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Anura		
Aromobatidae		
<i>Allobates talamancae</i>	Talamanca rocket frog	
Bufo		
Bufonidae/Frogs/Sapos		
<i>Atelopus varius</i>	Variable harlequin frog	Rana Arlequín
<i>Chaunus marinus</i>	Giant toad	Sapo común
<i>Incilius aucoinae</i>		
<i>Incilius coniferus</i>	Green climbing toad	
<i>Incilius melanochlorus</i>	Wet Forest Toad	
<i>Rhaebo haematiticus</i>	Smooth-skinned toad	
Dendrobatidae/Poison-dart Frogs/ Ranas Venenosas		
<i>Dendrobates auratus</i>	Green & black poison-dart frog	
<i>Oophaga granulifera</i>	Granular poison-dart frog	
<i>Phyllobates vittatus</i>	Golfo Dulce poison-dart frog	
<i>Silverstoneia flotator</i>	Rainforest rocket frog	
Centrolenidae/Glass Frogs/ Ranas de vidrio		
<i>Cochranella granulosa</i>		Ranita De Cristal
<i>Teratohyla spinosa</i>		
<i>Espadarana prosoblepon</i>	Emerald glass frog	
<i>Hyalinobatrachium colymbiphyllum</i>	Plantation glass frog	
<i>Hyalinobatrachium valerioi</i>	Reticulated glass frog	
<i>Sachatamia albomaculata</i>		
<i>Teratohyla pulverata</i>	Chiriqui glass frog	
Craugastoridae/ Rain Frogs/ Ranas de lluvia		
<i>Craugastor crassidigitus</i>	Slim-Fingered rain frog	
<i>Craugastor fitzingeri</i>	Common rain frog	



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<i>Craugastor noblei</i>	Noble's rain frog	
<i>Craugastor rugosus</i>	Veragua rain frog	
<i>Craugastor stejnegerianus</i>	Stejneger's rain frog	
<i>Craugastor taurus</i>	Golfito rain frog	
Eleutherodactylidae/Rain Frogs/ Ranas de lluvia		
<i>Diasporus diastema</i>	Common tink frog	
<i>Diasporus vocator</i>	Agua Buena rain frog	
Hylidae/Leaf Frogs/ Ranas de hoja		
<i>Agalychnis callidryas</i>	Red-eyed leaf frog	
<i>Agalychnis spurrelli</i>	Gliding leaf frog	
<i>Dendropsophus ebraccatus</i>	Hourglass tree frog	
<i>Dendropsophus microcephalus</i>	Small-headed tree frog	
<i>Hypsiboas rosenbergi</i>	Gladiator tree frog	
<i>Scinax boulengeri</i>		
<i>Scinax elaeochroa</i>	Olive tree frog	
<i>Smilisca phaeota</i>	Masked tree frog	
<i>Smilisca sila</i>	Cross-banded tree frog	
<i>Smilisca sordida</i>	Drab tree frog	
<i>Trachycephalus venulosus</i>	Milk frog	
Leiuperidae		
<i>Engystomops pustulosus</i>	Tungara frog	
Leptodactylidae		
<i>Leptodactylus fragilis</i>	White-lipped foam frog	
<i>Leptodactylus insularum</i>	Barbour's thin-toed frog	
<i>Leptodactylus melanonotus</i>	Black-backed frog	
<i>Leptodactylus poecilochilus</i>	Turbo white-lipped frog	Rana de labios variados



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<i>Leptodactylus savagei</i>	Central American bullfrog	Rana toro
Mycrohylidae		
<i>Nelsonophyne aterrima</i>		
Ranidae		
<i>Lithobates forreri</i>	Forrer's grass frog	Rana de Forrer
<i>Lithobates warszewitschii</i>	Warszewitsch's Frog	
Strabomantidae		
<i>Pristimantis cruentus</i>		
<i>Pristimantis ridens</i>	Pygmy rain frog	
Caudata		
Plethodontidae/ Salamanders / Salamandras		
<i>Bolitoglossa colonea</i>	Ridge-headed salamander	
<i>Bolitoglossa lignicolor</i>	Bark-colored salamander	
<i>Oedipina alleni</i>		
<i>Oedipina pacificensis</i>		
<i>Oedipina savagei</i>	Savage's Worm Salamander	
Gymnophiona		
Caeciliidae/ Caecilians / Soldas con solda		
<i>Dermophis glandulosus</i>		
<i>Dermophis occidentalis</i>		
<i>Dermophis parviceps</i>	Slender Caecilian	
<i>Gymnopsis multiplicata</i>	Purple Caecilian	
<i>Oscaecilia osae</i>		



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Crocodylia		
Alligatoridae		
<i>Caiman crocodilus</i>	Spectacled caiman	Caiman
Crocodylidae		
<i>Crocodylus acutus</i>	American crocodile	Cocodrilo
Squamata		
Anguidae		
<i>Coloptychon rhombifer</i>	Lowland Alligator Lizard	Lagartija caimán
Corytophanidae		
<i>Basiliscus basiliscus</i>	Common basilisk	Basilisco
<i>Basiliscus plumifrons</i>	Green basilisk	
<i>Corytophanes cristatus</i>	Helmeted iguana	Perro zompopo
Gekkonidae		
<i>Gonatodes albogularis</i>	Yellow-headed gecko	
<i>Hemidactylus frenatus</i>	House gecko	
<i>Hemidactylus garnoti</i>		
<i>Lepidoblepharis xanthostigma</i>	Litter gecko	
<i>Lepidodactylus lugubris</i>	Mourning gecko	
<i>Sphaerodactylus graptolaemus</i>		
<i>Thecadactylus rapicauda</i>	Turnip-tail gecko	
Gymnophthalmidae		
<i>Bachia blairi</i>		
<i>Gymnophthalmus speciosus</i>	Golden Spectacled Lizard	Lagartija dorada
<i>Leposoma southi</i>	Keeled Leaf-litter Lizard	Lagartija quillada de hojarasca
<i>Potamites apodemus</i>		
Iguanidae		
<i>Iguana iguana</i>	Green Iguana	Iguana



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<i>Ctenosaura similis</i>	Black spiny-tailed iguana	Garrobo
Polychrotidae		
<i>Dactyloa insignis</i>		
<i>Norops aquaticus</i>	Water anole	Cherepo o Gallego
<i>Norops biporcatus</i>	Green tree anole	Cherepo o Gallego
<i>Norops capito</i>	Pug-nosed anole	Cherepo o Gallego
<i>Norops cupreus</i>	Dry forest anole	Cherepo o Gallego
<i>Norops humilis</i>	Ground anole	Cherepo o Gallego
<i>Norops lemurinus</i>	Canopy anole	Cherepo o Gallego
<i>Norops limifrons</i>	Slender anole	Cherepo o Gallego
<i>Norops oxylophus</i>	Stream anole	Cherepo o Gallego
<i>Norops chralesmyersi</i>		Cherepo o Gallego
<i>Norops polylepis</i>	Golfo Dulce anole	Cherepo o Gallego
<i>Polychrus gutturosus</i>	Canopy lizard	
Scincidae		
<i>Mabuya unimarginata</i>	Bronze-backed climbing skink	
<i>Sphenomorphus cherriei</i>	Litter skink	
Teiidae		
<i>Ameiva festiva</i>	Central American whip-tailed lizard	Chisbala
<i>Ameiva leptophrys</i>	Blotched-flanck whip-tailed lizard	Chisbala
<i>Ameiva quadrilineata</i>	Four-lined whip-tailed lizard	Chisbala
Xantusiidae		
<i>Lepidophyma reticulatum</i>	Reticulated Night Lizard	Lagartija nocturna reticulada
Boidae		
<i>Boa constrictor</i>	Boa Constrictor	Boa Constrictor
<i>Corallus ruschenbergerii</i>	Northern Tree boa	Boa arborícola norteña



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<i>Epicrates maurus</i>	Rainbow Boa	Boa arcoiris
Colubridae		
<i>Chironius carinatus</i>	Keeled whipsnake	Serpiente de látigo quillada
<i>Chironius flavopictus</i>	Werner's Sipo	
<i>Chironius grandisquamis</i>	Shiny whipsnake	Sérpiente de látigo negra
<i>Dendrophidion percarinatum</i>	Barred forest racer	Corredora de barras
<i>Drymarcon malanurus</i>	Black-tailed cribo	Sabanera real
<i>Drymobius margaritiferus</i>	Speckled racer	Ranera común
<i>Drymobius rhombifer</i>	Blotched racer	Ranera manchada
<i>Leptophis ahaetulla</i>	Giant parrot snake	Lora falsa gigante
<i>Leptophis depressirostris</i>	Golden-eyed parrot snake	Lora falsa de ojos dorados
<i>Leptophis nebulosus</i>	Yellow-lipped parrot snake	Lora falsa enana
<i>Leptophis riveti</i>	Turquoise parrot snake	Lora falsa azulada
<i>Mastigodryas melanolomus</i>	Neotropical racer	Corredora común
<i>Oxybelis aeneus</i>	Brown vine snake	Bejuquilla café
<i>Pseustes poecilonotus</i>	Northern bird snake	Pajarera
<i>Scaphiodontophis venustissimus</i>	Coral neckband snake	Falsa cora variable
<i>Spilotes pullatus</i>	Oriole snake	Mica
<i>Stenorrhina degenhardtii</i>	Southern scorpion-eater	Alacranera sureña
<i>Tantilla ruficeps</i>	Striped crowned snake	Cabeza plana lineada
<i>Tantilla schistosa</i>	Collared crowned snake	Cabeza plana de collar
<i>Tantilla supracincta</i>	Coral crowned snake	Cabeza plana anillada
Dipsadidae		
<i>Amastridium veliferum</i>	Common rustyhead	Cabeza de herrumbre
<i>Clelia clelia</i>	Common mussurana	Zopilota común
<i>Coniophanes fissidens</i>	Brown spotbelly	Ranera café



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<i>Dipsas tenuissima</i>	Black-faced thirst snake	Caracolera rosada
<i>Enulius flavitorques</i>	Thick-tailed snake	Cabeza puntiaguda
<i>Enulius sclateri</i>	Sock-headed snake	Cabeza blanca
<i>Erythrolamprus mimus</i>	Stripe-bellied false coral	Falsa coral de cabeza anillada
<i>Geophis brachycephalus</i>	Costa Rica worm snake	Culebra de tierra costarricense
<i>Geophis hoffmanni</i>	Plain worm snake	Culebra de tierra común
<i>Hydromorphus concolor</i>	Prawn snake	Camaronera
<i>Imantodes cenchoa</i>	Common blunthead	Dormilona común
<i>Imantodes inornatus</i>	Speckled blunthead	Dormilona salpicada
<i>Leptodeira annulata</i>	Common cat-eyed snake	Ojo de gato común
<i>Leptodeira rubricata</i>	Mangrove cat-eyed snake	Manglera
<i>Leptodeira spetentrionalis</i>	Northern cat-eyed snake	Ojo de gato norteña
<i>Liophis epinephelus</i>	Northern swampsnake	Falsa coral de quebrada
<i>Ninia maculata</i>	Banded coffee snake	Culebra de café bandeada
<i>Ninia sebae</i>	Red coffee snake	Culebra de café rojiza
<i>Nothopsis rugosus</i>	Pebble snake	Culebra granosa
<i>Oxyrhopus petolarius</i>	Banded calico snake	Gargatilla falsa
<i>Rhadinaea decorata</i>	Elegant littersnake	Hojarasquera de vientre rojo
<i>Sibon dimidiatus</i>	Orange-ringed snaileater	Caracolera de bandas anaranjadas
<i>Sibon nebulatus</i>	Common snaileater	Caracolera común
<i>Siphlophis compressus</i>	Red-eyed treesnake	Culebra de ojos rojos
<i>Urotheca decipiens</i>	Collared glasstail	Cola de vidrio de collar
<i>Urotheca fulviceps</i>	Red-headed glasstail	Cola de vidrio de cabeza roja
<i>Urotheca guentheri</i>	Striped glasstail	Cola de vidrio rayada
<i>Xenodon rabdocephalus</i>	False fer-de-lance	Falsa terciopelo



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Elapidae		
<i>Micrurus alleni</i>	Allen's coral snake	Coral gigante de agua
<i>Micrurus clarki</i>	Clark's coral snake	Coral de labios manchados
<i>Micrurus nigrocinctus</i>	Central American coral snake	Coral Centroamericana
<i>Pelamis platura</i>	Yellow-bellied sea snake	Serpiente de mar
Ungaliophiidae		
<i>Ungaliophis panamensis</i>	Southern bromeliad boa	Boa de las bromelias
Viperidae		
<i>Bothrops asper</i>	Fer-de-lance	Terciopelo
<i>Bothriechis schlegelii</i>	Eyeshlash palm viper	Bocaracá común
<i>Lachesis melanocephala</i>	Black-headed bushmaster	Plato negro
<i>Porthidium porrasi</i>	White-tailed hog-nose pit viper	Tamagá de cola blanca
Testudinata		
Emydidae		
<i>Trachemys venusta</i>	Mesoamerican slider	
Kinosternidae		
<i>Kinosternon leucostomum</i>	White-lipped mud turtle	
<i>Kinosternon scorpioides</i>	Red-cheeked mud turtle	
Chelonidae		
<i>Chelonia mydas agassizii</i>	East Pacific Green sea turtle	Tortuga Verde o Tortuga Negra
<i>Eretmochelys imbricata</i>	Hawksbill sea turtle	Carey
<i>Lepidochelys olivacea</i>	Olive Ridley sea turtle	Lora
Dermochelyidae		
<i>Dermochelys coriacea</i>	Leatherback sea turtle	Baúla