

LOS CEDROS RESERVE, Imbabura Province - ECUADOR

BIRDS of LOS CEDROS RESERVE

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1 *Accipiter bicolor* (FSV)
Bicolored Hawk



2 *Electron platyrhynchum* (FSV)
Broad-billed Motmot



3 *Piaya cayana* (AW)
Squirrel Cuckoo



4 *Penelope ortoni* (FSV)
Baudo Guan



5 *Penelope purpurascens* (FSV)
Crested Guan



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7 *Colaptes rubiginosus* (FSV)
Golden-olive Woodpecker



8 *Ramphastos ambiguus* (FSV)
Yellow-throated Toucan



9 *Pyrrhura melanura* (JR)
Maroon-tailed Parakeet



10 *Agelaiocercus coelestis* (FSV)
Violet-tailed Sylph



11 *Amazilia tzacatl* (JR)
Rufous-tailed Hummingbird



12 *Boissonneaua jardini* (FSV)
Velvet-purple Coronet



13 *Heliodoxa jacula* (JR)
Green-crowned Brilliant



14 *Heliodoxa rubinoides* (FSV)
Fawn-breasted Brilliant



15 *Thalurania fannyi* (FSV)
Green-crowned Woodnymph



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17 *Pharomachrus auriceps* (JR)
Golden-headed Quetzal



18 *Philydor rufus* (FSV)
Buff-fronted Foliage-gleaner



19 *Cinclus leucocephalus* (FSV)
White-capped Dipper



20 *Hafferia immaculata* (JR)
Blue-lored Antbird

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21 *Geothlypis semiflava* (JR) J
Olive-crowned Yellowthroat



22 *Machaeropterus deliciosus* (FSV)
Club-winged Manakin



23 *Tangara parzudakii* (FSV)
Flame-faced Tanager



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25 *Contopus* sp. (FSV)
Wood-Pewee



26 *Myiarchus tuberculifer* (FSV)
Dusky-capped Flycatcher



27 *Myiotriccus ornatus* (FSV)
Ornate Flycatcher



28 *Myiozetetes cayanensis* (FSV)
Rusty-margined Flycatcher



29 *Todirostrum cinereum* (JR)
Common Tody-flycatcher



30 *Tyrannus melancholicus* (FSV)
Tropical Kingbird



La Reserva Los Cedros está ubicada en el sur de la provincia de Imbabura, adyacente a la Reserva Ecológica Cotacachi-Cayapas. Presenta bosque piemontano y nublado en un rango de altitud entre los 1200 hasta los 2700 msnm. Posee más de 250 especies de aves y es considerada una IBA (important bird area). Además se han realizado diversas investigaciones científicas y también recibe turistas siendo uno de los bosques más importantes de Imbabura y del Ecuador.

The Los Cedros Reserve is located in southern Imbabura province, adjacent to the Cotacachi-Cayapas Ecological Reserve. It contains piedmont forest and cloud forest within an altitudinal range of 1200–2700 meters. The Reserve harbors more than 250 species of birds and is considered an IBA (Important Bird Area). Los Cedros hosts both scientific researchers and tourists, and is considered to be one of the most important forests in Imbabura and throughout Ecuador.