

## LIST OF SPECIES OBSERVED

Birds in capitals are north-eastern endemics.

### RHEIDAE

**Greater Rhea** *Rhea Americana*

On 04-09 at least 6 exx. were seen when driving from Lencóis to Salvador.

### TINAMIDAE

**Little Tinamou** *Crypturellus soui*

On 30-08 heard at Boa Nova.

**Brown Tinamou** *Crypturellus obsoletus*

On 30-08 twice heard at Boa Nova.

**Small-billed Tinamou** *Crypturellus parvirostris*

On 22-08 1 ex. observed near União de Palmares.

On 02-09 heard and on 03-09 1 ex. was seen running over the track in the scrub near Mucugé.

**Red-winged Tinamou** *Rhynchotus rufescens*

This species was heard near Murici and at Boa Nova.

On 22-08 1 ex. was briefly seen near Murici.

**Spotted Nothura** *Nothura maculosa*

On 27-08 Wiel and Rob observed a bird between Jeremoaba and Canudos

**White-bellied Nothura** *Nothura boraquira*

A total of 5 exx. on 2 dates in the Canudos area.

### PODICIPEDIDAE

**Least Grebe** *Tachybaptus dominicus*

Regular observed on transit. Recorded in small numbers on 5 dates.

**Pied-billed Grebe** *Podilymbus podiceps*

Only recorded on 3 dates. On 27-08 at least 30 near Jeremoaba.

### PHALACROCORACIDAE

**Neotropic Cormorant** *Phalacrocorax brasilianus*

Recorded on 5 dates. Mostly single birds but on 16-08 10 between Crasto – Jeremoaba.

### ANATIDAE

**White-faced Whistling-Duck** *Dendrocygna viduata*

Recorded on 4 dates on transit.

**Masked Duck** *Oxyura dominica*

On 20-08 6 exx at a road side pond between Crato – Uniao de Palmares

**Comb Duck** *Sarkidiornis melanotos*

On 25-08 30+ between Uniao de Palmares and Estancia during a stop at a gas station.

**Brazilian Teal** *Amazonetta brasiliensis*

A total of 56 recorded on 4 dates. On 29-08 50+ between Canudos and Boa Nova.

**Southern Pochard** *Netta erythrophthalma*

On 26-08 3 exx between Crato and Jeremoaba.

### ARDEIDAE

**Cocoi Heron (White-necked Heron)** *Ardea cocoi*

Single birds seen on 14 and 17-08.

**Little Blue Heron** *Egretta caerulea*

Up to 50 exx. recorded at a heronry near Crasto village, Estancia.

On 04-09 100+ at the mudflats near Salvador.

**Snowy Egret** *Egretta thula*

Regularly seen on transit.

Up to 20 exx. recorded at a heronry near Crasto village, Estancia.

On 04-09 40+ at the mudflats near Salvador.

**Great Egret** *Casmerodius albus*

Recorded on 8 dates in small numbers.

**Cattle Egret** *Bubulcus ibis*

Commonly encountered.

**Striated Heron** *Butorides striatus*

A total of 11 exx. observed on 6 dates.

**Black-crowned Night-Heron** *Nycticorax nycticorax*

Up to 30 exx. at the heronry at Crasto village, near Estancia.

**Yellow-crowned Night-Heron** *Nycticorax violacea*

On 25-08 2 exx and on 26-08 10 exx at the heronry at Crasto village, near Estancia.

**Boat-billed Heron** *Cochlearius cochlearia*

On 26-08 10 exx at the heronry at Crasto village, near Estancia.

**Rufescent Tiger-Heron** *tigrisoma lineatum*

A total of 12 exx recorded on 5 dates

Single birds on 21 and 22-08 near Palmares.

On 24-08 4 exx in the Murici area.

On 26-08 4 exx. near Jeremoaba.

#### CATHARTIDAE

**Black Vulture** *Coragyps atratus*

Very common and daily observed.

**Turkey Vulture** *Cathartes aura*

Less common than previous species but nevertheless observed daily.

**Lesser Yellow-headed Vulture** *Cathartes burrovianus*

Recorded on 13 dates.

#### ACCIPITRIDAE

\* **WHITE-COLLARED KITE** *Leptodon forbesi*

On 22-08 great and close views of a soaring pair above a forest patch near União de Palmares.

We were extremely lucky to observe one of the rarest raptors of South America.

It is treated as "critically endangered" in Birdlife's Internationals "Threatened Birds of the World".

**White-tailed Kite** *Elanus leucurus*

A total of 5 exx on 4 dates observed. Mainly on transit.

**Snail Kite** *Rosthramus sociabilis*

Recorded on 4 dates. On 17-08 15 exx. between Serra de Baturite and Crato.

They all were recorded at roadside marshes while on transit.

**Rufous-thighed Kite** *Harpagus diodon*

A single bird on 14-08 in the Serra de Baturité.

**Crane Hawk** *Geranospiza caerulescens*

On 27-08 3 exx near Canudos.

On 30-08 1 ex at Boa Nova.

**Savanna Hawk** *Buteogallus meridionalis*

A total of 8 exx recorded on 4 dates.

On 17-08 5 exx. between Serra de Baturité and Crato.

**Harris's Hawk** *Parabuteo unicinctus*

A single bird on 28-08 near Canudos.

**Grey Hawk** *Asturina nitida*

On 17-08 1 ex near Crato.

**Roadside Hawk** *Buteo magnirostris*

Commonly and daily observed.

**Short-tailed Hawk** *Buteo brachyurus*

On 21 and 22-08 2 exx. near União de Palmares.

On 26-08 a single bird near Jeremoaba and on 01-09 a single bird at Boa Nova.

**White-tailed Hawk** *Buteo albicaudatus*

On 14-08 1 ex. near Guaramiranga

On 23-08 1 ex. at Murici.

On 03-09 3 exx near Mucuge.

**Zone-tailed Hawk** *Buteo albonotatus*

Single birds observed on 2 dates Murici area.

On 30-08 a single bird at Boa Nova.

**Black Hawk-Eagle** *Spizaetus tyrannus*

On 23-08 heard at Murici Atlantic forest.

FALCONIDAE

**Southern Caracara** *Caracara plancus*

Common and daily recorded.

**Yellow-headed Caracara** *Milvago chimachima*

A total of 14 exx. on 9 dates recorded.

**Laughing Falcon** *Herpetotheres cachinnans*

On 28-08 1 ex. at Canudos.

On 29-08 1 ex. at Boa Nova.

**American Kestrel** *Falco sparverius*

Recorded on 12 dates. Mostly 1-3 exx.

**Apomado Falcon** *falco femoralis*

On 17-08 4 exx near Morada Nova.

Single birds observed near Jeremoaba and Canudos.

On 31-08 2 exx at Boa Nova.

CRACIDAE

**Speckled Chachalaca** *Ortalis guttata*.

On 01-09 heard at the Tapaculo site near Mucuge.

This form is sometimes considered a separate species:

**White-bellied Chachalaca** *Ortalis araucuan*.

**WHITE-BROWED GUAN** *Penelope jacuacaca*

On 17-08 brief views of 2 birds near Guaramiranga, Serra de Baturité.

In the early morning of 20-08 we had good views in the scope of 2 birds on a sandy track in the caatinga at Araripe.

ODONTOPHORIDAE

**Spot-winged Wood-Quail** *Odontophorus capueira*

On 16-08 we had unbelievable views of a very responsive pair on the Remanso Trail.

At one time the birds almost ran over our feet.!

ANHIMIDAE

**Horned Screamer** *Anhima cornuta*

On 17-08 2 exx on transit.

RALLIDAE

**Rufous-sided Crake** *Laterallus melanophaius*

On 15-08 great views of 2 birds at the Mulu Ngu area, near Guamiranda.

Also heard at Boa Nova and near Lencois.

**Grey-necked Wood-Rail** *Aramides cajanea*

On 16-08 heard at the Remanso Trail.

On 20-08 1 ex observed at ??

**Ash-throated Crake** *Porzana albicollis*

This species was heard on 5 dates. Near União de Palmares, Murici and Crasto.

Unfortunately we did not succeed in persuading the species to show itself.

**Blackish Rail** *Pardirallus nigricans*

On 22-08 1 bird was briefly seen in the Murici area.

Also heard at Crasto and Boa Nova.

**Purple Gallinule** *Porphyrio martinicus*

Recorded on 4 dates. On 26-08 at least 20 exx between Crasto and Jeremoaba.

**Common Moorhen** *gallinule chloropus*

Observed on 6 dates. Mostly single birds at marshy areas during roadside stops.  
On 26-08 and 29-08 10+ observed during such stops.

**Spot-flanked Gallinule** *Gallinula melanops*

Splendid observation of a bird on 26-08 during a roadside stop between Crasto and Jeremoaba.

ARAMIDAE

**Limpkin** *Aramus guarauna*

A total of 8 exx on 3 dates observed. A few near Morada Nova, a single near União de Palmares and 5 birds near Murici.

CARIAMIDAE

**Red-legged Seriema** *Cariana cristata*

On 26-08 4 exx near Jeremoaba.

JACANIDAE

**Wattled Jacana** *Jacana jacana*

Observed on 8 dates.

CHARADRIIDAE

**Southern Lapwing** *Vanellus chilensis*

Very common.

SCOLOPACIDAE

**South American Snipe** *Gallinago paraguaiiae*

On 22-08 2 exx and on 14-08 1 ex near Murici.

**Giant Snipe** *Gallinago undulata*

On 29-08 we found one in a marshy area at Boa Nova.

When dusk fell the bird flew in, in response to the tape and was later spotlighted when it was flushed by us.

**Hudsonian Whimbrel** *Numenius hudsonicus*

On 26-08 2 exx near Crasto village.

On 04-09 at least 5 exx in the mangroves near Salvador.

**Solitary Sandpiper** *Tringa solitarius*

On 26-08 1 ex Jeremoaba.

**Spotted Sandpiper** *Actitis macularia*

On 26-08 2 exx at Crasto village.

**Willet** *Catotrophorus semipalmatus*

On 26-08 1 ex. at Crasto village.

On 04-09 15+ in the mangroves near Salvador.

RECURVIROSTRIDAE

**Black-necked Stilt** *Himantopus mexicanus*

A total of 8 exx observed on 4 dates.

LARIDAE

**Laughing Gull** *Larus atricilla*

On 04-09 2 distant birds at the mudflats near Salvador.

**Brown-hooded Gull** *Larus maculipennis*

On 04-09 10+ at the mudflats near Salvador.

**Sandwich Tern** *Sterna sandvicensis*

On 04-09 10 exx at the mudflats near Salvador.

**Royal Tern** *Sterna maximus*

On 04-09 3 exx at the mudflats near Salvador.

**Common Tern** *Sterna hirundo*

On 04-09 common on the mudflats near Salvador.

COLUMBIDAE

**Rock Dove** *Columba livia*

Observed.

**Scaled Pigeon** *Columba speciosa*

On 23-08 2 exx Murici.

**Picazuro Pigeon** *Columba picazuro*

On 28-08 3 exx at Canudos.

On 29 and 30-08 3/4 exx at Boa Nova.

**Pale-vented Pigeon** *Columba cayennensis*

On 02-09 2 exx near Lencóis, Chapada de Diamantina.

**Plumbeous Pigeon** *Columba plumbea*

Single birds on 21-08 near Murici and on 30-08 at Boa Nova.

**Eared Dove** *Zenaida auriculata*

Quiet a few around Morada Nova.

On 28-08 a few in the Canudos area.

**Plain-breasted Ground-Dove** *Columbina minuta*

Only identified near Jeremoaba and Canudos.

**Ruddy Ground-Dove** *Columbina talpacoti*

Commonly observed. Recorded on 17 dates.

**Picui Ground-Dove** *Columbina picui*

Very common, especially in more arid habitat.

**Blue Ground-Dove** *Claravis pretiosa*

On 18-08 4 exx at Araripe.

**White-tipped Dove** *Leptotila verreauxi*

Single birds observed at Serra de Baturite and near Canudos.

On 02-09 6 exx along the Remanso Rd. near Lencois.

**Grey-fronted Dove** *Leptotila rufaxilla*

Regularly heard.

On 16-08 a single birds was flushed along the Remanso Trail, Serra de Baturite.

On 21 and 22-08 single birds were observed in the forest patches near Uniao de Palmares.

PSITTACIDAE

\* **LEAR'S MACAW** *Anodorhynchus leari*

On 27-08 between 60 and 70 exx in the Canudos area.

On 28-08 between 180 and 200 exx in the Canudos area.

During these 2 days we had absolutely fabulous views of these birds, perched and in flight. One of the highlights of the trip.

This species is considered **Critical** in "Threatened Birds of the World"

It seems that all the conservation efforts of the last couple of years are having a positive effect.

**Blue-winged Macaw** *Propyrrhura maracana*

On 27-08 2 exx and on 28-08 4 exx in the Canudos area.

On 30-08 8 exx Boa Nova.

This species is considered **Vulnerable** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**Red-shouldered Macaw** *Diopsittaca nobilis*

Daily up to 30 exx observed in the Murici area.

On 26-08 4 exx at Crasto forest.

**Blue-crowned Parakeet** *Aratinga acuticaudata*

On 28-08 5 exx. near Canudos.

\* **JANDAYA PARAKEET** *Aratinga jandaya*

Good views in the scope of 2 pairs in the Murici area.

**Golden-capped Parakeet** *Aratinga auricapilla*

On 26-08 4 exx. at the edge of Crasto forest.

On 31-08 2 exx. at Boa Nova.

This species is considered **Vulnerable** in "Threatened Birds of the World"

**Peach-fronted Parakeet** *Aratinga aurea*

On 26-08 6 exx near Crasto village.

**Caatinga Parakeet** *Aratinga cactorum*

Commonly observed in caatinga habitat. Recorded on 12 dates.

\* **GREY-BREASTED PARAKEET** *Pyrrhura griseipectus*

This rare species (3 exx) was observed on 14-08 at Serra de Baturite.

It is a split from **Maroon-faced** (White-eared) **Parakeet** *P.leucotis*

It is considered **Critical** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**Blue-winged Parrotlet** *Forpus xanthopterygius*

Recorded on 7 dates. Small numbers at Serra de Baturite but on 28-08 large flocks in the afternoon in the Canudos area.

**Plain Parakeet** *Brotogeris tirica*

On 24-08 2 exx at Murici.

**Scaly-headed Parrot** *Pionus maximiliani*

On 29-08 4 exx at Boa Nova.

On 02-09 a single bird near Lencois.

**Orange-winged Parrot** *Amazona amazonica*

On 26-08 6 exx. Crasto Forest edge.

**Mealy Parrot** *Amazona farinosa*

On 25-08 7 exx and on 26-08 2 exx Crasto Forest edge.

CUCULIDAE

**Squirrel Cuckoo** *Piaya cayana*

A total of 19 exx on 10 dates recorded.

**Smooth-billed Ani** *Crotophaga ani*

Common.

**Guira Cuckoo** *Guira guira*

Common.

**Striped Cuckoo** *Tapera naevia*

On 22-08 1 ex. near Uniao de Palmares.

On 02-09 heard near Lencois.

On 04-09 1 ex observed near Salvador.

STRIGIDAE

**Tropical Screech-Owl** *Otus choliba*

On 30-08 1 ex. spotlighted at Boa Nova.

On 02-09 heard along the Remanso Rd. near Lencois.

**Least Pygmy-Owl** *Glaucidium minutissimum*

On 30-08 we tracked down a bird in the wet forest of Boa Nova.

**Ferruginous Pygmy-Owl** *Glaucidium brasilianum*

Heard every night near our accommodation in Lencois and on 02-09 along the Remanso Rd.

On 02-09 2 exx seen along the Remanso Rd. near Lencois.

**Burrowing Owl** *Speotyto cunicularia*

Observed on 7 dates. On 27-08 we observed no less than 40 exx in the Canudos area.

NYCTIBIIDAE

**Common Potoo** *Nyctibius griseus*

On 19-08 we observed 2 different birds at Araripe. One bird gave very good and close views.

CAPRIMULGIDAE

**Least Nighthawk** *Chordeiles pusillus*

On 17-08 4 exx. at dusk along the road.

On 27-08 40+ in the Canudos area.

On 01-09 1 ex. near Mucuge, Chapada de Diamantina.

**Pauraque** *Nyctidromus albicollis*

On 15-08 a single bird at Serra de Baturite.

On 18-08 heard at Araripe.

A total of 3 exx seen on 2 dates in the Murici area.

A total of 7 exx seen on 2 dates at Boa Nova.

On 02-09 5 exx along the Remanso Rd. near Lencois.

**Rufous Nightjar** *Caprimulgus rufus*

On 25-08 3 heard at Crasto Forest.

On 02-09 at least 4 exx heard and finally 1 bird spotlighted in the canopy along the Remanso Rd, Lencois.

**Little Nightjar** *Caprimulgus parvulus*

On 29-08 2 exx. poorly seen at Boa Nova.

On 02-09 1 ex. on the road along the Remanso Rd. near Lencois.

**Pygmy Nightjar** *Caprimulgus hirundinaceus*

On 17-08 8 exx at a stake-out near Morada Nova. Excellent views.

On 29-08 3 exx. at Boa Nova.

**Scissor-tailed Nightjar** *Hydropsalis brasiliensis*

On 19-08 2 exx. observed at Araripe.

On 30-08 1 ex. Boa Nova.

#### APODIDAE

**Grey-rumped Swift** *Chaetura cinereiventris*

On 15-08 4 exx Serra de Baturite.

**Sick's Swift** *Chaetura meridionalis*

On 25 and 26-08 2 and 4 exx near Crasto village.

**Fork-tailed Palm-Swift** *Tachornis squamata*

Observed in small numbers on 4 dates.

#### TROCHILIDAE

**Rufous-breasted Hermit** *Glaucis hirsute*

Single birds daily in the Serra de Baturité.

**BROAD-TIPPED HERMIT** *Phaethornis gounellei*

On 27 and 28-08 2 exx in the Canudos area.

On 02-09 1 ex. at Palmeiras in the Chapada de Diamantina

**Hermit spec.**

A bird observed on 30-08 in the wet forest of Boa Nova looked superficially like a **Scale-throated Hummingbird** *Phaethornis eurynome*, which is normally observed here, but this bird had an unstreaked whitish throat!

**Planalto Hermit** *Phaethornis pretrei*

Observed Serra de Baturité and Chapada de Diamantina.

**Reddish Hermit** *Phaethornis ruber*

On 15-08 2 exx along the Remanso Trail, Serra de Baturité.

On 21-08 a single bird near the village of Barreiros.

**Swallow-tailed Hummingbird** *Eupetomena macroura*

A total of 23 exx on 8 dates observed.

**Black Jacobin** *Melanotrochilus fuscus*

A few (3) seen on 2 dates at Boa Nova.

**White-vented Violet-ear** *Colibri serrirostris*

A total of 4 exx on 2 dates in the Chapada de Diamantina.

**Black-throated Mango** *Anthracothorax nigricollis*

On 21-08 a single bird seen at Murici.

**Ruby Topaz Hummingbird** *Chrysolampis mosquitus*

On 15-08 2 ♀♀ in the Serra de Baturité.

On 28-08 10+ in the Canudos area. Some astonishing, close views of gorgeous ♂♂.

**Glittering-bellied Emerald** *Chlorostilbon aureoventris*

Recorded on 8 dates.

**Fork-tailed Woodnymph** *Thalurania furcata*

Daily a few in the Serra de Baturité.

On 21-08 1 ex. near Murici.

**LONG-TAILED WOODNYMPH** *Thalurania watertonii*

On 14-08 1 ex. in the Serra de Baturité.

On 30-08 1 ex. at Boa Nova.

**White-tailed Goldenthrout** *Polytmus guainumbi*

On 17-08 1 ex. Morada Nova.

On 24-08 2 exx. Murici Atlantic Forest.

**Glittering-throated Emerald** *Amazailia fimbriata*

Single birds observed on 3 dates. Serra de Baturité and Araripe.

**Sapphire-spangled Emerald** *Amazalia lactea*

On 29-08 2 exx. at Boa Nova.

**HOODED VISORBEARER** *Augastes lumachella*

On 02-09 we saw 3♂♂ and 1♀ in the Chapada de Diamantina.

It is considered **Near Threatened** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**Stripe-breasted Starthroat** *Heliomaster squamosus*

A total of 11 exx in 3 days in the Canudos area.

On 29-08 1 ex. Boa Nova.

TROGONIDAE

**Blue-crowned Trogon** *Trogon curucui*

Heard at Araripe.

MOMOTIDAE

**Blue-crowned Motmot** *Momotus momota*

On 23-08 a single bird at Murici Atlantic Forest.

ALCEDINIDAE

**Ringed Kingfisher** *Ceryle torquata*

A total of 7 exx on 6 dates observed.

**Amazon Kingfisher** *Chloroceryle amazona*

A total of 8 exx on 4 dates observed.

**Green Kingfisher** *Chloroceryle Americana*

Single birds on transit to the Serra de Baturité, near Lençóis in the Chapada de Diamantina and the mudflats near Salvador.

GALBULIDAE

**Rufous-tailed Jacamar** *Galbula ruficauda*

A total of 8 exx on 6 dates recorded.

BUCCONIDAE

**White-eared Puffbird** *Nystalus chacuru*

On 26-08 1 ex on transit, near Jeremoaba.

**Spot-backed Puffbird** *Nystalus maculates*

On 19-08 a single bird at Araripe.

On 22-08 3 exx in the Murici area.

On 04-09 1 ex. near Salvador.

**Swallowwing** *Chelidoptera tenebrosa*

On 31-08 at least 6 at Boa Nova.

RAMPHASTIDAE

**Black-necked Aracari** *Pteroglossus aracari*

On 23-08 3 exx and on 24-08 1 ex. at Murici Atlantic Forest.

**Lettered Aracari** *Pteroglossus inscriptus*

On 21-08 4 exx. Reserva Biológica Salvinho, near Murici.

**Gould's Toucanet** *Selenidera gouldii*

On 15-08 good views of a ♂ along the Remanso Trail, Serra de Baturité.

This turned out to be the only observation of this species. We heard a few more.

**Channel-billed Toucan** *Ramphastos vitellinus*

On 30-08 2 exx at Boa Nova in the wet forest.

PICIDAE

**Golden-spangled Piculet** *Picumnus exilis*

Daily up to 3 exx in the Murici area.

**SPOTTED PICULET** *Picumnus pygmaeus*

On 19-08 2 exx at Araripe.

On 30-08 2 exx at Boa Nova.

Single birds on 2 dates in the Chapada de Diamantina.

**TAWNY PICULET** *Picumnus fulvescens*

Single birds on 18 and 19-08 at Araripe.

This species is considered **Vulnerable** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**OCHRACEOUS PICULET** *Picumnus limae*

Single birds seen on 2 dates in the Serra de Baturité.

This species is considered **Vulnerable** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**Little Woodpecker** *Veniliornis passerinus*

Single birds in the Serra de Baturité, at Araripe and near Lencois in the Chapada de Diamantina.

**Red-stained Woodpecker** *Veniliornis affinis*

On 24-08 a pair in the Murici Atlantic Forest.

**Yellow-throated Woodpecker** *Piculus flavigula*

On 30-08 1 ex at Boa Nova.

**Golden-Green Woodpecker** *Piculus chrysochloris*

On 18-08 1 ex. at Araripe.

**Green-barred Woodpecker** *Colaptes melanochloros*

Single birds at Serra de Baturité, Araripe and near Lencois.

**Campo Flicker** *Colaptes campestris*

Single birds at Canudos and Chapada de Diamantina.

**Blond-crested Woodpecker** *Celeus flavescens*

On 15-08 3 exx along the Remanso Trail, Serra de Baturité.

On 20-08 a single bird at Araripe.

**Lineated Woodpecker** *Dryocopus lineatus*

On 28-08 a single bird in the Canudos area.

On 30-08 a single bird at Boa Nova. Also heard the next day.

DENDROCOLAPTIDAE

**Plain-brown Woodcreeper** *Dendrocincla fuliginosa ssp taunayi*

On 23-08 a single bird at the Murici Atlantic Forest.

**Olivaceous Woodcreeper** *Sittasomus griseicapillus*

A total of 7 exx on 7 dates observed in the Serra de Baturité, Araripe, Murici and Boa Nova. Forms *reiseri* and *sylviellus* seen.

**Wedge-billed Woodcreeper** *Glyphorhynchus spirurus*

On 30-08 a single bird at Boa Nova.

**Lesser Woodcreeper** *Xiphorhynchus fuscus*

A total of 3 sightings in the Serra de Baturité.

**Straight-billed Woodcreeper** *Xiphorhynchus picus*

Single birds in the Serra de Baturité and a forest patch near Palmares.

**Narrow-billed Woodcreeper** *Lepidocolaptes angustirostris*

Single birds on 2 dates in the Canudos Caatinga.

**Scaled Woodcreeper** *Lepidocolaptes squamatus*

On 31-08 2 exx at Boa Nova

**Red-billed Scythebill** *Campylorhamphus trochilirostris*

On 18-08 2 exx at Araripe.

**Black-billed Scythebill** *Campylorhamphus falcularius*

Heard at Boa Nova.

FURNARIIDAE

**Wing-banded Hornero** *Furnarius figulus*

Observed on 7 dates.

**Pale-legged Hornero** *Furnarius leucophus*

Observed on 2 dates in the Serra de Baturité. Race *assimilis*.

**Rufous Hornero** *Furnarius rufus*

Observed near Estancia and Jeremoaba to Canudos.

**Bahia Spinetail** *Synallaxis cinerea*

A total of 6 exx on 2 dates at Boa Nova.

It is considered **Endangered** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**Sooty-fronted Spinetail** *Synallaxis frontalis*

A total of 9 exx on 6 dates observed.

**Spix's Spinetail** *Synallaxis spixi*

Twice observed at Boa Nova.

**Cinereous-breasted Spinetail** *Synallaxis hypospodia*

Good views of a pair on 04-09 in some scrub near Salvador.

**RED-SHOULDERED SPINETAIL** *Gyalophylax hellmayri*

Fantastic views of this very distinctive spinetail in the caatinga of Araripe (2 exx) and on 27-08 in the Canudos area. (3 exx)

This species is considered **Near Threatened** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**Ochre-cheeked Spinetail** *Poecilurus scutatus*

A total of 3 exx on 2 dates in the Serra de Baturité.

**Pallid Spinetail** *Cranioleuca pallida*

On 31-08 nice views of a pair at Boa Nova.

**Grey-headed Spinetail** *Cranioleuca semicinerea*

Daily 1 or 2 in the Serra de Baturité.

**Yellow-throated Spinetail** *Certhiaxis cinnamomea*

Recorded on 10 dates. Mostly in marshy habitats.

**Striated Softtail** *Thripophaga macroura*

On 30-08 good views of 2 exx in a mixed flock at Boa Nova.

This species is considered **Endangered** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**Common Thornbird** *Phacellodomus rufifrons*

Regularly observed, mostly at their nesting site. Race *specularis* with rufous on primaries and shoulders.

**Caatinga Cachalote** *Pseudoseisura cristata*

On 17-08 1 ex seen while on transit.

On 20-08 1 ex at Araripe.

On 28-08 6 exx in the Canudos area.

On 02-09 2 ex near Lençois.

**Ochre-breasted Foliage-gleaner** *Phylidor lichtensteini*

On 30-08 1 ex. at Boa Nova.

**Buff-fronted Foliage-gleaner** *Phylidor rufus*

On 30-08 1 ex at Boa Nova.

**White-collared Foliage-gleaner** *Anabazenops fuscus*

On 31-08 1 ex. at Boa Nova.

**White-eyed Foliage-gleaner** *Automolus leucoptalmus*

Single birds on 2 dates at Boa Nova.

**Rufous-breasted Leaf-tosser** *Sclerurus scansor*

Heard on 2 dates and seen on 15-08 along the Remanso Trail. But not by me!

**Plain Xenops** *Xenops minutes*

Single birds seen near Palmares, Murici and Boa Nova.

**Streaked Xenops** *Xenops rutilans*

Observed at Murici, Crasto Forest and Boa Nova.

**GREAT XENOPS** *Megaxenops parnaguae*

On 18 and 19-08 great views of this enigmatic species in the caatinga of Araripe.

Another bird gave also good views on 02-09 in the Chapada de Diamantina.

It is considered **Near Threatened** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

THAMNOPHILIDAE

**Spot-backed Antshrike** *Hypoedaleus guttatus*

On 30-08 excellent views of a pair at Boa Nova.

**Tufted Antshrike** *Mackenziaena severa*

On 30-08 1♂ at Boa Nova.

**Great Antshrike** *Taraba major*

Daily observed in the Serra de Baturité area and a pair was present on the hotelgrounds in Lençóis.

**SILVERY-CHEEKED ANTSHRIKE** *Sakesphorus cristatus*

Daily a few at Araripe.

On 27-08 1♂ in the Canudos area and another ♂ on 30-08 at Boa Nova (dry forest).

On 02-09 a pair in the caatinga of the Chapada de Diamantina.

**CAATINGA ANTSHRIKE** *Thamnophilus (doliatus) capistratus*

Common at Araripe, Canudos area, Chapada Diamantina and Boa Nova (dry forest).

Split from **Barred Antshrike** *Th.doliatus*

**Variable Antshrike** *Thamnophilus caerulescens*

A total of 8 exx on 3 dates in the Serra de Baturité.

On 31-08 1 ex. at Boa Nova.

**Planalto Slaty Antshrike** *Thamnophilus pelzelni*

Daily observed at Araripe.

On 31-08 2 exx. at Boa Nova.

A total of 5 exx on 2 dates in the Chapada de Diamantina.

**Sooretama Slaty Antshrike** *Thamnophilus ambiguus*

Only observed at Crasto Forest near Estancia. A total of 4 exx on 2 dates.

**Rufous-winged Antshrike** *Thamnophilus torquatus*

On 19-08 2 exx at Araripe.

On 01 and 03-09 2 and 4 exx in the Mucugé area in the Chapada de Diamantina.

**Spot-breasted Antwreio** *Dysithamnus stictothorax*

On 30-08 5 exx at Boa Nova.

It is considered as **Near Threatened** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**Plain Antwreio** *Dysithamnus mentalis*

A total of 7 exx on 3 dates in the Serra de Baturité.

Single birds in the forest patches near Palmares.

On 23-08 7 exx in Murici Atlantic Forest.

**White-flanked Antwren** *Myrmotherula axillaries ssp.luctuosa*

Daily 2 exx. in the forest patches around Palmares.

On 23-08 2 exx. at Murici Atlantic Forest.

On 26-08 4 exx at Crasto Forest.

Sometimes called **Grey-flanked Antwren** *M.luctuosa*

**ALAGOAS ANTWRN** *Myrmotherula snowi*

On 24-08 1 pair was seen in the Murici Atlantic Forest.

This species is considered **Critical** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**Stripe-backed Antbird** *Myrmorchilus*

A total of 3 exx on 2 dates at Araripe.

On 03-09 4 exx near Mucugé, Chapada de Diamantina.

**Black-capped Antwren** *Herpsilochmus atricapillus*

A total of 5 exx on 3 dates in the Serra de Baturité.

Also daily a few at Araripe.

**Caatinga Antwren** *Herpsilochmus sellowi*

A total of 4 exx. on 2 dates at Araripe.

Single birds in the dry forest of Boa Nova.

On 03-09 2 exx in the Chapada de Diamantina.

This is a recent split from **Pileated Antwren** *H.pileatus*

**PECTORAL ANTWRN** *Herpsilochmus pectoralis*

On 27-08 very good views of a pair between Jeremoaba and Canudos.

It is treated as **Vulnerable** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**Rufous-winged Antwren** *Herpsilochmus rufimarginatus*

On 23-08 4 exx at Murici Atlantic Forest.

On 30-08 1 ex at Boa Nova.

**Narrow-billed Antwren** *Formicivora iheringi*

On 30-08 3 exx. in the dry forest of Boa Nova.

It is considered **Vulnerable** by "Threatened Birds of the World".

**Black-bellied Antwren** *Formicivora melanogaster*

Single birds on 2 dates in the Chapada de Araripe.

On 27-08 a single bird in the Canudos area.

On 30-08 a single bird in the dry forest of Boa Nova.

**Ferruginous Antbird** *Drymophila ferruginea*

On 30-08 good views of a pair at Boa Nova.

**Scaled Antbird** *Drymophila squamata ssp stictocorypha*

On 31-08 twice a ♀ at Boa Nova.

**ORANGE-BELLIED ANTWREN** *Terenura sicki*

On 24-08 we observed a pair at the Murici Atlantic Forest.

This species is treated as **Endangered** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**Rio de Janeiro Antbird** *Cercomacra brasiliana*

Single birds on 2 dates at Boa Nova.

It is considered **Near Threatened** by "Threatened Birds of the World".

**White-backed Fire-eye** *Pyriglena leuconota ssp.pernambucensis*

A total of 5 exx on 2 dates at Murici Atlantic Forest.

**FRINGE-BACKED FIRE-EYE** *Pyriglena atra*

Fantastic views of a pair at Crasto Forest on 25-08.

It is considered **Critical** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**White-shouldered Fire-eye** *Pyriglena leucoptera*

On 31-08 1 ex. at Boa Nova.

**SLENDER ANTBIRD** *Rhopornis ardesiaca*

On 29-08 good views of a pair in the dry forest of Boa Nova.

On 30-08 another 4 exx observed at Boa Nova.

This species is considered **Endangered** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**Scalloped Antbird** *Myrmeciza ruficauda*

Several showed well on 23 and 24-08 at Murici Atlantic Forest.

This species is considered **Endangered** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**White-bibbed Antbird** *Myrmeciza loricata*

Heard on 2 dates at Boa Nova. Some of us (not me) managed some brief views.

#### FORMICARIIDAE

**WHITE-BROWED ANTPITTA** *Hyllopezus ochroleucus*

The distinctive vocalisations of this species was daily heard in the Chapada Diamantina.

On 18-08 I had excellent and close views of this subtly-plumaged antpitta.

It is considered **Near Threatened** by "Threatened Birds of the World".

#### CONOPOPHAGIDAE

**CAATINGA GNATEATER** *Conophaga cearae*

A total of 7 exx on 2 dates in the Serra de Baturité. Some great views.

Recent split from **Rufous Gnateater** *C.lineata*

**Black-cheeked Gnateater** *Conophaga melanops*

A very responsive bird gave good views in the Murici Atlantic Forest on 24-08.

#### RHINOCRYPTIDAE

**DIAMANTINA TAPACULO** *Scytiopus indigoticus*

This recently discovered tapaculo gave brief but good views to some of us (including me) at a stake-out near Mucugé in the Chapada Diamantina.

#### COTINGIDAE

**Black-headed Berryeater** *Carpornis melanocephalus*

Excellent scope-views of this often difficult to observe cotinga in the Murici Atlantic Forest on 24-08.

This species is considered **Vulnerable** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**Buff-throated Purpletuff** *Iodopleura pipra*

On 31-08 2 exx at Boa Nova.

It is considered **endangered** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**Screaming Piha** *Lipaugus vociferans*

Single birds seen on 2 consecutive days at Murici Atlantic Forest. More birds were obviously heard at this site.

**Cinnamon-vented Piha** *Lipaugus lanioides*

We heard this species on 2 days at Boa Nova.

On 31-08 great views of one bird at this site.

It is considered **Vulnerable** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**White-winged Cotinga** *Xipholena atropurpurea*

On 22-08 astonishing views in the scope of at least 3 exx (2♂♂ + 1♀) , feeding in fruiting trees at the edge of a forest patch near Palmares. (Cachoeira Linda)

It is considered **Endangered** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

#### PIPRIDAE

**Band-tailed Manakin** *Pipra fasciicauda*

At least 16 on 2 dates along the Remanso Trail in the Serra de Baturité.

**Red-headed Manakin** *Pipra rubrocapilla*

A few in a forest patch near Palmares.

A total of 12 exx on 2 dates in the Murici Atlantic Forest.

**ARARIPE MANAKIN** *Antilophia bokermanni*

On 18-08 at least 4 different birds (2♂♂ + 2♀♀) at a known stake-out of this species at the base of the Chapada do Araripe.

It is hard to believe that this species was only recently discovered.

Considered **Critical** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**Blue-backed Manakin** *Chiroxiphia pareola*

On 21-08 2♂♂ in a forest patch near Palmares.

On 24-08 3 exx at Murici Atlantic Forest.

**Swallow-tailed (Blue) Manakin** *Chiroxiphia caudate*

On 30-08 1♂ at Boa Nova.

**Pin-tailed Manakin** *Ilicura militaris*

A total of 8 exx on 2 dates at Boa Nova.

**White-bearded Manakin** *Manacus manacus*

Common at the forest patches around Palmares and Murici Atlantic Forest.

On 23-08 up to 20 at Murici.

**Pale-bellied Tyrant-Manakin** *Neopelma pallescens*

On 18-08 2 exx in the Araripe caatinga.

#### TYRANNIDAE

**Sepia-capped Flycatcher** *Leptopogon amaurocephalus*

On 23-08 heard at Murici Atlantic Forest.

On 26-08 1 ex at Crasto Forest.

**Drab-breasted Pygmy-Tyrant** *Hemitriccus diops*

A total of 7 exx on 2 dates at Boa Nova.

**Fork-tailed Pygmy-Tyrant** *Hemitriccus furcatus*

Great views on 31-08 of a bird at Boa Nova.

**ALAGOAS TODY-TYRANT** *Hemitriccus (zosterops)naumburgi*

Single birds on 2 dates at Murici Atlantic Forest.

Split from **White-eyed Tody-Tyrant** *H.zosterops*

**Stripe-necked Tody-Tyrant** *Hemitriccus striaticollis*

On 26-08 2 exx at Crasto Forest.

**Pearly-vented Tody-Tyrant** *Hemitriccus margaritaceiventer*

On 29-08 1 ex at Boa Nova.

A total of 6 exx on 3 dates in the Chapada de Diamantina.

**BUFF-BREASTED TODY-TYRANT** *Hemitriccus mirandae*

We struggled initially to find this species in the Serra de Baturité.

On 16-08 excellent views of 2 exx along the Remanso Trail.

It is considered **Vulnerable** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**Ochre-faced Tody-Flycatcher** *Todirostrum plumbeiceps*

On 30-08 great views of this skulker at the forest edge of Boa Nova.

**Yellow-lored Tody-Flycatcher** *Todirostrum poliocephalum*

On 31-08 2 exx at Boa Nova.

**Common Tody-Flycatcher** *Todirostrum cinereum*

Observed on 7 dates. Race *cearae*

**Planalto Tyrannulet** *Phyllomyias fasciatus*

Twice a single bird identified in the Serra de Baturité.

**Southern Beardless Tyrannulet** *Camptostoma obsoletum*

Regularly observed.

**Yellow Tyrannulet** *Phylloscartes flaveola*

On 15-08 a single bird in the Serra de Baturité.

A total of 6 exx on 2 dates around Palmares.

On 28-08 a single bird in the Canudos area.

On 31-08 a single bird at Boa Nova.

**Southern Scrub Flycatcher** *Sublegatus modestus*

A few observed on 2 dates in the Canudos area.

**Forest Elaenia** *Myiopagis gaimardii*

On 21-08 a single bird in a forest patch near Pamares.

**Yellow-bellied Elaenia** *Elaenia flavogaster*

Observed on 8 dates. Serra de Baturité, Chapada do Araripe and Boa Nova.

**Plain-crested Elaenia** *Elaenia cristata*

A total of 5 exx on 2 dates in the Chapada Diamantina. Area around Mucugé was good for this species.

**Highland Elaenia** *Elaenia obscura*

Single birds on 2 dates in the Chapada Diamantina.

**White-crested Tyrannulet** *Serpophaga subcristata*

On 15-08 2 exx. in scrub in the Serra de Baturité.

Single birds on 2 dates at Boa Nova.

**(Brazilian) Lesser Wagtail-Tyrant** *Stigmaturota (napensis) bahiae*

On 18-08 2 exx in the Chapada do Araripe.

**(Brazilian) Greater Wagtail-Tyrant** *Stigmaturota (budytoides) gracilis*

A total of 8 exx on 2 dates in the Canudos area.

**Tawny-crowned Pygmy-Tyrant** *Euscarthmus meloryphus*

A total of 3 exx on 2 dates in the caatinga of the Chapada do Araripe.

On 28-08 1 ex. in the Canudos area.

**Guianan Tyrannulet** *Zimmerius (gracillipes) acer*

A total of 4 exx on 2 dates in the Serra de Baturité.

Recent split from **Slender-footed Tyrannulet** *Z. gracillipes*

**Bahia Tyrannulet** *Phylloscartes beckeri*

Single birds on 2 dates at Boa Nova.

It is considered **Endangered** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**ALAGOAS (LONG-TAILED) TYRANNULET** *Phylloscartes ceciliae*

On 21-08 a single sighting at a forest patch near Palmares.

It is considered **critical** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**Yellow-olive Flycatcher** *Tolmomyias sulphurescens*

On 22-08 a single bird in a forest patch, near Palmares.

**Yellow-breasted Flycatcher** *Tolmomyias flaviventris*

A total of 6 exx on 2 dates in the Chapada do Araripe.

**White-throated Spadebill** *Platyrinchus mystaceus*

A total of 6 exx on 3 dates in the Serra de Baturité.

**Bran-coloured Flycatcher** *Myiophobus fasciatus*

Single birds on 2 dates at Boa Nova.

**Yellow-rumped Flycatcher** *Myiobius mastacalis*

Single birds on 2 dates at Boa Nova.

This is a split from **Sulphur-rumped Flycatcher** *M. barbatus*

**Black-tailed Flycatcher** *Myiobius atricaudus*

A total of 5 exx on 3 dates in the Serra de Baturité.

On 02-09 a single bird near Palmeiras, Chapada Diamantina.

**Swallow Flycatcher** *Hirundinea bellicosa*

On 16-08 a single bird at hotel Remanso.

On 27-08 2 exx in the Canudos area.

**Euler's Flycatcher** *Lathrotriccus eulerei*

A total of 7 exx on 3 dates in the Serra de Baturité.

On 31-08 2 exx at Boa Nova.

**Tropical Pewee** *Contopus cinereus*

On 31-08 4 exx at Boa Nova.

**White Monjita** *Xolmis irupero*

On 20-08 a single bird on transit.

Up to 10 exx daily in the Canudos area.

A total of 6 exx on 2 dates at Boa Nova.

On 01-09 1 ex. on transit.

**Velvety Black-Tyrant** *Knipolegus nigerrimus*

A total of 3 exx on 2 dates in the Chapada Diamantina.

**Black-backed Water-Tyrant** *Fluvicola albiventer*

A total of 7 exx on 4 dates.

**Masked Water-Tyrant** *Fluvicola negeta*

Common. Recorded on 14 dates.

**White-headed Marsh-Tyrant** *Arundinicola leucocephala*

Recorded on 7 dates. Mainly on marshy areas, while on transit.

**Shear-tailed Grey-Tyrant** *Muscipipra vetula*

On 31-08 1 ex at Boa Nova

**Long-tailed Tyrant** *Colonia colonus*

On 31-08 10 exx at Boa Nova.

**Cattle Tyrant** *Machetornis rixosus*

Recorded in small numbers on 7 dates.

**ASH-THROATED CASIORNIS** *Casiornis fusca*

On 30-08 1 ex. in the dry forest of Boa Nova.

**Dusky-capped Flycatcher** *Myiarchus tuberculifer*

On 21-08 3 exx at a forest patch near the village of Barreiros.

**Swainson's Flycatcher** *Myiarchus swainsoni*

On 15-08 2 exx at Serra de Baturité.

On 27-08 1 ex near Jeremoaba.

**Short-crested Flycatcher** *Myiarchus ferox*

A total of 3 exx on 2 dates in the serra de Baturité.

Single birds on 2 dates at Boa Nova.

**Tropical Kingbird** *Tyrannus melancholicus*

Common.

**Variegated Flycatcher** *Empidonomus varius*

On 22-08 1 ex. near our hotel ??

**Boat-billed Flycatcher** *Megarhynchus pitangua*

Observed on 11 dates.

**Streaked Flycatcher** *Myiodynasted maculates*

On 15-08 2 exx. in the Serra de Baturité.

**Social Flycatcher** *Myiozetetes similis*

Observed on 13 dates.

**Piratic Flycatcher** *legatus leucophalus*

On 14-09 2 exx. in the Serra de Baturité.

Single birds at Uniao de Palmares and Chapada Diamantina.

**Great Kiskadee** *Pitangus sulphuratus*

Commonly observed.

**Thrush-like Schiffornis** *Schiffornis turdinus*

Single birds on 2 dates at Murici Atlantic Forest.

**Green-backed Becard** *Pachyramphus viridis*

On 21-08 1 ex near Barreiros.

On 27-08 1 ex. near Jeremoaba.

On 30-08 1 ex at Boa Nova.

**Chestnut-crowned Becard** *pachyramphus castaneus*

A total of 5 exx on 2 dates at Boa Nova.

**Black-crowned Tityra** *Tityra inquisitor*

On 21-08 1 ex at Reserva Biologica Salvinho.

CORVIDAE

**WHITE-NAPED JAY** *Cyanocorax cyanopogon*

A total of 12 exx on 3 dates in the Chapada do Araripe.

On 28-08 2 exx in the Canudos area.

On 02-09 2 exx in the Chapada Diamantina.

VIREONIDAE

**Rufous-browed Peppershrike** *Cyclarhis gujanensis*

Single birds in the Serra de Baturité, Cachoeira Linda near Palmares, Canudos area and Boa Nova.

**Chivi Vireo** *Vireo chivi*

A total of 8 exx on 4 dates.

**Grey-eyed Greenlet** *Hylophilus amaurocephalus*

A total of 3 exx on 2 dates in the Chapada do Araripe.

Also a single bird in the Chapada Diamantina.

TURDIDAE

**Rufous-bellied Thrush** *Turdus rufiventris*

Common. Observed Serra de Baturité, Boa Nova and Chapada Diamantina.

**Pale-breasted Thrush** *Turdus leucomelas*

Small numbers in the Serra de Baturité, Araripe and in the forest patches around Palmares.

**Creamy-bellied Thrush** *Turdus amaurochalinus*

A single bird on 14-08 in the Serra de Baturité and on 19-08 at Araripe.

**White-necked Thrush** *Turdus albicollis*

Daily a few at Boa Nova.

MIMIDAE

**Chalk-browed Mockingbird** *Mimus saturninus*

Common.

**Black-capped Donacobius** *Donacobius atricapillus*

A total of 4 exx on 2 dates in marshy habitat around Palmares.

On 31-08 1 ex. Boa Nova.

TROGLODYTIDAE

**Moustached Wren** *Thryothorus genibarbis*

On 15-08 1 ex. in the Serra de Baturité.

Heard on 5 dates in the area around Palmares and Uniao de Palmares.

On 25-08 1 ex observed at Crasto Forest.

**Long-billed Wren** *Thryothorus longirostris ssp. bahiae*

Daily observed at Araripe. Some great views.

Single birds in the Canudos area.

**Southern House Wren** *Troglodytes aedon ssp. musculus*

Common.

POLIOPTILIDAE

**Long-billed Gnatwren** *Ramphocaenus melanurus*

Regularly heard at the forest patches around Palmares and Uniao de Palmares.

On 24-08 2 exx Murici Atlantic Forest.

On 26-08 2 exx at Crasto Forest.

On 28-08 1 ex near Canudos.

**Tropical Gnatcatcher** *Polioptila plumbea*

Observed on 10 dates.

HIRUNDINIDAE

**White-winged Swallow** *Tachycineta albiventer*

Observed on 9 dates. Always near water.

**White-rumped Swallow** *Tachycineta leucorrhoa*

Single birds on 2 dates near Palmares.

A total of 7 exx on 2 dates Murici Atlantic Forest area.

**Grey-breasted Martin** *Progne chalybea*

Common.

**Blue & White Swallow** *Notiochelidon cyanoleuca*

Single birds in the Serra de Baturité.

Up to 10 exx at Boa Nova on 30-08.

On 02-09 10+ Chapada Diamantina.

**Southern Rough-winged Swallow** *Stelgidopteryx ruficollis*

Common.

PASSERIDAE

**House Sparrow** *Passer domesticus*

Observed.

ESTRILDIDAE

**Common Waxbill** *Estrila astrild*

Introduced.

Daily small flocks at Araripe.

On 22-08 4 exx near Palmares.

On 04-09 1 ex near Salvador.

MOTACILLIDAE

**Yellowish Pipit** *Anthus lutescens*

A few in the grasslands near Palmares and Murici.

FRINGILLIDAE

**Hooded Siskin** *Carduelis magellanica*

On 02-09 1 ex Chapada Diamantina.

**YELLOW-FACED SISKIN** *Carduelis yarrelli*

On 21-08 1 ex at the entrance of Reserva Biologica Salvinho.

It is considered **Vulnerable** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

PARULIDAE

**Tropical Parula** *Parula pitiayumi*

On 02-09 3 exx at Palmeiras, Chapada Diamantina.

**Golden-crowned Warbler** *Basileuterus culicivorus*

Common in the Serra de Baturité.

A few at Araripe, forest patches around Palmeras, Boa Nova and Chapada Diamantina.

**Flavescent Warbler** *Basileuterus flaveolus*

On 19-08 4 exx at Araripe.

On 02-09 2 exx near Palmeiras, Chapada Diamantina.

EMBERIZIDAE

**Rufous-collared Sparrow** *Zonotrichia capensis*

Observed.

**Grassland Sparrow** *Ammodramus humeralis*

A few in the grassland areas around Palmares and Murici.

On 28-08 1 ex near Canudos.

Single birds in grassland areas of Boa Nova.

**Pectoral Sparrow** *Arremon taciturnus*

A total of 13 exx on 3 dates in the Serra de Baturité.

On 18-08 2 exx at Araripe.

A total of 4 exx on 2 dates in the forest patches around Palmares.

**RED-COWLED CARDINAL** *Paroaria dominicana*

Common.

**Bananaquit** *Coereba flaveola*

Common.

**Chestnut-vented Conebill** *Conirostrum speciosum*

On 20-08 1 ex Araripe.

On 21-08 4 exx near Palmares.

**Bicoloured Conebill** *Conirostrum bicolor*

On 04-09 1 ex. in the mangroves, near Salvador.

**Cinnamon Tanager** *Schistochlamys ruficapillus*

Up to 20 exx daily at Araripe.

A total of 12 exx on 3 dates at Chapada Diamantina.

**SCARLET-THROATED TANAGER** *Compsothraupis loricata*

Great views in the caatinga of Canudos.

On 27-08 a flock of 7 exx near Jeremoaba.

On 28-08 a flock of 8 exx near Canudos.

**Orange-headed Tanager** *Thlypopsis sordida*

A total of 6 exx on 3 dates in the Serra de Baturité.

**Guira Tanager** *hemithraupis guira*

Observed on 7 dates.

**Yellow-backed Tanager** *Hemithraupis flavicollis*

A total of 4 exx on 2 dates in forest patches around Palmares.

On 24-08 a single bird at Muici Atlantic Forest.

On 26-08 a single bird at Crasto Forest.

**Hooded Tanager** *Nemosia pileata*

On 21-08 a single bird near Palmares.

On 26-08 2 exx. at Crasto Forest.

**Flame-crested Tanager** *Tachyphonus cristatus*

Single bird near palmares and Murici.

On 26-08 4 exx at Crasto Forest.

On 30-08 2 exx at Boa Nova.

**White-lined Tanager** *tachyphonus rufus*

A total of 11 exx on 7 dates observed.

**Black-goggled Tanager** *Trichothraupis melanops*

On 30-08 1 ex at Boa Nova.

**Red-crowned Ant-Tanager** *Habia rubica*

On 22-08 2 exx. near Palmares.

A total of 8 exx on 2 dates at Boa Nova.

**Lowland Hepatic Tanager** *Piranga flava*

On 19-08 1 ex at Araripe.

On 02-09 1 ex near Palmeiras, Chapada Diamantina.

**Brazilian Tanager** *Ramphocelus bresilius*

On 21-08 4 exx at Reserva Biologica Salvinho, near Palmares.

A total of 5 exx on 2 dates at Boa Nova.

**Sayaca Tanager** *Thraupis sayaca*

Commonly observed.

**Azure-shouldered Tanager** *Thraupis cyanoptera*

On 23-08 2 exx at Murici Atlantic Forest.

A total of 5 exx on 2 dates at Boa Nova.

It is considered **Near Threatened** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**Golden-chevroned Tanager** *Thraupis ornate*

A total of 12 exx on 2 dates at Boa Nova.

**Palm Tanager** *Thraupis palmarum*

Observed

**Fawn-breasted Tanager** *Pipraeida melanonota*

A single bird at Boa Nova.

**Purple-throated Euphonia** *Euphonia chlorotica*

On 31-08 2 exx at Boa Nova.

**Violaceous Euphonia** *Euphonia violaceus*

Observed on 8 dates.

**Chestnut-bellied Euphonia** *Euphonia pectoralis*

Single birds on 21-08 near Palmares and on 30-08 at Boa Nova.

**SEVEN-COLORED TANAGER** *Tangara fastuosa*

Single birds on 2 dates in forest patches near Palmares.

On 23-08 2 exx. at Murici Atlantic Forest.

It is considered **Endangered** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**Red-necked Tanager** *Tangara cyanocephalus*

Common at Baturité. Daily up to 20 exx. *This is ssp.cearensis*

Also small numbers in the forest patches around Palmares and Murici. *This is ssp. corallina.*

On 31-08 a single bird at Boa Nova.

**Gilt-edged Tanager** *Tangara cyanoventris*

A total of 24 exx on 2 dates at Boa Nova.

**Burnished-buff Tanager** *Tangara cayana*

Recorded on 10 dates.

**Blue Dacnis** *Dacnis cayana*

Recorded on 8 dates.

**Green Honeycreeper** *Chlorophanes spiza*

On 21-08 4 exx in Reserva Biologica Salvinho.

On 31-08 a single bird at Boa Nova.

On 04-09 2 exx near Salvador.

**Red-legged Honeycreeper** *Cyanerpes cyaneus*

A single bird on 04-09 near Salvador.

**Pileated Finch** *Coryphospingus pileatus*

Common in the caatinga at Araripe and Canudos.

**Stripe-tailed Yellow-Finch** *Sicalis citrina*

On 02-09 1 ex. at , Chapada Diamantina.

**Orange-fronted yellow-Finch** *Sicalis columbiana*

On 31-08 6 exx at Boa Nova.

**Wedge-tailed Grass-Finch** *Emberizoides herbicola*

A single bird in a marshy area near Palmares.

On 24-08 2 exx near Murici.

**Pale-throated Sierra-Finch (Buff-throated Pampa-Finch)** *Embernagra longicauda*

On 03-09 2 exx near Mucugé by Wiel and Hans.

It is considered **Near Threatened** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**Blue-black Grassquit** *Volatina jacarina*

Observed.

**Plumbeous Seedeater** *Sporophila plumbea*

On 27-08 a single bird near Jeremoaba.

On 03-09 2 exx during a road side stop near Mucugé.

**Yellow-bellied Seedeater** *Sporophila nigricollis*

Recorded on 8 dates during the second half of the trip.

**WHITE-THROATED SEEDEATER** *Sporophila albogularis*

On 20-08 10 exx on transit from Crato to Palmares.  
Common in the Canudos area.

**White-bellied Seedeater** *Sporophila leucoptera*

On 31-08 1 ♂ at Boa Nova.

On 01-09 1 ex. on transit.

**Capped Seedeater** *Sporophila bouvreuil*

On 03-09 2 exx, including 1 adult ♂ in scrubby habitat near Mucugé.

**Lesser Seedfinch** *Oryzoborus angolensis*

On 26-08 1 ex. in marshy habitat near Estancia.

**Yellow-green Grosbeak** *Caryothraustes Canadensis*

A total of 6 exx on 2 dates at Murici Atlantic Forest.

**Black-throated Grosbeak** *Pitylus atricollis*

On 31-08 heard at Boa Nova.

**Green-winged Saltator** *Saltator similes*

On 23-08 1 ex. at Murici Atlantic Forest.

On 31-08 6 exx at Boa Nova.

**Black-throated Saltator** *Saltator atricollis*

A total of 15 exx on 2 dates in the Canudos area.

On 03-09 2 exx in the Chapada Diamantina.

**Ultramarine Grosbeak** *Cyanocompsa brissonii*

A total of 8 exx on 2 dates in the Canudos area.

A total of 13 exx on 3 dates in the Chapada Diamantina.

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**Yellow-rumped Cacique** *Cacicus cela*

A single bird on 26-08 at Crasto Forest.

**Red-rumped Cacique** *Cacicus haemorrhous*

Heard at Boa Nova.

**Solitary Black Cacique** *Cacicus solitarius*

On 22-08 1 ex near Palmares.

**Epaulet Oriole** *Icterus cayanensis*

On 15-08 2 exx in the Serra de Baturité.

On 22-08 3 exx near Palmares.

On 26-08 4 exx at Crasto Forest.

A few observed daily in the Canudos area.

**Campo Troupial** *Icterus jamacaii*

Observed on 9 dates.

**Chestnut-capped Blackbird** *Agelaius ruficapillus*

On 20-08 10 exx on transit while travelling from Crato to Palmares.

On 26-08 10 exx in a marsh near Estancia.

On 27-08 2 exx near Jeremoaba.

**White-browed Blackbird** *Leistes superciliaris*

On 17-08 20+ on transit to Crato.

On 22-08 30+ at Cachoeira Linda, near Palmares.

**FORBES'S BLACKBIRD** *Curaeus forbesi*

On 22-08 5 exx in marshy area at Cachoeira Linda, near Palmares.

Good views in the scope of this very rare bird.

It is considered **critical** in "Threatened Birds of the World".

**Chopi Blackbird** *Gnorimopsar chopi*

Common in eastern Bahia.

**Giant Cowbird** *Scaphidura oryzivora*

On 02-09 1 ex identified near Lencois.

**PALE BAY-WINGED COWBIRD** *Molothrus fringillarius*

Common in the area around Morada Nova on 17-08.

On 22-08 20+ around Palmares.

This is a recent split from **Bay-winged Cowbird** *M. badius*

**Shiny Cowbird** *Molothrus bonariensis*

Regularly observed.

In total we observed species