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Costa Rica Species List

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Birds

<i>Great Tinamou – E Heard only</i>	Snail Kite - E
Black-bellied Whistling Duck	Common Black-Hawk - E
Muscovy Duck	Roadside Hawk
Blue-winged Teal	Broad-winged Hawk
Gray-headed Chachalaca	Gray Hawk – E
Black Guan	Swainson’s Hawk
Great Curassow	White-tailed Hawk
Crested Bobwhite	Red-tailed Hawk
Jabiru	Sunbittern
Wood Stork	Purple Gallinule - E
Magnificent Frigatebird	Common Gallinule - E
Great Frigatebird	American Coot - E
Neotropic Cormorant	Limpkin - E
Anhinga	Double-striped Thick-Knee - E
Brown Pelican	Black-bellied Plover - E
Bare-throated Tiger-Heron	Black-necked Stilt - E
Great Blue Heron	Northern Jacana - E
Great Egret	Spotted Sandpiper
Snowy Egret	Willet - E
Little Blue Heron	Lesser Yellowlegs - E
Tricolored Heron	Whimbrel - E
Cattle Egret	Western Sandpiper - E
Green Heron	Short-billed Dowitcher - E
Black-crowned Night-Heron - E	Laughing Gull
White Ibis	Royal Tern
Green Ibis	Sandwich Tern
Roseate Spoonbill - E	Rock Pigeon
Black Vulture	Red-billed Pigeon - E
Turkey Vulture	Band-tailed Pigeon
Osprey - E	Ruddy Pigeon
Gray-headed Kite	White-winged Dove

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Inca Dove
Ruddy Ground Dove
White-tipped Dove – E
Squirrel Cuckoo
Groove-billed Ani
Pacific Screech Owl – E
Spectacled Owl
Ferruginous Pygmy Owl – E
Mottled Owl – Heard only
Lesser Nighthawk – E
Common Pauraque – E
Common Potoo
Gray-rumped Swift
White-necked Jacobin
Green Hermit
Long-billed Hermit
Stripe-throated Hermit
Green Violetear
Green-breasted Mango
Green Thorntail
Black-crested Coquette
Green-crowned Brilliant
Magnificent Hummingbird
Fiery-throated Hummingbird
White-throated Mountain Gem
Ruby-throated Hummingbird
Volcano Hummingbird
Scintillant Hummingbird
Scaly-breasted Hummingbird
Violet Saberwing
Stripe-tailed Hummingbird
Snowcap
Violet-crowned Woodnymph
Rufous-tailed Hummingbird
Cinnamon Hummingbird
Slaty-tailed Trogon
Black-headed Trogon
Resplendent Quetzal
Blue-crowned Motmot
Rufous Motmot
Broad-billed Motmot
Turquoise-browed Motmot
Ringed Kingfisher
Amazon Kingfisher
Green Kingfisher
Rufous-tailed Jacamar
Emerald Toucanet
Collared Aracarai
Keel-billed Toucan
Black-mandibled Toucan
Acorn Woodpecker
Black-cheeked Woodpecker

Red-crowned Woodpecker
Hoffman's Woodpecker
Lineated Woodpecker – Heard only
Crested Caracara – E
Laughing Falcon
Sulphur-winged Parakeet
Crimson-fronted Parakeet
Olive-throated Parakeet
Orange-fronted Parakeet
Scarlet Macaw – E
Orange-chinned Parakeet
White-crowned Parrot
White-fronted Parrot
Mealy Parrot
Yellow-naped Parrot – E
Barred Antshrike – E, Heard only
Black-hooded Antshrike - E
Plain Antvireo
Dot-winged Antwren – E, Heard only
Dusky Antbird – E
Cocoa Woodcreeper
Streak-headed Woodcreeper
Plain Xenops – E
Ruddy Treerunner
Yellow-bellied Elaenia – E
Mountain Elaenia
Torrent Tyrannulet
Ochre-bellied Flycatcher - E
Paltry Tyrannulet
Northern Bentbill – E, Heard only
Common Tody-Flycatcher - E
Yellow-olive Flycatcher – E, Heard only
Common Tody Flycatcher
Royal Flycatcher
Tawny-chested Flycatcher
Tufted Flycatcher
Dark Pewee
Ochraceous Pewee
Eastern Wood Pewee
Yellow-bellied Flycatcher - E
Black Phoebe
Long-tailed Tyrant
Dusky-capped Flycatcher
Great-crested Flycatcher - E
Great Kiskadee
Boat-billed Flycatcher
Social Flycatcher
Gray-capped Flycatcher
Sulphur-bellied Flycatcher – E
Tropical Kingbird
Masked Tityra
Rose-throated Becard – E

White-collared Manakin
Orange-collared Manakin - E
Yellow-throated Vireo
Yellow-winged Vireo
Brown-capped Vireo
Lesser Greenlet – E, Heard only
Rufous-browed Peppershrike
White-throated Magpie Jay
Brown Jay
Mangrove Swallow
Blue and White Swallow
Southern Rough-winged Swallow
Bank Swallow
Cliff Swallow – E
Barn Swallow
House Wren
Ochraceous Wren
Band-backed Wren
Rufous-naped Wren
Stripe-breasted Wren
Bay Wren – Heard only
Riverside Wren – E, Heard only
White-breasted Wood Wren
Gray-breasted Wren – Heard only
Long-billed Gnatwren – E, Heard only
Tropical Gnatcatcher - E
Black-faced Solitaire
Black-billed Nightingale-Thrush
Ruddy-capped Nightingale-Thrush
Swainson's Thrush
Sooty Thrush
Mountain Thrush
Clay-colored Robin
Gray Catbird
Tropical Mockingbird
Black-and-Yellow Silky Flycatcher
Long-tailed Silky Flycatcher
Black-and-white Warbler
Tennessee Warbler - E
Gray-crowned Yellowthroat
Yellow Warbler – E
Chestnut-sided Warbler
Black-throated Green Warbler
Buff-rumped Warbler
Rufous-capped Warbler - E
Black-cheeked Warbler
Golden-crowned Warbler
Wilson's Warbler
Collared Redstart
Bananaquit
White-shouldered Tanager - E
White-lined Tanager

Crimson-collared Tanager
Passerini's Tanager
Blue-gray Tanager
Palm Tanager
Spangle-cheeked Tanager
Bay-headed Tanager
Silver-throated Tanager
Green Honeycreeper
Red-legged Honeycreeper - E
Buff-throated Saltator
Blue-black Grassquit
Variable Seedeater – E
Yellow-faced Grassquit
Slaty Flowerpiercer
Yellow-thighed Finch
Large-footed Finch
Orange-billed Sparrow
Black-striped Sparrow
Rufous-collared Sparrow
Volcano Junco
Common Bush Tanager
Sooty-capped Bush Tanager
Summer Tanager
Flame-colored Tanager
Red-crowned Ant-Tanager
Red-throated Ant-Tanager
Rose-breasted Grosbeak
Red-breasted Blackbird
Eastern Meadowlark
Melodious Blackbird
Great-tailed Grackle
Streak-backed Oriole
Baltimore Oriole
Scarlet-rumped Cacique
Chestnut-headed Oropendola – Heard only
Montezuma Oropendola
Yellow-crowned Euphonia – E, Heard only
Thick-billed Euphonia - E
Olive-backed Euphonia
Golden-browed Chlorophonia
Yellow-bellied Siskin

E= EXTENSION ONLY

Heard only species appear in italics

MAMMALS

Mountain Squirrel
Variegated Squirrel
Two-toed Sloth
Three-toed Sloth
Kinkajou
Howler Monkey
Collared Peccary
Long-nosed Bat
Sac-wing Bat
Spear-nose Bat
Orange Nectar Bat

HERPS

Green Iguana (*Iguana iguana*)
Ameiva (*Ameiva sp.*)
Green Spiny Lizard (*Sceloporus malachiticus*)
Emerald (Green, Double-crested, Jesus Christ) Basilisk (*Basiliscus plumifrons*)
Brown (Striped, Jesus Christ) Basilisk (*Basiliscus vittatus*)
Pug-nosed Anole (*Norops capito*)
Black and Green Dart Poison Frog (*Dendrobates auratus*)
Blue Jeans (Strawberry) Dart Poison Frog (*Oophaga pulmilio*)
Common Rain Frog (also called Leaf-litter Frog (*Craugaster fitzingeri*))
Green Climbing Toad (*Cranopsis coniferous*)
Crowned Tree Frog (*Anothea spinosa*)
Red-eyed Tree Frog (*Agalychnis callidryas*)
Cane (Marine) Toad (*Rhinella marinus*)
American Crocodile (*Crocodylus acutus*)
Spectacled Caiman (*Caiman crocodilus*)
Boa Constrictor (*Boa constrictor*)

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