Alta Floresta revisited: an updated review of the avifauna of the most intensively surveyed locality in south-central Amazonia

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SUMMARY.—Without adequate knowledge of species distributions and life-history characteristics it is impossible to undertake robust analyses to answer even basic biogeographical questions or undertake evidence-based conservation planning. We present a follow-up to the first avifaunal inventory from Alta Floresta, Mato Grosso, Brazil (Zimmer *et al.* 1997) following an additional 17 years of field work. We add 124 species to the regional list and clarify the status of others. Many of the species reported here are poorly known, therefore we present data on their status and distribution, both at Alta Floresta and other Amazonian localities.

The tropical forests of South America, particularly those of the Amazon basin, host the highest avian species richness on earth (Wallace 1878, Amadon 1973, Haffer 1978, 1990), yet coverage by even basic avifaunal inventories of much of the region is incredibly poor (Oren 2001). No area in southern Amazonian Brazil has been sampled as intensively over the past two decades as that surrounding the town of Alta Floresta (09°53'S, 56°28'W), in north-central Mato Grosso astride the rio Teles Pires, a primary tributary of the rio Tapajós. From the perspective of traditional morphology based taxonomy, the rio Teles Pires may not appear to be an important faunal barrier (Bates *et al.* 2004), yet the region is of considerable biogeographic significance because it lies close to the transition between Amazonian *terra firme* forest and *cerrado*, and between postulated centres of endemism — the Belém / Pará and Rondônia areas (Cracraft 1985, Haffer 1985), with the former sometimes subdivided into the Xingu and Tapajós regions (Silva *et al.* 2002). Inauspiciously, the region also lies at another frontier, the 'Arc of Amazonian Deforestation', which represents the most aggressive frontier of tropical deforestation on earth (FAO 2006, Giglio *et al.* 2006).

Alta Floresta was founded in 1976 by southern Brazilian colonists and urban planners with the objective of colonising the upper rio Tapajós basin. Prior to 1976, the region was covered by undisturbed Amazonian forest of relatively uniform physiognomy (Oliveira-Filho & Metzger 2006). The region lies at 200–300 m elevation and its soils are predominantly ultisols with some oxisols (RADAMBRASIL 1983), which are the principal soil types in the Brazilian Amazon (Moraes *et al.* 1995). Mean annual rainfall is 2,350 mm, and the evapotranspiration rate is 1,000 mm / p.a., providing a 1,350–1,400 mm / p.a. surplus; however, in the dry season (May–August) there is a hydrological deficit of 250–300 mm (RADAMBRASIL 1983).

Relative to many central Amazonian sites, the study area exhibits high habitat heterogeneity. Much of its northern third is dominated by primary *terra firme* and seasonally flooded forests, with smaller patches of stunted, drought-deciduous forest atop small granitic *serras* (located almost exclusively on the right bank of the rio Teles Pires). Typical *terra firme* forests in the study area are classified as open, tropical submontane rainforest with lianas (RADAMBRASIL 1983), and the forest canopy often includes emergents from the families Lecythidaceae (e.g., *Bertholletia excelsa, Cariniana* spp.) and Leguminosae (*Cedrelinga*

catenaeformis and Dussia spp.) (Sasaki et al. 2008). Other dominant trees include Leguminosae (Dipteryx odorata, Hymenaea spp., Enterolobium spp.), Moraceae (Clarisia racemosa, Perebea spp.), Sapotaceae (Pouteria spp., Micropholis spp.), Combretaceae (Buchenavia spp.) and Euphorbiaceae (Alchorneopsis spp.). In contrast, pockets of semi-deciduous forests nested within a matrix of tall terra firme forest and typically occurring on areas of steeper relief are dominated by the families Anacardiaceae (Spondias spp.), Apocynaceae (Aspidosperma spp.), Bignoniaceae (Tabebuia barbata, T. capitata, Tabebuia spp.), Bombacaceae (Bombacopsis spp., Pseudobombax cf. longiflorum), Cochlospermaceae (Cochlospermum orinocense), Leguminosae (Anadenanthera peregrina, Chloroleucon acaciodes, Hymenaea courbaril, Platymiscium duckei), Meliaceae (Cedrela odorata), Myrtaceae (Eugenia spp.), Rubiaceae (Coutarea hexandra, Dialypetalanthus fuscescens), Rutaceae (Zanthoxylum rhoifolium) and Vochysiaceae (Callisthene fasciculata) (Sasaki et al. 2008). In the extreme north of the study area there are extensive Mauritia palm swamps and oxbow lakes. The southern two-thirds are dominated by anthropogenic land uses, with the non-forest matrix representing principally managed and unmanaged cattle pasture with smaller areas of agro-forestry and limited cultivation of crops (mostly corn, soybeans and rice). Between 1984 and 2004, 3,607 km² of forest was lost from a 7,295 km² region south of the Teles Pires, corresponding to a decline in forest cover of 91.1% to 41.7% over 20 years (Michalski et al. 2008) after which deforestation rates decreased. This loss has led to the rapid collapse of avifaunal communities in many of the small forest fragments that remain (Lees & Peres 2006).

The first inventory of birds in the region (Zimmer et al. 1997), based on nearly 70 days of field work in October 1989-September 1995, produced a total of 474 species. The sites included in the original survey were scattered across an 1,800 km² polygon (defined simply by the total area encompassed by the perimeter of all sites visited), but the actual area surveyed amounted to c.30 km², with an estimated 90% of the effort being restricted to an area <15 km² (Fig. 1, Zimmer *et al.* 1997). The huge discrepancy between the large size of the study area, and the much smaller area actually surveyed was primarily the result of including a single site c.60 km south-west of Alta Floresta at Garimpo do Cabeça (10°22'S, 56°25'W)-not 45 km south-east (Zimmer et al. 1997). This site was visited only once, in 1989, yet it represented the only field work conducted south of Alta Floresta prior to the publication of the original survey (Zimmer et al. 1997), and it produced several noteworthy records for the region. In the 15 years following the first survey, resident and visiting ornithologists have conducted extensive investigations over a much larger part of the study area. Moreover, survey effort prior to 1997 was conducted almost exclusively in August-November (when many migrants may be absent), and was restricted to a small number of existing trails, so some habitat types were sampled poorly or not at all. More recent work has expanded the coverage to all months, and has been aided by a proliferation of new trails that have increased access to both banks of the rio Teles Pires and the rio Cristalino. Concomitantly, many forest patches and the open country south of Alta Floresta have now been surveyed, so coverage is far more representative of the region as a whole. Conversely, several sites surveyed in the first inventory (e.g., the 'Teles Pires Trail' of Zimmer et al. (1997), here referred to as the 'Gold Miners' Trail') have been completely denuded.

We detail the many additions to the region's avifauna based on field work conducted through 31 December 2012. Although some of these reflect new arrivals to the region, many probably reflect better coverage of the area and better knowledge of the vocalisations of some species. Similarly, many of the species reported here for the first time were expected, but others represent range extensions of biogeographical significance. We provide accounts for all 124 species added to the Alta Floresta list since the 1997 publication including both an overview of recent reports and sufficient background to consider these records in a broader Figure 1. The greater Alta Floresta region delimiting the area sampled and illustrating the extent of through deforestation 2011. Remaining closed-canopy forests are shown in black and non-forested regions in grey. The four-pointed star marks the location of Cristalino Jungle Lodge (CJL) and the five-pointed star the centre of Alta Floresta town.



geographical context. To better partition the many species added to the list, we group accounts by habitat (terra firme forest, transitional forest, wetlands and river edge, edge, and non-forest species) and by migratory status (austral, intra-tropical, and boreal migrants).

Methods

Study region.—We delimit the Alta Floresta 'region' to the same 1,800 km² polygon in the first survey (Fig. 1, Zimmer et al. 1997). Most field work in the 1995-2012 period was concentrated in the same area as the first survey-principally the trail network of the Cristalino Jungle Lodge (CJL), within the Reserva Particular do Patrimônio Natural Cristalino (formerly Reserva Florestal Cristalino), and in the isolated, 230-ha forest fragment

adjacent to the Floresta Amazônica Hotel (FAH) at the south-west edge of the town of Alta Floresta. CJL now possesses >24 km of trails that traverse: river edge / seasonally flooded forest (Cacau, Manakin and Kawall's Trails), tall terra firme forest (Rochas, Figueira, Castanheira, Serra Nova and Cajá Trails), forest dominated by extensive thickets of Guadua bamboo (Haffer and Taboca Trails), and semi-deciduous forest growing atop a granitic dome (parts of both the Serra and Serra Nova Trails). The addition of two observation towers (I & II), each 50 m tall, has further facilitated study of the forest canopy. Tower I was built in 2001 and is 1 km from the lodge on the right bank of the Cristalino on the Rochas Trail, and Tower II was constructed in 2010 and is on the left bank of the Cristalino downstream of the lodge, with the trailhead located off the Cacau Trail. The Alta Floresta region is therefore the ornithologically best-inventoried area in southern Amazonia and represents a major centre for ecotourism (Whitney 1997, Lees 2011). ACL spent >500 days in the field around Alta Floresta in April 2003–October 2006, surveying forest fragments, continuous terra firme forest (Lees & Peres 2006, 2008a), corridors in seasonally flooded and riparian forest (both igapó and várzea; Lees & Peres 2008b), gap sites (Lees & Peres 2009) and agricultural areas (Mahood et al. 2012) across the entire region. BJWD spent 290 days there between January 2004 and August 2007 before moving permanently to Alta Floresta in March 2008. The other authors spent the following periods: KJZ-72 days (August 1991, October 1992, and September 1993–99 and 2005), CAM-106 days (95 days in October 1997-January 1998 and 11 days in August 2005), AW-101 days (September 1993-2000, August and November 1996, June-August and November 2003, September 2005 and August 2010), and BMW-110 days (September 1993 and 1995-2002, June 2005-11).

The original survey devoted much effort to forested sites along the road between Alta Floresta and the rio Teles Pires, especially along the abandoned Gold Miners' Trail (the 'Teles Pires Trail' in Zimmer *et al.* 1997, which should not be confused with a relatively new trail with the same name at CJL), located 28 km north of town, which traversed extensive thickets of *Guadua* bamboo and tall *terra firme* forest (Zimmer *et al.* 1997). Since the original survey, all of these sites, including the Gold Miners' Trail, have either been replaced by pastures or reduced to degraded fragments. Consequently, since 1996, there has been less intensive coverage of what had been extensive *terra firme* forest on the west (south) bank of the rio Teles Pires, simply because so little of this habitat is intact and accessible. Nevertheless, ACL surveyed five forest patches of >5,000 ha on the west bank of the river, including 'Fazenda Cristalino,' which is now within the trail network at CJL. Open agricultural habitats were poorly sampled during the first survey, yet they are now both more widespread and better surveyed because they represent the dominant habitat type south of the rio Teles Pires.

Avian status in the region.—We present qualitative estimates of avian abundance based on frequency of detection (visual or auditory) and reflecting our impression of population density in preferred habitats. For ease of comparison, we use the same abundance categories as the initial survey (Zimmer *et al.* 1997): 'common' species are those for which five or more individuals were encountered daily in appropriate habitat, 'fairly common' species were encountered either irregularly in numbers or as 1–5 birds on most days in appropriate habitat, 'uncommon' species were encountered periodically but not daily, and 'rare' species were encountered only a few times per season, even in appropriate habitat. Given the much more extensive coverage since the first survey, we consider that the avifauna is now sufficiently known to add a new category of 'very rare' for those species recorded on fewer than ten occasions. Most of these are assumed to be rare visitants or vagrants, but a few are probably resident at very low densities. Seasonal status is denoted for those species for which abundance varies over the year. 'Austral migrants' breed in the south and move north during the austral winter (April–September), 'boreal migrants' arrive from North America for the northern winter (with landbirds typically present October– April, but shorebirds arrive from mid July), and 'unspecified intratropical migrants' that move within tropical South America at as yet undetermined spatiotemporal scales that result in seasonal periods of lower abundance or even absence.

We ranked hierarchically the evidence documenting each species in the region, but we present only the strongest available evidence for each (Appendix). We regard specimens as the most definitive evidence, followed by a published or archived photograph, video or audio recording that confirms the identification and provides a permanent record that can be examined by others. The weakest evidence is provided by field encounters (either visual or audio) without supporting physical evidence. Species within their expected range, and for which there have been repeated encounters in the region over the years by numerous qualified observers, are included on the primary list, even if physical evidence is unavailable. By contrast, we require physical documentation for records that represent range extensions, or those involving species seen only very rarely in the region (even if plentiful at nearby sites), and in the absence of such documentation, we treat them as hypothetical. We removed completely three species that either were unambiguously re-identified or were deemed extremely unlikely based on biogeography, and which lacked documentation. All specimens from the region are, to our knowledge, housed at the Museu Paraense Emílio Goeldi (MPEG), Belém, Pará, Brazil. Voucher audio recordings are or will be deposited at one or more of the following institutions: the Macaulay Library, Cornell Lab of Ornithology, Ithaca, New York (LNS), Arquivo Sonoro Natural, Universidad Estadual de Campinas, São Paulo (ASN), and British Library Sound Archive, London (BLSA). Many recordings and images from this region are included in the commercial production Bird voices of Alta Floresta and southeastern Amazonian Brazil (Marantz & Zimmer 2006) and online at http://macaulaylibrary.org/, http://www.xeno-canto.org and www.wikiaves.com.br, while species vouchered on these sites are listed in the Appendix.

Results

We present a list of 586 bird species reported from the Alta Floresta region through 31 December 2012, an increase of 124 species on the first survey. Of these, 566 species (96%) are documented either by a specimen, photograph or voucher recording (audio/video), and 524 (89%) are available online as publically accessible, digital vouchers. Recordings made in the region for 256 species (44%) are included in a published set of audio recordings (Marantz & Zimmer 2006).

Species removed from the Zimmer et al. (1997) list

PEARLY ANTSHRIKE Megastictus margaritatus

Listed by Zimmer *et al.* (1997) as hypothetical from a single, undocumented sighting on the west bank of the rio Teles Pires in October 1990 (R. Ridgely, V. Emanuel & G. Tudor). No subsequent reports, but the area is no longer forested. The closest known sites to Alta Floresta are on the left bank of the rio Roosevelt, Amazonas (Marantz & Zimmer 2006, Whittaker 2009), 520–560 km west-northwest of Alta Floresta. We suspect it does not occur east of the rio Tapajós / rio Juruena (Zimmer & Isler 2003).

BLACK-AND-WHITE TODY-FLYCATCHER *Poecilotriccus capitalis*

Included by Zimmer *et al.* (1997) based on a female seen and tape-recorded (ML48203) by M. & P. Isler at the Gold Miners' Trail on 7 November 1989, and subsequently identified

from this recording by T. A. Parker. ACL reidentified this recording as pertaining to Blackchested Tyrant *Taeniotriccus andrei*, an identification consistent with the plumage details noted by the Islers (*in* Zimmer *et al.* (1997), which could apply to either species. The voice of *T. andrei* went undescribed until February 2003, when KJZ made the first definitive soundrecordings in the Serra dos Carajás (Zimmer & Whittaker 2004). *P. capitalis* must be removed from the Alta Floresta list. A male collected at Juína, Mato Grosso, on 24 November 2006 (Universidade Federal de Mato Grosso [UFMT] 1709) becomes the first record for Mato Grosso (Signor *et al.* 2011).

TAWNY-CROWNED PYGMY TYRANT Euscarthmus meloryphus

Reported in the first inventory (Zimmer *et al.* 1997) by multiple observers from forest edge and non-forest habitats; however, as the species has not been seen in the last 15 years despite much apparently suitable habitat, we consider it best removed from the main list until supporting documentation becomes available. An archived sound-recording (ML48262) by M. & P. Isler obtained on 2 November 1989, and listed as this species, was reidentified as Yellow Tyrannulet *Capsiempis flaveola* (ACL). The closest records to Alta Floresta are documented by audio recordings from stunted *campinarana* on the rio São Benedito II in southern Pará (BJWD).

Species added since 1997

The 124 species added to the regional avifauna since the publication of Zimmer *et al.* (1997) are treated under six groups based on either their primary habitat association or migratory tendencies. New species were scattered across most non-passerine orders and most passerine families, but more non-passerines than passerines were added. The majority of additions are characteristic of habitats other than 'core' *terra firme* forest, which reflects both the increased attention given to open areas south of the rio Teles Pires and the loss of forest in this region.

Species of terra firme and seasonally flooded forests.—Thirty-five species added to the local avifauna occur predominantly in tall forest (either *terra firme* or seasonally flooded), the principal habitat sampled in the first survey. The distinction between *terra firme* and seasonally flooded forest in this region is not always sharp, and much of the forest at CJL is more accurately considered transitional. Many species occur in both forest types (and all gradations in between), even if showing a preference for one over the other. Many species missed by the first survey are low-density or patchily distributed taxa easily overlooked in all but the most thorough assessments. Examples include Violaceous Quail-Dove *Geotrygon violacea*, Long-tailed Potoo *Nyctibius aethereus*, Banded Antbird *Dichrozona cincta* and Amazonian Scrub Flycatcher *Sublegatus obscurior*. Two others, Kawall's Parrot *Amazona kawalli* and Bald Parrot *Pyrilia aurantiocephala*, are relatively recent discoveries, and were virtually unknown in life during the initial survey, which probably contributed to their being overlooked.

UNDULATED TINAMOU Crypturellus undulatus

Although unrecorded prior to mid-September 1997, when found along the rio Cristalino (KJZ, AW), it is fairly common in scrubby, riverine forest along both the rios Teles Pires and Cristalino.

BARE-FACED CURASSOW Crax fasciolata

Occurs in small numbers on the right bank of the rio Teles Pires, with several semihabituated birds frequenting the clearing at CJL. Extremely rare on the left bank of the Teles Pires, where recorded only by camera-trap surveys (F. Michalski unpubl.). Hunting pressure is probably a limiting factor in the more populated southern half of the region.

WHITE HAWK Leucopternis albicollis

Another low-density species most commonly recorded soaring over semi-deciduous forest on the granitic *serras* and less frequently in non-forested areas.

BLACK-FACED HAWK Leucopternis melanops

Two documented records at CJL: singles photographed from Tower I on 18 August 2005 (Wallace & Petermann 2007) and along the Cacau Trail on 9 June 2010 (J. Montejo & A. McAndrews; Fig. 2). These records support the hypothesis (Amaral *et al.* 2007) that the species is widespread yet overlooked in southern Amazonia, with sympatry now demonstrated as far west as south-east Peru (Shrum *et al.* 2011). Given recent records at CJL, and other documented records from southern Amazonia, we must re-evaluate a 20 August 1991 sighting by KJZ & T. A. Parker of a pair of *Leucopternis* seen counter-calling in forest edge near the Gold Miners' Trail. One was a typical adult White-browed Hawk *L. kuhli*, whereas the other appeared like typical *L. melanops*. Parker & KJZ debated the identity of the second bird, with Parker agreeing that it looked like a Black-faced Hawk (whitish crown, dark mask, pale-spotted mantle), but ultimately persuading KJZ that, in light of what would have been a considerable range extension for *L. melanops*, the bird was perhaps more likely in an undescribed juvenile plumage of *L. kuhli* (Amaral *et al.* 2007). Given current knowledge, KJZ now feels it was indeed *L. melanops*, although apparent south-bank sympatry of two such closely related (and vocally similar) raptors is puzzling.

VIOLACEOUS QUAIL-DOVE Geotrygon violacea

The first local record of this species, previously unrecorded in lowland Amazonian Brazil, involved a female seen by AW on 9 November 1996 foraging at close range on the Rochas Trail. Several subsequent reports in June–October, but the only well-documented records involve birds videotaped by KJZ on the Cacau Trail on 18 September 1998 (Fig. 3) and by BJWD at the rio Cristalino on 8 September 2010 (Fig. 4, WA845115). First records for Mato Grosso. Perhaps makes seasonal or nomadic movements similar to Ruddy Quail-Dove *G. montana*, which ranges widely, probably to exploit regional peaks in fruit production (Stouffer & Bierregaard 1997). Elsewhere in Amazonian Brazil, two specimens from Santana do Araguaia, in south-east Pará (14–24 June 1992), one from the Flona do Tapirapé-Aquirí, Serra dos Carajás, July 2009 (MPEG) and one from Prata, near Belém, Pará, 23 June 1903 (Hellmayr 1906).

Field separation of females of *G. violacea* and the more frequent *G. montana* can be challenging. Both sexes of *violacea* are distinctly whitish on the lower breast to undertail-coverts, contrasting sharply with the upper breast, which is pinkish in males and greyish brown with a slight pinkish cast in females. Female *montana* also has a noticeably pale belly, buff or dingy off-white, and the drab brown breast fades into the belly with a less pronounced demarcation. Violaceous Quail-Dove also shows marked contrast between the rufous-brown remiges and drab brown coverts on the folded wing, and between the drab brown back (which, even in females, often has a purplish tinge) and 'warmer' rufous rump, uppertail-coverts and rectrices. In female Ruddy Quail-Dove, the remiges are darker and duller than the coverts, not 'warmer' or more rufescent in tone, and the back, rump, uppertail-coverts and tail are essentially concolorous. Female *G. violacea* tends to have the forehead, supraloral region and chin whitish, whereas these are distinctly buffy in most female *G. montana*. Male Violaceous Quail-Dove is more distinctive, with a paler, greyish-



Figure 2. Black-faced Hawk Leucopternis melanops, 9 June 2010 (J. Montejo)

Figure 3. Composite series of videograbs of Violaceous Quail-Dove *Geotrygon violacea*, 18 September 1998 (K. J. Zimmer)

Figure 4. Composite of videograbs of Violaceous Quail-Dove *Geotrygon violacea*, 8 September 2010 (B. Davis)



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white head and face, strong violaceous tones to the mantle and rump, a noticeably pinkish breast, and more extensively white belly; it also lacks the bold malar stripe characteristic of many other quail-doves, including *G. montana*.

LONG-TAILED POTOO Nyctibius aethereus

The first regional record was one tape-recorded on 1 June 2006 in the forest fragment adjacent to FAH (BJWD, XC116371). It continued to sing until at least mid October and was seen by many observers (e.g., ACL, BMW, S. Mahood & D. Luther). Subsequently, four territories were discovered at CJL (Fig. 5). Outside our region, also in Mato Grosso, one was collected at Querência on 27 July 2010 (S. M. Dantas). First documented state records. Patchily distributed and often at low density, but widespread in southern Amazonia. The closest localities to Alta Floresta are the Serra do Cachimbo in Pará (Pacheco & Olmos 2005), Santarém (Lees *et al.* 2013) and rio Roosevelt in southern Amazonas (Whittaker 2009).

RUFOUS NIGHTJAR Antrostomus rufus

Regional status unclear. First recorded on 15 July 2004, when ACL found an incubating bird with two eggs in a forest fragment 20 km south-east of Alta Floresta. Only 2–3 additional records from the vicinity of CJL: one photographed and sound-recorded along the Serra Trail on 26 June 1998 (BMW, W. & G. Carter), one photographed at the base of Tower II on 23 June 2010 (J. Lopes, A. McAndrews) that was possibly the same bird tape-recorded there on 13 August 2010 (AW), and a singing bird near the base of Tower I pre-dawn on 24 August 2012 (BJWD).

SILKY-TAILED NIGHTJAR Antrostomus sericocaudatus

First found on 18 September 1996, when one was tape-recorded immediately adjacent to the lodge clearing at CJL (AW, KJZ). No more records until 6 September 2006, when two were singing along a newly cut trail 1.5 km south of the lodge (R. Hoyer, N. Athanas), with individuals subsequently found intermittently at this site. First records for Mato Grosso. Elsewhere in eastern Amazonia, recorded in Pará at Santarém (Griscom & Greenway 1941), Floresta Nacional do Tapajós (Lees *et al.* 2013), Pinkaiti (Aleixo *et al.* 2000) and Carajás (Marantz & Zimmer 2006, Pacheco *et al.* 2007).

AMAZONIAN SWIFT Chaetura viridipennis

Status of all swifts confused by identification difficulties. Nevertheless, this species appears to be a fairly common constituent of the large, multi-species flocks of *Chaetura* that occur over the rio Cristalino, and has also been recorded on the left bank of the rio Teles Pires. Amazonian Swift is larger than other *Chaetura* at Alta Floresta. Relative to Grey-rumped Swift *C. cinereiventris*, with which it is probably most likely to be confused locally, *C. viridipennis* is noticeably larger, proportionately longer winged, and flies with stronger, less rapid wingbeats. It also tends to appear less obviously capped, and its rump is browner and less contrastingly pale relative to the back.

LESSER SWALLOW-TAILED SWIFT Panyptila cayennensis

A single observed for several minutes over Alta Floresta airport on 5 January 1998 (CAM) was the first local record. A scarce resident around Alta Floresta, in both the extensively forested areas east of the Teles Pires and the fragmented landscape to the west.

CRIMSON TOPAZ *Topaza pella*

First recorded on 27 December 1997, a female flycatching over the rio Cristalino (CAM). All subsequent sightings from the vicinity of the river, where the only consistently occupied territory is near the start of the Serra Trail (B. Carlos pers. comm.). A female photographed and sound-recorded on 23 November 2008 upstream of the Castanheira Trail (M. Reid & BJWD). Much more frequent at the nearby rio São Benedito II in southern Pará, where several territories are known (Davis & Olmstead 2010).

TAPAJÓS HERMIT Phaethornis aethopyga

Described as a subspecies of Little Hermit *P. longuemareus* from two specimens collected at Caxiricatuba on the right bank of the lower rio Tapajós (Zimmer 1950). Although *aethopyga* was subsequently dismissed as a hybrid Streak-throated Hermit *P. rupurumii* × Reddish Hermit *P. ruber* (Hinkelmann 1996), specimens matching the type have now been collected from multiple locations in the rio Tapajós drainage, and their morphological distinctiveness leaves no doubt that it represents a valid species (Piacentini *et al.* 2009). First recorded on 19 September 1996, when KJZ & AW observed one or more feeding at a flowering *Inga* along the rio Cristalino just upstream of CJL. Subsequently found to be a low-density inhabitant at several sites on the right bank of the Teles Pires, with a lek near the Castanheira Trail in July 2004 (B. Carlos).

WHITE-BEARDED HERMIT Phaethornis hispidus

Presence long suspected, but difficulties in identifying *Phaethornis* meant that it was not confirmed until three were mist-netted along the Taboca Trail in May 2005 (J. Tobias & N. Seddon; Fig. 6). A nest in the 'Bungalow Clearing' at CJL in mid-April 2005 contained two eggs on 5 May and two nestlings on 8 May (F. Lambert, J. Tobias & N. Seddon).

FIERY-TAILED AWLBILL Avocettula recurvirostris

An easily overlooked species first recorded in semi-deciduous woodland along a new extension to the Serra Trail on 27–29 October 2005, when a male and female were observed feeding at terrestrial bromeliads (G. Bernadon). A male was at the same site on 17 July 2006 (S. Olmstead & S. Woods) and a female there on 24 July 2006 (ACL & BJWD). Subsequent sightings include a male photographed in stunted, semi-deciduous forest 1 km south of the lodge on 6 August 2007 (R. Hoyer; WA679972), a male in the crown of a low, isolated tree atop the Serra Trail on 11 June 2008 (BMW) a female hawking gnats in the canopy of leafless trees there on 22 June 2010 (BMW), a female at the first rocky summit of the Serra Nova Trail on 12 November 2009 (BJWD), an adult male observed flycatching in the canopy along the lower rio Cristalino on 14 August 2010 (AW) and an adult male photographed on the Serra Trail on 1 August 2011 (M. Lilje). First records for Mato Grosso. Elsewhere in central-south Amazonia, found in Rondônia at Cachoeira Nazaré (Stotz et al. 1997); in Pará at Carajás (Pacheco et al. 2007), Floresta National do Tapajós (Marantz & Zimmer 2006), Parque Nacional do Amazônia (AW & BMW), Floresta Nacional do Caxiuanã (AW & BMW), Pousada Rio Azul on the rio São Benedito II (BJWD), the rio Guamá at Marituba (ACL, N. Moura) and around Paragominas (Lees et al. 2012); in Amazonas along the rio Madeira at Itapinima (Cohn-Haft 2007), at Pousada Rio Roosevelt (AW, BJWD) and near Borba (AW, BMW, G. Kirwan, H. Shirihai).

FESTIVE COQUETTE *Lophornis chalybeus*

The only documented records concern a perched male photographed preening by a treefall gap along the Cacau Trail on 29 September 2005 (R. Hoyer; WA673423) and a female



photographed feeding at *Rodriguezia* sp. orchids in the CJL clearing on 5 October 2011 (R. Hoyer; WA673422). Undocumented records include a male and female on the Serra Trail on 18 June 2003 (A. Kirschel), a female at a flowering *Inga* at the FAH clearing on 27 January 2004 (BJWD) and another female on two dates in February 2004 on the Serra Trail (BJWD), with a male there on 1 July 2005 (S. Mahood). Also known from the Serra dos Caiabis, 70

km south of Alta Floresta (Lees *et al.* 2008). Records pertain to Amazonian *L. c. verreauxii* and not the nominate, which is endemic to the Atlantic Forest (and may warrant recognition as a separate species).

GOULD'S JEWELFRONT Heliodoxa aurescens

Five documented records. Three during the wet season involved single males photographed feeding at red flowers of terrestrial bromeliads *Bromelia balansae* and *Costus* sp. within the same small patch of semi-deciduous forest surrounded by *terra firme* adjacent to CJL on 24 February 2004, 17 February–5 March 2009 (BJWD; WA559052) and 21 February 2012 (BJWD; WA869951). The two dry-season records involved single males photographed on 6 September 2010 on the Castanheira Trail (E. Ramirez; WA588152) and on 1 August 2012 from Tower II at CJL as it fed at flowers in the canopy (AW). First documented state records. Probably under-recorded and we are aware of several other undocumented records in the wet season, when observer coverage is weakest.

RUFOUS MOTMOT Baryphthengus martii

Remarkably scarce. Tape-recorded and seen along the Castanheira Trail on 15 October 1997 (BMW), then seen and recorded next day and on 17–18 November 1997 (CAM; Marantz & Zimmer 2006). This territory is the only one that has been consistently occupied at CJL, yet birds have also been observed on the Rochas and Cacau Trails. First recorded on the left bank of the rio Teles Pires when one was video- and audio-recorded in a large forest fragment 30 km west of Alta Floresta in July 2005 (ACL), but subsequently found at five other widespread forest patches in 2005–06 (e.g. ACL; XC86621).

RUSTY-BREASTED NUNLET Nonnula rubecula

An unobtrusive species first recorded when one was videotaped along the Haffer Trail on 26 June 2002 (P. Donahue). Five subsequent sightings, all in forest near the river: a pair along the Tapiri Trail on 7 June 2006 (S. Olmstead), a single along the Manakin Trail on 21 September 2006 (R. Hoyer) with one photographed there on 31 August 2007 (B. Freeman; Fig. 7), one tape-recorded along the Cacau Trail on 30 September 2007 (S. Olmstead) and one photographed on the Taboca Trail on 17 August 2008 (G. Kirwan, W. Price). First records for Mato Grosso, with two subsequently collected at Paranaíta on 4 May and 25 September 2009 (AW). Elsewhere, recorded in southern Pará as close as Thaimaçu on the rio São Benedito on 23 November 2005 and at Pousada Rio Azul on the rio São Benedito II on 9 and 30 September 2009 (BJWD), and in Amazonas at the rio Roosevelt (Whittaker 2009).

BLACK-NECKED ARACARI Pteroglossus aracari

Rare to uncommon at CJL, where reported by J. Haffer in November–December 1993. Apparently more abundant further upstream on the rio Cristalino and recently proven to occur regularly at Tower II (BJWD). Unknown on the left bank of the rio Teles Pires. The study region marks the contact zone between Black-necked and Chestnut-eared Aracaris *P. castanotis*, but it is unclear if hybridisation occurs, as may be the case in south-east Amazonia (Haffer 1974). Both species also occur along the rio Peixoto de Azevedo, 100 km east of Alta Floresta (Novaes & Lima 1990).

HYACINTH MACAW Anodorhynchus hyacinthinus

An occasional visitor, but regular in the neighbouring Serra do Cachimbo (Buzzetti 2005, Pacheco & Olmos 2005). Most records from the rio Cristalino, where an adult was photographed in mid-July 2008 (J. Lopes). There is a resident population in an area

dominated by *Astrocaryum* palms on the left bank of the rio São Benedito II 70 km northwest of Alta Floresta (BJWD).

BALD PARROT Pyrilia aurantiocephala

Recently described and known in the region from just two records: two photographed on 10 October 2005 in young second growth near the forest edge along the road that bisects Parque Estadual Cristalino near Limão *c*.10 km upstream from CJL (R. Hoyer; Fig. 8), and three photographed with Orange-cheeked Parrots *P. barrabandi* on 28 August 2008 on Ilha Ariosto (J. Lopes, D. Buzzetti), with one photographed there next day (R. Santos; WA163160). First records for Mato Grosso, a southern extension from the nearest localities in extreme southern Pará on the Serra do Cachimbo at Cachoeiras do Curuá (Pacheco & Olmos 2005), the rio São Benedito at Thaimaçu (Gaban-Lima *et al.* 2002) and rio São Benedito II (BJWD). These are both right-bank tributaries of the middle rio Teles Pires. Given the abundance of *P. barrabandi* in the study region, and apparent rarity of *P. aurantiocephala*, it is probable that birds in our region are strays from nearby populations.

KAWALL'S PARROT Amazona kawalli

Described from captive birds (Grantsau & Camargo 1989), it was not until 1995 that *A. kawalli* was discovered in the wild (Martuscelli & Yamashita 1997). First found on 13 October 1997, the first records for Mato Grosso, when documented by audio recordings made by BMW. Now known to be one of the commonest *Amazona* on the right bank of the rio Teles Pires, but seemingly absent from the left bank, where apparently replaced by Mealy Parrot *A. farinosa*, which is rare on the right bank. The near-total lack of published information on the species prior to the first survey, coupled with its morphological similarity to Mealy Parrot, undoubtedly led to *A. kawalli* being overlooked prior to 1997.

SCARLET-SHOULDERED PARROTLET Touit huetii

Appears uncommon in *terra firme* forest, where most often detected by voice as singles or small groups pass high over the forest canopy. It is unclear if *T. huetii* undertakes local movements in response to seasonal changes in food resources across the region.

BANDED ANTBIRD Dichrozona cincta

A singing bird on the Cajá Trail on 11–12 July 2002 (P. Donahue) was the only record until June 2005, when what may have been the same individual was found in the same spot (D. Luther) and subsequently seen and recorded by many observers until at least August 2010 (e.g., Marantz & Zimmer 2006). Another singing bird was on the left bank of the rio Cristalino near Tower II on 6 October 2009 (BJWD & J. Lopes). First documented state records. Here, at the southern edge of its range, apparently at very low density, whereas the species is a more conspicuous inhabitant of *terra firme* forest in western Amazonia and, at least locally, east of the rio Xingu (CAM, KJZ & ACL). Also known in eastern Amazonia in Pará at the Floresta Nacional de Caxiuanã (Silva 1998, Marantz & Zimmer 2006), on the right bank of the rio Xingu at Pinkaiti (Aleixo *et al.* 2000), Trairão (Pacheco & Olmos 2005), the Floresta Nacional do Tapajós (Henriques *et al.* 2003), Parque Nacional da Amazônia (AW) and Serra dos Carajás (Pacheco *et al.* 2007).

CINNAMON-RUMPED FOLIAGE-GLEANER Philydor pyrrhodes

The first record concerned two (MPEG 51438–439) collected on the Haffer Trail on 22 and 27 November 1993 (J. Haffer), with unseen birds heard along the Rochas Trail on 15–18 October 1997 and Serra Trail on 3 November 1997 (CAM), and one was recorded

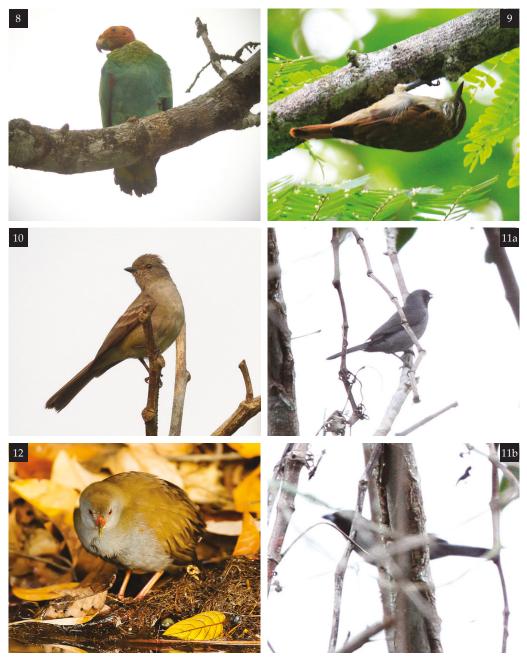


Figure 8. Bald Parrot *Pyrilia aurantiocephala*, 10 October 2006 (R. Hoyer)
Figure 9. Slender-billed Xenops *Xenops tenuirostris*, 23 November 2008 (M. Reid)
Figure 10. Amazonian Scrub Flycatcher *Sublegatus obscurior*, 19 September 2011 (R. Hoyer)
Figure 11. Black-faced Tanager *Schistochlamys melanopis*, 22 October 2011 (M. Matthiessen)
Figure 12. Paint-billed Crake *Neocrex erythropus*, 27 August 2012 (W. Chambers)

singing and subsequently seen on 15 September 1998 at the Taboca Trail (KJZ, AW). Scarce inhabitant of riparian forests, particularly those dominated by palms.

SLENDER-BILLED XENOPS Xenops tenuirostris

Given that Streaked Xenops *X. rutilans* is apparently restricted to semi-decidious forests atop serras, it is probable that the account in the original survey of *X. tenuirostris / rutilans* from the left bank of the rio Teles Pires indeed involved Slender-billed Xenops, which was first recorded definitively on 10 November 1997, when one was seen in the canopy of *igapó* forest near the start of the Haffer Trail (CAM). Documentation is provided by a sound-recording obtained by BMW on 8 October 1999 (ML108748) and photographs by M. Reid on 23 November 2008 (Fig. 9) of a Slender-billed Xenops with a mixed-species flock at the CJL clearing. A scarce and often overlooked resident, principally in seasonally flooded forest along the rio Cristalino.

WHITE-CHINNED WOODCREEPER Dendrocincla merula

A relatively common inhabitant of *terra firme* forest accidentally omitted from the original list.

AMAZONIAN SCRUB FLYCATCHER Sublegatus obscurior

An inconspicuous flycatcher of the canopy and subcanopy of tall forest, usually at light gaps and edges. First recorded at Tower I on 3 July 1999 (BMW), followed by observations by AW from Tower I on 5 May 2003 and in August 2004, and on the left bank of the rio Teles Pires at Fazenda Cristalino on 17 June 2004 (BMW). ACL sound-recorded one at the edge of *terra firme* forest 30 km south-west of Alta Floresta on 13 September 2005 (XC115822). BMW has subsequently tape-recorded or videotaped at least one almost annually since 2005, and along most of the trail system at CJL. The only photograph was taken at Limão on 19 September 2006 (R. Hoyer; Fig. 10). First documented state records.

BLACK-CHESTED TYRANT Taeniotriccus andrei

Added to the Alta Floresta list on the basis of the reidentified tape-recording (ML48203) of a female seen by M. & P. Isler along the Gold Miners' Trail on 7 November 1989 (ACL: see Black-and-white Tody-Flycatcher). This is the first record of *T. andrei* for Mato Grosso. Black-chested Tyrant has recently been discovered in the adjacent municipality of Paranaíta, where Signor *et al.* (2011) collected a male at 09°24′S, 57°06′W on 27 April 2008. M. Pérsio & AW subsequently tape-recorded and collected specimens 80 km north-east of Alta Floresta in September 2009. We anticipate the species' future rediscovery around Alta Floresta.

YELLOW-MARGINED FLYCATCHER Tolmomyias assimilis

An audio recording made along the Gold Miners' Trail on 17 September 1993 (KJZ) was the first documentation of this species' occurrence in the region, but the recording was not identified until after the final submission of Zimmer *et al.* (1997). Based on its voice, this flycatcher is a relatively plentiful and vocal member of mixed-species canopy flocks in the region. Populations in south-east Amazonia (*T. a. paraensis*), including Alta Floresta, are very different vocally from the *T. assimilis* complex in western Amazonia, the Guianas and Central America, which are the subject of ongoing investigation by KJZ, AW & BMW. The contact zone between *T. a. paraensis* and *T. a. assimilis* lies in the municipality of Alta Floresta, given that *T. a. assimilis* has been recorded immediately south of the region at Serra dos Caiabis (Lees *et al.* 2008).

CINNAMON NEOPIPO Neopipo cinnamomea

The only documented records concern one tape-recorded on the Castanheira Trail on 20 June 2004 (BMW) and a singing bird filmed by B. Carlos on 5 November 2012 on the Serra Trail, with several undocumented reports from elsewhere at CJL. No records from the left bank of the rio Teles Pires, but encountered frequently in white-sand forest to the south at Serra dos Caiabis (Lees *et al.* 2008) and to the north on Serra do Cachimbo (Pacheco & Olmos 2005).

WHITE-CROWNED MANAKIN Dixiphia pipra

Apparently one of the scarcest manakins in the region, it was first recorded at the Haffer Trail on 17 November–9 December 1993, when nine specimens were collected by J. Haffer. Subsequently three leks have been discovered: one along the rio Cristalino 1 km south of CJL, another on the right bank of the rio Cristalino upstream of the Castanheira Trail, and on the left bank of the rio Teles Pires along the Borboletas Trail (ACL & BJWD). Singles, typically in female-like plumage, are found sporadically elsewhere (including one banded adjacent to the Saleiro along the Rochas Trail on 29 May 2005 by ACL). First documented state records.

BLACK-NECKED RED COTINGA Phoenicircus nigricollis

'*Phoenicircus* sp.' appeared on the original list based on an unidentified bird heard in the canopy of dense forest at the Gold Miners' Trail on 25 August 1991 (T. A. Parker & KJZ) and another heard and glimpsed at a fruiting tree along the Rochas Trail on 21 October 1992 (KJZ & B. Schram). On 4 August 2012 AW tape-recorded the song and briefly saw an unsexed *P. nigricollis* below Tower I and at the Saleiro. Closest records from the right bank of the rio Teles Pires just upstream from the mouth of the rio São Benedito, 130 km from Alta Floresta, where a female was collected on 24 June 1999 (J. Weckstein; MPEG 54729).

DOTTED TANAGER Tangara varia

This enigmatic tanager was first reported when a single was seen on 26 September 2008 on the 'Manakin Trail' (B. Freeman). It was observed feeding for *c*.10 seconds at 20 m distance on a low (4 m-high) melastome with other *Tangara* tanagers, dacnises and manakins. BMW sound-recorded and subsequently saw one from the upper platform of Tower II on the left bank of the rio Cristalino on 22 June 2011, and AW observed a male in the same place feeding on berries in the canopy on 27 June 2012 and heard an additional bird on the Serra Trail by the river on 29 June 2012. Confirmation of this species' presence in the study area was anticipated, given that it is known from the Serra do Cachimbo immediately to the north (AW) and Serra dos Caiabis to the south (Lees *et al.* 2008).

BUFF-RUMPED WARBLER Phaeothlypis fulvicauda

The first records involved a territorial pair at a stream in *terra firme* forest 30 km west of Alta Floresta in July 2005 (ACL; XC115824) and a pair seen and sound-recorded in similar habitat 39 km west-southwest of Alta Floresta in August 2005 (ACL). Also occurs on the Serra dos Caiabis south of Alta Floresta (Lees *et al.* 2008), but unknown on the right bank of the rio Teles Pires, where replaced by Riverbank Warbler *P. rivularis*. The two sites where Buff-rumped Warblers were recorded were the westernmost of 37 riparian sites surveyed in 2005, so the species may reach the limits of its distribution in the west of the region. These sightings suggest that the contact zone between dark-rumped *P. rivularis* and bright-rumped *P. fulvicauda* lies at or at least near the rio Teles Pires.

Semi-deciduous forest species.—Six species reported for the first time since 1995 have been in either semi-deciduous, xerophytic woodland atop rocky serras, or in patches of stunted forest within tall, evergreen forest. Only a few hundred metres of trails traverse these habitats at CJL and semi-deciduous forests remain unsampled on the left bank of the rio Teles Pires. These small habitat islands host a depauperate avifauna different from that in adjacent evergreen forest. Analysis of Landsat images indicates the presence of campinarana-type forests upstream along the rio Cristalino, at the extreme southern edge of the Serra do Cachimbo, and in our region. The avifauna at these sites is probably similar to that at the Serra do Cachimbo to the north in southern Pará (Pinto & Camargo 1957, Pacheco & Olmos 2005) and the Serra dos Caiabis to the south in Mato Grosso (Lees et al. 2008). Several other species of transitional forest habitats have recently been reported from the region, albeit without documentation. We anticipate that their presence will be confirmed in future and speculate that the occurrence of several species during major drought events may be more than coincidental. Populations of many terra firme forest species may also have been locally reduced, even within continuous forest, a trend that, if proven, may be tied to recent anomalies and shifts in rainfall regimes, such as those discussed by Spracklen et al. (2012).

SCALED PIGEON Patagioenas speciosa

First recorded on 21 September 1997 when one was seen from atop the Serra Trail (AW). *P. speciosa* is now an uncommon resident most frequently found in semi-deciduous forests atop the *serras* or along rivers.

SPOTTED PUFFBIRD Bucco tamatia

Initially found on 17 September 1998, when a territory was discovered on the Serra Trail (KJZ & AW, KJZ audio recording), and this territory remained occupied through July 2012 (BJWD). BMW has also seen and heard individuals on both banks of the rio Cristalino just above the head of the Serra Trail. BJWD found at least three on the first rocky summit of the Serra Nova Trail in November 2011, where the species was photographed on 18 July 2012 by E. Ramirez (WA708138).

BLUE-WINGED MACAW Primolius maracana

This Near Threatened species is scarce in the region. The first record involved a pair heard and seen over the rio Cristalino near the Haffer Trail on 20 October 1996 (BMW). Recorded most frequently in semi-deciduous forest along the rio Cristalino, but also fairly regularly in agricultural landscapes south of the rio Teles Pires, particularly in and near Alta Floresta, where apparently increasing (BJWD). May be colonising the region from source populations on the Serra do Cachimbo (Pacheco & Olmos 2005) or Serra dos Caiabis (Lees *et al.* 2008).

YELLOW-BROWED ANTBIRD Hypocnemis hypoxantha

Known from a single territory along the Serra Trail found on 9 June 2004 (BMW) and occupied at least through June 2009 (BMW). First record for Mato Grosso. Elsewhere in south-central Amazonia, the distinctive *H. h. ochraceiventris* is known from southern Pará, in the Floresta Nacional do Tapajós (Marantz & Zimmer 2006), the rio São Benedito II (BJWD), rio São Benedito (BMW; J. Minns & A. Grosset *in litt.* 2003) and Altamira on the rio Xingu (Griscom & Greenway 1941). Additionally, BMW *et al.* are describing a new species in the *H. hypoxantha* complex from the left bank of the Tapajós / Juruena.

BLACK-FACED TANAGER Schistochlamys melanopis

Single adult photographed by T. Brooks & M. Matthiessen on the summit of the Serra Trail on 22 October 2011 (Fig. 11). Occurs in transitional forest north and south of the region on the Serra do Cachimbo (Pacheco & Olmos 2005) and Serra dos Caiabis (Lees *et al.* 2008), respectively.

RED-LEGGED HONEYCREEPER Cyanerpes cyaneus

Following a report from the summit of the Serra Trail on 6 July 2012 (E. Patrial), BJWD observed an adult and subadult male accompanying a mixed-species flock including Purple *C. caeruleus* and Short-billed Honeycreepers *C. nitidus*, and various *Tangara* spp. in the canopy of *terra firme* forest at Tower II on 22 August 2012. Occurs on the Serra do Cachimbo immediately north of Alta Floresta (Pacheco & Olmos 2005).

Scrub, young second-growth, and non-forest species.—Seventy million hectares of Amazonia have been converted into anthropogenic habitats, resulting in massive floral and faunal impoverishment (Laurance *et al.* 2004). Filling this vacuum is a predictable subset of edge and non-forest species, the community structure of which was described by Mahood *et al.* (2012). Thirty-two such species were recorded for the first time in Alta Floresta since 1997. In the previous study (Zimmer *et al.* 1997), non-forest habitats were poorly sampled, so many of these species were probably overlooked; however, others probably represent recent colonists following the continued loss of forest, and it seems certain that even more open-country species will invade in the future. Expected species include Eared Dove *Zenaida auriculata*, White-eared Puffbird *Nystalus chacuru*, Spot-backed Puffbird *Nystalus maculatus* and Peach-fronted Parakeet *Aratinga aurea*, all of which occur in degraded habitats not far to the south in the Serra dos Caiabis (Lees *et al.* 2008). Cattle Tyrant *Machetornis rixosus* also seems overdue given its widespread distribution in open habitats.

SPECKLED CHACHALACA Ortalis guttata

First recorded on 27 November 1997, when one was seen in scrub on Ilha Ariosto, a large river island in the rio Teles Pires (CAM). Chachalacas also ocur in *igapó* forest at Lagoa Cigana, but are rare on the left bank of the rio Teles Pires (although this may reflect poor sampling of river-edge habitats). Encountered several times near the Porto de Areia river crossing downstream of the mouth of the rio Cristalino (BJWD) and in scrub between there and the town of Alta Floresta (BMW & S. Mahood).

TURKEY VULTURE Cathartes aura

First recorded on 31 December 1997 just outside Alta Floresta along the road to the rio Teles Pires (CAM), yet it is now a common inhabitant of farmland and over urban areas on the south side of the river.

WHITE-TAILED KITE Elanus leucurus

Although first noted behind FAH on 2 December 1997 (CAM), it is now a fairly conspicuous inhabitant of farmland on both sides of the rio Teles Pires.

GREY-LINED HAWK Buteo nitidus

Unrecorded until 18 September 2001, when one was seen between Alta Floresta and the rio Teles Pires (S. Hansson), Grey-lined Hawk is now conspicuous away from continuous forest, where it appears to prefer small forest patches bordering unmanaged pasture and scrub.

RUSSET-CROWNED CRAKE Anurolimnas viridis

First recorded on 17 September 1996, when a pair was tape-recorded and seen between Alta Floresta and the rio Teles Pires (KJZ, AW), but now a common inhabitant of non-forest habitats, particularly cattle pastures and scrub, often far from water (Mahood *et al.* 2012).

SCALED DOVE *Columbina squammata*

A bird photographed 20 km west-northwest of Alta Floresta on 12 May 2005 (ACL; WA839394) was the first record. Seen only sporadically in 2005–06, when recorded on just 0.5% of point counts in non-forested habitats (Mahood *et al.* 2012), yet is now increasing rapidly (BJWD).

PICAZURO PIGEON Patagioenas picazuro

Since the first record—two on 4 November 1997 between Alta Floresta and the rio Teles Pires (CAM)—has become a fairly common inhabitant of open country. Detected on 16% of surveys in non-forested habitats around Alta Floresta (Mahood *et al.* 2012).

WHITE-TIPPED DOVE *Leptotila verreauxi*

Apparently unrecorded prior to a report on 9 August 2001 along the road between FAH and the Teles Pires (S. Hansson), but now a fairly common resident in agricultural and suburban areas, evidently replacing Grey-fronted Dove *L. rufaxilla*, which is primarily associated with forest and forest edges.

STRIPED CUCKOO Tapera naevia

First recorded on 10–24 December 1997 at Fazenda Cristalino (CAM), and subsequently found to be an uncommon resident of non-forested habitats on both banks of the Teles Pires. Occurs principally in tall pasture with some arborescent vegetation, and in scrub on Ilha Ariosto.

GUIRA CUCKOO Guira guira

First reported on 19 September 2001 (S. Hansson), it has subsequently become one of the most conspicuous inhabitants of farmland around Alta Floresta.

TROPICAL SCREECH OWL Megascops choliba

Although recorded only as recently as 2005, when one was found 12 km south-east of Alta Floresta on 15 June (ACL; XC86649) and another photographed 9 km south-west of Alta Floresta on 23 June (ACL; WA559376), the species has proven to be widespread in farmland and edge habitats, and occurs in urban Alta Floresta (BJWD).

STRIPED OWL *Pseudoscops clamator*

First recorded in the CJL clearing, where one was observed on 11 December 2003 (M. Shirley). Subsequently found at four farmland sites in 2005 (ACL), and breeding was confirmed on 28 September 2008, when a dependent juvenile was photographed in degraded forest adjacent to the airport (BJWD; WA561761). Since found at low density on cattle ranches near Pousada Rio Azul, 70 km north of Alta Floresta (BJWD), suggesting that its range continues to expand with deforestation.

COMMON POTOO *Nyctibius griseus*

The most frequently encountered *Nyctibius* in the region, where it is a fairly common in forest edge bordering rivers and non-forested areas. ACL was shown two nests on 15 July

2005, both atop fence posts amid pastures >1 km from the nearest forest 10 km north of Carlinda (ACL; WA350115).

NACUNDA NIGHTHAWK Chordeiles nacunda

Scarce, but potentially increasing, in open country on the left bank of the rio Teles Pires. Records span the period April–October, with the earliest on 26 April 2012 (BJWD; WA625866) and a max. count of 40 on 20 August 2006 roosting at the airport in Alta Floresta (ACL).

WHITE WOODPECKER Melanerpes candidus

Recent colonist; the first record was an individual videotaped 35 km north-west of Alta Floresta on 27 May 2006 (S. Mahood), followed by a foraging party of three in the town of Alta Floresta on 5 May 2009 (BJWD), and a single at the same location on 31 October 2010 (BJWD). At least one family group of at least four individuals has become resident in an area of pastures with scattered snags and Brazilnut *Bertholletia excelsa* trees on the east side of Alta Floresta (BJWD). Also known from the Serra dos Caiabis, 60 km south of the region (Lees *et al.* 2008).

APLOMADO FALCON Falco femoralis

Just three records: one at FAH on 27 July 2003 (A. Kirschel), a pair photographed 15 km west of Alta Floresta on 13 June 2004 (ACL) that remained through June 2005 (ACL; WA559382) and one 10 km south-east of Alta Floresta on 16 April 2006 (S. Mahood).

BARRED ANTSHRIKE Thamnophilus doliatus

First found on 21 April 2004, when a female was observed on Ilha Ariosto (F. Lambert & J. Tobias), but it has subsequently proven to be quite common in scrubby second growth and unmanaged pasture on the left bank of the rio Teles Pires (ACL).

PALE-BREASTED SPINETAIL Synallaxis albescens

Although this open-country spinetail went unrecorded until 10 June 2006, when discovered in pastures 3 km east of Alta Floresta (BJWD & ACL), it has subsequently been proven to be an uncommon resident in non-forested habitats, preferring unmanaged pasture with some scrub.

RUSTY-FRONTED TODY-FLYCATCHER *Poecilotriccus latirostris*

Fairly common in habitats similar to those frequented by Barred Antshrike and was mistakenly omitted from Zimmer *et al.* (1997). First record came from 20 km north of Alta Floresta on 27 October 1989 (P. Isler; ML48005). Currently known in the study area only from the left bank of the rio Teles Pires; however, it has also been found north of the river in second growth 65 km north of Alta Floresta (BJWD).

YELLOWISH PIPIT Anthus lutescens

First detected on 20 August 2002, when one was in a pasture 35 km north of Alta Floresta (B. Carlos). Subsequent searches have revealed it to be locally plentiful, but patchily distributed, in short-grass pasture.

WHITE-LINED TANAGER *Tachyphonus rufus*

First found when a male was seen on 28 November 1997 on Ilha Ariosto (CAM). Uncommon locally, being most frequently recorded around FAH.

RUFOUS-COLLARED SPARROW Zonotrichia capensis

Fairly common in farmland and urban areas on the left bank of the rio Teles Pires, but also appears sporadically in forest clearings and on the serra north of the Teles Pires.

GRASSLAND SPARROW Ammodramus humeralis

First discovered on 21 July 2003, when a singing bird was on the airfield at Alta Floresta (A. Kirschel). Found at seven sites in 2004 (ACL) and subsequently detected on 20% of 397 point counts during surveys of non-forested habitats (Mahood *et al.* 2012).

RUSTY-COLLARED SEEDEATER Sporophila collaris

A single male photographed (D. Lorin; WA649377) and sound-recorded at the northern edge of the town of Alta Floresta on 19 May 2012. Prior to this, ACL photographed two captives (a female/immature and an immature male) on 4 August 2005 said to have been obtained 15 km north-west of Alta Floresta.

YELLOW-BELLIED SEEDEATER Sporophila nigricollis

Following the first record, a male in the bungalow clearing at CJL on 30 October 1997 (CAM), this *Sporophila* has become common in farmland and forest edge. Often in mixed flocks with Lined Seedeater, but unlike *S. lineola*, which is only a migrant in the region, *S. nigricollis* is also a local breeder during the austral winter.

CHESTNUT-BELLIED SEEDEATER Sporophila castaneiventris

Three records, all males in August–September: on 13 September 2004 on Ilha Ariosto (M. Pretti), with a large flock of *Sporophila* in fields adjacent to FAH on 24 September 2005 (ACL), and a captive male photographed at a fazenda 15 km north-west of Alta Floresta on 4 August 2005 (ACL). The latter was reportedly trapped the previous week, and a large *Sporophila* flock was still present during ACL's visit.

RED-CRESTED FINCH Coryphospingus cucullatus

Two at the edge of semi-deciduous forest atop the large, granitic dome at the end of the Serra Nova Trail on 12 November 2009 (BJWD) was the first local record. The species' presence was not entirely unexpected given that it was found on the Serra dos Caiabis (Lees *et al.* 2008) and photographed at Salto Apiacás (on the municipal border of Alta Floresta and Juará) on 20 May 2009 (BJWD).

GREYISH SALTATOR Saltator coerulescens

An uncommon resident of river islands and non-forested areas on both banks of the rio Teles Pires; first detected on 4 November 1997 at Lagoa Cigana (CAM).

CHOPI BLACKBIRD Gnorimopsar chopi

One tape-recorded as it flew over FAH on 29 July 2003 (AW) is the only record.

SHINY COWBIRD Molothrus bonariensis

A recent arrival, first found on 27 September 2005, when at least six were foraging with Giant Cowbirds *Molothrus oryzivorus* and other icterids 35 km south of Alta Floresta (ACL). Small numbers are now present around the town and at fishponds immediately to the west, where up to 20 were seen in August 2006 (ACL; WA563033).

RED-BREASTED BLACKBIRD Sturnella militaris

First recorded locally on 15 May 2005 when two displaying males were at a lake 3 km northwest of Alta Floresta (ACL; WA839393). Subsequently recorded at an additional 15 sites, May–October 2005 and April–September 2006, with recently fledged juveniles at two sites in July 2005 (ACL, S. Mahood). All singing birds chose artificial wetland sites, invariably <100-ha lakes within cattle ranches. Also recorded in May 2005 150 km west of Alta Floresta at Nova Bandeirantes (ACL), 70 km north of Alta Floresta near the rio São Benedito II (BJWD), and west of Alta Floresta in the municipalities of Paranaíta and Apiacás (BJWD).

PURPLE-THROATED EUPHONIA Euphonia chlorotica

First recorded on Ilha Ariosto, when a singing male was seen briefly on 28 November 1997 (CAM), and it is now an uncommon inhabitant of edge habitats and semi-deciduous forest throughout the region.

Wetland and river-edge species.-Wetlands were poorly sampled during the first survey. Natural wetlands are restricted to rivers and perennial streams, palm swamps and small oxbow lakes. In this list, we include species associated with sandbars and beaches along rivers (shorebirds, terns) and waterbirds associated with forested river edges (forest-dependant herons and rails). Although no large, natural lakes exist in the region, the damming of numerous small streams and rivers to create waterholes for livestock and piscicultural ventures has provided a patchwork of artificial wetlands up to 100 ha in size throughout the deforested landscape. Some newly recorded species, e.g. Hoatzin Opisthocomus hoazin and Black-collared Hawk Busarellus nigricollis, are locally common upriver along the rio Cristalino, and at other sites with similar *igapó / várzea* habitats. Other species, such as Boat-billed Cochlearius cochlearius and Zigzag Herons Zebrilus undulatus are easily missed because of their nocturnal or crepuscular habits, respectively. This is particularly true of Z. undulatus, which is vocal only seasonally and can be extremely difficult to locate at other times. Some wetland species exhibit some degree of seasonality in their occurrence, such as Jabiru Jabiru mycteria, which typically appears in July-August, whereas others, e.g. Least Grebe Tachybaptus dominicus, occur erratically, but apparently year-round. Further sampling is required to elucidate the local status of most wetland species.

WHITE-FACED WHISTLING DUCK Dendrocygna viduata

The more plentiful of the two *Dendrocygna* in the region, with flocks of up to 300 at larger lakes and fishponds. Numbers peak in August–September when water levels in natural wetland areas are at their lowest.

BLACK-BELLIED WHISTLING DUCK Dendrocygna autumnalis

First recorded on 9 December 1997, when two were seen and tape-recorded in the swamp behind FAH (CAM; ML89005). Small numbers are now recorded in association with the generally more plentiful *D. viduata*.

MASKED DUCK Nomonyx dominicus

Recorded only three times: one at a small lake 10 km north-west of Alta Floresta on 20 October 1999 (B. Carlos & P. O'Neil), a female-plumaged bird photographed at a perennial wetland 7 km south-west of Alta Floresta on 3 July 2004 (ACL, S. Mahood; WA350079) and another female-plumaged bird photographed at a lake in the town on 20 May 2009 (BJWD).

LEAST GREBE *Tachybaptus dominicus*

Recorded annually in small numbers at Alta Floresta, chiefly in March–June. Nearby, along the rio São Benedito II, it is resident on small pools on cattle ranches, but breeding is unproven (BJWD).

AGAMI HERON Agamia agami

Recorded primarily along the rio Cristalino, most frequently upriver in *igapó* and particularly around the oxbow lakes of Lagoa Cigana. Six to eight seen, all at or above Lagoa Cigana, during a two-day trip upstream along the rio Cristalino, 19–20 November 1997 (CAM), was the highest count. An immature at the artificial wetland behind FAH on 2 December 1997 (CAM) is the only record south of the rio Teles Pires.

BOAT-BILLED HERON Cochlearius cochlearius

Apparently a scarce resident in suitable riverine habitat on both banks of the Teles Pires, but a paucity of nocturnal surveys (particularly along rivers) result in its remaining poorly known in the region. Almost all records in the dry season, but this may reflect the relative ease of finding the species when water levels are low, because during the wet season there are no exposed fishing perches viewable from easily navigable sections of the river.

ZIGZAG HERON Zebrilus undulatus

An adult along the Taboca Trail on 16 September 1997 (AW) was the first record in the region. Subsequently documented breeding along the rio Cristalino, with males vocalising at dusk and before dawn in late October–early April. A nest found on 4 April 2003 was *c*.1 m above the water surface in a partially submerged shrub (ACL, J. Minns & A. Grosset). Other nests on 28 November 2003 (AW), in late March 2004 (J. Lopes) and on 10 April 2005 (S. Mahood). Only one record from the left bank of the rio Teles Pires, a single foraging in a dense riverside thicket at the rio Santa Helena on 20 July 2005 (ACL). Elsewhere in the region has been collected along the rio Peixoto de Azevedo (Novaes & Lima 1990).

LEAST BITTERN *Ixobrychus exilis.*

ACL flushed a male at close range (affording views of the bird's unstreaked black mantle and remiges) at a perennial wetland 40 km west of Alta Floresta on 15 September 2004. Another observed at close range at Lagoa Cigana on 9 August 2010 (S. Boddington, J. Lopes).

JABIRU Jabiru mycteria

Encountered annually, usually alone or in pairs, at perennial wetlands and fishponds on the left bank of the rio Teles Pires in May–October. Breeding was confirmed when a nest with four chicks was photographed on 13 August 2010 1 km north of the rio Teles Pires near the Porto de Areia ferry 28 km north of Alta Floresta (BJWD; WA569675). The nest was in the primary fork (*c*.25 m above ground) of an isolated, 40 m-tall *Bertholletia excelsa* in a cattle pasture beside a road.

MAGUARI STORK Ciconia maguari

The only record was an adult photographed in a field 4 km south of the rio Teles Pires, 35 km north-west of Alta Floresta, on 14 July 2009 (BJWD; WA568849). After being flushed, the bird circled on a thermal to soar with a juvenile Wood Stork *Mycteria americana* and several Black Vultures *Coragyps atratus*. Borrow ponds in *várzeas* of the Teles Pires are frequented

by *M. americana* during the dry season, and it is possible that this bird arrived in the area together with migrants of that species.

BLACK-COLLARED HAWK Busarellus nigricollis

Low-density inhabitant of major river systems in the region, on the rios Teles Pires, Cristalino, Santa Helena, and Ribeirão Carmindo.

SLATE-COLOURED HAWK Buteogallus schistaceus

Documented for the first time in July 2012, when D. Hofmann photographed one along the rio São João on 9 July, and BJWD & L. Rondini photographed another at a forest corridor near the rio Santa Helena (south of the rio Teles Pires), 30 km due west of Alta Floresta on 14 July (WA694726).

UNIFORM CRAKE Amaurolimnas concolor

One photographed foraging on muddy edges of the right bank of the rio Cristalino upstream from the Serra Trail on 8 September 2010 (J. Davis) was later filmed foraging in the open at the water's edge (BJWD; WA844383). The first state record, it was remarkably tame, allowing a boat to approach to within 5 m.

PAINT-BILLED CRAKE Neocrex erythrops

Recorded twice; a corpse in the bungalow clearing at CJL on 23 October 1997 (identification confirmed by CAM) and an adult photographed along the rio Cristalino on 27 August 2012 (BJWD & W. Chambers; Fig. 12). Elsewhere in southern Amazonia, known in Mato Grosso from São Vicente (Naumburg 1930), and in Pará at the Serra do Cachimbo (Pinto & Camargo 1957), Paragominas (Lees *et al.* 2012), rio Xingu (Sick 1993), rio Jamanxim (Snethlage 1914) and Santarém (Lees *et al.* 2013). No concrete evidence of regular movements, but the many extralimital records suggest either migration or vagrant tendencies (Taylor & van Perlo 1998).

COMMON GALLINULE Gallinula galeata

Unrecorded until 24 December 1997, when one was at a pond between Alta Floresta and the rio Teles Pires (CAM), it is now a scarce resident at perennial wetlands. Reported most frequently around FAH and between Alta Floresta and the Teles Pires.

BLACK-NECKED STILT Himantopus mexicanus

One record, a pair of adults at fishponds 1 km south of Alta Floresta on 15 June 2004 (ACL).

HOATZIN Opisthocomus hoazin

Confined to *várzea / igapó*, conspicuous upriver on the rio Cristalino above Limão, with dispersing birds occasionally encountered elsewhere along the rios Cristalino, Teles Pires (e.g., Ilha Ariosto) and Santa Helena (ACL, CAM).

GREEN-TAILED GOLDENTHROAT Polytmus theresiae

The first record was a single on Ilha Ariosto in mid-August 2005 (B. Carlos, R. S. Ridgely). Two singing birds on rocky islets adjacent to Ilha Ariosto on 22 August 2012 and on 27 August when sound-recordings were made (BJWD; XC116039). Also recorded just outside our area at Fazenda Madeseik *c.*50 km north of Alta Floresta (where resident at a large swamp dominated by dead *Mauritia flexuosa* palm snags; BJWD), in low *campinarana* near the rio São Benedito II 70 km north of Alta Floresta, and upriver along the rio Cristalino in

the Reserva Biológica Nascentes do Cachimbo (Buzzetti 2005). The southernmost published records are from white-sand forest on the Serra dos Caiabis (Lees *et al.* 2008), but one was photographed at Campos do Julio, 570 south-west of Alta Floresta (D. Mota; WA663952), with sight records from São José do Rio Claro, 410 km south of Alta Floresta (BJWD, F. F. Oliveira).

AMAZONIAN TYRANNULET Inezia subflava

Found in the study area on 13 October 1996 on a small river island adjacent to Ilha Ariosto (BMW). Subsequently found to occupy various small islands along the rio Teles Pires, but unknown from the blackwater rio Cristalino. Also recorded south of the basin in the state of Tocantins along the rio Araguaia near Caseara (KJZ & AW) and the rio Formoso near Lagoa da Confusão (BMW), and in Mato Grosso along the rio Araguaia, rio das Mortes at São Félix do Araguaia (BJWD & AW), the rio Guaporé, and rio Verde downstream of Vila Bela da Santíssima Trindade (BJWD).

BLACK-COLLARED SWALLOW Pygochelidon melanoleuca

Apparently a recent colonist. Following an undocumented report in mid-June 2005 on Ilha Ariosto (L. Navarette), there was a flurry of sightings in 2006, including one along the rio Cristalino near CJL on 2 May (S. Mahood), a single over the mouth of the Cristalino on 18 June (BMW), one over rapids in the rio Teles Pires on 11 October (R. Hoyer) and another there on 19 October (M. Van Biers). Observed more frequently in recent years and breeding confirmed on a rocky island in the Teles Pires in August–September 2011 (R. Hoyer; WA673420). Just east of our region, flocks of several dozen were seen 11–12 September 2010 frequenting rocky rapids in the Teles Pires in the municipality of Carlinda, 47 km east of Alta Floresta (BJWD). Closest known site in Mato Grosso is the rio Aripuanã in the west of the state (Novaes 1976).

MASKED YELLOWTHROAT Geothlypis aequinoctialis

The only local records involved a singing male at a permanent wetland in the town of Alta Floresta on 3–8 July 2009, and a pair at a permanent wetland 4 km east of Alta Floresta on 13 February 2010 (both BJWD). Also, November–February records in dry cattle pastures near the rio São Benedito II in southern Pará (BJWD).

Austral and intratropical migrants.—The extent and nature of austral migration in South America is poorly understood because many species migrate north and 'disappear' into Amazonia between April and October (Chesser 1994, Jahn *et al.* 2004, Alves 2007). These birds often are not particularly vocal, tend to occupy marginal habitats, and occur at low densities, so we have a poor understanding of their spatiotemporal distribution across the Amazon basin. Thirty-two species of austral migrants have been recorded from the region, of which 16 were added since Zimmer *et al.* (1997). Many of these are partial or leapfrog migrants, with resident populations augmented seasonally by migrant individuals from southern populations that either winter sympatrically, or which continue further north. In many cases, these migrants represent different subspecies, some of which can be identified in the field. In Grey-breasted Martin *Progne chalybea*, for example, the nominate subspecies is a common resident at Alta Floresta that can be separated from the distinctive, white-bellied *P. c. domestica*, which occurs locally in May–September, and which has been collected elsewhere in eastern Amazonia (Griscom & Greenway 1941), but not in our region. Along with true austral migrants, several other species apparently undertake regular migrations

at tropical latitudes. At least five species recorded in the region for the first time since 1997 fit into this category of unspecified, intratropical migrants.

RUFOUS-THIGHED KITE Harpagus diodon

Partial migrant (Bildstein 2004) recorded twice: an adult perched in a *Cecropia* and feeding on cicadas along the Gold Miners' Trail *c*.28 km north of Alta Floresta on 17 September 1996 (AW), with another adult photographed still-hunting in a forest fragment 18 km north-west of Alta Floresta on 5 July 2005 (ACL; WA559352).

AZURE GALLINULE Porphyrio flavirostris

Two records of this highly migratory rallid. One at the pond behind FAH on 15 June 1998 (BMW) and another at a lake in the town on 31 January 2009 (BJWD; WA844846). Just outside our region, an adult was at a permanent wetland surrounded by cattle pasture 53 km north of Alta Floresta, near the border between Mato Grosso and Pará, on 9 February 2009 (BJWD).

SOUTH AMERICAN SNIPE Gallinago paraguaiae

Two repeatedly flushed from a damp pasture at the edge of a perennial wetland 40 km west of Alta Floresta on 15 September 2004 (ACL; XC84209) and one reported at Limão on 6 July 2011 (S. Boddington).

ASH-COLOURED CUCKOO Coccycua cinerea

Recorded five times: one videotaped along the Serra Trail on 11 June 2001 (BMW), singles seen from Tower I on 22 August 2001 (S. Hansson) and 29 June 2005 (S. Mahood), one in roadside scrub 8 km west of Alta Floresta on 28 April 2006 (S. Mahood) and one photographed at FAH on 5 May 2006 (T. Feltham; Fig. 13). Southern Amazonian records were summarised by Whittaker (2009).

PEARLY-BREASTED CUCKOO Coccyzus euleri

One documented record, a pair photographed and sound-recorded at the summit of the Serra Trail on 8 October 2012 (A. Spencer; XC115395; Fig. 15). Five additional, undocumented reports of singles, along the Serra Trail on 19 August 2001 (S. Hansson) and 7 October 2002 (W. & G. Carter), following a mixed-species flock at FAH on 2 May 2003 (ACL), flying across the rio Cristalino near Lagoa Cigana on 19 May 2003 (ACL) and foraging low in *igapó* forest along Kawall's Trail on 25 April 2005 (S. Mahood). All observers reported the absence of rufous primaries, but most reports are from dates within the expected range for migrant Yellow-billed Cuckoo *C. americanus*, and the rufous in the wings of that species can be difficult to see.

RUBY-TOPAZ HUMMINGBIRD Chrysolampis mosquitus

Four records: a female or immature along the Serra Trail on 16 September 1997 (AW), a male in a degraded, bamboo-dominated corridor of riparian forest on the left bank of the rio Teles Pires, 30 km north of Alta Floresta, on 28 June 2004 (ACL, J. Tobias & F. Lambert), a female or immature photographed on the Serra Trail on 22 August 2011 (R. Hoyer; WA674843) and at least three (two males and a female or immature) at a flowering tree along the rio Santa Helena, 30 km west of Alta Floresta, on 19 July 2012 (BJWD). Seasonal movements into Amazonia poorly understood (Schuchmann 1999). Recorded 90 km south of Alta Floresta on the Serra dos Caiabis (Lees *et al.* 2008), at the Serra do Cachimbo (Pinto & Camargo 1957, Pacheco & Olmos 2005), 70 km north of Alta Floresta at the rio São Benedito II (BJWD), at





Figure 13. Ash-coloured Cuckoo *Coccycua cinerea*, 5 May 2006 (T. Feltham)

Figure 14. Pearly-breasted Cuckoo *Coccyzus euleri*, 8 October 2012 (A. Spencer)

Figure 15. Rufous-tailed Attila Attila phoenicurus, 5 October 2011 (R. Hoyer)

Santa Cruz Velha on the right bank of the rio Purus in Acre (Guilherme & Dantas 2008) and recently for the first time in Bolivia (Tobias & Seddon 2007). Perhaps best considered an 'unspecified intratropical migrant', with movement into Amazonia and north-east Brazil consistent with post-breeding dispersal from south of the tropical zone.

SOUTHERN SCRUB FLYCATCHER Sublegatus modestus

First recorded in late June 2002 by P. Donahue, this inconspicuous flycatcher is reported annually in small numbers in June–September. Observed in varied forest habitats from the canopy of continuous *terra firme* to small fragments and semi-deciduous patches, such as those along the Serra Trail (ACL; WA349438).

FUSCOUS FLYCATCHER Cnemotriccus fuscatus

Apparently a rare visitor to semi-deciduous forest. The only documented records concern one tape-recorded at Lagoa Cigana on 25 June 1998 (BMW) and another seen and taperecorded 6–14 June 2004 atop the Serra Trail (ACL, J. Tobias & F. Lambert; XC67969). Resident locally throughout south-central Amazonia, principally in drier forests and *campinaranas* (BMW), and in our region collected at the rio Peixoto de Azevedo (Novaes & Lima 1990), photographed on the Serra dos Caiabis (Lees *et al.* 2008) and resident in *campinarana* at the rio São Benedito II (BJWD).

PLAIN TYRANNULET Inezia inornata

Two documented reports, one tape-recorded on 7 September 2006 on the left bank of the rio Teles Pires opposte Ilha Ariosto (R. Hoyer; XC72934), and one photographed on the riverbank section of the Cajá Trail on 11 September 2010 (J. Davis & S. Boddington). Elsewhere in Mato Grosso, known from the Pantanal, Porto Limão, the rios do Cágado, Guaporé and Verde at sites north of Vila Bela da Santíssima Trindade, all in the south-west of the state (Willis & Oniki 1990). Common in Rondônia at Cachoeira Nazaré, May–July, with one bird in October (Stotz *et al.* 1997), and fairly common in June–July at Guajará-Mirim (Whittaker 2004).

LITTLE GROUND TYRANT Muscisaxicola fluviatilis

First found in the region on 13 November 2005 when one was on Ilha Ariosto (BJWD). Another, or perhaps the same, was there on 7 August 2008 (F. Ficagna & F. Souza), remained until at least mid October, and was seen again on 8 October 2009 (BJWD; WA572389), with it or another photographed on 30 October 2012 (G. Battistuzzo; WA871455). Previously reported in Mato Grosso at the upper rio Aripuanã in August–October (Pacheco 1995) with one photographed in the same area at Balneário Primavera on 24 September 2012 (M. C. Neto; WA754682).

YELLOW-BROWED TYRANT Satrapa icterophrys

First reported in mid-June 2005 from Ilha Ariosto (L. Navarrete). Subsequently, one was videotaped on 13 September 2005 at Fazenda Caiabi, 31 km west-southwest of Alta Floresta (ACL), associating with a mixed-species assemblage that included several other potential migrants (e.g., Small-billed Elaenia *Elaenia parvirostris*, Variegated Flycatcher *Empidonomus varius*, Crowned Slaty Flycatcher *E. aurantioatrocristatus*, White-throated Kingbird *Tyrannus albogularis*, Tropical Kingbird *T. melancholicus*, Fork-tailed Flycatcher*T. savana*, White-naped Xenopsaris *Xenopsaris albinucha* and Red-eyed Vireo *Vireo olivaceus*). They were observed, following the passage of a cold front the previous day, foraging in bamboo / scrub at the edge of continuous *terra firme* forest bordering cattle pasture, and had possibly been grounded by overnight rain. Similar conditions have produced 'fall-outs' of hundreds of *Tyrannus albogularis* and *T. savana* in the region on other occasions (ACL; e.g., WA840953). Just outside our region, one was seen on 1 September 2010 beside a reservoir near Fazenda Madeseik, *c.*50 km north of Alta Floresta (BJWD). Records of Yellow-browed Tyrant from southern Amazonia are few; a June sighting from Palafitas Island was apparently the first for Rondônia (Whittaker 2004).

SWAINSON'S FLYCATCHER Myiarchus swainsoni

Apparently a very rare migrant. First record a male collected on 10 June 1999 at Fazenda Guaraná, 11 km south-west of Alta Floresta (J. Weckstein; MPEG 54531). All subsequent records from the summit of the Serra Trail, where one first seen on 24 May 2003 (ACL) was tape-recorded on 2 June 2003 (AW), and perhaps the same bird was sound-recorded on 11 May 2004 (F. Lambert & J. Tobias) and 8 July 2005 (S. Mahood).

BOAT-BILLED FLYCATCHER Megarynchus pitangua

Uncommon to fairly common migrant first recorded at CJL in August 2001 (S. Hansson), with all subsequent records in April–October (earliest 24 April 2012; BJWD; WA624669) from forest and agricultural landscapes on both sides of the Teles Pires.

RUFOUS-TAILED ATTILA Attila phoenicurus

The species' Amazonian wintering range is poorly known. In our region, first recorded on 11 August 2008, when one was photographed in *várzea* forest on Ilha Ariosto (B. Carlos & C. McFadden). Three subsequent records: one photographed on 26 September 2011 upstream of the Serra Trail (R. Hoyer; WA679974), what was presumably a different individual seen next day downstream of the lodge (T. Brooks & E. De Fonso) and a singing bird photographed on 5 October 2011 at the CJL clearing (R. Hoyer; Fig.15; WA679975). Previous Amazonian records have been from similar, river-edge habitats (Whittaker 2009).

CRESTED BECARD Pachyramphus validus

Scarce visitor, always in May–September. A female along the Rochas Trail on 1 May 2004 (F. Lambert & J. Tobias) was the first record. Subsequent sightings from the rio Cristalino involved one on 16 June 2004 (F. Lambert & J. Tobias), a female-plumaged bird near the summit of the Serra Trail on 6 August 2005 (KJZ & AW; KJZ audio recording) and a male photographed from Tower I on 7 September 2011 (R. Hoyer; WA673421). Two records from the left bank of the rio Teles Pires: a male photographed with a mixed-species flock on 21 June 2004 near the Centro de Pesquisas do Cacau (ACL) and a pair at FAH on 21 June 2008 (BJWD, A. Davies & R. Miller).

LINED SEEDEATER Sporophila lineola

First recorded in 1997, when up to ten were in the Bungalow Clearing at CJL, 10 October–16 November (BMW & CAM). This austral migrant has since become the most plentiful seedeater locally, with flocks of up to 40 readily found August–December on both sides of the rio Teles Pires.

Boreal migrants.-Parallel to our knowledge of the austral migration system, there have been only incremental gains in our understanding of the status of North American migrants in Amazonia since the publication of Stotz et al. (1992) and Paynter (1995). Twentyone species of boreal migrants have been recorded in the region, including 12 species only since 1995. Little field work has been conducted between December and April, the peak time to discover wintering or migrant landbirds. The lack of any structured, understorey mist-netting may further explain the near-absence of Catharus thrushes (see Stotz et al. 1992). Shorebirds are relatively well known because they arrive earlier and are much easier to locate, given their preference for open areas and their concentration at the region's limited wetland habitats. Survey effort in July-September in 2005 and 2006 resulted in single-site counts of up to 19 Solitary Sandpipers Tringa solitaria, six Lesser Yellowlegs T. flavipes and three Pectoral Sandpipers Calidris melanotos (ACL), yet what little targeted effort there has been has not continued into October–November (peak passage for some species: Stotz et al. 1992). Almost all shorebirds recorded through late September are adults, but it is unclear whether the later passage of juveniles takes the same or a different route. Other boreal migrants likely in the future include: Peregrine Falcon Falco peregrinus, Upland Sandpiper Bartramia longicauda, Yellow-billed Cuckoo Coccyzus americanus, Cliff Swallow Petrochelidon pyrrhonota and Bobolink Dolichonyx oryzivorus.

BROAD-WINGED HAWK *Buteo platypterus*

Just two records from the region, one involving a migrating flock of ten (adults and immatures) over CJL on 8 November 1996 (AW) and the other a single adult at the FAH fragment on 15–18 December 1997 (CAM).

AMERICAN GOLDEN PLOVER Pluvialis dominica

The only records are a flock of *c*.60 at a football pitch in Alta Floresta on 12 September 2000 (AW), seven at a lake 35 km west-northwest of Alta Floresta on 26 August 2005 (ACL) and 27 photographed at a lake 35 km south of Alta Floresta on 9 September 2006 (ACL; WA559337). These records are all earlier than the published arrival date of 14 September at Manaus, Amazonas, where it is a common autumn migrant (Stotz *et al.* 1992).

GREATER YELLOWLEGS Tringa melanoleuca

One heard flying over Ilha Ariosto on 28 November 1997 (CAM) was the first record of what has subsequently proven to be a fairly regular migrant in July–November. Along with other migrant shorebirds, it occurs in both natural habitats, such as riverine sandbars and mudflats, and in man-made wetlands, e.g. dairy processing plants, fish farms and lakes amid cattle pasture.

LESSER YELLOWLEGS Tringa flavipes

Habitat preferences and patterns of occurrence similar to *T. melanoleuca,* with which it often occurs. Records span July–October with a max. 7 at Piscicultura Esteio on 2 August 2006 (ACL).

WHITE-RUMPED SANDPIPER Calidris fuscicollis

Seven records, most of them singles and all of them adults. One on 22 September 2005 at a large (100-ha) lake 35 km south of Alta Floresta (ACL; WA839402) was the first local record. Subsequent surveys in August–September 2006 produced singles at a lake 2 km south of Alta Floresta on 30 August and 11–13 September, at the lake 35 km south of Alta Floresta on 9 September (WA559339) with two there on 21 September, and one at a lake 1 km west of Alta Floresta on 11–15 September (all ACL). The only record of a larger flock involved 26 adults photographed on Ilha Ariosto on 12 October 2007 (B. Freeman).

PECTORAL SANDPIPER Calidris melanotos

Singles photographed at a lake 35 km south of Alta Floresta on 27 September 2005 (ACL; WA880752) and on 21 September 2006 (ACL; WA348282). Uncommon at Manaus, but the commonest shorebird along the rio Ji-Paraná in Rondônia (Stotz *et al.* 1992), which suggests that most passage occurs west of Manaus and Alta Floresta.

STILT SANDPIPER *Calidris himantopus*

The only records were single adults photographed on 27 September 2005 and 9 September 2006 at a lake 35 km south of Alta Floresta (ACL; WA335242), with another 11–17 September 2006 at ponds 1 km west of Alta Floresta (ACL, WA839403). Stotz *et al.* (1992) listed just four records (six individuals) in Amazonian Brazil, but it has subsequently been collected at Carajás, Pará (Pacheco *et al.* 2007) and observed on river islands at Manaus and in the rio Madeira (BMW, AW & CAM). ACL, N. Moura & I Thompson saw *c.*40 with *c.*3,000 *Tringa flavipes* on the Pará coast at Bragança on 23 February 2013, still present on 17 March (ACL; e.g. WA912757). Elsewhere in Amazonia, Pearson (1980) considered it a regular transient in

eastern Ecuador south to northern Bolivia, and Parker *et al.* (1982) an uncommon migrant in Peru.

OLIVE-SIDED FLYCATCHER Contopus cooperi

Boreal migrant listed as Near Threatened (BirdLife International 2000), with habitat loss on the wintering grounds suspected to be a key factor in its decline. First recorded (precise location unknown) on 30 October 1989 (TAP; Willis 1993), followed by singles tape-recorded at CJL on 9 November 1996 (AW) and 11–13 October 1997 (BMW), one or more seen from the Serra Trail and Tower I in mid-December 2002 (A. Lang), 20 October 2003 to mid-March 2004 (BJWD & M. Shirley) and 28 October 2006 (M. Pretti). The cluster of records may reflect the uninterrupted views of the canopy that these locations afford, suggesting that the species is perhaps more plentiful at CJL than is known. Stotz *et al.* (1992) considered *C. cooperi* to be 'thinly distributed across much of Brazil, although its main wintering grounds is along the lower slopes of the Andes up to about 2,000 m.' The frequency with which it has been detected at Alta Floresta and other southern Amazonian sites, e.g. Carajás (Pacheco *et al.* 2007) and the rio São Benedito II (BJWD) in Pará, the rio Roosevelt (Whittaker 2009) and Borba in Amazonas (AW), and Fazenda Rancho Grande near Ariquemes in Rondônia (KJZ, AW), suggests that Amazonia may be a more important wintering area than previously acknowledged.

EASTERN WOOD PEWEE Contopus virens

Two along the Serra Trail on 9 November 1996 (AW) was the first record; however, since found annually at CJL during the boreal winter, with most observations on the Serra Trail. The only record south of the rio Teles Pires involved a single seen and heard at FAH on 5 December 1997 (CAM).

PURPLE MARTIN Progne subis

The most conspicuous boreal migrant passerine in the region, with the first record involving at least five adult males in a flock of *Progne* martins along the rio Teles Pires on 8 November 1996 (AW). Typically arrives in September, with the earliest record a male photographed on 14 September 2005 5 km east of Alta Floresta (ACL; WA559367), and present until at least February. A flock of *c*.200 *Progne*, containing about 40 adult male *P. subis*, was seen over the Teles Pires on 25 September 2005 (ACL). Many dropped down to the river to drink in flight. BJWD observed similar behaviour by a mixed-species flock of *Progne* containing many *P. subis* along the Teles Pires on 24 January 2004.

BANK SWALLOW Riparia riparia

A single sight record of a bird flying with a Barn Swallow *Hirundo rustica* over a temporary pond near Fazenda Cristalino on 5 October 1999 (BMW).

BARN SWALLOW Hirundo rustica

Probably under-recorded in the region, where first reported from the rio Cristalino on 23 November 1997 (CAM). Almost annual, with records spanning the period 5 October–16 April, and a max. 10 along the Cristalino on 21 March 2004 (BJWD).

VEERY Catharus fuscescens

A female of western North American *C. f. salicicola* was collected at CJL on 20 November 1993 (J. Haffer; MPEG 51750). The region is well within the species' revised winter range as defined by Heckscher *et al.* (2011) based on data from geolocator tags. Late November is

close to the start of the 'non-transient period' (1 December–8 April) as defined therein, so this may have been a winterer rather than a passage migrant. However, in the absence of extensive surveys during midwinter, the species' status at Alta Floresta is uncertain.

Species for which we lack documentation.—Zimmer *et al.* (1997) listed four species as 'Hypothetical.' We have replaced this list with an auxiliary list of 22 species for which we lack details beyond location, date and observer. Because these records involve species outside of their known geographic or temporal ranges, we consider that supporting evidence is required for inclusion on the main list.

PIED-BILLED GREBE Podilymbus podiceps

A single report involving a basic-plumaged bird observed on the rio Cristalino just below the Serra Trail on 24 July 2008 (BJWD).

BLACK-CROWNED NIGHT HERON Nycticorax nycticorax

Single report of an immature roosting on Ilha Ariosto on 30 July 2006 (M. Pretti & K. Blumental).

BARE-FACED IBIS Phimosus infuscatus

Two at a roadside pool 10 km north of Alta Floresta with Wood Storks *Mycteria americana* and Jabiru *Jabiru mycteria* on 13 August 2011 (A. Binns), and presumably the same two at the same site on 15 August (R. Hoyer).

BLACKISH RAIL Pardirallus nigricans

This skulking rallid has been recorded just once: an adult at a marsh north of Alta Floresta on 30 July 1996 (AW). No subsequent reports, despite intensive surveys of suitable habitat, suggesting that it was a vagrant. Only one other published report from Amazonian Brazil, a sight record at Pedra Branca, Rondônia, on 11 February 1988 (Stotz *et al.* 1997).

FERRUGINOUS PYGMY OWL Glaucidium brasilianum

Included by Zimmer *et al.* (1997) based on a report by KJZ & AW, but given the lack of supporting documentation or subsequent reports of this species, which typically proliferates in anthropogenic habitats, we remove it from the main list.

STRAIGHT-BILLED HERMIT Phaethornis bourcieri

Listed as hypothetical in Zimmer *et al.* (1997) based on sight records by T. A. Parker, KJZ & BMW. Continues to be reported from the region, which records if correct probably pertain to *P. b. major*, an endemic of the Tapajós interfluvium, but we are unaware of any documented records.

BLUE-TUFTED STARTHROAT Heliomaster furcifer

Reports of single males 17 km north-west of Alta Floresta on 2 June 2006 and 21 km north-west of Alta Floresta on 10 June 2006 (S. Mahood), in both instances visiting isolated flowering shrubs in pastures and neither could be relocated. It is conceivable that both sightings, involving birds seen *c*.4 km and one week apart, were of the same individual. Further south in Amazonian Mato Grosso, documented by photographs on 20 May 2009 at Salto Apiacas, 105 km west-southwest of Alta Floresta (BJWD; WA558155), Serra dos Caiabis (Lees *et al.* 2008) and Fazenda Currupira das Araras, Serra das Araras (BMW).

RED-SHOULDERED MACAW *Diopsittaca nobilis*

A single, aural encounter; flight calls were heard over the canopy at the Castanheira Trail on 11 June 1998 (BMW). Relatively widespread in transitional forest north and south of the region (Pacheco & Olmos 2005, Lees *et al.* 2008), so more records are expected.

GOLDEN PARAKEET Guarouba guarouba

One record involving three individuals at an unspecified site near Alta Floresta on 14 June 1991 (Lo 1995), observed perched and in flight at the forest edge, and with no obvious signs of recent captivity (V. K. Lo *in litt*.). The nearest published records are from southern Pará *c*.250 km north of Alta Floresta at Novo Progresso (Pacheco & Olmos 2005) and in *terra firme* and *várzea* north of the confluence of the rios Jamanxim and Tapajós (Oren & Novaes 1986), and from Rondônia on the right bank of the rio Madeira in Floresta Nacional do Jamari (Yamashita & Franca 1991, Laranjeiras & Cohn-Haft 2009).

SAPPHIRE-RUMPED PARROTLET Touit purpuratus

Listed by Zimmer *et al.* (1997) based on undocumented sightings. Given that it has not been recorded subsequently from the region and that Scarlet-shouldered Parrotlet *T. huetii* is now known to occur, we have concluded that the species requires documentation before being accepted on the main list.

ORANGE-BREASTED FALCON Falco deiroleucus

Two reports by experienced observers familiar with the species: an adult feeding with a pair of Bat Falcons *F. rufigularis* on aerial termites over FAH on 19 October 1995 (BMW), and a subadult from Tower I on 9 August 2010 (AW), flying low over the canopy, before heading strongly north. Perhaps the same individual was reported from the Serra Trail on 24 July 2010 (S. Boddington). Often misidentified (Howell & Whittaker 1995), we consider that records, even those by experienced observers, require documentation.

'UNIDENTIFIED' BUSHBIRD Clytoctantes / Neoctantes sp.

Zimmer *et al.* (1997) listed an unidentified bushbird as hypothetical from a brief sighting by T. A. Parker on the left bank of the Teles Pires. No subsequent reports; however, Rondonia Bushbird *Clytoctantes atrogularis* is now known, away from the type locality, on the left bank of the rio Ji-Paraná in Rondônia (Lanyon *et al.* 1990), from the rio Sucunduri in Amazonas (Whitney 2005), Parque Estadual Igarapés do Juruena, Mato Grosso (Oliveira *et al.* 2009) and a sight record from the left bank of the rio Roosevelt in Amazonas (Whittaker 2009), all of which are west of the Tapajós / Juruena. This low-density and easily overlooked species may yet be confirmed at Alta Floresta.

BLACK-BELLIED GNATEATER Conopophaga melanogaster

A report by T. A. Parker along the Gold Miners' Trail on the left bank of the rio Teles Pires in October 1989 (Zimmer *et al.* 1997). No subsequent reports from the original location (which was completely deforested prior to 1997) or elsewhere in the region. Nevertheless, has been documented east and west of Alta Floresta, with the nearest known localities along the middle rio Xingu in Pará (Graves & Zusi 1990), Comodoro in the Chapada dos Parecis in Mato Grosso (Whittaker 2009) and the rio Roosevelt in Amazonas (Whittaker 2009). The only other *Conopophaga* in the region, Chestnut-belted Gnateater *C. aurita snethlageae*, remains undocumented from the left bank of the Teles Pires in the region.

GREY-CAPPED FLYCATCHER *Myiozetetes granadensis*

Previously listed on the basis of a bird seen by P. Isler on 4 November 1989 (Zimmer *et al.* 1997), but just one subsequent report involving a single on 10 January 2010 at Lagoa Cigana (BJWD). The only sightings in Mato Grosso, and potentially a considerable range extension from the nearest locality at Cachoeira Nazaré, Rondônia (Stotz *et al.* 1997), where also undocumented. Further investigation into the 1989 record revealed that the bird was tape-recorded (ML48079). Examination of the recording by KJZ revealed that it pertained to the visually and vocally similar *M. luteiventris*, a species very poorly known in 1989. In light of this, and given the potential for misidentification of *granadensis* vs. *luteiventris*, we have removed the species from the main list until documentation can be obtained.

CRIMSON FRUITCROW Haematoderus militaris

T. Brooks briefly observed a female or immature from Tower II on 12 August 2011, the first report between the rios Tapajós and Tocantins. Published records from southern Amazonia are confined to the region east of the rio Tocantins (Novaes & Lima 2009, Lees *et al.* 2012) and the Madeira–Tapajós interfluvium, where it has been recorded at Cachoeira Nazaré in Rondônia (Stotz *et al.* 1997) and the rio Roosevelt in Amazonas (Whittaker 2009).

PURPLE-THROATED FRUITCROW Querula purpurata

Previously known from a report of an unseen bird vocalising at CJL in October 1990 (R. S. Ridgely, V. Emanuel & G. Tudor; Zimmer *et al.* 1997), with a male from the Serra Trail overlook on 2 July 2010 (J. Montejo & A. McAndrews). Occurs in adjacent transitional forest habitats on Serra dos Caiabis (Lees *et al.* 2008) and Serra do Cachimbo (Pacheco & Olmos 2005), so occasional wanderers might be expected at Alta Floresta. *Q. purpurata* tends to be relatively conspicuous, being usually encountered in pairs or small groups, whose far-carrying and frequently delivered vocalisations readily reveal their presence. It is therefore likely that the species is at best very rare in the region.

GREY-CHEEKED THRUSH Catharus minimus

Boreal migrant known from a single sighting of a bird heard calling and then observed at close range on the Serra Trail on 12 December 2002 (A. Lang). The observer was familiar with the species, but without documentation we are unwilling to accept what would be the southernmost record in eastern Amazonia (Stotz *et al.* 1992, Paynter 1995). To the north, one was collected 84 km south of Santarém on 15 December 1972 (Lees *et al.* 2013).

BLACK-BILLED THRUSH Turdus ignobilis

A single at Limão on 19 August 2010 (S. Boddington) is the only report. Common in transitional forests north and south of the study area (Pacheco & Olmos 2005, Lees *et al.* 2008).

BLACKPOLL WARBLER Dendroica striata

A basic-plumaged bird from Tower I at CJL with a mixed-species flock in the subcanopy on 31 January 2004 (BJWD). Primary winter range appears to be in north-west Amazonia (Ridgely & Tudor 1989, Paynter 1995) and, apart from this report, it is unknown in Mato Grosso, with the nearest records from Pará, where one was observed along the rio São Benedito on 24 November 2005 with a mixed-species flock that included Black-whiskered Vireo *Vireo altiloquus* (BJWD), and a male seen and sound-recorded near the mouth of the rio Tapajós at Alter do Chão on 24–28 January 1997 (CAM; ML117141), and in Amazonas at the rio Roosevelt (Whittaker 2009).

ORANGE-HEADED TANAGER Thlypopsis sordida

One at Limão on 17 August 2010 (S. Boddington) was searched for subsequently but could not be relocated. Its occurrence coincided with a cold front (S. Boddington *in litt.* 2011) during an extreme drought event (Lewis *et al.* 2011).

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FAWN-BREASTED TANAGER Pipraeidea melanonota

A single, undocumented report of one on 29 May 2002 foraging with a mixed-species flock in the subcanopy along the rio Cristalino (P. Donahue & T. Woods). Essentially unknown in southern Amazonia, the nearest records being well south of the basin at the Chapada dos Guimarães, 600 km south of Alta Floresta (Lopes *et al.* 2009).

HEPATIC TANAGER Piranga flava

Reported by the first inventory on the basis of an all-red (mostly dusky-billed) male *Piranga* believed to be this species, and carefully studied as it moved 7–15 m above ground with a mixed-species canopy flock along the Rochas Trail on 22 October 1992 (KJZ & B. Schram). KJZ had previous field experience with the subspecies of *P. flava* (*saira*) that occurs further south in Mato Grosso (e.g., Chapada dos Guimarães), and both observers had extensive field experience with Summer Tanager *P. rubra*, which they eliminated largely on bill colour, and for which there are no records for Mato Grosso and very few for south-east Amazonia. Because there was no documentation, and there have been no further reports, we have opted to move this species to the undocumented list.

SOLITARY BLACK CACIQUE Cacicus solitarius

A sight record by T. A. Parker on the left bank of the Teles Pires some time between 26 and 31 October 1989 (Zimmer *et al.* 1997) is now treated as hypothetical given the lack of subsequent reports of a usually quite conspicuous species, and lack of information concerning the circumstances of the sighting.

Taxa not assigned to species level

GROUND CUCKOO sp. Neomorphus geoffroyi / squamiger

Although an unidentified ground cuckoo was included on the original list, continued confusion over the taxon involved necessitates a review of recent sightings. Recorded on fewer than ten occasions, all at CJL, with the only record in the first inventory, one glimpsed by T. A. Parker on 23 August 1991 near to where KJZ had observed army ants (*Eciton* sp.) the previous afternoon. Parker did not see the bird sufficiently well to determine whether it was *N. squamiger* or *N. geoffroyi* (Zimmer *et al.* 1997). Twelve years elapsed before ACL tape-recorded bill-claps of two birds at a large *Eciton* sp. antswarm along the Rochas Trail on 7 June 2003 (recording on Marantz & Zimmer 2006). One was seen briefly, and although obviously assignable to the *geoffroyi* superspecies based on bare-parts coloration, views of the breast were inconclusive for specific identification. F. Lambert recorded bill-snapping in the same area on 4 May 2004 and glimpsed a ground cuckoo there on 19 June 2004, with another at the Cacau Trail on 22 May 2004.

G. Wallace (*in litt.* 2005) obtained prolonged views of singles at antswarms on the Castanheira Trail on 28 July 2005 and the Taboca Trail on 30 October 2005. The first bird had an ivory-coloured bill with a decurved culmen, shaggy crest, and dark blue head, neck and mantle. An apparently red eye was surrounded by pale blue orbital skin that further contrasted with the dark blue head. The wings were dark blue, grading to purplish black on the flight feathers. The underparts appeared mostly pale buff, with the throat and

upper breast scaled grey and bounded by a broad, but possibly incomplete, black band on the upper breast. The tail was greenish purple and undertail-coverts red. It remained on a low perch cocking its head back-and-forth while constantly raising and lowering the crest. That seen along the Taboca Trail was much plainer, with the upperparts and broad tail dull brownish to chestnut-green (unlike the deep blue of the bird on the Castanheira Trail), and the shaggy crest appeared blackish or dark brown. The throat and breast were densely patterned with rows of grey chevrons on a dirty buff background terminating in a narrow breast-band (as opposed to the broad band of the bird on the Castanheira Trail) that separated the throat / upper breast from the rest of the underparts, which were unmarked dull buff. The plumage features of the bird on the Castanheira Trail are most consistent with N. g. geoffroyi, which is biogeographically the most likely species in the region (Haffer 1977). However, KJZ & AW noted iris colour on two different individuals of N. g. geoffroyi from the rio Capím region of Pará to be pale yellow rather than red, and in Guajará-Mirim, Rondônia, AW recorded the eyes to be dull creamy white (Whittaker 2004). That seen along the Taboca Trail exhibited some features, most notably the indistinct breast-band, characteristic of the poorly known Scaled Ground Cuckoo N. squamiger, which is apparently restricted to northern Pará south of the Amazon between the rios Madeira and Tocantins. Another seen briefly by S. Olmstead on 9 September 2008 also lacked a breast-band. Given the unlikely possibility of two species of Neomorphus occurring sympatrically, we speculate that the lack of a breast-band may be a feature of the undescribed, juvenile plumage of N. g. geoffroyi, which appears the most likely explanation for the apparent presence of two different phenotypes in the region.

Unfortunately, none of the descriptions of *Neomorphus* from the study region have included details of the colour and pattern of the ear-coverts and malar regions (ferruginous to cinnamon, without dark barring in *N. squamiger*, vs. duller grey-brown and obviously barred in *N. geoffroyi*), which is arguably the most diagnostic means for separating the two taxa (Pinto 1964). It is also possible that the study region represents part of a contact zone between *N. squamiger* and *N. geoffroyi*, in which case phenotypically intermediate individuals might reflect hybridisation.

BJWD tape-recorded the song of a bird he glimpsed on the Cacau Trail on 13 July 2007. It gave, at four-second intervals, a deep, rising 'whoooooorrrp..... whoooooorrrp', easily passedoff as the song of a *Leptotila* dove, albeit deeper and longer in duration (BJWD; XC15743). This song is superficially similar to that of Rufous-winged Ground Cuckoo *N. rufipennis* (Zimmer & Hilty 1997) and *N. g. salvini*, the subspecies of Rufous-vented Ground Cuckoo in Panama (B. Zimmer recording). Just two previous records of *N. geoffroyi* from Mato Grosso: one observed by H. Sick at Diauarum, along the rio Manoel Correia, a tributary of the upper rio Xingu (Haffer 1977), and the other at the rio do Cágado, in the south-west of the state near the Bolivian border (Willis & Oniki 1990).

THICK-BILLED / VIOLACEOUS EUPHONIA Euphonia laniirostris / violacea

This species-pair was listed in the first inventory, their contact zone probably lies at or near Alta Floresta, and photographs suggest that both species may be present, but we consider that more extensive documentation is needed to resolve this question.

Changes to species limits.—The taxonomy of southern Amazonian birds was poorly studied until recently, making it unsurprising that recent work has clarified the systematics of some of the region's birds. Regional populations from ten species complexes treated by Zimmer *et al.* (1997) have been elevated to species rank by the South American Classification Committee of the American Ornithologists' Union (SACC; Remsen *et al.* 2013). Additionally,

populations of one species included in the first inventory that were not even recognised at subspecies level were subsequently described as a new species: Cryptic Forest Falcon *Micrastur mintoni* (Whittaker 2002). Lined Forest Falcon *M. gilvicollis* as presently recognised is not known to occur east of the rio Madeira (Whittaker 2002).

In ten other complexes, taxa occurring in the study region have been elevated from subspecies to species separate from those recognised in the first survey. Santarém Parakeet *Pyrrhura amazonum* was split from Painted Parakeet *P. picta* (Ribas *et al.* 2006). Amazonian Trogon *Trogon ramonianus* was recognised as distinct from Guianan Trogon *T. violaceus* (DaCosta & Klicka 2008). Following a revision of Olive-backed Foliage-gleaner *Automolus infuscatus* (Zimmer 2002), populations south of the Amazon and east of the Madeira (including Alta Floresta) are treated as Pará Foliage-gleaner *A. paraensis*.

Zimmer *et al.* (1997) were unsure whether Spix's *X. spixii* or Elegant Woodcreepers *X. elegans* occurred at Alta Floresta, but Haffer (1997) clarified that issue by revising the taxonomy of this complex. Unlike previous authors, who treated *X. spixii* and *X. elegans* as polytypic, and in some places sympatric, Haffer recognised only *X. elegans* as polytypic, and concluded that nowhere are they truly sympatric. At Alta Floresta, they appear to be separated by the Teles Pires, with *X. spixii* occurring north and east of that river and along the rio Cristalino, and *X. elegans* south and west of the rio Teles Pires, including around the town of Alta Floresta (Haffer 1997, Aleixo 2002).

In one of their first papers investigating species limits in typical antbirds, Isler *et al.* (1999) found that vocal variation in Streaked Antwren *Myrmotherula surinamensis* was sufficient to merit treating southern and western Amazonian populations as a species, *M. multostriata*, Amazonian Streaked Antwren. Similar work with *Hypocnemis cantator* and *Schistocichla leucostigma* (Isler *et al.* 2007a,b, respectively) revealed that both of these actually represent complexes of several species. The relevant taxa occurring in the study region are now recognised as Spix's Warbling Antbird *Hypocnemis striata* and Rufous-faced Antbird *Schistocichla rufifacies*, respectively. White-bellied Tody-Tyrant *Hemitriccus griseipectus* was recognised as separate from White-eyed Tody-Tyrant *H. zosterops*, in part based on Cohn-Haft *et al.* (1997), and Guianan Tyrannulet *Zimmerius acer* was recently treated as specifically distinct from Slender-footed Tyrannulet *Z. gracilipes* based on genetic (Rheindt *et al.* 2008) and vocal differences (Ridgely & Tudor 1994, Hilty 2003).

Genetic work by Brumfield *et al.* (2007) demonstrated that inclusion of Scale-backed Antbird *Hylophylax poecilinotus* in *Hylophylax* made that genus paraphyletic. Thus a new genus, *Willisornis*, was erected for *poecilinotus* (Agne & Pacheco 2007). Furthermore, Isler & Whitney (2011) presented evidence that *poecilinotus* contains at least two biological species, and split subspecies *vidua* (with *nigrigula*) from populations west of the Tapajós. This also resulted in populations either side of the Teles Pires being elevated to full species, with the result that the regional list now contains two species of 'Scale-backed Antbirds', Common Scale-backed Antbird *W. poecilinotus griseiventris* and Xingu Scale-backed Antbird *W. vidua nigrigula*.

Additional splits include the local populations of *Momotus momota*, which is now named Amazonian Motmot (Stiles 2009), and *Trogon viridis*, Green-backed Trogon (DaCosta & Klicka 2008). A change in scientific name, but not English name, resulted from the elevation of the local population of White-necked Puffbird *Notharchus hyperrhynchus* to species from the more local Guianan Puffbird *N. macrorhynchos* following Zimmer (2004). Although no split was involved, a nomenclatural change was that of the scientific name for Crimson-bellied Parakeet from *Pyrrhurra rhodogaster* to *P. perlata* (Arndt & Roth 1986).

The first Brazilian records ascribed to Cabanis's Spinetail *Synallaxis cabanisi* (Zimmer *et al.* 1997) appear to represent a new taxon phenotypically similar to *S. cabanisi* but belonging

to the Rufous-capped Spinetail *S. ruficapilla* complex. It is, however, vocally distinct from these species (e.g., compare recordings on Marantz & Zimmer 2006 with Schulenberg 2000). This taxon occurs elsewhere in Mato Grosso near Paranaíta (50 km north-west of Alta Floresta) (L. F. Silveira) and the Xingu Refúgio Amazônico on the rio Von den Steinen (AW), with five specimens from Fazenda Ipê, Vila Rica, Mato Grosso (Batalha-Filho *et al.* 2013), from Pará along both the rio Riozinho near Aukre in the Kayapó reserve 'Pinkaiti' (BMW) and the rio Itacaiúnas at Parauapebas (G. Malacco audio recording), and from Maranhão, where E. Dente collected five skins (LSUMZ 71655–71659) at Fazenda do Caximbo, Coroatá (Olmos & Brito 2007, Stopiglia *et al.* 2013).

Discussion

Inter-regional patterns of species richness and sampling biases.—As a result of the high species richness and high incidence of rarity in tropical forest avifaunas (Terborgh et al. 1990, Thiollay 1994), inventories of such sites will become near-asymptotic only after many years of sampling by experienced observers throughout the year, across all possible microhabitats, and employing a variety of techniques (Cohn-Haft et al. 1997). Furthermore, habitat alteration, climate change and random vagrancy events from within a huge speciespool mean that even with intensive observer coverage, new species will continue to be added almost ad infinitum. The list presented here details a 21% increase on Zimmer et al. (1997), yet sampling is still not uniform across the year and mist-netting and specimen collecting effort is very limited. In the 16 years since the cut-off point for the first manuscript in 1995, fewer than 600 specimens have been collected in the entire region. Conclusions concerning species richness for entire regions can only be based on available data-typically, species inventories from scattered sites-and are dependent on the accuracy and completeness of those inventories (Remsen 1994). We nevertheless feel that at least the 'core' tall (terra firme, seasonally flooded and transitional) forest avifauna of the Alta Floresta region has now been sampled adequately.

Of the 124 species added to the list in the 17 years since the original survey, only 35 species (28%) are members of the 'core' (excluding migrants and vagrants), tall-forest avifauna. The remaining 72% of additions were from non-forest habitats (wetlands, fields, edge), semi-deciduous forest, or were migrants. An examination of the area list from the original survey reveals that 361 species could be considered core members of the tall-forest avifauna. With the addition of 35 species, the tall-forest avifauna of the region now stands at 398 species. It is particularly revealing that the original survey, based upon c.70 days of field work within a limited seasonal span (August-November), recorded 91% of the core, tall-forest avifauna as elucidated by an additional 17 years of much more intensive effort. More revealing still, is that the first ornithological surveys at Alta Floresta (T. A. Parker, M. Isler & P. Isler, 26 October-9 November 1989) and the rio Cristalino (T. A. Parker & KJZ, 18-26 August 1991, and KJZ & B. Schram, 20-26 October 1992), totalling just less than 30 days of combined field work, recorded upwards of 75% of the core, tall-forest avifauna. This provides further validation that the Rapid Assessment Program approach to avifaunal surveys, as originally conceived and developed by T. A. Parker for Conservation International (e.g., Remsen & Schulenberg 1997) can be effective in sampling most of the 'core' avifauna of even the most diverse tropical forests in a relatively short period. This provided that those conducting the surveys have the requisite knowledge of bird vocalisations and bearing in mind that more intense surveys may still be required to find some rare or low-density species.

Unfortunately, it is difficult to draw meaningful comparisons regarding species richness between the now thoroughly documented tall-forest avifauna of the Alta Floresta

region, and those of other well-known sites in Amazonia. In part, this stems from the lack of precision in defining a core, tall-forest avifauna. For many Amazonian sites, the distinction between high-ground *terra firme* forest and seasonally flooded *várzea* or *igapó* is sharply defined, and the avifaunal distinctions between these two habitats are readily apparent. As previously discussed, much of the forest along the rio Cristalino is difficult not to categorise as 'transitional forest' and the vast majority of forest species move rather freely between river-edge and interior forest, with little apparent discrimination. This has forced us to apply a broader habitat definition in defining the core, forest avifauna than that employed at other sites, with the result that attempts at meaningful inter-site comparisons are confounded.

Species totals from sprawling 'sites,' such as Alta Floresta and Carajás, are also naturally inflated when they straddle major rivers, or 'artifically' inflated through colonisation of non-forest species following deforestation, while comparison between sites may be further confounded by sampling artefacts, such as the size of the region sampled. Each of these factors are meaningful when attempting to draw comparisons between Alta Floresta and any other site. As evidenced by the fact that 71% of additions to the avifauna are from non-forest or second-growth habitats, many of them from areas distant from anywhere sampled by the original survey, it is clear that much of the percieved increase in species diversity is more accurately viewed as the result of ongoing anthropogenic habitat alteration and concomitant colonisation by open-country species, coupled with more systematic sampling of a large, but previously under-sampled study area.

Biodiversity inventories and systematic conservation planning.—Conservation planning in the 21st century requires an accurate assessment of biological diversity on a site-by-site basis, so trade-offs between reserve size and location, and species richness and endemism can be assessed (Winker 1996). As inventory efforts increase, so does the likelihood of detecting extinction-prone, rare and restricted-range taxa of higher conservation value (Manne *et al.* 1999). Ignoring spatial collecting bias may lead to important areas for avian conservation being overlooked (Bates & Demos 2001). It is not just conservation science that stands to gain from increasingly rigorous biodiversity inventories. Without a true appreciation of the patterns of diversity in lowland Amazonia, biogeographical research is also hampered. Locating ancient faunal and floral refugia, or the whereabouts of contact zones, and understanding trends in latitudinal, longitudinal and altitudinal diversity across the globe all depend on accurate and thorough biological surveys. Simultaneously, rampant habitat destruction creates a conservation imperative that initial regional surveys, at least, be conducted in a timely and efficient manner, and that the results of 'rapid assessments' be disseminated to the appropriate governmental agencies and NGOs swiftly.

Conclusions.—Alta Floresta, at the southern fringe of the Amazon basin and at the junction of major biomes and centres of endemism, has a diverse avifauna, the core of which is now among the most thoroughly sampled anywhere in Amazonia. Movement of non-forest species into the area, following ongoing and intensive degradation, loss and conversion of forest throughout the region (Morton *et al.* 2006), may result in apparent increases in species richness, but these are temporary and will eventually be more than offset by the local loss of species dependent on undisturbed, primary forest. Despite some domestic and international support, even designated protected areas are under severe pressure from the highest levels of government (Lees 2007). Government support for these protected areas is urgently needed, as is an immediate end to the intense (and often illegal) logging. For this remarkable avifauna to survive, concerted action aimed at reducing forest loss will be required from local, state and federal government, as well as from organisations inside Brazil and abroad.

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Appendix

List of 586 species recorded from the Alta Floresta region (Mato Grosso, Brazil) through December 2012. Asterisks (*) indicate species unrecorded by the first inventory (Zimmer et al. 1997). We present qualitative estimates of abundance for each species in suitable habitat. The categories are as follows: C-'common' (five or more individuals expected daily in appropriate habitat), FC-'fairly common' (less than five birds expected in appropriate habitat on most days or encountered irregularly in larger numbers), U-'uncommon' (encountered in small numbers on a less than daily basis), R-'rare' (encountered only a few times per season or resident locally in very small numbers), and VR-'very rare' (recorded on fewer than ten occasions), VR*species not reliably reported since the first inventory. Documentation is as follows: X = specimen deposited at the Museu Paraense Emílio Goeldi (Belém), A = audio recording, P = photographic or video record, S = sight or aural record. A dagger (†) indicates that the species is represented on Marantz & Zimmer (2006) by a recording made within the study region. Digital vouchers are indicated in parentheses: M = soundrecordings archived at the Macaulay Library, Cornell Lab of Ornithology http://macaulaylibrary.org; X = sound-recordings on Xeno-Canto http://www.xeno-canto.org and W = images included on Wikiaves www. wikiaves.com.br. Habitat categories correspond to those used in the main text, and are coded as follows: N-non-forest, open-country habitats, such as pastures; PF-palm forest (refers to patches of swampy forest composed mostly of Mauritia flexuosa); R-riverine / river edge within otherwise forested habitat; S-scrub and second growth; TF-tall forest (terra firme, transitional and seasonally flooded forest); TFe-species occurring at the margins of tall forest, but not including river-edge forest; W-wetlands. Microhabitat preference, where noteworthy, is indicated by the following lower case characters in parentheses: aa-army ants (pertains to obligate army-ant followers, but does not include occasional or opportunistic followers); ae—aerial (applies to species seen primarily in flight); b—bamboo stands, generally within tall forest or at forest edge; b / v—bamboo and vine tangles; sd—semi-deciduous forest growing on granitic *serras* surrounded by *terra firme* forest. Where more than one habitat is listed, we order them in decreasing order of preference in the Alta Floresta region. Most species are year-round residents in the region, but some occur only seasonally. The latter are denoted as AM—austral migrants (if followed by * some individuals also resident), BM—boreal migrants, or UM—unspecified, intratropical migrants (if followed by * some individuals also resident). Taxonomy and scientific nomenclature follows Remsen *et al.* (2013).

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TINAMIDAE (tinamous)					
Tinamus tao	Grey Tinamou	U	U	А	TF
Tinamus major	Great Tinamou	FC	FC	A, P (M,X,W)	TF
Tinamus guttatus	White-throated Tinamou	R	R	А	TF
Crypturellus cinereus	Cinereous Tinamou	С	С	A†, P (M,X,W)	R, TFe
Crypturellus soui	Little Tinamou	FC	FC	A (M)	S, Tfe
Crypturellus obsoletus	Brown Tinamou	U	U	A† (M,X)	TF
Crypturellus undulatus*	Undulated Tinamou	FC		X† (M,X)	R
Crypturellus strigulosus	Brazilian Tinamou	С	FC-C	A† (M,X)	TF
Crypturellus variegatus	Variegated Tinamou	FC	FC	A (X)	TF
Crypturellus parvirostris	Small-billed Tinamou	R	R	X (X)	S, N
Crypturellus tataupa	Tataupa Tinamou	С	U	X† (M)	TF (sd), S
ANATIDAE (ducks)					
Dendrocygna viduata*	White-faced Whistling Duck	U		P (W)	W
Dendrocygna autumnalis*	Black-bellied Whistling Duck	U		A‡, P (M,W)	W
Cairina moschata	Muscovy Duck	FC	U	A, P (X,W)	W, R
Amazonetta brasiliensis	Brazilian Teal	С	R	P (W)	W
Nomonyx dominicus*	Masked Duck	VR		P (W)	W / UM
CRACIDAE (guans)					
Penelope jacquacu	Spix's Guan	FC	FC	X (M,X,W)	TF
Pipile cujubi	Red-throated Piping Guan	U–FC	FC	X (M,X,W)	R
Ortalis guttata*	Speckled Chachalaca	FC		A, P (W)	S, N, R
Crax fasciolata*	Bare-faced Curassow	U		X (M,X,W)	R, TF
Mitu tuberosum	Razor-billed Curassow	U	U	X (M,X,W)	R, TF
ODONTOPHORIDAE (N	New World quail)				
Odontophorus gujanensis	Marbled Wood Quail	FC	FC-U	X† (M,X)	TF
PODICIPEDIDAE (grebe	es)				
Tachybaptus dominicus*	Least Grebe	R		S	W
CICONIIDAE (storks)					
Ciconia maguari*	Maguari Stork	VR		P (W)	W / UM
Jabiru mycteria*	Jabiru	R		P (W)	W
Mycteria americana	Wood Stork	U–FC	U	P (W)	W
PHALACROCORACIDA	E (cormorants)				
Phalacrocorax brasilianus	Neotropic Cormorant	С	С	P (W)	W, R

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ANHINGIDAE (darters)					
Anhinga anhinga	Anhinga	U	FC	A,P (X,W)	W, R
ARDEIDAE (herons)					
Tigrisoma lineatum	Rufescent Tiger Heron	FC	FC	A, P (W)	R, W
Agamia agami*	Agami Heron	R–U		P (W)	R
Cochlearius cochlearius*	Boat-billed Heron	R–U		P (W)	R, W
Zebrilus undulatus*	Zigzag Heron	R–U		A, P (M,X,W)	R
Ixobrychus exilis*	Least Bittern	VR		S	W/UM
Butorides striata	Striated Heron	FC-C	FC	P (W)	W, R
Bubulcus ibis	Cattle Egret	С	С	P (W)	N, W
Ardea cocoi	Cocoi Heron	U	U	P (W)	W, R
Ardea alba	Great Egret	С	U	P (W)	W, R
Pilherodius pileatus	Capped Heron	FC	U	P (W)	R, W
Egretta thula	Snowy Egret	С	R	P (W)	W, R
THRESKIORNITHIDAE	(ibises)				
Mesembrinibis cayennensis	Green Ibis	FC	FC	A†, P (M,W)	R, W
CATHARTIDAE (New W	orld vultures)				
Cathartes aura*	Turkey Vulture	С		P (W)	Ν
Cathartes burrovianus	Lesser Yellow-headed Vulture	FC	R	P (W)	Ν
Cathartes melambrotus	Greater Yellow-headed Vulture	FC	FC	P (W)	TF
Coragyps atratus	Black Vulture	С	С	P (W)	Ν
Sarcoramphus papa	King Vulture	U	U	P (W)	TF
PANDIONIDAE (Osprey)				
Pandion haliaetus	Osprey	R	R	S	R, W / BM
ACCIPITRIDAE (hawks)					
Elanus leucurus*	White-tailed Kite	FC	R	Р	Ν
Gampsonyx swainsonii	Pearl Kite	FC	R	P (W)	Ν
Chondrohierax uncinatus	Hook-billed Kite	U	U	A, P (W)	R, TF / UM
Leptodon cayanensis	Grey-headed Kite	U	U	A, P (W)	TF, R
Elanoides forficatus	Swallow-tailed Kite	U–FC	U	P (W)	TF, R / UM*
Morphnus guianensis	Crested Eagle	R	R	A†, P (W)	TF, R
Harpia harpyja	Harpy Eagle	R	R	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF, R
Spizaetus melanoleucus	Black-and-white Hawk-Eagle	R–U	R	P (W)	TF, N
Spizaetus tyrannus	Black Hawk-Eagle	U	R	A, P (W)	TF, R, TFe
Spizaetus ornatus	Ornate Hawk-Eagle	R–U	R	A, P (W)	TF, R
Busarellus nigricollis*	Black-collared Hawk	U–FC		A, P (W)	W, R
Rostrhamus sociabilis	Snail Kite	U-FC	U	P (W)	W, N / UM
Harpagus bidentatus	Double-toothed Kite	U	U	P (W)	TF
Harpagus diodon*	Rufous-thighed Kite	VR		P (W)	TF, TFe / AM
Ictinia plumbea	Plumbeous Kite	FC	FC	A†, P (M,W)	TF, TFe / UM*

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Accipiter poliogaster	Grey-bellied Hawk	R	R	А, Р	TF
Accipiter superciliosus	Tiny Hawk	R–U	R	A, P (W)	TF
Accipiter bicolor	Bicoloured Hawk	VR	R	A, P (X,W)	TF
Geranospiza caerulescens	Crane Hawk	R–U	R	P (W)	R
Buteogallus schistaceus*	Slate-coloured Hawk	VR		P (W)	R
Buteogallus urubitinga	Great Black Hawk	FC	U	X (X,W)	R, TF, W
Rupornis magnirostris	Roadside Hawk	С	R	A, P (W)	N, TFe
Geranoaetus albicaudatus	White-tailed Hawk	U	R	P (W)	Ν
Leucopternis albicollis*	White Hawk	U		P (W)	TF
Leucopternis melanops*	Black-faced Hawk	VR		Р	TF
Leucopternis kuhli	White-browed Hawk	U	R	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF, TFe
Buteo nitidus*	Grey-lined Hawk	С		A, P (X,W)	N, TFe
Buteo platypterus*	Broad-winged Hawk	VR		S	TF / BM
Buteo brachyurus	Short-tailed Hawk	U–FC	R	P (W)	N, TF, TFe
ARAMIDAE (Limpkin)					
Aramus guarauna	Limpkin	U–FC	U	P (W)	W
PSOPHIIDAE (trumpeter	rs)				
Psophia viridis	Dark-winged Trumpeter	U	U	X† (X,W)	TF
RALLIDAE (rails)					
Aramides cajanea	Grey-necked Wood Rail	FC	U	A, P (W)	R
Amaurolimnas concolor*	Uniform Crake	VR		P (W)	R
Anurolimnas viridis*	Russet-crowned Crake	FC		A, P (X)	N, S
Laterallus melanophaius	Rufous-sided Crake	U	U	A (M)	N, W
Laterallus exilis	Grey-breasted Crake	FC	U	A, P (M,X,W)	N, W
Porzana albicollis	Ash-throated Crake	FC	R	A, P (W)	W
Neocrex erythrops*	Paint-billed Crake	VR		Р	W
Gallinula galeata*	Common Gallinule	U		Р	W
Porphyrio martinica	Purple Gallinule	FC	U	A‡, P (M)	W
Porphyrio flavirostris*	Azure Gallinule	VR		P (W)	W / UM
HELIORNITHIDAE (finf	oots)				
Heliornis fulica	Sungrebe	U	R	X† (M,W)	W, R
EURYPYGIDAE (Sunbitt	ern)				
Eurypyga helias	Sunbittern	U	U	A, P (W)	R
CHARADRIIDAE (plove	rs)				
Pluvialis dominica*	American Golden Plover	VR		P (W)	W, N / BM
Vanellus cayanus	Pied Lapwing	U	R	A, P (M,X,W)	W, R
Vanellus chilensis	Southern Lapwing	С	U	A, P (X,W)	W, N
RECURVIROSTRIDAE (avocets and stilts)				
Himantopus mexicanus*	Black-necked Stilt	VR		S	W / UM

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SCOLOPACIDAE (sandp	vipers)				
Gallinago paraguaiae*	South American Snipe	VR		A (X)	W/AM
Actitis macularius	Spotted Sandpiper	U–FC	R	P (W)	W, R / BM
Tringa melanoleuca*	Greater Yellowlegs	U		P (W)	W/BM
Tringa flavipes*	Lesser Yellowlegs	U–FC		X (W)	W/BM
Tringa solitaria	Solitary Sandpiper	FC	U	P (W)	W/BM
Calidris fuscicollis*	White-rumped Sandpiper	R		P (W)	W/BM
Calidris melanotos*	Pectoral Sandpiper	VR		P (W)	W/BM
Calidris himantopus*	Stilt Sandpiper	VR		P (W)	W/BM
JACANIDAE (jacanas)					
Jacana jacana	Wattled Jacana	С	FC	A, P (W)	W
LARIDAE (gulls and tern	ns)				
Sternula superciliaris	Yellow-billed Tern	U	R	P (W)	W
Phaetusa simplex	Large-billed Tern	U	R	P (W)	W
RYNCHOPIDAE (skimm	ers)				
Rynchops niger	Black Skimmer	U	R	P (W)	W
COLUMBIDAE (pigeons	and doves)				
Columbina talpacoti	Ruddy Ground Dove	С	С	А, Р	Ν
Columbina squammata*	Scaled Dove	U		P (W)	Ν
Claravis pretiosa	Blue Ground Dove	U–FC	U	A, P (W)	TF (sd), R
Patagioenas speciosa*	Scaled Pigeon	U		A, P (M,W)	TF (sd), R
Patagioenas picazuro*	Picazuro Pigeon	U		Р	Ν
Patagioenas cayennensis	Pale-vented Pigeon	С	R	P (W)	R, N
Patagioenas plumbea	Plumbeous Pigeon	FC	FC	X† (M,X,W)	TF
Patagioenas subvinacea	Ruddy Pigeon	FC	FCC	A†, P (M)	TF, R
Leptotila verreauxi*	White-tipped Dove	FC		A, P (W)	S, N
Leptotila rufaxilla	Grey-fronted Dove	FC	FC	X† (W,X,W)	R, TFe
Geotrygon violacea*	Violaceous Quail-Dove	VR		P (W)	R, TF / UM?
Geotrygon montana	Ruddy Quail-Dove	U	FC	X (M)	TF / UM
OPISTHOCOMIDAE (He	oatzin)				
Opisthocomus hoazin*	Hoatzin	FC		A, P (M,X,W)	R
CUCULIDAE (cuckoos)					
Coccycua minuta	Little Cuckoo	U	U	X† (M,W)	S, N, R / UM?
Coccycua cinerea*	Ash-coloured Cuckoo	VR		Р	TF, R / AM
Piaya cayana	Squirrel Cuckoo	FC	FC	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF, R
Piaya melanogaster	Black-bellied Cuckoo	U	U	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF
Coccyzus melacoryphus	Dark-billed Cuckoo	U	U	A, P	N, S / AM
Coccyzus euleri	Pearly-breasted Cuckoo	VR		A, P (X)	TF, R / AM
Crotophaga major	Greater Ani	FC	U	A, P (W)	R
Crotophaga ani	Smooth-billed Ani	С	С	A, P (M,W)	Ν

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Guira guira*	Guira Cuckoo	С		A, P (X,W)	Ν
Tapera naevia*	Striped Cuckoo	FC		A, P (M)	N, S
Dromococcyx phasianellus	Pheasant Cuckoo	R–U	U	X† (M,X)	R, TF, S
Dromococcyx pavoninus	Pavonine Cuckoo	R–U	R	A, P (M,X)	TF (b)
Neomorphus geoffroyi / squamiger	Rufous-vented / Scaled Ground Cuckoo	VR	R	A† (X)	TF
TYTONIDAE (barn owls)				
Tyto alba	Barn Owl	U	U	S	Ν
STRIGIDAE (owls)					
Megascops choliba*	Tropical Screech Owl	FC		A, P (X,W)	N, S
Megascops watsonii	Tawny-bellied Screech Owl	FC-C	FCC	A†, P (M,W)	TF
Lophostrix cristata	Crested Owl	U–FC	U	A†, P (M,W)	TF
Pulsatrix perspicillata	Spectacled Owl	U	U	A (X)	TF, TFe
Ciccaba virgata	Mottled Owl	U	U	А	TF
Ciccaba huhula	Black-banded Owl	R–U	R	A, P (M,X,W)	TF
Glaucidium hardyi	Amazonian Pygmy Owl	U–FC	U	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF
Athene cunicularia	Burrowing Owl	С	R	A, P (W)	Ν
Pseudoscops clamator*	Striped Owl	R		A, P (W)	Ν
NYCTIBIIDAE (potoos)					
Nyctibius grandis	Great Potoo	U	U	A, P (X,W)	TF, TFe, R
Nyctibius aethereus*	Long-tailed Potoo	VR		A, P (X,W)	TF
Nyctibius griseus*	Common Potoo	FC		A, P (W)	N, TFe
CAPRIMULGIDAE (nigl	ntjars)				
Chordeiles nacunda*	Nacunda Nighthawk	U–R		P (W)	N/UM
Chordeiles minor	Common Nighthawk	VR	R (as <i>Chordeiles</i> sp.)	S	TF (ae) / BM
Lurocalis semitorquatus	Short-tailed Nighthawk	FC	FC	A (M,W)	TF, R
Nyctipolus nigrescens	Blackish Nightjar	С	С	X† (M,X,W)	TF, TFe, NF (sd)
Nyctidromus albicollis	Common Pauraque	С	U	A†, P (X,W)	TF, TFe, S, R
Setopagis parvulus	Little Nightjar	U	U	A, P (X)	TF, S, N / UM?
Hydropsalis maculicaudus	Spot-tailed Nightjar	U	U–R	А	Ν
Hydropsalis climacocerca	Ladder-tailed Nightjar	U	R	A, P (X,W)	R
Nyctiphrynus ocellatus	Ocellated Poorwill	U–FC	U–FC	A, P (X,W)	TF (b)
Antrostomus sericocaudatus*	Silky-tailed Nightjar	R		А	TF
Antrostomus rufus*	Rufous Nightjar	VR		А	TFe (sd)
APODIDAE (swifts)					
Cypseloides senex	Great Dusky Swift	R	R	P (M,W)	TF (ae), R, N / UM
Streptoprocne zonaris	White-collared Swift	U–R	U–R	S	TF, R (ae)

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Chaetura cinereiventris	Grey-rumped Swift	С	С	A, P (X,W)	TF, R (ae)
Chaetura egregia	Pale-rumped Swift	U–FC	U–FC	A, P (W)	TF, R (ae)
Chaetura viridipennis*	Amazonian Swift	U–FC		A,P (M)	TF, R (ae)
Chaetura brachyura	Short-tailed Swift	С	U–FC	A, P (W)	N, TF, R (ae)
Tachornis squamata	Fork-tailed Palm Swift	С	U–FC	А, Р	PF, N
Panyptila cayennensis*	Lesser Swallow-tailed Swift	U		S	TF, R, N (ae)
TROCHILIDAE (hummi	ngbirds)				
Topaza pella*	Crimson Topaz	R		А, Р	R
Florisuga mellivora	White-necked Jacobin	U–FC	U	A, P (W)	TF, TFe, R
Glaucis hirsutus	Rufous-breasted Hermit	U–FC	U	X (X)	R, S, TFe
Threnetes leucurus	Pale-tailed Barbthroat	R–U	U	X (W)	TF, R
Phaethornis aethopyga*	Tapajós Hermit	R		А, Р	TF, R, S
Phaethornis ruber	Reddish Hermit	С	FC	A†, P (M,W)	TF, TFe, S
Phaethornis hispidus*	White-bearded Hermit	R		P (W)	TF, R
Phaethornis superciliosus	Eastern Long-tailed Hermit	FCC	FC	Х	TF
Heliothryx auritus	Black-eared Fairy	U	U	X (X,W)	TF
Polytmus theresiae*	Green-tailed Goldenthroat	VR		A (X)	S
Avocettula recurvirostris*	Fiery-tailed Awlbill	VR		P (W)	TF (sd), R
Chrysolampis mosquitus*	Ruby-topaz Hummingbird	VR		P (W)	TFe (sd), R / UM
Anthracothorax nigricollis	Black-throated Mango	FC	U	A, P (X,M)	N, TFe, R
Discosura langsdorffi	Black-bellied Thorntail	R	R	Р	TF
Lophornis chalybeus*	Festive Coquette	VR		P (W)	TF (sd)
Heliodoxa aurescens*	Gould's Jewelfront	VR		P (W)	TF
Heliomaster longirostris	Long-billed Starthroat	U–FC	U	A, P (X,W)	N, R, TFe
Calliphlox amethystina	Amethyst Woodstar	U	U	A, P (W)	TF, TFe
Campylopterus largipennis	Grey-breasted Sabrewing	FC	FC	X (X,W)	TF, R
Thalurania furcata	Fork-tailed Woodnymph	С	С	X (X,M,W)	TF
Amazilia versicolor	Versicoloured Emerald	FC	FC-U	A†, P (M,X,W)	TFe, N
Amazilia fimbriata	Glittering-throated Emerald	U	R	A, P	Ν
Hylocharis sapphirina	Rufous-throated Sapphire	R	R	A, P (W)	TF
Hylocharis cyanus	White-chinned Sapphire	С	U–R	A†, P (M)	TF, TFe
TROGONIDAE (trogons))				
Pharomachrus pavoninus	Pavonine Quetzal	R–U	U–R	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF
Trogon melanurus	Black-tailed Trogon	FCC	FCC	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R
Trogon viridis	Green-backed Trogon	FCC	FCC	A, P (M,X,W)	TF, R
Trogon ramonianus	Amazonian Trogon	U–FC	U–FC	A, P (M,X,W)	TF, R
Trogon curucui	Blue-crowned Trogon	U–FC	U–FC	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF, TFe, R
Trogon rufus	Black-throated Trogon	U	U	A†, P (M)	TF, R
Trogon collaris	Collared Trogon	FC	FC	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R

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ALCEDINIDAE (kingfish	ners)				
Megaceryle torquata	Ringed Kingfisher	FC	FC-U	A, P (W)	R, W
Chloroceryle amazona	Amazon Kingfisher	FC	FC-C	A†, P (X,W)	R, W
Chloroceryle americana	Green Kingfisher	U–FC	U	A†, P (M,X)	R, W
Chloroceryle inda	Green-and-rufous Kingfisher	U	U	A†, P (M,W)	R
Chloroceryle aenea	American Pygmy Kingfisher	U	R	X, P (W)	R
MOMOTIDAE (motmots)					
Electron platyrhynchum	Broad-billed Motmot	FC	FC	X† (M,X)	TF
Baryphthengus martii*	Rufous Motmot	R		X† (M,X)	TF
Momotus momota	Amazonian Motmot	FC	FC	X (M,X,W)	TF
GALBULIDAE (jacamars)				
Brachygalba lugubris	Brown Jacamar	U	U	A, P (M,W)	R
Galbula cyanicollis	Blue-cheeked Jacamar	FC	U	X† (M,X,W)	TF
Galbula ruficauda	Rufous-tailed Jacamar	FC	FC	A†, P (M,X,W)	R, TFe
Galbula leucogastra	Bronzy Jacamar	R	R	A†, P (M,X,W)	R, TFe
Galbula dea	Paradise Jacamar	FC	FC-C	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R
Jacamerops aureus	Great Jacamar	U	U–FC	A, P (M,X,W)	TF
BUCCONIDAE (puffbird	s)				
Notharchus hyperrhynchus	White-necked Puffbird	FC	FC	A, P (M,X,W)	TF, R
Notharchus ordii	Brown-banded Puffbird	U	U	A, P (M,X,W)	TFe (sd), R
Notharchus tectus	Pied Puffbird	U	U	X (W)	TF, R
Bucco tamatia*	Spotted Puffbird	R		A, P (X,W)	TFe (sd), R
Bucco capensis	Collared Puffbird	R–U	R	A, P (M,X,W)	TF
Nystalus striolatus	Striolated Puffbird	FC	FC	X (M,X,W)	TF
Malacoptila rufa	Rufous-necked Puffbird	R–U	R	X† (X,W)	TF
Nonnula rubecula*	Rusty-breasted Nunlet	VR		А, Р	TF
Nonnula ruficapilla	Rufous-capped Nunlet	U	R	X† (M,X,W)	TF (b)
Monasa nigrifrons	Black-fronted Nunbird	С	С	A†, P (M,W)	R, TFe, S
Monasa morphoeus	White-fronted Nunbird	С	С	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF
Chelidoptera tenebrosa	Swallow-winged Puffbird	С	С	X (M,X,W)	R, TFe
CAPITONIDAE (New W	orld barbets)				
Capito dayi	Black-girdled Barbet	FC	U–FC	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF
RAMPHASTIDAE (touca	ins)				
Ramphastos tucanus	White-throated Toucan	С	С	X† (M,W)	TF, R
Ramphastos vitellinus	Channel-billed Toucan	FC-C	FC	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R
Selenidera gouldii	Gould's Toucanet	U	FC	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R
Pteroglossus inscriptus	Lettered Aracari	FC	FC	X† (M,W)	TF, TFe, R
Pteroglossus aracari*	Black-necked Aracari	R		X (W)	TF, R
Pteroglossus castanotis	Chestnut-eared Aracari	FC	FC	P† (M,W)	TF, R
Pteroglossus beauharnaesii	Curl-crested Aracari	U	U	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R

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Pteroglossus bitorquatus	Red-necked Aracari	FC	U	X (M,X,W)	TF, R
PICIDAE (woodpeckers)					
Picumnus aurifrons	Bar-breasted Piculet	FC	FC	X† (W)	TF, R
Melanerpes candidus*	White Woodpecker	VR		Р	Ν
Melanerpes cruentatus	Yellow-tufted Woodpecker	С	С	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF, TFe, R, N
Veniliornis affinis	Red-stained Woodpecker	FC	FC	X (M,X,W)	TF, R
Piculus flavigula	Yellow-throated Woodpecker	FC	FC	X (M,X)	TF, R
Piculus chrysochloros	Golden-green Woodpecker	U	U	A, P (X)	R, TF
Celeus grammicus	Scale-breasted Woodpecker	FC	FC	X (M,X,W)	TF, R
Celeus elegans	Chestnut Woodpecker	U	U	X† (M,X)	TF, R
Celeus flavus	Cream-coloured Woodpecker	U	FC	X† (M,X,W)	R
Celeus torquatus	Ringed Woodpecker	U	U	X (M,X,W)	TF, R
Dryocopus lineatus	Lineated Woodpecker	FC	FC	A†, P (M,X,W)	TFe, R, N
Campephilus rubricollis	Red-necked Woodpecker	U	U	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF
Campephilus melanoleucos	Crimson-crested Woodpecker	FC	FC	A, P (M,W)	R, TFe, N
FALCONIDAE (falcons)					
Herpetotheres cachinnans	Laughing Falcon	FC	U	A, P (M,W)	N, R
Micrastur ruficollis	Barred Forest Falcon	U	U	X† (M)	TF
Micrastur mintoni	Cryptic Forest Falcon	U–FC	R	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF
Micrastur mirandollei	Slaty-backed Forest Falcon	R–U	U–R	A†, P (M,W)	TF
Micrastur semitorquatus	Collared Forest Falcon	R–U	R	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF
Caracara plancus	Southern Caracara	FC	U	P (W)	Ν
Ibycter americanus	Red-throated Caracara	FC	U	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF
Daptrius ater	Black Caracara	FC	U	A†, P (M,X,W)	R
Milvago chimachima	Yellow-headed Caracara	VR	R	S	Ν
Falco sparverius	American Kestrel	С	R	P (W)	Ν
Falco rufigularis	Bat Falcon	FC	FC-U	A†, P (M,W)	R, TF
Falco femoralis*	Aplomado Falcon	VR		P (W)	Ν
PSITTACIDAE (parrots)	•				
- Anodorhynchus hyacinthinus*	Hyacinth Macaw	VR		Р	PF, R
Ara ararauna	Blue-and-yellow Macaw	FC	FC	A, P (X,M)	R, PF, TF
Ara macao	Scarlet Macaw	FC	FC	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF
Ara chloropterus	Red-and-green Macaw	FC	U	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF
Ara severus	Chestnut-fronted Macaw	С	FC	A†, P (M,X,W)	R, PF, TF
Orthopsittaca manilata	Red-bellied Macaw	FC	U	A†, P (M,X,W)	PF, N
Primolius maracana*	Blue-winged Macaw	R–U		A, P (X,W)	TF (sd), N
Aratinga leucophthalma	White-eyed Parakeet	С	U	At, P (M,W)	TF, N
Pyrrhura perlata	Crimson-bellied Parakeet	U–FC	U	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF
Pyrrhura amazonum	Santarém Parakeet	C	C	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF, TFe
Forpus modestus	Dusky-billed Parrotlet	U	U	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF, R

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Brotogeris chrysoptera	Golden-winged Parakeet	С	С	A, P (M,X,W)	TF
Touit huetii*	Scarlet-shouldered Parrotlet	R		A (X)	TF
Pionites leucogaster	White-bellied Parrot	FC	FC	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF
Deroptyus accipitrinus	Red-fan Parrot	U–FC	U–FC	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF
Pyrilia barrabandi	Orange-cheeked Parrot	U	U	A, P (M,X,W)	TF, R
Pyrilia aurantiocephala*	Bald Parrot	VR		P (W)	TF, R
Pionus menstruus	Blue-headed Parrot	С	С	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF, R
Amazona ochrocephala	Yellow-crowned Parrot	FC	FC	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF, N
Amazona kawalli*	Kawall's Parrot	FC		A†, P (M,X,W)	R, TF
Amazona farinosa	Mealy Parrot	FC	U	A, P (M,X,W)	TF
Amazona amazonica	Orange-winged Parrot	U	U	X (M,W)	N, TFe, S
THAMNOPHILIDAE (ty	pical antbirds)				
Cymbilaimus lineatus	Fasciated Antshrike	FC	FC-C	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R
Taraba major	Great Antshrike	FC	FC	A†, P (M,W)	S, N, R
Sakesphorus luctuosus	Glossy Antshrike	U–FC	U	A† (M,X,W)	R, S
Thamnophilus doliatus*	Barred Antshrike	FC		A, P (X,W)	R, S, N
Thamnophilus palliatus	Chestnut-backed Antshrike	FC	FC	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF (b), R
Thamnophilus schistaceus	Plain-winged Antshrike	FC	FC-C	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R
Thamnophilus stictocephalus	Natterer's Slaty Antshrike	FC	FC	A†, P (M,X)	TFe (sd)
Thamnophilus aethiops	White-shouldered Antshrike	U	U	A†, P (M,X)	TF, TFe, S
Thamnophilus amazonicus	Amazonian Antshrike	FC	U–FC	X† (M,X,W)	R, TF (b)
Thamnomanes saturninus	Saturnine Antshrike	U	U	X‡ (M,X,W)	TF
Thamnomanes caesius	Cinereous Antshrike	С	С	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R
Isleria hauxwelli	Plain-throated Antwren	FC	С	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R
Pygiptila stellaris	Spot-winged Antshrike	FC	FC	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R
Epinecrophylla leucophthalma	White-eyed Antwren	FC	FC	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R
Epinecrophylla ornata	Ornate Antwren	FC	FC	X† (M,X,W)	R, TF (b)
Myrmotherula brachyura	Pygmy Antwren	С	С	A†, P (M,X)	TF, R
Myrmotherula sclateri	Sclater's Antwren	FC	FC	A‡, P (M,X,W)	TF, R
Myrmotherula multostriata	Amazonian Streaked Antwren	FC	FC	A†, P (M,X,W)	R
Myrmotherula axillaris	White-flanked Antwren	U	U–R	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R (b)
Myrmotherula longipennis	Long-winged Antwren	FC	FC	X† (M,X)	TF, R
Myrmotherula menetriesii	Grey Antwren	FC	FC-C	A (M,X)	TF, R
Dichrozona cincta*	Banded Antbird	VR		At, P (M,X,W)	TF
Herpsilochmus rufimarginatus	Rufous-winged Antwren	U-FC	U-FC	A† (M,X,W)	R, TF, TFe
Microrhopias quixensis	Dot-winged Antwren	FC	FC	A†, P (M,X)	TF, R (b/v)
Formicivora grisea	White-fringed Antwren	U	R	A, P (M,X)	S, TFe (sd)
Drymophila devillei	Striated Antbird	U	FC	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF (b)

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Hypocnemis striata	Spix's Warbling Antbird	FCC	FC-C	X† (M,X)	TF, R
Hypocnemis hypoxantha*	Yellow-browed Antbird	VR		A, P (X,W)	TF (sd)
Cercomacra cinerascens	Grey Antbird	С	С	X† (M,X)	TF, R
Cercomacra nigrescens	Blackish Antbird	FC	FC-C	X† (M,X,W)	TF, S
Cercomacra manu	Manu Antbird	U	FC	X† (M,X)	TF (b)
Pyriglena leuconota	White-backed Fire-eye	U	U	A†, P (M,X)	TF, R
Myrmoborus leucophrys	White-browed Antbird	FC	FC	X† (M,X,W)	R, TF (b), S
Myrmoborus myotherinus	Black-faced Antbird	FC	U	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R
Hypocnemoides maculicauda	Band-tailed Antbird	FC	U–FC	X† (M,X,W)	R
Sclateria naevia	Silvered Antbird	U	U	X (M,X,W)	R
Schistocichla rufifacies*	Rufous-faced Antbird	U		A† (M,X)	TF, R
Myrmeciza hemimelaena	Chestnut-tailed Antbird	U–FC	U	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R
Myrmeciza atrothorax	Black-throated Antbird	С	C – west, R – east	A†, P (M,X)	R, TFe, S
Myrmornis torquata	Wing-banded Antbird	R	R	A†, P (M,X)	TF
Rhegmatorhina gymnops	Bare-eyed Antbird	U	U	X† (M,X,W)	TF (aa)
Hylophylax naevius	Spot-backed Antbird	FC	FC	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R
Hylophylax punctulatus	Dot-backed Antbird	U	U–R	X† (M,X,W)	R
Willisornis poecilinotus	Common Scale-backed Antbird	U–FC	U–FC	X† (M)	TF, R
Willisornis vidua*	Xingu Scale-backed Antbird	U–FC	U–FC	X† (M,X)	TF, R
Phlegopsis nigromaculata	Black-spotted Bare-eye	FC	FC	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R (aa)
CONOPOPHAGIDAE (g	nateaters)				
Conopophaga aurita	Chestnut-belted Gnateater	U	R	X† (M,X,W)	TF
GRALLARIIDAE (antpit	tas)				
Grallaria varia	Variegated Antpitta	U	U–FC	A, P (M)	TF, R
Hylopezus macularius	Spotted Antpitta	U	U–FC	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF
Hylopezus berlepschi	Amazonian Antpitta	U	U	A†, P (M,X)	TF (b), S
Myrmothera campanisona	Thrush-like Antpitta	U	U	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF
FORMICARIIDAE (antth	urushes)				
Formicarius colma	Rufous-capped Antthrush	FC	FC	X† (M,X)	TF
Formicarius analis	Black-faced Antthrush	FC	FC	X† (M)	R, TF
Chamaeza nobilis	Striated Antthrush	R	R–U	X† (M,X)	TF
FURNARIIDAE (ovenbin	:ds)				
Sclerurus mexicanus	Tawny-throated Leaftosser	U	U	A† (M,X)	TF
Sclerurus rufigularis	Short-billed Leaftosser	U	U	X† (M,X)	TF
Sclerurus caudacutus	Black-tailed Leaftosser	U	U	$X^{\dagger}(M,X,W)$	TF
Sclerurus albigularis	Grey-throated Leaftosser	VR	R	A† (M,X)	TF
Certhiasomus stictolaemus	Spot-throated Woodcreeper	R–U	R	X† (M,X,W)	TF
Dendrocincla fuliginosa	Plain-brown Woodcreeper	FC	U	X (M)	TF, R (aa)

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Dendrocincla merula*	White-chinned Woodcreeper	U–FC	overlooked	X† (X,W)	TF, R (aa)
Sittasomus griseicapillus	Olivaceous Woodcreeper	U	U	X† (M)	TF, R
Deconychura longicauda	Long-tailed Woodcreeper	U	U	X† (M,X)	TF, R
Glyphorynchus spirurus	Wedge-billed Woodcreeper	FC	FC	X‡ (M,X,W)	TF, R
Dendrexetastes rufigula	Cinnamon-throated Woodcreeper	U-FC	U-FC	X† (M,X,W)	TF, TFe
Nasica longirostris	Long-billed Woodcreeper	FC	U–FC	X† (M,X,W)	R
Dendrocolaptes certhia	Amazonian Barred Woodcreeper	U-FC	U	X† (M,X)	TF
Dendrocolaptes picumnus	Black-banded Woodcreeper	U	R	A, P (M,X,W)	TF (aa)
Hylexetastes perrotii	Red-billed Woodcreeper	R	R	X† (M,X)	TF
Xiphocolaptes promeropirhynchus	Strong-billed Woodcreeper	U	U	A†, P (M,X)	TF
Xiphorhynchus obsoletus	Striped Woodcreeper	FC	U–FC	X† (M,X)	R
Xiphorhynchus elegans*	Elegant Woodcreeper	FC	C (as X. spixi / elegans)	X† (M)	TF
Xiphorhynchus spixii	Spix's Woodcreeper	FC	C (as X. spixi / elegans)	X† (M,X)	TF
Xiphorhynchus guttatus	Buff-throated Woodcreeper	FC	С	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R
Dendroplex picus	Straight-billed Woodcreeper	FCC	FCC	X† (M,X,W)	R, TFe, N
Campylorhamphus procurvoides	Curve-billed Scythebill	U	U-FC	X† (M,X)	TF (b)
Lepidocolaptes albolineatus	Lineated Woodcreeper	FC	FC	X (M,X,W)	TF, R
Xenops tenuirostris*	Slender-billed Xenops	R		A, P (M,X)	R
Xenops minutus	Plain Xenops	FC	FC	X (M,X)	TF, R
Xenops rutilans	Streaked Xenops	U	R	A, P (M)	TF (sd)
Berlepschia rikeri	Point-tailed Palmcreeper	U	R	A, P (X,W)	PF
Microxenops milleri	Rufous-tailed Xenops	R–U	R	A (X)	TF
Anabazenops dorsalis	Dusky-cheeked Foliage- gleaner	U	FC	A† (M,X,W)	TF (b)
Philydor erythrocercum	Rufous-rumped Foliage- gleaner	FC	FC	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF, R
Philydor erythropterum	Chestnut-winged Foliage- gleaner	FC	FC	A (M,X)	TF, R
Philydor pyrrhodes*	Cinnamon-rumped Foliage- gleaner	R		X (M,X,W)	R, TF
Anabacerthia ruficaudatum	Rufous-tailed Foliage-gleaner	U	U	A (M,X)	TF, R
Syndactyla ucayalae	Peruvian Recurvebill	R	U	A† (M,X)	TF (b)
Ancistrops strigilatus	Chestnut-winged Hookbill	FC	FC	A†, P (M,X)	TF, R
Hyloctistes subulatus	Striped Woodhaunter	U	U	X (M,X)	TF, R
Automolus ochrolaemus	Buff-throated Foliage-gleaner	FC	U–FC	X† (M,X)	TF, R
Automolus paraensis	Pará Foliage-gleaner	U–FC	U–FC	X† (M,X)	TF
Automolus rufipileatus	Chestnut-crowned Foliage- gleaner	FC	FC	X† (M,X)	R, TF (b)

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Cranioleuca vulpina	Rusty-backed Spinetail	FC	U	A (M,X)	R
Cranioleuca gutturata	Speckled Spinetail	U	U	A† (M,X)	R
Synallaxis gujanensis	Plain-crowned Spinetail	U	R	A†, P (M,X,W)	R, S
Synallaxis cabanisi	Cabanis's Spinetail	VR	R	A† (M)	TFe (b), S
Synallaxis albescens*	Pale-breasted Spinetail	U		A (W)	Ν
Synallaxis rutilans	Ruddy Spinetail	U–FC	U	X, (M,X)	TF
Synallaxis cherriei	Chestnut-throated Spinetail	U	U	A†, P (M,X)	TF (b),
TYRANNIDAE (tyrant fly	vcatchers)				
Tyrannulus elatus	Yellow-crowned Tyrannulet	С	С	A, P (W)	TF, R, S, N
Myiopagis gaimardii	Forest Elaenia	С	С	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF, Tfe, R, S
Myiopagis caniceps	Grey Elaenia	FC	U	A†, P (M,X)	TF, R
Myiopagis viridicata	Greenish Elaenia	R	U–R	A (W)	S, TFe / AM?
Elaenia spectabilis	Large Elaenia	VR	R	S	S/AM
Elaenia parvirostris	Small-billed Elaenia	U	R	A, P	TFe, S / AM
Ornithion inerme	White-lored Tyrannulet	FC	FC	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF, R
Camptostoma obsoletum	Southern Beardless Tyrannulet	FC	U	A†, P (M,X,W)	N, S
Phaeomyias murina	Mouse-coloured Tyrannulet	VR	R	A (W)	N, S
Capsiempis flaveola	Yellow Tyrannulet	FC	U	A†, P (M,X)	TFe (b)
Corythopis torquatus	Ringed Antpipit	U	U	X†,P (M,X,W)	TF, R
Zimmerius acer	Guianan Tyrannulet	FC	U–FC	A, P (M,X,W)	TF, R
Mionectes oleagineus	Ochre-bellied Flycatcher	FC	U	X† (M,X)	TF
Leptopogon amaurocephalus	Sepia-capped Flycatcher	U	U	X (X,W)	TF (b)
Sublegatus obscurior*	Amazonian Scrub Flycatcher	R		A, P (X,W)	TF
Sublegatus modestus*	Southern Scrub Flycatcher	R	R (as <i>Sublegatus</i> sp.)	A, P (W)	TF, S, N / AM
Inezia inornata*	Plain Tyrannulet	VR		A (X)	R, S, TFe / AM
Inezia subflava*	Amazonian Tyrannulet	U		A, P (X,W)	R
Myiornis ecaudatus	Short-tailed Pygmy Tyrant	FC	FC	X† (M,X,W)	TF, TFe, R
Lophotriccus galeatus	Helmeted Pygmy Tyrant	FC	U	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF, R
Hemitriccus minor	Snethlage's Tody-Tyrant	FC	FC	X (M)	TF
Hemitriccus griseipectus	White-bellied Tody-Tyrant	U	U	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R
Hemitriccus minimus	Zimmer's Tody-Tyrant	U	R–U	A,P (M,X,W)	R, TF (sd)
Poecilotriccus latirostris*	Rusty-fronted Tody-Flycatcher	FC	overlooked	A, P (M,X,W)	Ν
Taeniotriccus andrei*	Black-chested Tyrant	VR*	reidentified	A (M)	TF (b/v)
Todirostrum maculatum	Spotted Tody-Flycatcher	U	R	X (X,W)	S, N
Todirostrum chrysocrotaphum	Yellow-browed Tody-Flycatcher	U–FC	U	A, P (W)	TF, R
Rhynchocyclus olivaceus	Olivaceous Flatbill	R	R	А	TF, R
Tolmomyias sulphurescens	Yellow-olive Flycatcher	R–U	FC	A† (M)	TF, R

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Tolmomyias assimilis*	Yellow-margined Flycatcher	FC		X (M,X)	TF
Tolmomyias poliocephalus	Grey-crowned Flycatcher	FC	U	A† (M,X)	TF, R
Tolmomyias flaviventris	Yellow-breasted Flycatcher	U	U–R	A, P (M,X)	S, TFe (sd)
Platyrinchus saturatus	Cinnamon-crested Spadebill	R–U	R	X† (M,X)	TF
Platyrinchus coronatus	Golden-crowned Spadebill	R–U	R	X (M,X)	TF
Platyrinchus platyrhynchos	White-crested Spadebill	U	U	X† (M,X)	TF, R
Onychorhynchus coronatus	Royal Flycatcher	R–U	R	X (M,X,W)	TF, R
Myiophobus fasciatus	Bran-coloured Flycatcher	R	R	А	N / AM
Myiobius barbatus	Sulphur-rumped Flycatcher	U	U	X (W)	TF
Terenotriccus erythrurus	Ruddy-tailed Flycatcher	U–FC	U	X (M,X)	TF, R
Neopipo cinnamomea*	Cinnamon Neopipo	R		Р	R
Lathrotriccus euleri	Euler's Flycatcher	FC	U	X† (M,X)	TF, R
Cnemotriccus fuscatus*	Fuscous Flycatcher	R		A (M,X)	S/AM
Contopus cooperi*	Olive-sided Flycatcher	VR	overlooked	А	TF / BM
Contopus virens*	Eastern Wood Pewee	R		A (X)	TF / BM
Pyrocephalus rubinus	Vermilion Flycatcher	U	R–U	A, P (W)	N / UM*
Ochthornis littoralis	Drab Water Tyrant	U	U	X† (M,W)	R
Satrapa icterophrys*	Yellow-browed Tyrant	VR		Р	N / AM
Muscisaxicola fluviatilis*	Little Ground Tyrant	VR		P (W)	R
Fluvicola albiventer	Black-backed Water Tyrant	R	R	S	R, W
Colonia colonus	Long-tailed Tyrant	FC	U	A†, P (M,W)	TF, R
Legatus leucophaius	Piratic Flycatcher	С	FC	A, P (M,W)	N, TF, R / UM*
Myiozetetes cayanensis	Rusty-margined Flycatcher	С	FC	A†, P (M,X)	N, R, TFe
Myiozetetes luteiventris	Dusky-chested Flycatcher	U	U	A, P (M,X,W)	TF
Pitangus sulphuratus	Great Kiskadee	С	U	A, P (W)	N, TFe, S
Pitangus lictor	Lesser Kiskadee	U–FC	U	A†, P (M,X,W)	R, W
Myiodynastes maculatus	Streaked Flycatcher	U	R–U	А, Р	TFe (sd), S, N / AM*
Megarynchus pitangua*	Boat-billed Flycatcher	U		A, P (W)	TF, N, S / AM*
Tyrannopsis sulphurea	Sulphury Flycatcher	U	R	A, P (M,W)	PF
Empidonomus varius	Variegated Flycatcher	FC	U	X (W)	N, TFe, TF / AM*
Empidonomus aurantioatrocristatus	Crowned Slaty Flycatcher	R–U	R	A, P (W)	TFe (sd), S / AM
Tyrannus albogularis	White-throated Kingbird	R–U	R–U	A, P (W)	N / AM
Tyrannus melancholicus	Tropical Kingbird	С	FC	A, P (W)	N / AM*
Tyrannus savana	Fork-tailed Flycatcher	FC	U	A, P (W)	N / AM
Rhytipterna simplex	Greyish Mourner	FC	FC	X (X,W)	TF, R
Sirystes sibilator	Sirystes	R	U	A, P (M,X,W)	TF
Casiornis rufus	Rufous Casiornis	R–U	R	A, P (X)	TF (sd) / AM?
Myiarchus tuberculifer	Dusky-capped Flycatcher	U–FC	U	A†, P (M,X)	TF, R

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Myiarchus swainsoni*	Swainson's Flycatcher	VR		Х	TFe (sd), S, N / AM
Myiarchus ferox	Short-crested Flycatcher	FC	U	A†, P (M,W)	S, N, R
Myiarchus tyrannulus	Brown-crested Flycatcher	U	R	A†, P (M,X)	TF (sd)
Ramphotrigon megacephalum	Large-headed Flatbill	FC	FC	X† (M,X)	TF (b)
Ramphotrigon ruficauda	Rufous-tailed Flatbill	U	R	X (X)	TF, R
Ramphotrigon fuscicauda	Dusky-tailed Flatbill	U	U	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF (b)
Attila phoenicurus*	Rufous-tailed Attila	VR		P (W)	TFe, R / AM
Attila cinnamomeus	Cinnamon Attila	FC	U–FC	X† (M,X,W)	R
Attila spadiceus	Bright-rumped Attila	U–FC	U	X† (M,X)	TF, R
COTINGIDAE (cotingas))				
Phoenicircus nigricollis*	Black-necked Red Cotinga	VR	R	А	TF
Cephalopterus ornatus	Amazonian Umbrellabird	U	U	X (W)	R
Cotinga cayana	Spangled Cotinga	U	U	X (W)	TF, R
Lipaugus vociferans	Screaming Piha	С	С	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R
Porphyrolaema porphyrolaema	Purple-throated Cotinga	R	R	At, P (W)	TF, R
Xipholena punicea	Pompadour Cotinga	R	U (as <i>Xipholena</i> sp.)	X (X,W)	TF, R
Gymnoderus foetidus	Bare-necked Fruitcrow	U–FC	U–FC	P (W)	R
PIPRIDAE (manakins)					
Tyranneutes stolzmanni	Dwarf Tyrant-Manakin	FC	U	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF, R
Chiroxiphia pareola	Blue-backed Manakin	FC	FC	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R
Machaeropterus pyrocephalus	Fiery-capped Manakin	U–FC	R–U	At, P (M,W)	TF, R
Dixiphia pipra*	White-crowned Manakin	R		X (X,W)	TF, R
Manacus manacus	White-bearded Manakin	U	R–U	Х	S, TFe
Heterocercus linteatus	Flame-crowned Manakin	U	R	X† (M,X,W)	R
Ceratopipra rubrocapilla	Red-headed Manakin	С	FC	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R
Pipra fasciicauda	Band-tailed Manakin	FC	FC	X (X,W)	TF, R (b)
Lepidothrix nattereri	Snow-capped Manakin	U–FC	U	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R
TITYRIDAE (tityras)	11				
Tityra inquisitor	Black-crowned Tityra	U	R–U	A†, P (M,W)	TF, R
Tityra cayana	Black-tailed Tityra	R	U	A†, P (M)	TF, R
Tityra semifasciata	Masked Tityra	FC	FC	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF, R, N
Schiffornis major	Várzea Schiffornis	R–U	R	X† (M,X,W)	R
Schiffornis turdina	Brown-winged Schiffornis	FC	FC	X† (M,X)	TF, R
Laniocera hypopyrra	Cinereous Mourner	U	U	X† (M,X)	TF
Iodopleura isabellae	White-browed Purpletuft	U	R–U	A, P (M,X,W)	TFe, R
Xenopsaris albinucha	White-naped Xenopsaris	R	R	A, P (W)	TF (sd)/ AM

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Pachyramphus castaneus	Chestnut-crowned Becard	FC	U	A† (M,W)	TF, R		
Pachyramphus polychopterus	White-winged Becard	FC	U	A†, P (M)	R		
Pachyramphus marginatus	Black-capped Becard	FC	FC	$A^{\dagger}(M,X)$	TF, R		
Pachyramphus minor	Pink-throated Becard	U	U	X (X)	TF, R		
Pachyramphus validus*	Crested Becard	VR		A, P (W)	TFe (sd) / AM		
INCERTAE SEDIS							
Piprites chloris	Wing-barred Piprites	FC	FC	A† (M,X)	TF, R		
VIREONIDAE (vireos)							
Cyclarhis gujanensis	Rufous-browed Peppershrike	FC	U	A†, P (M)	TF, R, S, N		
Vireolanius leucotis	Slaty-capped Shrike-Vireo	FCC	FC-C	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF, R		
Vireo olivaceus	Red-eyed Vireo	U-FC	U	Х	TF, TFe / BM / AM*		
Vireo altiloquus	Black-whiskered Vireo	R	R	S	TF, R / BM		
Hylophilus semicinereus	Grey-chested Greenlet	FC	FC	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF, R		
Hylophilus hypoxanthus	Dusky-capped Greenlet	FCC	С	X (M,X,W)	TF, R		
Hylophilus ochraceiceps	Tawny-crowned Greenlet	U	FC	A (M,X)	TF, R		
HIRUNDINIDAE (swalle	ows)						
Pygochelidon melanoleuca*	Black-collared Swallow	U–R		P (W)	R		
Atticora fasciata	White-banded Swallow	С	FC	At, P (W)	R		
Atticora tibialis	White-thighed Swallow	R–U	R	А, Р	TF		
Stelgidopteryx ruficollis	Southern Rough-winged Swallow	С	С	X† (W)	R, W, N		
Progne tapera	Brown-chested Martin	FC	U–FC	P (W)	W, R, N (ae)		
Progne subis*	Purple Martin	U		P (W)	N, R (ae) / BM		
Progne chalybea	Grey-breasted Martin	С	U–FC	A, P (W)	N (ae) / AM*		
Tachycineta albiventer	White-winged Swallow	U	FC	A†, P (X,W)	W, R		
Riparia riparia*	Bank Swallow	VR		S	N, R (ae) / BM		
Hirundo rustica*	Barn Swallow	R		S	N (ae) / BM		
TROGLODYTIDAE (wrens)							
Microcerculus marginatus	Scaly-breasted Wren	FC	FC	X† (M,X)	TF		
Odontorchilus cinereus	Tooth-billed Wren	U	U	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF		
Troglodytes aedon	House Wren	С	С	A, P (M,W)	Ν		
Campylorhynchus turdinus	Thrush-like Wren	FC	FC	X† (M,W)	TF, R		
Pheugopedius genibarbis	Moustached Wren	FC	FC	A†, P (M)	TF, R		
Cantorchilus leucotis	Buff-breasted Wren	С	FC-C	X† (M,X,W)	R, N		
Cyphorhinus arada	Musician Wren	U	R	X† (M,X,W)	TF		
POLIOPTILIDAE (gnatcatchers)							
Ramphocaenus melanurus	Long-billed Gnatwren	FC	FC	X† (M,X)	R, TF		
Polioptila guianensis	Guianan Gnatcatcher	R	R	A, P (X)	TF		

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DONACOBIIDAE (Donac	cobius)				
Donacobius atricapilla	Black-capped Donacobius	FC	R	A†, P (M,W)	W, R, N
TURDIDAE (thrushes)					
Catharus fuscescens*	Veery	VR		Х	TF / BM
Turdus hauxwelli	Hauxwell's Thrush	U–FC	U (as T. hauxwelli / fumigatus)	X† (M,X)	R
Turdus lawrencii	Lawrence's Thrush	U	U	A† (M,X)	TF
Turdus amaurochalinus	Creamy-bellied Thrush	VR*	U–R	S	S, R / AM
Turdus albicollis	White-necked Thrush	U	U	X† (M)	TF, R
MOTACILLIDAE (pipits	and wagtails)				
Anthus lutescens*	Yellowish Pipit	U		A, P (W)	Ν
THRAUPIDAE (tanagers)					
Paroaria gularis	Red-capped Cardinal	FC	U–FC	P (W)	R
Schistochlamys melanopis*	Black-faced Tanager	VR		Р	TF (sd)
Cissopis leverianus	Magpie Tanager	U-FC	U	A†, P (M)	TF, R
Lamprospiza melanoleuca	Red-billed Pied Tanager	U	FC	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF, R
Nemosia pileata	Hooded Tanager	VR	R	S	TF (sd)
Tachyphonus cristatus	Flame-crested Tanager	FC	С	X (M,X,W)	TF, R
Tachyphonus luctuosus	White-shouldered Tanager	FC	FC	X (M,W)	TF, R
Tachyphonus rufus*	White-lined Tanager	U		A, P (W)	Ν
Lanio versicolor	White-winged Shrike-Tanager	FC	FC	A†,P (M,X,W)	TF, R
Ramphocelus carbo	Silver-beaked Tanager	С	FC	A, P (W)	N, R, S, TFe
Thraupis episcopus	Blue-grey Tanager	С	U (as T. episcopus / sayaca)	A, P (M,W)	Ν
Thraupis palmarum	Palm Tanager	С	FC-C	A†, P (M,X,W)	N, S, TFe
Tangara nigrocincta	Masked Tanager	U	U–R	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF, TFe
Tangara cyanicollis	Blue-necked Tanager	U	U	A†, P (M,W)	TF, TFe
Tangara varia*	Dotted Tanager	VR		А	TF
Tangara punctata	Spotted Tanager	U	R	А	TF, R
Tangara mexicana	Turquoise Tanager	FC	FC	A†,P (M,W)	TF, R, TFe, S
Tangara chilensis	Paradise Tanager	FC	С	A, P (M,X,W)	TF, R
Tangara velia	Opal-rumped Tanager	FC	FC	A (M,X,W)	TFe, TF, R
Tangara gyrola	Bay-headed Tanager	U–FC	U	At, P (M,W)	TF, R
Tangara schrankii	Green-and-gold Tanager	FC	U	X (M,X,W)	TF, R
Tersina viridis	Swallow Tanager	FC	U–FC	A†, P (M,W)	TF, R / UM
Dacnis albiventris	White-bellied Dacnis	VR*	R	S	TF
Dacnis lineata	Black-faced Dacnis	FC	FC	A, P (X,W)	TF, R
Dacnis flaviventer	Yellow-bellied Dacnis	FC	FC	A†, P (M,X,W)	R, TF
Dacnis cayana	Blue Dacnis	FC	С	A (M,W)	TF, R
Cyanerpes nitidus		U	U–R	A, P (X,W)	TF, R

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Cyanerpes caeruleus	Purple Honeycreeper	U–FC	U	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF, R		
Cyanerpes cyaneus*	Red-legged Honeycreeper	VR		S	TF (sd)		
Chlorophanes spiza	Green Honeycreeper	FC	U	A, P (WA)	TF, R		
Hemithraupis flavicollis	Yellow-backed Tanager	FC	U–FC	A, P (X,W)	TF, R		
Conirostrum speciosum	Chestnut-vented Conebill	U	R	A (W)	TF (sd)		
Volatinia jacarina	Blue-black Grassquit	С	С	A, P (M,W)	Ν		
Sporophila collaris*	Rusty-collared Seedeater	VR		P (W)	Ν		
Sporophila lineola*	Lined Seedeater	С		P (W)	N / AM		
Sporophila nigricollis*	Yellow-bellied Seedeater	U		A, P (W)	Ν		
Sporophila caerulescens	Double-collared Seedeater	С	Rw m	А, Р	N/AM		
Sporophila castaneiventris*	Chestnut-bellied Seedeater	VR		P (W)	Ν		
Oryzoborus angolensis	Chestnut-bellied Seed Finch	R–U	R	A†, P (W)	Ν		
Coryphospingus cucullatus*	Red-crested Finch	VR		Р	Ν		
Coereba flaveola	Bananaquit	FC	U	A†, P (M,X)	TF, R, S, N		
Parkerthraustes humeralis	Yellow-shouldered Grosbeak	U	U	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF		
INCERTAE SEDIS							
Saltator grossus	Slate-coloured Grosbeak	FC	FC-C	X† (M,W)	TF, R		
Saltator maximus	Buff-throated Saltator	С	FC-C	X† (M,W)	TF, R, S, N		
Saltator coerulescens*	Greyish Saltator	С		A, P	S, N		
EMBERIZIDAE (sparrow	s)						
Zonotrichia capensis*	Rufous-collared Sparrow	FC		A, P (W)	Ν		
Ammodramus humeralis*	Grassland Sparrow	FC		A, P (X,W)	Ν		
Arremon taciturnus	Pectoral Sparrow	FC	FC	X† (M,X)	TF, R		
CARDINALIDAE (cardir	nal grosbeaks)						
Habia rubica	Red-crowned Ant Tanager	U–FC	U–FC	A†, P (M,X)	TF, R		
Granatellus pelzelni	Rose-breasted Chat	U–FC	FC	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF, B		
Cyanocompsa cyanoides	Blue-black Grosbeak	FC	FCw	X† (M,X)	TF, R, S		
PARULIDAE (wood wark	olers)						
Geothlypis aequinoctialis*	Masked Yellowthroat	VR		S	W, N		
Basileuterus culicivorus	Golden-crowned Warbler	U	U	A† (M)	TF (sd)		
Phaeothlypis fulvicauda*	Buff-rumped Warbler	R		А	R		
Phaeothlypis rivularis	Riverbank Warbler	R	U	At (M)	R		
ICTERIDAE (New World blackbirds)							
Psarocolius decumanus	Crested Oropendola	С	FC	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF, R, N		
Psarocolius bifasciatus	Olive Oropendola	С	FC-C	X† (M,X,W)	TF, R		
Cacicus solitarius	Solitary Black Cacique	U	Rw	S	R, N		
Cacicus cela	Yellow-rumped Cacique	С	U–FC	A†, P (M,W)	R, TF, S, N		
Cacicus haemorrhous	Red-rumped Cacique	U	R	X† (M)	TF, R		
Icterus cayanensis	Epaulet Oriole	U	U	A†, P (M,X,W)	TF, R		
Gnorimopsar chopi*	Chopi Blackbird	VR		А	Ν		

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Giant Cowbird	FC	R	A, P (M,W)	N, TF		
Shiny Cowbird	U		A, P (W)	Ν		
Red-breasted Blackbird	FC		A, P (W)	Ν		
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Purple-throated Euphonia	U		A (X)	Ν		
Thick-billed / Violaceous Euphonia	U	R	A (M,W)	TF, N		
Golden-bellied Euphonia	FC	FC	A†, P (M,W)	TF, R		
White-vented Euphonia	R–U	U–R	A† (M,X,W)	TF, R		
Orange-bellied Euphonia	U	U	A† (M)	TF (sd)		
Rufous-bellied Euphonia	FC	FC	A, P (M,X,W)	TF, R		
PASSERIDAE (Old World sparrows)						
House Sparrow	С	Rw	P (W)	Ν		
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