

Amazon Rainforest Discovery Species List | October 23 – November 2, 2024 with Naturalist Journeys



Compiled by Chris Harbard with local guides Luis and Hulber. Our clients included Jenny, John, Derek, Marge, Eric, Heather, Eric, Jackie, Lisa, Daryl and Gene.

The group of eleven participants, plus guide Chris, gathered for an early dinner at the Wyndham Costa del Sol Hotel at Lima Airport. The following morning we checked in at the airport for our flight to Iquitos (at 2:45 am).

We were based for three nights at the Ceiba Tops Lodge, by the Amazon River, north of Iquitos and then met the MV Zafiro in Nauta to spend the next six nights exploring the Marañón River and its tributaries.

It was a very successful trip with 205 species of birds recorded seen of which 15 were heard only, plus 14 mammals, 9 reptiles and amphibians, 9 butterflies and sundry other wildlife.

The eBird link below details the 205 species of birds our group recorded during the tour. If you're new to eBird, be sure to click "Show All Details" on the right side of the list to expand the report and reveal where and when each of the birds were seen and how many.

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Following is a list of the mammals, reptiles and amphibians, and insects we were fortunate to observe during the trip.

MAMMALS: — (14)

Brown-throated Three-toed Sloth *Bradypus variegatus*

Greater Sac-winged Bat *Saccopteryx bilineata*

Proboscis Bat *Rhynchonycteris naso*

Greater Bulldog Bat *Noctilio leporinus*

Yellow-crowned Brush-tailed Rat *Isothrix bistriata*

Amazon Bamboo Rat *Dactylomys dactylinus*

Eastern Pygmy Marmoset *Cebuella niveiventris*

Nancy Ma's Night Monkey *Aotus nancymai*

Humboldt's Squirrel Monkey *Saimiri cassiquiarensis*

Common Woolly Monkey *Lagothrix lagothricha*

Colombian Red Howler Monkey *Alouatta seniculus*

Boto (Amazon River Dolphin) *Inia geoffrensis*

Tuxuci (Dolphin) *Sotalia fluviatilis*

Common Opossum *Didelphis marsupialis*

REPTILES AND AMPHIBIANS: — (8)

Smoky Jungle Frog *Leptodactylus pentadactylus*
Waxy Monkey Tree Frog *Phyllomedusa sauvagi*
Cane Toad *Rhinella marina*
Yellow-headed Sideneck Turtle *Podocnemis unifilis*
Spectacled Caiman *Caiman crocodilus*
Green Iguana *Iguana iguana*
Giant Ameiva *Ameiva ameiva*
Red-tailed Boa *Boa constrictor*

BUTTERFLIES: — (12)

White Peacock *Anartia jatrophae*
South American Tropical Buckeye *Junonia evarete*
Many-banded Daggerwing *Marpesia chiron*
Ruddy Daggerwing *Marpesia petreus*
Scarce Bamboo Page *Philaethria dido*
Julia Heliconian *Dryas julia*
Banded Orange Heliconian *Dryadula phaetusa*
Antiochus Longwing *Heliconius antiochus*
Menelaus Morpho *Morpho menelaus*
Tailed Cecropian *Historis acheronta*
Dusky Owl Butterfly *Caligo illioneus*
White-banded Page *Metamorphia elissa*

MOTHS: — (2)

Podalia moth *Podalia fuscescens*
Imperial Moth *Eacles sp*

DRAGONFLIES: — (3)

Dragonlet *Erythrodiplax attenuata*
Black Pondhawk *Erythemis attala*
Tropical King Skimmer *Orthemis paulseni*

OTHER WILDLIFE

Jumping Stick Insect *Apioscelis sp*
Ecuadorian Brown Velvet Tarantula *Megaphobema velvetosoma*
Red-bellied Piranha *Pygocentrus nattereri*