and Yalare 7.9.

Scarlet-backed Woodpecker (LC) Veniliornis callonotus

(1) 2 Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Bar-bellied Woodpecker (LC)

Veniliornis nigriceps

(1) Yanacocha 26.8.

Red-rumped Woodpecker

Veniliornis kirkii cecilii

(2) 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8 and 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8.

Smoky-brown Woodpecker (LC)

Leuconotopicus fumigatus

(2) 1 heard Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8 and 1 heard Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Lita Woodpecker (LC)

Piculus litae

(4) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8, 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9, 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

A male seen in a bare tree.

Golden-olive Woodpecker (LC) Colaptes rubiginosus

(1) 1 heard Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Crimson-mantled Woodpecker

Colaptes rivolii brevirostris

(1) Nono to Tandayapa, Old Nono-Mindo Road 26.8.

Cinnamon Woodpecker

Celeus loricatus loricatus

(4) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9 and up to 2 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9.

Lineated Woodpecker

Dryocopus lineatus

(3) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 2.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 7.9.

Crimson-bellied Woodpecker (LC)

Campephilus haematogaster

(1) Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Guayaquil Woodpecker (NT)

Campephilus gayaquilensis

(2) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9.

Caracaras, Falcons Falconidae

Laughing Falcon (LC)

Herpetotheres cachinnans

(4) en route 29.8, 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9.

Barred Forest Falcon (LC)

Micrastur ruficollis

(1) 1 heard Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Collared Forest Falcon (LC)

Micrastur semitorquatus

(1) 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

American Kestrel (LC)

Falco sparverius

(1) Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Bat Falcon (LC)

Falco rufigularis

(2) 2 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9 and 1 heard Majagual 3.9.

African & New World Parrots Psittacidae

Rose-faced Parrot (LC)

Pyrilia pulchra

(8) 3 Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, 4 23 de Junio 29.8, up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9 and up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9.

A family flock perched at Amagusa reserve showed really well.

Red-billed Parrot (LC)

Pionus sordidus

(1) 1 heard Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Blue-headed Parrot (LC)

Pionus menstruus

(4) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 3.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Bronze-winged Parrot (LC)

Pionus chalcopterus

(7) Tulipe--rd to Pacto 27.8, Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, 1 heard Kapari Lodge 28.8, 23 de Junio 29.8, up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-7.9 and La Union road, Reserva Awa 7.9.

Southern Mealy Amazon (NT)

Amazona farinosa

(7) Up to 4 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9 and observed Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-7.9.

Pacific Parrotlet (LC)

Forpus coelestis

(3) Las Peñas--La Tola road 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9.

Maroon-tailed Parakeet (LC)

Pyrrhura melanura

(2) 1 heard Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8 and 6 Kapari Lodge 29.8.

Great Green Macaw (EN)

Ara ambiguus

(1) 2 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Flying over.

Sapayoa Sapayoidae

Sapayoa (LC)

Sapayoa aenigma

(5) 2 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9 and up to 6 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9.

Great looks at several pairs on multiple days.

Ovenbirds Furnariidae

Scaly-throated Leaftosser

Sclerurus guatemalensis salvini

(1) 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9.

Tyrannine Woodcreeper

Dendrocincla tyrannina tyrannina

(1) Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Plain-brown Woodcreeper (LC)

Dendrocincla fuliginosa

(3) Kapari Lodge 28.8, 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8 and 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Wedge-billed Woodcreeper (LC)

Glyphorynchus spirurus

(4) 1 heard Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Northern Barred Woodcreeper

Dendrocolaptes sanctithomae sanctithomae

(2) Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9 and 2 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Black-striped Woodcreeper

Xiphorhynchus lachrymosus lachrymosus

(5) 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9 and up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9.

Spotted Woodcreeper

Xiphorhynchus erythropygius aequatorialis

(1) 1 heard Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

Streak-headed Woodcreeper (LC)

Lepidocolaptes souleyetii

(1) Majagual 3.9.

Montane Woodcreeper (LC)

Lepidocolaptes lacrymiger

(1) Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Plain Xenops (LC)

Xenops minutus

(4) 2 Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8 and Carondelet Rd 7.9.

Pacific Tuftedcheek (LC)

Pseudocolaptes johnsoni

(1) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

Nicely scoped in the top of a tree.

Pacific Hornero (LC)

Furnarius cinnamomeus

(4) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 29.8, 23 de Junio 29.8, San Vicente--beach 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and Yalare 7.9.

Lineated Foliage-gleaner (LC)

Syndactyla subalaris

(2) 1 heard Tulipe--rd to Pacto 27.8 and Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8. **Buff-fronted Foliage-gleaner** Dendroma rufa

(1) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8. **Uniform Treehunter (LC)**

Thripadectes ignobilis

(1) 1 heard Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

Flammulated Treehunter

(1) Bellavista Cloud Forest Reserve & Lodge 26.8.

Streak-capped Treehunter (LC)

Thripadectes virgaticeps

(1) 1 heard Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Western Woodhaunter

Automolus virgatus assimilis

(4) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8, 1 heard Playa de Oro-Reserva Tigrillo 4.9 and 1 heard Playa de Oro-Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Spotted Barbtail

Premnoplex brunnescens brunnescens

Thripadectes flammulatus flammulatus

(1) 1 heard Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

Pearled Treerunner *Margarornis squamiger perlatus*

(1) Bellavista Cloud Forest Reserve & Lodge 26.8.

White-browed Spinetail Hellmayrea gularis gularis

(1) 2 Yanacocha 26.8.

Double-banded Greytail Xenerpestes minlosi umbraticus

(2) 2 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9 and 2 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9.

Singing from the mixed-species canopy flocks.

Red-faced SpinetailCranioleuca erythrops erythrops

(2) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8 and Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8.

Slaty Spinetail (LC)

Synallaxis brachyura

(5) 1 heard Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, 1 heard Rio Canandé,

Jocotoco Foundation 1.9, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Azara's Spinetail (LC) Synallaxis azarae

(1) 1 heard Yanacocha 26.8.

Antbirds Thamnophilidae

Russet Antshrike (LC)

Thamnistes anabatinus

(4) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8 and up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9.

Dot-winged Antwren (LC) *Microrhopias quixensis*

(6) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9, up to 1 Playa de Oro-

Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9 and Carondelet Rd 7.9.

Checker-throated Stipplethroat (LC) Epinecrophylla fulviventris

(6) Up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9 and observed Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9.

Moustached Antwren (LC)

Myrmotherula ignota

(5) 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9 and up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9.

Nominate race sometimes called Griscom's Antwren.

Pacific Antwren (LC)

Myrmotherula pacifica

(2) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9 and Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 2.9.

White-flanked Antwren (LC)

Myrmotherula axillaris

(4) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8, Playa de Oro--Reserva

Tigrillo 5.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Slaty Antwren (LC) Myrmotherula schisticolor

(1) 1 heard Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

Plain Antvireo (LC)

Dysithamnus mentalis

(1) 1 heard Tulipe--rd to Pacto 27.8.

Spot-crowned Antireo (LC)

Dysithamnus puncticeps

(5) Up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9 and Playa de Oro--

Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Uniform Antshrike (LC) Thamnophilus unicolor

(1) 1 heard Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

Black-crowned Antshrike Thamnophilus atrinucha atrinucha

(8) Up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9, 1 heard Majagual 3.9, up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva

Tigrillo 4-6.9 and Yalare 7.9.

Great Antshrike (LC)

Taraba major

(1) 1 heard Kapari Lodge 28.8.

Ocellated Antbird Phaenostictus mcleannani pacificus

(3) 2 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8, 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9 and Playa de Oro-Reserva Tigrillo 5.9.

Bicolored Antbird *Gymnopithys bicolor aequatorialis*

(1) Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

At an army ant-swarm.

Dusky Antbird

Cercomacroides tyrannina tyrannina

(7) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 2.9 and up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 3-7.9.

Jet Antbird (LC)

Cercomacra nigricans

(1) Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Males showing nicely.

Spotted Antbird

Hylophylax naevioides naevioides

(4) 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9 and up to 2 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9.

Chestnut-backed Antbird

Poliocrania exsul maculifer

(7) Up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9 and up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-7.9.

Stub-tailed Antbird (LC)

Sipia berlepschi

(2) Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Males showing well.

Esmeraldas Antbird (LC)

Sipia nigricauda

(1) 2 Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8. A pair showing along the road.

Zeledon's Antbird (LC)

Hafferia zeledoni berlepschi

(3) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8 and 2 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9.

Antthrushes *Formicariidae*

Black-headed Antthrush

Formicarius nigricapillus destructus

(2) 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8 and Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8.

Great views of a bird crossing the trail.

Rufous-breasted Antthrush

Formicarius rufipectus carrikeri

(2) Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8 and 1 heard 23 de Junio 29.8.

Pepito back at the feeder.

Antpittas Grallariidae

Giant Antpitta

Grallaria gigantea hylodroma

(1) Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Extended, close-up views of "Maria".

Moustached Antpitta

Grallaria alleni andaquiensis

(1) Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Suzan was a little elusive.

Plain-backed Antpitta

Grallaria haplonota parambae

(1) heard Pacto-Pachijal road 26.8.

Chestnut-crowned Antpitta

Grallaria ruficapilla ruficapilla

(1) Bellavista Cloud Forest Reserve & Lodge 26.8.

Seen singing in the forest!

Chestnut-naped Antpitta Grallaria nuchalis obsoleta

(1) 1 heard Yanacocha 26.8.

Yellow-breasted Antpitta (LC) Grallaria flavotincta

(1) 2 Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Two birds showing really nicely.

Rufous AntpittaGrallaria rufula

(1) Yanacocha 26.8.

Seen well.

Tawny Antpitta Grallaria quitensis quitensis

(1) Yanacocha 26.8.

Easily seen.

Streak-chested Antpitta

Hylopezus perspicillatus periophthalmicus

(1) Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9.

Seen!

Ochre-breasted Antpitta Grallaricula flavirostris mindoensis

(1) 2 Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Tapaculos Rhinocryptidae

Ocellated Tapaculo Acropternis orthonyx infuscatus

(1) 1 heard Yanacocha 26.8.

Ash-colored Tapaculo (LC) *Myornis senilis*

(1) 1 heard Yanacocha 26.8.

Narino Tapaculo (LC) Scytalopus vicinior

(1) 1 heard Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

Choco Tapaculo (LC)

Scytalopus chocoensis

(1) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8.

Great views!

Spillmann's Tapaculo (LC)

Scytalopus spillmanni

(1) 1 heard Bellavista Cloud Forest Reserve & Lodge 26.8.

Blackish Tapaculo (LC)

Scytalopus latrans

(1) 1 heard Yanacocha 26.8.

Tyrant Flycatchers, Calyptura Tyrannidae

Sooty-headed Tyrannulet (LC) Phyllomyias griseiceps

(4) Kapari Lodge 29.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9 and Rio

Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 2.9.

Ashy-headed Tyrannulet (LC) Phyllomyias cinereiceps

(1) Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Yellow-crowned Tyrannulet (LC) *Tyrannulus elatus*

(6) Up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-2.9, 1 heard Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and 1 heard Yalare

7.9.

Grey Elaenia (LC)

Myiopagis caniceps

(3) Up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9.

Greenish Elaenia Myiopagis viridicata implacens

(3) Kapari Lodge 29.8, 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8 and 1 heard Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Yellow-bellied Elaenia Elaenia flavogaster semipagana

(1) Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

White-crested Elaenia Elaenia albiceps griseigularis

(1) Yanacocha 26.8.

Brown-capped Tyrannulet (LC)Ornithion brunneicapillus

(6) 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8, up to 1 Playa de

Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9 and 1 heard Yalare 7.9.

Southern Beardless Tyrannulet (LC)

Camptostoma obsoletum

(1) San Vicente--beach 2.9.

White-tailed Tyrannulet (LC)

Mecocerculus poecilocercus

(1) 1 heard Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

White-banded Tyrannulet Mecocerculus stictopterus stictopterus

(1) 2 Yanacocha 26.8.

Bronze-olive Pygmy Tyrant (LC)

Pseudotriccus pelzelni

(1) 23 de Junio 29.8.

Rufous-headed Pygmy Tyrant (LC)

Pseudotriccus ruficeps

(1) Bellavista Cloud Forest Reserve & Lodge 26.8.

Choco Tyrannulet (LC)Zimmerius albigularis

(5) Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8, 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8, 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9 and La Union road, Reserva Awa 7.9.

Olive-striped Flycatcher (LC)

Mionectes olivaceus

(1) Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9.

Slaty-capped Flycatcher

Leptopogon superciliaris superciliaris

(3) Tulipe--rd to Pacto 27.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8 and 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8.

Flavescent Flycatcher

Myiophobus flavicans flavicans

(1) 1 heard Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Ornate Flycatcher (LC)

Myiotriccus ornatus

(2) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8 and Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Black-capped Pygmy Tyrant (LC)

Myiornis atricapillus

(5) 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8, 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9, 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9, 2 La Union road, Reserva Awa 7.9 and 1 heard Yalare 7.9.

Scale-crested Pygmy Tyrant (LC)

Lophotriccus pileatus

(1) Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8.

Common Tody-Flycatcher (LC)

Todirostrum cinereum

(7) 1 heard Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8, up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Black-headed Tody-Flycatcher (LC)

Todirostrum nigriceps

(4) 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8, 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9 and Carondelet Rd 7.9.

Pacific Flatbill (LC)

Rhynchocyclus pacificus

(2) Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Yellow-margined Flatbill (LC)

Tolmomyias flavotectus

(1) 2 Yalare 7.9.

Golden-crowned Spadebill (LC)

Platyrinchus coronatus

(2) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8 and 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8.

Black Phoebe

Sayornis nigricans angustirostris

(3) Nono to Tandayapa, Old Nono-Mindo Road 26.8, 23 de Junio 29.8 and Lago San Pablo 7.9.

Northern Tufted Flycatcher

Mitrephanes phaeocercus berlepschi

(2) 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Smoke-colored Pewee (LC)

Contopus fumigatus

(1) 1 heard Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Vermilion Flycatcher

Pyrocephalus obscurus piurae

(2) San Vicente--beach 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Streak-throated Bush Tyrant

Myiotheretes striaticollis striaticollis

(1) Quito--Guápulo 26.8.

Masked Water Tyrant

Fluvicola nengeta atripennis

(3) Kapari Lodge 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8, 23 de Junio 29.8 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Slaty-backed Chat-Tyrant (LC)

Ochthoeca cinnamomeiventris

(1) Nono to Tandayapa, Old Nono-Mindo Road 26.8.

Long-tailed Tyrant (LC)

Colonia colonus

(6) Up to 2 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 29-2.9 and La Union road, Reserva Awa 7.9. **Piratic Flycatcher**

Legatus leucophaius leucophaius

(1) 2 Carondelet Rd 7.9.

Rusty-margined Flycatcher (LC)

Myiozetetes cayanensis

(4) Kapari Lodge 29.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, 2 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9 and Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 2.9.

Social Flycatcher (LC)

Myiozetetes similis

(3) Las Peñas--La Tola road 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9.

Grey-capped Flycatcher (LC)

Myiozetetes granadensis

(2) 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9 and Yalare 7.9.

White-ringed Flycatcher

Conopias albovittatus albovittatus

(2) 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Golden-crowned Flycatcher

Myiodynastes chrysocephalus minor

(1) Nono to Tandayapa, Old Nono-Mindo Road 26.8.

Streaked Flycatcher (LC)

Myiodynastes maculatus

(1) Yalare 7.9.

Snowy-throated Kingbird (LC)

Tyrannus niveigularis

(5) Kapari Lodge 28.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9, Majagual 3.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Tropical Kingbird

Tyrannus melancholicus melancholicus

(9) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Kapari Lodge 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8, Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8, 23 de Junio 29.8, observed Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-2.9, San Vicente--beach 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 2.9,

Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9, Rio Verde 2.9, La Union road, Reserva Awa 7.9 and Yalare 7.9.

Rufous Mourner

Rhytipterna holerythra rosenbergi

(2) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9 and La Union road, Reserva Awa 7.9. **Choco Sirystes (LC)** *Sirystes albogriseus*

(1) 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9.

Dusky-capped Flycatcher (LC) *Myiarchus tuberculifer*

(1) Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Panamanian Flycatcher (LC)

Myiarchus panamensis

(1) Majagual 3.9.

Ochraceous Attila (VU)

Attila torridus

(1) Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Bright-rumped Attila (LC)

Attila spadiceus

(6) 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8, up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9 and 1 heard Yalare 7.9.

Cotingas Cotingidae

Scaled Fruiteater (LC)

Ampelioides tschudii

(1) Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Orange-breasted Fruiteater (LC)

Pipreola jucunda

(1) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

A male showing nicely.

Barred Fruiteater Pipreola arcuata arcuata

(1) 1 heard Yanacocha 26.8.

Andean Cock-of-the-rock (LC)

Rupicola peruvianus

(2) 2 Yanacocha 26.8 and Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Red-crested Cotinga (LC)

Ampelion rubrocristatus

(1) Yanacocha 26.8.

Purple-throated Fruitcrow (LC)

Querula purpurata

(5) 2 Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9 and 1 heard Playa de Oro-Reserva Tigrillo 5.9.

Long-wattled Umbrellabird (VU)

Cephalopterus penduliger

(2) 6 Kapari Lodge 29.8 and La Union road, Reserva Awa 7.9.

Rufous Piha Lip

Lipaugus unirufus castaneotinctus

(4) Up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9.

Black-tipped Cotinga (LC)

Carpodectes hopkei

(3) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9 and La Union road, Reserva Awa 7.9.

Males seen at 3 sites.

Manakins *Pipridae*

Golden-winged Manakin (LC)

Masius chrysopterus

(1) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

Green Manakin

Cryptopipo holochlora litae

(1) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8.

A possible future split Chocó Manakin.

Blue-crowned Manakin (LC)

Lepidothrix coronata

(3) 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9.

White-bearded Manakin (LC)

Manacus manacus

(7) Up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9, up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9 and 1 heard La Union road, Reserva Awa 7.9.

Red-capped Manakin

Ceratopipra mentalis minor

(6) Observed Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9 and up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9.

Tityras, Becards, Sharpbill Tityridae

Sulphur-rumped Myiobius

Myiobius sulphureipygius aureatus

(1) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8.

Ruddy-tailed Flycatcher (LC)

Terenotriccus erythrurus

(1) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9.

Masked Tityra (LC)

Tityra semifasciata

(2) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Slaty Becard (EN)

Pachyramphus spodiurus

(1) Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Most probably a female of this species. It did not vocalize.

Cinnamon Becard

Pachyramphus cinnamomeus cinnamomeus

(3) 2 Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9 and Carondelet Rd 7.9.

One-colored Becard

Pachyramphus homochrous homochrous

(1) Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Vireos, Greenlets, Shrike-babblers Vireonidae

Black-billed Peppershrike (LC)

(1) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8. Slaty-capped Shrike-Vireo (LC)

Vireolanius leucotis

Cyclarhis nigrirostris

(2) 1 heard Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8 and 1 heard La Union road, Reserva Awa 7.9.

Choco Vireo (EN)

Vireo masteri

(1) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

Fantastic views of a singing bird.

Brown-capped Vireo (LC)

Vireo leucophrys

(1) 1 heard Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Chivi Vireo (LC)

Vireo chivi

(7) 2 Tulipe--rd to Pacto 27.8, 3 Kapari Lodge 29.8, observed Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31-2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9, Carondelet Rd 7.9 and Yalare 7.9.

Tawny-crowned Greenlet

Hylophilus ochraceiceps

(4) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8 and up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9.

Lesser Greenlet

Hylophilus decurtatus minor

(7) Up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9, up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9 and 1 heard Carondelet Rd 7.9.

Swallows, Martins Hirundinidae

Grey-breasted Martin (LC)

Progne chalybea

(3) Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 3.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and Yalare 7.9.

Blue-and-white Swallow

Notiochelidon cyanoleuca

(4) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8, 23 de Junio 29.8 and Las Peñas-La Tola road 3.9.

White-thighed Swallow

Neochelidon tibialis

(8) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Kapari Lodge 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8, observed Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-2.9 and La Union road, Reserva Awa 7.9.

Southern Rough-winged Swallow (LC)

Stelgidopteryx ruficollis

(6) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9, observed Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9 and La Union road, Reserva Awa 7.9.

Barn Swallow

Hirundo rustica erythrogaster

(2) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Wrens Troglodytidae

Band-backed Wren

Campylorhynchus zonatus brevirostris

(2) Kapari Lodge 28.8 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9.

Grey-mantled Wren (LC)

Odontorchilus branickii

(3) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9.

In the mixed-species canopy flocks.

Rufous Wren

Cinnycerthia unirufa unibrunnea

(1) 4 Yanacocha 26.8.

Sepia-brown Wren

Cinnycerthia olivascens olivascens

(1) 1 heard Bellavista Cloud Forest Reserve & Lodge 26.8.

Whiskered Wren

Pheugopedius mystacalis mystacalis

(1) 1 heard Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

Bay Wren

Cantorchilus nigricapillus nigricapillus

(9) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Kapari Lodge 28.8, 1 heard Kapari Lodge 29.8, up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and 1 heard Yalare 7.9.

Stripe-throated Wren

Cantorchilus leucopogon leucopogon

(6) Up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9 and up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9.

House Wren (LC)

Troglodytes aedon

(6) 1 heard Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8, 23 de Junio 29.8, San Vicente--beach 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and en route 7.9.

Mountain Wren

Troglodytes solstitialis solstitialis

(1) 1 heard Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

White-breasted Wood Wren (LC)

Henicorhina leucosticta

(2) 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8 and 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9.

Grey-breasted Wood Wren (LC)

Henicorhina leucophrys

(4) 1 heard Bellavista Cloud Forest Reserve & Lodge 26.8, 1 heard Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, 1 heard Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8 and 1 heard 23 de Junio 29.8.

Southern Nightingale-Wren (LC)

Microcerculus marginatus

(9) 1 heard Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, 1 heard Kapari Lodge 28.8, 1 heard Kapari Lodge 29.8, up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9 and up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9.

Song Wren

Cyphorhinus phaeocephalus phaeocephalus

(2) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8 and 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Gnatcatchers Polioptilidae

Tawny-faced Gnatwren (LC)

Microbates cinereiventris

(4) Up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9 and 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Tropical Gnatcatcher

Polioptila plumbea bilineata

(2) Rio Verde 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Slate-throated Gnatcatcher (LC)

Polioptila schistaceigula

(2) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8 and 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Mockingbirds, Thrashers Mimidae

Long-tailed Mockingbird

Mimus longicaudatus albogriseus

(1) Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

A juvenile of most probably this species, although Tropical Mockingbird was not fully excluded. A northward range extension of this species.

Thrushes Turdidae

Andean Solitaire (LC)

Myadestes ralloides

(2) 1 heard Nono to Tandayapa, Old Nono-Mindo Road 26.8 and 1 heard Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

Rufous-brown Solitaire

Cichlopsis leucogenys chubbi

(1) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

A juvenile feeding at fruits and showing well.

Slaty-backed Nightingale-Thrush

Catharus fuscater fuscater

(1) 1 heard Bellavista Cloud Forest Reserve & Lodge 26.8.

Great Thrush (LC)

Turdus fuscater

(1) Yanacocha 26.8.

Glossy-black Thrush

Turdus serranus fuscobrunneus

(1) 1 heard Bellavista Cloud Forest Reserve & Lodge 26.8.

Ecuadorian Thrush (LC)

Turdus maculirostris

(2) Kapari Lodge 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8 and Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8.

Dagua Thrush

Turdus daguae

(3) 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 3.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Great views of a singing adult.

Dippers Cinclidae

White-capped Dipper

Cinclus leucocephalus leuconotus

(2) Nono to Tandayapa, Old Nono-Mindo Road 26.8 and 23 de Junio 29.8.

Showing well along the river Alambi.

Old World Sparrows, Snowfinches Passeridae

House Sparrow

Passer domesticus domesticus

(1) Viche 2.9.

Wagtails, Pipits Motacillidae

Paramo Pipit

Anthus bogotensis bogotensis

(1) Yanacocha 26.8.

Finches, Euphonias Fringillidae

Orange-crowned Euphonia (LC)

Euphonia saturata

(1) Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Singing from the canopy.

Thick-billed Euphonia (LC)

Euphonia laniirostris

(5) Kapari Lodge 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8, San Vicente--beach 2.9, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Fulvous-vented Euphonia

Euphonia fulvicrissa purpurascens

(1) Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9.

Orange-bellied Euphonia (LC)

Euphonia xanthogaster

(5) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Kapari Lodge 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8, Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8, 23 de Junio 29.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

New World Sparrows Passerellidae

Yellow-throated Bush Tanager (LC)

Chlorospingus flavigularis

(3) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8 and Kapari Lodge 29.8.

Dusky Bush Tanager

Chlorospingus semifuscus semifuscus

(1) Bellavista Cloud Forest Reserve & Lodge 26.8.

Black-striped Sparrow (LC)

Arremonops conirostris

(2) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8 and 23 de Junio 29.8.

Grey-browed Brushfinch (LC)

Arremon assimilis

(1) Yanacocha 26.8.

Orange-billed Sparrow (LC)

Arremon aurantiirostris

(2) Kapari Lodge 28.8 and Kapari Lodge 29.8.

Chestnut-capped Brushfinch (LC)

Arremon brunneinucha

(1) 1 heard Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Rufous-collared Sparrow

Zonotrichia capensis costaricensis

(5) Quito--Guápulo 26.8, Yanacocha 26.8, Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8 and Lago San Pablo 7.9.

Choco Brushfinch (LC)

Atlapetes crassus

(2) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8 and 1 heard 23 de Junio 29.8. Sometimes considered a race of Tricolored Brushfinch.

Yellow-breasted Brushfinch (LC)

Atlapetes latinuchus

(1) Yanacocha 26.8.

White-winged Brushfinch

Atlapetes leucopterus leucopterus

(1) 2 Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Oropendolas, Orioles, Blackbirds Icteridae

Peruvian Meadowlark

Leistes bellicosus bellicosus

(1) Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Scarlet-rumped Cacique

Cacicus microrhynchus pacificus

(5) 1 heard Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, 1 heard Kapari Lodge 28.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 7.9.

Yellow-tailed Oriole

Icterus mesomelas taczanowskii

(3) Kapari Lodge 29.8, 1 heard San Vicente--beach 2.9 and 1 heard Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Giant Cowbird

Molothrus oryzivorus oryzivorus

(1) Kapari Lodge 29.8.

Shiny Cowbird (LC)

Molothrus bonariensis

(4) Tulipe--rd to Pacto 27.8, Kapari Lodge 28.8, en route 2.9 and Yalare 7.9.

Scrub Blackbird

Dives warczewiczi warczewiczi

(4) Kapari Lodge 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8, San Vicente--beach 2.9, Rio Verde 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Great-tailed Grackle

Quiscalus mexicanus peruvianus

(2) San Vicente--beach 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and Rio Verde 2.9.

New World Warblers Parulidae

Olive-crowned Yellowthroat

Geothlypis semiflava semiflava

(1) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

Tropical Parula (LC)

Setophaga pitiayumi

(6) 1 heard Nono to Tandayapa, Old Nono-Mindo Road 26.8, 1 heard Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8, 1 heard Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8, 1 heard 23 de Junio 29.8, Majagual 3.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and Tulquizan 7.9.

Mangrove Warbler

Setophaga petechia peruviana

(1) Majagual 3.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Black-crested Warbler (LC)

Myiothlypis nigrocristata

(1) 1 heard Bellavista Cloud Forest Reserve & Lodge 26.8 and 1 heard Yanacocha 26.8.

Buff-rumped Warbler (LC)

Myiothlypis fulvicauda

(8) 1 heard Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31-2.9, 1 heard Playa de Oro-Reserva Tigrillo 3.9 and up to 1 Playa de Oro-Reserva Tigrillo 5-7.9.

Choco Warbler (LC)

Myiothlypis chlorophrys

(1) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

Sometimes considered a race of Golden-bellied Warbler.

Three-striped Warbler (LC)

Basileuterus tristriatus

(1) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

Slate-throated Whitestart (LC)

Myioborus miniatus

(3) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8, Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8 and Kapari Lodge 29.8.

Spectacled Whitestart

Myioborus melanocephalus ruficoronatus

(1) 1 heard Bellavista Cloud Forest Reserve & Lodge 26.8.

Mitrospingid Tanagers Mitrospingidae

Dusky-faced Tanager

Mitrospingus cassinii cassinii

(4) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8, 1 heard Playa de Oro-Reserva Tigrillo 6.9 and Carondelet Rd 7.9.

Cardinals & Allies Cardinalidae

White-winged Tanager

Piranga leucoptera ardens

(2) 2 Tulipe--rd to Pacto 27.8, 1 heard Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8 and Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Lemon-spectacled Tanager

Chlorothraupis olivacea

(1) Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9.

Singing bird showing nicely.

Ochre-breasted Tanager

Chlorothraupis stolzmanni

(4) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, 1 heard 23 de Junio 29.8, 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8 and 1 heard La Union road, Reserva Awa 7.9.

Ecuadorian Seedeater

Amaurospiza aequatorialis

(1) 3 Tulipe--rd to Pacto 27.8.

A pair with a juvenile showing nicely at a bamboo patch.

Blue-black Grosbeak

Cyanoloxia cyanoides cyanoides

(1) 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 2.9.

Tanagers & Allies Thraupidae

Green Honeycreeper (LC)

Chlorophanes spiza

(4) 2 Kapari Lodge 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8 and 2 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9.

Scarlet-and-white Tanager (LC)

Chrysothlypis salmoni

(3) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9.

Stunning male showing well.

Scarlet-browed Tanager

Heterospingus xanthopygius berliozi

(5) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, 2 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9 and up to 1 Playa de Oro-Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9.

Guira Tanager (LC)

Hemithraupis guira

(1) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8.

Swallow Tanager

Tersina viridis occidentalis

(1) Kapari Lodge 28.8.

Purple Honevcreeper (LC)

Cyanerpes caeruleus

(3) Observed Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9.

Red-legged Honeycreeper (LC)

Cyanerpes cyaneus

(1) Majagual 3.9. A tree full of them!

Scarlet-breasted Dacnis (VU)

Dacnis berlepschi

(5) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, 3 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9, 2 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9 and Yalare 7.9.

Males of this stunning Choco endemic were scoped various times.

Scarlet-thighed Dacnis

Dacnis venusta fuliginata

(4) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9 and Yalare 7.9.

Blue Dacnis (LC)

Dacnis cayana

(4) 23 de Junio 29.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, 2 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9, La Union road, Reserva Awa 7.9 and Yalare 7.9.

Yellow-tufted Dacnis

Dacnis egregia aequatorialis

(4) Kapari Lodge 29.8, 2 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8, 2 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9 and Majagual 3.9.

Buff-throated Saltator

Saltator maximus maximus

(9) Kapari Lodge 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8, 1 heard Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8, observed Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9 and Playa de Oro-Reserva Tigrillo 6.9.

Black-winged Saltator (LC)

Saltator atripennis

(2) Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8 and 23 de Junio 29.8.

Slate-colored Grosbeak (LC)

Saltator grossus

(5) 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8, 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9, 1 heard Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9 and 1 heard Carondelet Rd 7.9.

Bananaquit (LC)

Coereba flaveola

(9) Kapari Lodge 28.8, Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8, observed Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9, Carondelet Rd 7.9 and Yalare 7.9.

Blue-black Grassquit (LC)

Volatinia jacarina

(1) Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

White-shouldered Tanager

Loriotus luctuosus

(1) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

Tawny-crested Tanager

Tachyphonus delatrii

(7) Observed Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-2.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9 and Carondelet Rd 7.9.

White-lined Tanager (LC)

Tachyphonus rufus

(3) 2 Kapari Lodge 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Lemon-rumped Tanager (LC)

Ramphocelus icteronotus

(12) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Kapari Lodge 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8, Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8, 23 de Junio 29.8, observed Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9, observed Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9, Carondelet Rd 7.9, La Union road, Reserva Awa 7.9 and Yalare 7.9.

Variable Seedeater

Sporophila corvina ophthalmica

(7) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, 23 de Junio 29.8, 2 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4.9 and Yalare 7.9.

Thick-billed Seed Finch

Sporophila funerea aethiops

(1) Carondelet Rd 7.9.

Chestnut-throated Seedeater (LC)

Sporophila telasco

(1) Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Capped Conebill (LC)

Conirostrum albifrons

(1) Bellavista Cloud Forest Reserve & Lodge 26.8.

Blue-backed Conebill Conirostrum sitticolor sitticolor

(1) Yanacocha 26.8.

Saffron Finch (LC) Sicalis flaveola

(2) en route 2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Plain-colored Seedeater Catamenia inornata minor

(1) Yanacocha 26.8.

Male.

Masked Flowerpiercer (LC)

(1) Bellavista Cloud Forest Reserve & Lodge 26.8 and Yanacocha 26.8.

Indigo Flowerpiercer (LC)

Diglossa indigotica

(1) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

A singing adult.

Glossy Flowerpiercer (LC) Diglossa lafresnayii

(1) Yanacocha 26.8.

Black Flowerpiercer Diglossa humeralis aterrima

(1) Yanacocha 26.8.

Fawn-breasted Tanager Pipraeidea melanonota venezuelensis

(1) 1 heard 23 de Junio 29.8.

Black-chested Mountain Tanager (LC)

Cnemathraupis eximia

(1) 2 Yanacocha 26.8.

Blue-winged Mountain Tanager (LC)

(2) Nono to Tandayapa, Old Nono-Mindo Road 26.8 and Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Scarlet-bellied Mountain Tanager

Anisognathus igniventris erythrotus

(1) Yanacocha 26.8.

Glistening-green Tanager (LC) Chlorochrysa phoenicotis

(1) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

At the bananas!

Yellow-green Tanager (VU)

Bangsia flavovirens

(1) 2 Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8. Seen well and photographed.

Moss-backed Tanager (LC)

Bangsia edwardsi

(1) 6 Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

Showing well on multiple occasions.

Golden-chested Tanager (LC)

Bangsia rothschildi

(1) 2 La Union road, Reserva Awa 7.9.

A pair showing really nicely in a mossy tree.

Rufous-throated TanagerIxothraupis rufigula

(1) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

Golden-naped Tanager Chalcothraupis ruficervix

(1) Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Grey-and-gold Tanager Poecilostreptus palmeri

(2) 1 heard Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30.8 and 4 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8.

Blue-grey Tanager Thraupis episcopus

(9) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Kapari Lodge 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8, observed Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9 and Yalare 7.9.

Palm Tanager Thraupis palmarum

(9) Kapari Lodge 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8, Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8, observed Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9 and Yalare 7.9.

Black-capped Tanager Stilpnia heinei

(1) Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8 and Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Golden-hooded Tanager

Stilpnia larvata fanny

(6) Observed Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31-2.9, Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9, Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 6.9, Carondelet Rd 7.9 and Yalare 7.9.

Blue-necked Tanager

Stilpnia cyanicollis

(7) Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8, Kapari Lodge 29.8, observed Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-2.9 and Las Peñas--La Tola road 3.9.

Blue-and-black Tanager

Tangara vassorii vassorii

(1) Bellavista Cloud Forest Reserve & Lodge 26.8.

Beryl-spangled Tanager (LC)

Tangara nigroviridis

(3) Bellavista Cloud Forest Reserve & Lodge 26.8, Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8 and Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Metallic-green Tanager

Tangara labradorides labradorides

(1) Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Bay-headed Tanager (LC)

Tangara gyrola

(3) Tulipe--rd to Pacto 27.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9 and Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 2.9.

Rufous-winged Tanager

Tangara lavinia lavinia

(3) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8, Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9 and Carondelet Rd 7.9.

Flame-faced Tanager (LC)

Tangara parzudakii

(1) 2 Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8.

Blue-whiskered Tanager (NT)

Tangara johannae

(2) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 1.9 and Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9.

Scoped at Canandé.

Golden Tanager (LC)

Tangara arthus

(2) Pacto-Pachijal road 27.8, Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8 and Refugio Paz de las Aves 28.8.

Silver-throated Tanager

Tangara icterocephala icterocephala

(1) Septimo Paraiso, N of Mindo 28.8.

Mammals (8 in total: 8 seen)

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Armadillos Dasypodidae

Nine-banded Armadillo (LC)

Dasypus novemcinctus

(1) Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9.

Howler, Spider And Woolly Monkeys Atelidae

Mantled Howler Monkey (LC)

Alouatta palliata aequatorialis

(8) Up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 29-2.9 and up to 1 Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 4-6.9.

A male seen well in the canopy.

Black-headed Spider Monkey (CR)

Ateles fusciceps fusciceps

(3) Up to 1 Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 30-1.9.

Multiple stunning encounters.

New World Monkeys Cebidae

Humboldt's White-fronted Capuchin (LC)

Cebus albifrons

(1) Yalare 7.9.

Showing well.

Agoutis Dasyproctidae

Central American Agouti (LC)

(1) Kapari Lodge 28.8.

Dasyprocta punctata

Squirrels Sciuridae

Western Dwarf Squirrel (LC)

(1) 23 de Junio 29.8.

Red-tailed Squirrel (LC)

(1) Rio Canandé, Jocotoco Foundation 31.8.

Microsciurus mimulus

Sciurus granatensis

Peccaries Tayassuidae

Collared Peccary (LC)

Pecari tajacu

(1) Playa de Oro--Reserva Tigrillo 5.9.

A single walking on the trail! Lots of tracks on the mirador trail.

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