

# NORTH ARGENTINA 14 september to 16 october 2003

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A very nice and productive trip ; the country is actually very cheap, the most of the expense is the car (Fiat Siena at [vpampin@milletrentacar.com.ar](mailto:vpampin@milletrentacar.com.ar), Hertz, 38€/day); the petrol is 0,54 € per liter; we camped for the pleasure but the hosterias are cheap. Most of the national parks entrances and their campsites are free. The rangers were very welcoming in all the parks. 1 peso was around 0,31 euros. They don't accept USD (except in big hotels) ; Detailed map by regions are sold in the gas stations.

Total 8000 kilometers, 487 species seen (185 lifers) + 4 heard.

**14/09-** From the airport we drove to **RESERVA DE OTAMENDI** north of Buenos Aires. It is rather cold. From the highway the reserve is signposted. It was Sunday, end of afternoon, we just walked for one hour, and learnt that there is no hotel or camping closer than Campana. That's where we spent the night in the Hotel Plaza, 70 pesos.

**15/09-** Cloudy then sunny- At 8 am we were in the reserve and we went with a guide (compulsory) on the Laguna trail, 50 pesos for 4 hours ; it was very nice, marshes with some reeds and footbridges, at the end is a platform for a nice view on waterbirds.

In the afternoon we went out of the reserve, and followed the tarred road to the end at the railway station; there we crossed the rails and followed the untarred road for 2 kilometers, this is a site for the *Straight-billed Reedhaunter* whose favorite plant is the *eryngium* (the guide showed us in the morning which plant it is). But we failed, and we had no song recording. Amongst the birds seen : *White-tufted Grebe, White-necked Heron, Rufescent Tiger-Heron, Whistling Heron, Great and Snowy Egret, Maguari Stork, White-faced Ibis, Southern Screamer, Black-bellied Whistling-Duck, Coscoroba and Black-necked Swan, Silver Teal, Rosy-billed Pochard, Bay-winged Hawk, Snail Kite, Long-winged Harrier, White-winged and Red-fronted Coot, Bar-winged Cinclodes, Curve-billed Reedhaunter very responsive to tape, Yellow-throated Spinetail, Wren-like Rushbird, Freckled-breasted Thornbird, Rufous-capped Antshrike, Spectacled Tyrant, Many-colored Rush-Tyrant, Yellow-browed Tyrant, Tawny-headed and White-rumped Swallow, Rufous-browed Peppershrike, Black-and-rufous Warbling-Finch, Black-capped Warbling-Finch, Long-tailed Reed-Finch, Great Pampa-Finch, Hooded Siskin, Yellow-winged Blackbird* ;

Then we drove to **CEIBAS** where we arrived at 5:30 pm, we took a room at 25 pesos at the roadside restaurant on the left after the bridge, small but clean. We birded the road n°12 from the car, looking for the site of the *Straight-billed Reedhaunter* indicated in the Cotinga 10, but the description of the site and the point on their map are opposite. Anyway we saw some *Nacunda Nighthawks, Giant Wood-Rails, Narrow-billed Woodcreeper, Pied Water-Tyrant...* Many traffic.

**16/09-** Sunny- In early morning we took the untarred road in front of the hotel, passing through a village and then joining a good habitat of thornbushes and marshes : *Southern Screamer, Brazilian Duck, Bare-faced and White-faced Ibis, Yellow-throated, Stripe-crowned and Chotoy Spinetail, Short-billed Canastero, Brown Cacholote, Tufted Tit-Spinetail, Little Thornbird, White-tipped Plantcutter, White Monjita, Vermilion Flycatcher, White-rumped Swallow, Shiny and Bay-winged Cowbird, Brown-and-yellow Marshbird...*

We came back to the main road by the same way, but when we bought a detailed road map we saw that this road makes a circle and join the main road.

We missed the site at the north of **GUALEGUAYCHU** for the *Saffron-cowled Blackbird*, a problem of bad preparation, when we read later our trip reports it was too late;

At 11 am we drove to **PARQUE NACIONAL EL PALMAR**, 12 pesos the entrance, 4 pesos/pers for camping + 4 pesos for the tent. A beautiful landscape of palm trees. The campsite is situated along the Rio Paraguay with many trees. In the campsite and on the ruins trail : *Variable Antshrike, Golden-browed Warbler, Red-rumped Warbling-Finch, Ultramarine Grosbeak,...* We drove by night after dinner : *Scissor-tailed Nightjar, heard Tropical Screech Owl and Great Horned Owl.* + 1 five-banded Armadillo, 1 zorro, 1 Viscacha.

Night very cold.

**17/09-** Sunny- Sunrise at 6 am, birding to 1 pm : *Grey-necked + Giant Wood-Rail, Guira Cuckoo, Gilded Sapphire, Golden-breasted Woodpecker, Scimitar-billed Woodcreeper, Sooty-fronted Spinetail, Buff-browed Foliage-Gleaner, White-crested + Mottled-cheeked Tyrannulet, Blue-billed Black-Tyrant, Gray Monjita, Blue-and-white Swallow, Masked Gnatcatcher, House Wren, White-rimmed Warbler, Sayaca + Diademed + Hepatic Tanager, Saffron Yellow-Finch, Green-winged Saltator, Plush-crested Jay, Black-capped Warbling-Finch ...*

It took us 3:40 hours to join Mercedes, and 2:30 from Mercedes to Carlos Pellegrini in the **RESERVA NATURAL IBERA** on an untarred but rather good road with birds (Several Spotted Nothura). Surprising arrival on a dike and then on a noisy bridge. The campsite is on the left at the entrance of the village, the track is in front of a kiosk, but we missed it as it was dark. We slept at Hospedaje Guarani, 15 pesos;

**18/09-** Sunny- In early morning we went for a boat trip, the boats leave from the campsite, we paid 50 pesos for 2 hours. It is the only place where we saw the *Spot-flanked Gallinule*; the place is fantastic and when the guide stopped the motor we got very close to the birds and the animals, it's magic. We were at 3 meters of a female *Southern Screamer* hatching 4 eggs, and 2 other couples with youngs. We saw around 40 species, *Chestnut-capped Blackbird, Black-capped Donacobius, Solitary Sandpiper, Purple Gallinule, Pied-billed Grebe, Unicolored Blackbird...*, and a water deer and capybaras and caimans; we asked to the guide if he knew the *Saffron-cowled Blackbird (Tordo amarillo)* but he didn't.

After the trip we left Carlos Pellegrini on road 41 with many stops and then the road 40 on the right (both sandy); around the cross for a few kilometers we saw several *Strange-tailed Tyrant*. More and more this humid zone is being burnt and planted with pine trees. We found the road 40 better than the 41, *Black-and-White Monjita, Green + Ringed Kingfisher, American Golden Plover, Burrowing Owl, Savanna Hawk, Spotted Nothura...* All in all it took us 4:30 hours to join the tarred road 14 with all our stops.

We decided to go to the Wheatley's site **SAN MARTIN** (p65) to find the Plovercrest by road 14 to L.N. Alem, then left dir. Santa Ana, and right on Obera road. On his map is a campsite, but the shops and the campsite have disappeared, and we didn't find a place wich looked safe and good to put our tent ; we lost some time looking for a campsite further, and finally decided to go to Santa Ana. There we had to drive to the Rio Parana and found the desolated campsite LA BOCA with some difficulties, we paid 2 pesos (no toilets, no water);

**19/09-** Sunny- At 5:30 am we went birding the untarred road going to the campsite along the rio, with some good patches of forest wich looked like the forest around San Martin. We took a small trail going up inside the forest at 1,2 km from the campsite's entrance, and saw *Small-billed Tinamou, Saffron Toucanet, Spot-backed Antshrike, Short-tailed Anthrush, Fuscous Flycatcher...*

Then direction to **PARQUE NACIONAL IGUAZU** where we arrived at 3 pm. All our reports and our Lonely Planet had more than 2 years, and we expected to camp inside the park. We have been very disappointed when we arrived: we passed a tollgate at 30 pesos/pers (15 p the 2<sup>nd</sup> day, make the ticket stamped before leaving), and joined a very big car park; then we entered in what could be compared to an attraction park with

large concrete alleys; many shops, bars and restaurants, and a small train joining the different points to watch the falls. What about the national park? All is now very different from the map in Wheatley's book. The Macuco Trail is still accessible, beginning on the right at the first train station. The Yacaratia Trail is now a jeep road for the Safari Adventure jeeps taking the tourists to the boats; the forest here is different, taller than at Macuco, but hard to bird with the jeeps (a ranger saw us and told us to leave, but as it was not mentioned that you can't walk there we refused). We didn't see the other trail leading to El Timbo ranger station. The footbridges to the falls are fantastic, but they are crowded, it's worth it anyway as they are superb. The Brazilian helicopters fly over the falls, noisy...

The worse : IMPOSSIBLE TO ENTER THE PARK BEFORE 8 AM (close at 7 pm)! The sunrise is at 6 am, so we asked to the rangers the permission to come earlier the next morning, they refused. They understand anyway the birdwatchers' problem and don't seem to agree with the park's transformations.

We left the park and headed to Puerto Iguazu at 12 km, in the good campsite El Viejo Americano, 15 pesos/pers (bungalows 40 pesos) with big trees and a trail in the background : *Dusky-legged Guan, Turquoise-fronted Parrot, Common Potoo, Ferruginous Pygmy-Owl, Semicollared Nighthawk, Pauraque, heard Ocellated Poorwill, Gray-fronted Dove, Boat-billed Flycatcher, Magpie + Green-headed Tanager, heard Solitary Tinamou*

**20/09-** Sunny- At 8 am we were at the tollgate (we birded the road before), lost some time talking again to the rangers and headed to Macuco Trail (already hot): *heard Brown Tinamou, seen Violet-capped Woodnymph, White-barred Piculet, Streaked Xenops, Surucua Trogon, Plain Antvireo, Bearded + Swallow-tailed Manakin, Purplish Jay, Sepia-capped + Sociable Flycatcher, Greyish Elaenia, Blue-naped Chlorophonia, Black-goggled + Black-throated + Sayaca Tanager, Blue Dacnis, Creamy-bellied Thrush, Black-throated Grosbeak,...*

**21/09-** Sunny- Birded the road to the park : *White-eyed Parakeet, Southern Lapwing, Crested Caracara, Squirrel Cuckoo, Smooth-billed Ani, Toco Toucan, Black-capped Donacobius, Swallow Tanager, Red-crested Finch*. At 8 pm at the tollgate again, we headed to the Yacaratia Trail before the rush of the jeeps around 9; *Slaty-breasted Wood-Rail, Pale-vented Pigeon, Scaly-headed Parrot, Ochre-breasted Piculet, Chestnut-eared Araçari, Ochre-breasted Foliage-Gleaner, Red-ruffed Fruitcrow, Yellow Tyrannulet, Chestnut-vented Conebill, Rufous-bellied Thrush, Saffron-billed Sparrow;*

We took the train to Garganta del Diablo, a hole in the falls joined by footbridge; in the cliff of the hole, plenty of *Great Dusky Swift*, along the footbridge *White-winged Swallow, Grey-breasted Martin*, and around the park in general *Blue-crowned Parrotlet, Rufous-crowned Motmot, Roadside Hawk, Red-breasted Toucan, Field Flicker, Long-tailed Tyrant, Green-headed Tanager, Green-winged Saltator...*

**22/09-** Sunny-On the advice of the rangers, we left Iguazu and took the untarred road 101 on the left on the airport road (there is a police post at the corner); this road passes through the national park and it is a good birding all along. At 34,5 km, there is a ranger station at the limit of the park, and the rangers of Iguazu falls kindly called there with the radio and asked if we could camp at the station, they accepted (but said that they would be absent that night). We took our time for birding : *Plumbeous Kite, Grey-headed Kite, Pale-vented Pigeon, Blue Ground-Dove, White-eyed + Reddish-bellied Parakeet, Scaly-headed Parrot, Green-barred + Yellow-fronted Woodpecker, Sooty Swift, Surucua Trogon, Chestnut-eared + Spot-billed Araçari, Ochre-breasted Foliage-Gleaner, Long-tailed + Sepia-capped Flycatcher, Syristes...*

We crossed several rios, and taped the *Spotted Bamboowren* many times at the bamboo patches, without success. 500 meters before the ranger station is a river, where we got washed in the evening : *White-shouldered Fire-eye, Grey-rumped Swift, Greenish Tyrannulet.*

The ranger station was fenced, but there is a good green and hide ground behind where we put our tent. The station is the limit of the national park. A female *Pauraque* was hatching 2 eggs 3 meters from our tent.

After sunset we drove for some kilometers with stops, no owl or nightjar answer to the tape.

**23/09-** Sunny- In early morning after a short walk on the road – *Robust Woodpecker*, *Ochre-faced Tody-Flycatcher* - we took a small trail going in the forest near our tent, just on the left behind the ranger station. It was a very good birding : *Ruddy Quail-Dove*, *Pale-vented Pigeon*, *Reddish-bellied Parakeet*, *Squirrel Cuckoo*, *Lineated + Blond-crested Woodpecker*, *Chestnut-eared Araçari*, *Plain-brown Woodcreeper*(with some monkeys), *Streaked Xenops*, *Rufous-capped + Grey-bellied Spinetail*, *Bertoni's Antbird*, *Short-tailed Anthrush*, *Black-tailed Tityra*, *Swallow-tailed Manakin*, *Mottled-cheeked Tyrannulet*, *White-necked Thrush*, *Guira + Black-goggled + Ruby-crowned Tanager*, *Red-crowned Ant-Tanager*, *Blackish-blue Seedeater*, among others.

We met the ranger, he told us that the rain should come in the evening; it was better for us to leave as the road was untarred.

We followed the road 101 for 12 km until a roundabout and took right the way to Wanda and had 2 kilometers of tarred road. Then the tar stopped at the beginning of the signposted **PARQUE PROVINCIAL URUGUA-I**. The ranger's station is 8 km further; this elevated road should be good in the morning, but we had no time to bird it.

There is a campsite along the river at the station with only toilets; a very nice loop trail of 3,2 km long leaves from the campsite following the river with many bamboos, another one of 2,2 km leaving from the other side of the road.

**24/09-** Heavy rain- After a short birding with a *Black-throated Piping Guan* in the campsite we came back to the car and waited for a lull. After lunch we could go back on the trail along the river as the rain was lighter and then stopped. *Neotropic Cormorant*, *Muscovy Duck*, *Plumbeous + Snail Kite*, *Rusty-margined Guan*, *Scaly-headed Parrot*, *Scale-throated Hermit*, *Black-throated + Surucua Trogon*, *Ringed Kingfisher*, *Rufous-capped Motmot*, *Chestnut-eared Araçari*, *Toco Toucan*, *Blond-crested + White-spotted + Robust Woodpecker*, *Olivaceous Woodcreeper*, *White-browed + Ochre-breasted Foliage-Gleaner*, *Tufted + Variable Antshrike*, *White-shouldered Fire-eye*, *Plain Antwren*, *Rufous Gnateater*, *Greenish Manakin*, *Variegated Flycatcher*, *Great Kiskadee*, *Euler's Flycatcher*, *Southern Antipit*, *Drab-breasted Pygmy-Tyrant*, *Ochre-breasted Tody-Flycatcher*, *Grey-breasted Martin*, *Rough-winged Swallow*, *Plush-crested Jay*, *House Wren*, *Rufous-bellied + White-necked Thrush*, *Red-eyed Vireo*, *White-rimmed Warbler + Streamside + Golden-crowned Warbler*, *Tropical Parula*, *Masked Yellowthroat*, *Guira + Black-goggled + Ruby-crowned + White-lined + Sayaca + Fawn-breasted + Chestnut headed Tanager*, *Red-crowned Ant-Tanager*, *Red-crested Finch*, *Rufous-collared Sparrow*, *Red-rumped Cacique*

We spent a second night here.

**25/09-** Clouds and thin rain- We birded the trail from the campsite again, and the Islas Malvinas trail on the other side of the road, where we saw another *Black-throated Piping Guan*, *Scale-throated Hermit*, *Large-headed Flatbill*.

Then we took the road to the Corrientes region, at 4.30 pm we passed by Ituzaingo on the road 12 after Posadas. The area looked good so we decided to sleep in Ituzaingo and bird the marshes in the morning. Camping La Barca, 10 pesos.

**26/09-** Sunny- At 6 am we drove on the road 12 and turned left on the rd 118, tarred; quickly we saw many birds in the marshes, *Black-crowned Night-Heron*, *Plumbeous Rail*, *Large-billed + Yellow-billed Tern*, *Yellowish + Hellmayr's Pipit*, *Grayish Saltator*, *Grassland Yellow-Finch*, *Rusty-collared Seedeater* and many others.

Then we turned right on the road 5, tarred, with marshes better than the previous one, absolutely full of birds : *Great Egret in large numbers, Roseate Spoonbill, American Woodstork, Jabiru, Spotted Crake, Crested Doradito, Unicolored Blackbird...*

Later we turn left on the sandy road 13 to reach the **PARQUE NACIONAL MBURUCUYA**, 53 km until the entrance. Good free campsite with toilets and showers behind the ranger station on the left of the road, after another office situated on the right side. In the camp, *Creamy-bellied Thrush, Plush-crested Jay, Brown-crested Flycatcher, White-lined + Orange-headed Tanager, Striped Owl singing and seen in early morning.*

We walked on the loop trail beginning in front of the station, passing through dry small palms area, going to a lagoon where we didn't see much, then reaching a nice forest where we saw the *Pale-crested Woodpecker*. A night walk gave us a nice view of a *Tropical Screech-Owl* and we saw 3 armadillos.

**27/09-** Sunny- In early morning we walked on the Yatay trail, beginning from the road on the left after the station, very nice too, passing through a forest, *Little Woodpecker, Green-backed + Crested Becard, Streaked Flycatcher, Great Antshrike, Rufous-crowned Peppershrike, Southern Beardless Tyrannulet, Golden-winged Cacique,* + a small deer, then we arrived to an area of grasses where we taped the *Lesser + Wedge-tailed Grassfinch*, with success, then we saw *Greater + Freckle-breasted Thornbird*. Then there were some trees with a family of howler monkeys, and we arrived to a platform facing the river with *Brazilian Duck, White-faced Whistling-Duck, Green Ibis, Roseate Spoonbill, Southern Screamer, Limpkin, Grey-headed Gull, Yellow-billed Tern, Yellow-throated Spinetail...*

We left the park on road 13, tarred after Mburucuya, and joined the road 16 to Corrientes, Resistencia, and decided to stop at the beautiful **PARQUE NACIONAL EL CHACO** for the night. We turned right on the road 9 after Lapachito to Capital Solari, from there it was 6 or 7 km of dirt road to the park; it took us 4 hours.

Free nice campsite with some trails that we decided to bird the next morning. We installed the tent and drove to a lagoon a few km from the campsite with a tower: *Cream-backed Woodpecker, Great Black Hawk, heard Ash-throated Crake* and a caiman.

In the campsite we saw a *Chaco Pygmy-Owl* that we identified by the call that we didn't know but which was different than the *Ferruginous'* call

**28/09-** A storm began in the night and it rained soon after; we packed the tent and decided to leave because we cared about the state of the dirt road, we should have stayed and bird the park! We quickly got stuck less than 1 km from the gate in this thick mud. We have been waiting in the car that the rain stops, hoping to see somebody with a 4x4 who could pull us to the tarred road; after 2 hours we saw a rider coming, as it was Sunday he said that the tractor of Capital Solari was unusable. We proposed to pay anybody who could help us, he came back later with a rope and attached it to the car; mounted the horse and pulled us with difficulties and we had to stop many often for the horse. But we have been saved, and he asked us 30 pesos, having no change and very relieved we gave him 50 pesos, surely he wouldn't expect so much money! During our wait we saw *Giant Wood-Rail, Great Rufous Woodcreeper, White Monjita, Vermilion Flycatcher, Lark-like Brushrunner, Crested Cardinal.*

We took the road with a car in a terrible state, impossible to make it wash in the gas stations on Sundays. Around Rio Muerto the road 16 became very bad with many holes and it was very tiring; birds seen on the way : *White-banded Mockingbird, Blue-crowned Parakeet.*

We stopped for the night at Monte Quemado at Hotel 9 de Julio, 20 pesos. We took down the wheels to clear them of the dry mud.

**29/09-** Sunny- Leaving at 6 am to **JV GONZALES**, arrived at 8:30. We turned right just before the entrance on the dirt road 41. We found a trail on the right going inside the

chaco 15 km further, just in front of a house (school?), we began to walk, but suddenly met a large track; we first thought that they were making a road, but realised that all the area had been squared and was being destroyed. We felt very sad and depressed and used these large tracks for birding. It was good, and we birded until 1:30 pm, taping several birds : *Brushland Tinamou on the road drinking in a water hole as it rained here too the night before, Blue + Picui Ground Dove, Monk + Blue-crowned Parakeet, Turquoise-fronted Parrot, Burrowing Owl, Guira Cuckoo, Glittering-bellied Emerald, White-fronted Woodpecker, Narrow-billed Woodcreeper, Red-billed Scythebill, Chaco Earthcreeper, Crested Hornero, Stripe-crowned Spinetail, Lark-like Brushrunner, Great + Variable Antshrike, Crested Gallito, Pearly-vented Tody-Tyrant, White-crested Tyrannulet, Southern Scrub-Glycatcher, Greater Wagtail-Tyrant, White Monjita, Cinereous Tyrant, Crowned Slaty Flycatcher, Rufous-browed Peppershrike, White-banded Mockingbird, Masked Gnatcatcher, Tropical Parula, Stripe-capped Sparrow, Red-crested Cardinal, Blue-and-yellow Tanager, Red-crested Finch, Great Pampa-Finch, Golden-billed + Greyish Saltator, Ultramarine Grosbeak, Bay-winged Cowbird...*

In JV Gonzales we slept at Hotel Colonial, 45 pesos.

In the evening had dinner in the chaco in the same trail than in the afternoon, we saw closely a *Little Nightjar*.

**30/09-** Sunny- In early morning we went back to road 41 until another trail, in fact a dirt road at 17 km that we found less good than the previous one. Some birds were similar, with another : *Tataupa Tinamou, King Vulture, Checkered Woodpecker, several Chaco Chachalaca, Scimitar-billed Woodcreeper, White-tipped Plantcutter, Small-billed + White-crested Eleania*. There was a strong wind; from the road on the way back, an *Aplomado Falcon*; we stopped again at km 15, very quiet (too windy), we followed the trail on the left alongside the road, *Bay-winged Hawk* but we stopped as it was very quiet.

At 1:30 pm we leave JV Gonzalez for 2 hours drive to **PALOMITAS** following road 16 then 34; it is very hot, we think that we took the right dirt road on the right side passed Palomitas village, crossing some chaco much drier than in JC Gonzales, no leaves at all in the thornbushes, but after some kilometers we joined a private property; we saw 4 *Buff-necked Ibis*; we followed the road passing in harvested fields, then met a jeep with the owner. We explained to him that we were looking for some Seriemas, he said that they were around in the field and permitted us to stay. A short time later we saw 2 *Red-legged Seriema* in a field. At 4 pm, as we saw nothing else in the area, we left for **PARQUE NACIONAL CALIGUELA** that we joined 2 hours later. We put up the tent, the campsite is free and has basic toilets and cold showers.

**1/10-** Sunny- From the station a road is going up on 21,7 km to the end of the park at 1700 m, then down to some villages; a ranger's house is at 17 km on the way up. The forest was very dry down and became greener on the way up. A beautiful forest. There are several trails, but only the Lagunita Trail (making a loop and finishing along the river at the station) is allowed without guide. We wanted to bird the Lagunita trail, indicated on the right of the road on the park's brochure. We walked on the road to reach it, it took some time : *Golden-collared Macaw, Scaly-headed Parrot, White-bellied Hummingbird, Toco Toucan, Ocellated Piculet, Black-capped Antwren, Buff-browed Foliage-Gleaner, Streaked Xenops, Yellow-olive Flycatcher, Brown-crested Flycatcher, Sayaca + Orange-headed Tanager, Two-banded Warbler, Saffron-billed Sparrow, Crested Oropendula*; after a while, arrived at the view point, we thought that we missed the trail as it looked close to the station on the brochure, we went back down, nothing, so we decided to take it by the other side, from the river behind the ranger's house. We followed some arrows, *Turkey Vulture, Swallow-tailed + Plumbeous Kite, Great Black Hawk, Common Diuca-Finch, Red-tailed Comet, Black Phoebe, Sooty-fronted Spinetail, Southern Rough-winged Swallow, Chestnut-vented Conebill*, we didn't find the Lagunita trail on the left which should go in the forest, and we walked and walked, it was hot and

we went rather far in the river, we saw some peccaris and a grison, prints of tapir but few birds.

We came back around 3 pm, later we drove to the top of the road (we saw the Lagunita trail after the view point!) and had diner at the obelisk, *Slender-tailed Woodstar*. We didn't hear any *Red-faced Guan*. At 7:45 pm we taped the *Lyre-tailed Nightjar*, one answer lower on the road. We drove towards the sound, and we saw one flying in the headlights! It was at 800 meters from the obelisk. We stopped and taped it again, but it didn't come back. On the way back to the campsite, we didn't see more, made some stops but only heard we think a *Hoy's Screech-Owl* very far.

**2/10-** Sunny- We left the campsite at 4:40 am to the km 19 on the road for the *Red-faced Guan*, no success. *King Vulture White-rumped Hawk, Mitred Parakeet, Blue-capped Puffleg, White-bellied Hummingbird, Red-tailed Comet, Cream-backed Woodpecker, Azara's Spinetail, White-Throated Antpitta, Slaty Elaenia, Buff-banded Tyrannulet, Greater Pewee, Highland Flycatcher, Brown-capped Redstart, Fulvous-winged Brush-Finch, Mountain Wren, Glossy-black Thrush, Fawn-breasted Tanager, Rusty-browed Warbling-Finch, Pale-legged Warbler, Golden-winged Cacique...*

In the end of afternoon, we walked on the Lagunita trail, a short walk down to a small lagoon, we saw *Least Grebe, Great Egret, Muscovy Duck, Gray-necked Wood-Rail, Southern Lapwing, Large-tailed-Dove, Dark-brown Swift, Narrow-billed Woodcreeper, Giant Antshrike, Rufous Casiornis, Ochre-faced Tody-Flycatcher, Yellow-olive Flycatcher, Plush-crested Jay, Blue-black Grassquit...* We taped the *Rufous Nightjar* from the campsite, one answered in the forest lower, we walked towards it and saw it.

**3/10-** overcast, few light rain for 1/2 hour- Lagunita trail again : *Green-cheeked Parakeet, Dot-fronted Woodpecker, Olivaceous Woodcreeper, Ocellated Piculet, Speckled + White-bellied Hummingbird, Blue-capped Puffleg, Red-tailed Comet, Slender-tailed Woodstar, Blue-crowned Trogon, Buff-browed Foliage-Gleaner, Ochre-cheeked Spinetail, Black-capped Antwren, Streaked Flycatcher, Red-eyed Vireo, Two-banded Warbler, Chestnut-vented Conebill, Sayaca, Tanager, Saffron-billed Sparrow...*

At 1 pm we left the park and drove two hours to the road of **PARQUE PROVINCIAL YALA**, easy to find after San Salvador de Jujuy on the Tilcara road. We stop as indicated in Wheatley's along the rio Yala : *1 couple of Torrent Duck, 1 couple of Rufous-throated Dipper picking some moss for their nest.* We followed the road, *Chiguanco Thrush, Yellow-browed Tyrant*; at Laguna Rodeo, few birds, we don't like the place and continue the road, to Laguna Comedora or a thing like that : *Neotropic Cormorant, Speckled Teal, White-winged Coot, South American Stilt, Andean Lapwing*; no place for camping, we followed the road and arrived to a bridge. Just before the bridge in the bent we took a small track on the left side with the car leading to some fields and the river. We put up the tent, it is very quiet, no traffic, just a house in front of us in the other side of the road (we are at 1900 meters high). From this bridge we saw a *Rufous-throated Dipper*;

At this time of our trip, we realised that we had not enough time to visit all the sites we wanted to. (Finally we had, avoiding the trip of 12/10). We decided to give up the visit of Huamaca and La Quiaca and Los Pozuelos, as we saw most of the specialities in Bolivia.

**4/10-** Sunny then heavy rain- Before sunrise we heard a *Hoy's Screech-Owl*, we quickly got up and taped it, it came very close in a tree close to the tent. After sunrise we hear the *Red-faced Guan*, we went towards the calls on the road, we saw four of them on the hill on the right side at the right bent, very good!

We packed the tent, and continued the road towards Termas de Reyes, *Rufous-thighed Hawk, Andean + Rufous-webbed Tyrant, Andean Black Tyrant, White-throated Tyrannulet, Fulvous-headed Brush-Finch, Rufous-browed Warbling-Finch...* along the road, then the road slightly goes down, at 10 am we stop at a picnic area on the left

overhanging the Termas de Reyes, from there we saw *Andean Condor*, *White-collared Swift*, *Red-tailed Comet*; the hotel was open, and is a good base if you don't camp. Then the road is tarred again, and join the Jujuy-Tilcara road.

From San Salvador de Jujuy we headed to Salta, and stopped at **EL CARMEN** reservoir, Dique La Ciénaga on the left side of the road, *Neotropic Cormorant*, *Brazilian Duck*, *Yellow-billed Pintail*, *Cinnamon Teal*, *Black-bellied + White-faced Whistling-Duck*, *White-faced Ibis*, *South American Stilt*, *White-winged Coot*,... after this reservoir, there is another one taking on the left at the fork, and following the road to a dike; a gravel road goes round it, lined with some forest which looked good. We followed it in the heat of the day : *Grey-necked Wood-Rail*, *Crested Caracara*, *Roadside Hawk*, *Dot-fronted Woodpecker*, *Ringed Kingfisher*, *Black Phoebe*, *Masked Gnatcatcher*, *Rufous-collared Sparrow*, *Rufous-browed Warbling-Finch*, *Red-crested Finch*, *Ultramarine Grosbeak*, heard *Tataupa Tinamou* and *Red-legged Seriema*;

Then we took the narrow road to Salta passing at **ABRA SANTA LAURA (LAURA PASS)**, at 14 km from the reservoir and 48 km from Salta, in a very nice yungas forest. We stopped at the pass and began to bird, but the weather became threatening and it began to rain. As we were closer to the reservoir we decided to go back there, when we arrived the rain became incredibly strong with very big hailstones. Just in front of the reservoir is the Pequeña Hospedaje held by very nice people, we slept here, 35 pesos, and had a good dinner.

**5/10-** Sunny- In early morning we stopped at Abra Santa Laura and birded from the road : *Scaly-headed Parrot*, *Mitred Parakeet*, *Golden-olive woodpecker*, *Olivaceous Woodcreeper*, *Stripe-crowned Spinetail*, *White-browed Foliage-Gleaner*, *Euler's Flycatcher*, *House Wren*, *Rufous-bellied Thrush*, *Two-banded Warbler*, *Brown-capped Redstart*, *Common Bush-Tanager*, *Sayaca + Fawn-breasted Tanager*, *Saffron-billed Sparrow*, *Stripe-headed Brushfinch*, *Rufous-collared Sparrow*, *Rusty-browed Warbling-Finch*, *Golden-winged cacique*, *Golden-billed Saltator*, a good birding although nothing new. We taped without success the *Spot-backed Puffbird* and despaired of finding the endemic *Yellow-striped Brush-Finch*.

We drove down towards Salta, there was no more forest, we saw a big lagoon on the left : *Snail Kite*, *Fulvous Whistling-Duck*, *Southern American Stilt*, *Wattled Jacana*, *Scaly-headed Parrot*, *Burrowing Owl*, *Rufous Hornero*, *White Monjita*, *Fork-tailed Flycatcher*, *Chiganco Thrush*...

After Salta we took the road 68 then turned right on road 33 to Cachi (**SALTA-CACHI ROAD**). It was 11:30 am; the road began with a nice gorge, then a nice area of cactus. We stopped at the entrance of a hamlet called San Martín, and followed a small trail along a small stream : *Chestnut (Steinbach's) Canastero*, *Great Horned Owl* *sitting on a branch*, *Golden-breasted Woodcreeper*. No *Rufous-bellied Saltator*, but we know it already from Bolivia. We drove up to 3200 m, beautiful but very windy; nice colors of green and orange; on the way down we passed through the PARQUE NACIONAL LOS CARDONES, and a beautiful flat zone with big cactus; the road is suddenly tarred until Cachi, we saw some houses with a sign Agua de los Loros (we stopped and waited in vain for a while at a small waterhole for the *Burrowing Parrot*); arrived at the nice Indian village of Cachi we slept at the municipal campsite, 5 pesos. Birds seen all along this road : *Red-backed Hawk*, *Mountain + Chimango Caracara*, *Picui Ground-Dove*, *Great Horned Owl*, *Ashy-tailed + Andean Swift*, *Sparkling Violetear*, *Giant Hummingbird*, *Andean Hillstar*, *Red-tailed Comet*, *Golden-breasted Woodpecker*, *Rufous-banded Miner*, *Rock Earthcreeper*, *White-winged + Bar-winged Cinclodes*, *Cinereous Ground-Tyrant*, *White-winged Black-Tyrant*, *Cliff Flycatcher*, *Blue-and-white Swallow*, *House Wren*, *Sayaca Tanager*, *Golden-billed Saltator*, *Plain-colored Seedeater*, *Gray-hooded + Band-tailed + Plumbeous + Mourning Sierra-Finch*, *Rufous-collared Sparrow*, *Common Diuca-Finch*.



**6/10-** Sunny- In early morning we went back to the area of Agua de los Loros and a little upper, first because we really liked this landscape, and hoping to find the *Burrowing Parrot* or the *Sandy Gallito* –in vain- then we looked for the Gallito in the scrubs around Cachi, no success. We took the direction of Cayafate (**CACHI-CAFAYATE ROAD**) on a dusty road, no more cactus but a wonder of geological erosion; it is a long way, 130 km, very windy. We saw the *White-throated Cacholote* at km 1160, and then many flocks of *Burrowing Parrots* approaching to Cayafate, and even after. Others seen along the road : *Chimango + Crested Caracara, Cream-breasted Canastero, Tufted Tit-Tyrant, Plain-mantled Tit-Spintail, Rufous-sided Warbling-Finch, Ash-breasted + Mourning Sierra-Finch, Patagonian Mockingbird, Common Diuca-Finch...*

In Cafayate we camped at camping Luz y Fuerza, 6 pesos, dirty showers.

**7/10-** Sunny- We followed the road 40 and turned right on the road of the **RUINAS DE QUILMES** where the *Sandy Gallito* occurs, but we saw only *Plain-mantled Tit-Spintail* and *White-throated Cacholote* amongst others. We took the road 307 to **TAFFI DEL VALLE** passing by a locality called **EL INFERNILLO** at the top of the road. On the road we saw *Short-tailed Hawk, Grey-hooded Parakeet, Andean Flicker, Greater Yellow-Finch...* After the road went down, the km are marked, we stopped at km 80 at a vegetated river gully. *White-throated Hawk, several Bare-eyed Ground-Dove, Band-tailed Sierra-Finch, Blue-and-white Swallow, Black-billed Shrike-Tyrant, Puna Canastero.*

At Taffi del Valle, we camped at the only campsite that we saw, noisy because of the dogs, 8 pesos. In the center there is a internet office, and a good small minimercado (Donia). Between El Infernillo and Tafi del Valle we saw on the left some bungalows wich seemed good, it can be a good base.

**8/10-** Sunny- We went backed up to the km 80 (*Speckled Teal* on the way in a pond), the *Bare-eyed Ground-Dove* were still here. As it was not easy to walk in the gully + problem of knee, we decided to follow the river from the edge on the left side, with the telescope, joining further the gully of km 78, and walked on the road the 2 km to the car. Slowly, it took us around 6 hours, *Ornate Tinamou, Andean Condor, Cinereous Harrier, White-throated + Red-backed Hawk, Blue-winged Ground-Dove, Gray-hooded Parakeet, Andean Swift, Andean Flicker, White-winged Cinclodes, Puna Canastero, Black-billed Shrike-Tyrant, Tucuman Mountain-Finch, Rufous-naped + Cinnamon-bellied Ground-Tyrant in the cultivated fields, Hooded Siskin;* At km 78 along the road is a track, (we could have camped there), and 2 *Tucuman Mountain-Finch* were just at the beginning.

Then we drove up to El Infernillo in the afternoon, few birds but 2 *Buff-breasted Earthcreeper* on the roadside near the summit, a crushed *Great Horned Owl*, several *Burrowing Owl* all along the road.

**9/10-** Light rain during the night, and at sunrise, foggy in altitude. We wanted to bird the summit again, but it was too foggy; we followed the road 307 to Monteros and stopped at el Puente del **RIO LA SOSA** signposted, we easily found several *White-browed Tapaculo, Plain Xenops, Bar-winged Cinclodes, Mountain Wren, Brown-capped Redstart, Common Bush-Tanager, Yellow-striped Brush-Finch.*

We returned as the weather was better to El Infernillo, nothing new, we packed the tent and left at 11:30 pm, direction **SALINAS GRANDES**, taking roads to Simoca, then 157, 64, and 24 until the beginning of the dirt road to **Puente Saladillo** and Los Telares. We arrived at 6 pm in this area of dry salted marshes. It was very windy and as it was late we put up our tent at 200 meters from the tarred road in case of rain and had a beautiful sky with a full moon. We hoped to look for the *Salinas Monjitas* the next morning. At 4 am the wind was really very strong, and we saw some flashes of lightning, so we quickly packed and went on the tarred road to finish our night.

**10/10-** Rain then cloudy. As it was raining lightly at 7 am, we decided to give up the Monjitas' research. We headed on road 9 and turned right on the road to Dean Funes, Cruz del Eje then road 38, stopping at **CAPILLA DEL MONTE** and **LA CUMBRE**. It was rather cold. At Capilla del Monte we stopped at a El 44, a resort which looked closed for work, from the outside we saw *Many-colored Chaco-Finch*, *Lark-like Brushrunner*; between Capilla del Monte we took a dirt road on the right leading down to the river, we followed it for a while and walked during one hour in a beautiful area of secondary houses along the river with some birds although not new : *Striated Heron*, *Speckled Teal*, *Plumbeous Rail*, *Spot-winged Pigeon*, *Monk Parakeet*, *Golden-breasted Woodpecker*, *Great Kiskadee*, *Brown Cacholote*, *Subtropical Doradito*, *White-bellied Tyrannulet*, *White-crested Elaenia*, *Hose Wren*, *White-banded Mockingbird*, *Creamy-bellied Thrush*, *Blue-and-yellow Tanager*, *Golden-billed + Greyish Saltator*, *Black-and-rufous Warbling-Finch*, *Hooded Siskin*, *Bay-winged Cowbird*.

We probably should have stayed at La Cumbre and birded the chaco around the Cruz, but we were very tired and we were disappointed by the place, the chaco on the road before Capilla del Monte looked much better. We headed to Villa Carlos Paz, birding a lagoon on the right after La Cumbre : *Great + White-tufted + Pied-billed Grebe*, *White-winged Coot*. It is a very touristic and inhabited road and we regretted the quiet parks.

At Villa Carlos Paz, we slept at Camping Los Gitanos, very good showers, 11 pesos, it was very cold!

**11/10-** Sunny- At 6:15 am we left for **ICHO CRUZ**. It has completely changed since Wheatley's book, it has been built all along the river. We couldn't find the trail along the river, and drove along it till the next village Cuesta Blanca, in fact the 2 villages are joined now by houses. At the end of the road along the right riverside, we stopped and took a trail in the chaco. It is very nice and but we didn't see much.

At 11 am, we drove to **EL CONDOR** on the very nice road 20, in a region called **PAMPA DE ACHALA**; at the parador on the left, we turned right on a dirt road, and stopped at an old abandoned restaurant, a pair of *Olog's Cinclodes* and one of *Sierran Cinclodes* were there, and seemed to nest in holes of the ruins. Two *Long-tailed Meadowlark* were there too.

A little bit further on the road we saw a *Black-chested Buzzard-Eagle* at the top of an aerial. From there it was prohibited to enter.

On the way back (*Andean Condor*) to Icho Cruz we took the loop road of La Copina, *Short-billed Pipit*.

Back at Icho Cruz we birded the chaco on the right side of the road, as all is fenced we parked at a big sign for a dietetic restaurant and walked in the property, hoping to see the endemic *Cinnamon Warbling-Finch*. We saw *Masked Gnatcatcher*, *White-banded Mockingbird*, *Black-capped Warbling-Finch*, *Many-colored Chaco-Finch*, *Ringed Warbling-Finch*.

We camped at Red Beans Beach Campsite along the river, 20 pesos with breakfast, quiet.

**12/10-** Sunny- We birded the chaco again for the endemic, in vain, it was much better than the evening : *Picui Ground-Dove*, *Southern-crested + Chimango Caracara*, *Monk Parakeet*, *Field Flicker*, *Scimitar-billed Woodcreeper*, *Stripe-crowned Spinetail*, *Short-billed Canastero*, *Tufted Tit-Spinetail*, *Brown Cacholote*, *White-tipped Plantcutter*, *Great Kiskadee*, *Vermilion Flycatcher*, *Cattle Tyrant*, *White-crested Tyrannulet*, *Small-billed Elaenia*, *Tawny-headed Swallow*, *House Wren*, *Chalid-browed Mockingbird*, *Creamy-bellied Thrush*, *Blue-and-Yellow Tanager*, *Golden-billed Saltator*, *Saffron Yellow-Finch*, *Stripe-capped + Rufous-collared Sparrow*, *Hooded Siskin*, *Bay-winged + Shiny Cowbird*;

At 10:30 am, it was quiet and we left Icho Cruz to the Entre Rios province by road 19 to Santa Fe, Parana and Diamante, where we headed to **PARQUE NACIONAL PRE-DELTA** where we expected to find some Seedeaters. We arrived after a long drive at

5pm; it was Sunday and the Monday was a public holiday, so many fishermen were here, but they all left and we camped alone -toilet + showers- In the evening 3 *Black Skimmer* flew above, some *Red-crested + Yellow-billed Cardinal* and *Common Miner* in the camp.

**13/10-** Sunny- We left the park direction Victoria–Gualedguay-Ceibas, where we made some stops at the different sites described in the Cotinga 10 for the *Straight-billed Reedhaunter*, nothing. The road 45 is nice but he was not there. We camped 7 km before the end of this road joining the highway. We don't remember the name of the campsite, along the river, 8 pesos.

**14/10-** Sunny- After a puncture repair, we headed to **RESERVA DE OTAMENDI** again, passed the reserve and went straight to the dirt road after the railway station. We found a pair of *Straight-billed Reedhaunter* in a nest in an eryngium plant, about 400 m from the railway on the right side, after the first trees bordering the road. A *Sulphur-birded Spinetail* came when we taped it.

After crossing Buenos Aires (we missed the acceso oeste), we headed to **SAN CLEMENTE DEL TUYU** by roads 36 and 11. We birded **PUNTA RASA** in the evening, following the indications for Bahia Aventura, at a fork the reserve is signposted, the road leading to a very large beach full of birds : *White-chinned Petrel, American Oystercatcher, Hudsonian Godwit, Red Knot, Snowy-crowned Tern*.

We camped in the very good ACA campsite, reserve normally for the club members, but as it was empty the accepted us. 26 pesos, but it's worth it and it was a good place for packing our bags the last day.

**15/10-** Sunny- We birded Punta Rasa reserve again, in the pampas and marshes : *White-faced Ibis, Southern Lapwing, Black Skimmer, Brown-crested Martin, Yellow-browed Tyrant, Great Kiskadee, Warbling Doradito, White-rumped Swallow, Correndera Pipit, Bay-capped Wren-Spinetail (numerous but hard to see), Saffron Yellow-Finch, Black-and-rufous Warbling-Finch, Long-tailed Reed-Finch, Great Pampa-Finch, Yellow-rumped Marsbird..*

On the beach : *Magnificent Frigatebird, Neotropic Cormorant, Chilean Flamingo, Coscoroba Swan, South American Stilt, American Golden Plover, Semipalmated Plover, Greater Yellowlegs, Ruddy Turnstone, White-rumped Sandpiper, Snowy Sheathbill, Kelp + Brown-hooded Gull, Common + Cayenne + Royal Tern*.

On the road of Bahia Aventura we saw *Golden-breasted Woodpecker, White-throated Hummingbird, Hudson's Canastero*;

Then we drove to the road 11, birding between km 280 and 290, and the track leading to the Reserva Campos del Tuyu wich is between km 298 and 299; there was a locked door that we passed over, the reserve is 10 km further, 2 hours later a angry man arrived and said that we had to ask for him at the village of Lavalle, we apologized and it was OK, but he didn't suggest to take us there, it was a bit late anyway. From this track we saw *Southern Wigeon, Chilean Flamingo, Correndera Pipit, Firewood Gatherer at around 1,5 km in the trees, Hudsonian Canastero and many others*.

From the road *Greater Rhea, Long-winged Harrier, Southern Lapwing, Red-garterer Coot, Guira Cuckoo, Field Flicker, Rufous Hornero, Lesser Yellowlegs, Plumbeous Rail, Scarlet-headed Blackbird, ... Barn Owl* crushed on the road.

On the beach of San Clemente *Olrog's Gull*;

The road along the canal 2 looked good too, but we didn't find the *Striped-backed Bittern* as other birdwatchers.

**16/10-** We left San Clemente by road 11, 63 then 2, to the airport; you always have to follow the highway until the indication 9 de Mayo wich leads west to the airport, it is a rather long way.

Next trip : 25/01/2004 to south Argentina.

GREATER RHEA *rhea americana* several on the way above Buenos Aires + San Clemente  
 BROWN TINAMOU *crypturellus obsoletus* heard on Macuco trail at PN Iguazu  
 TATAUPA TINAMOU *crypterellus tataupa* JV Gonzales  
 SMALL-BILLED TINAMOU *crypturellus parvirostris* near the campsite of Santa Ana  
 SOLITARY TINAMOU *tinamus solitarius* heard on Macuco trail + on the trail of the campsite Puerto Iguazu  
 ORNATE TINAMOU *nothoprocta ornata* along the gully at km 80 Taffi del Valle  
 BRUSHLAND TINAMOU *nothoprocta cinerascens* JV Gonzales  
 SPOTTED NOTHURA *nothura maculosa* common along the roads of Ibera area  
 LEAST GREBE *podiceps dominicus* Lagunita trail at PN Calilegua  
 WHITE-TUFTED GREBE *podiceps rolland* Otamendi + La Cumbre + San Clemente  
 PIED-BILLED GREBE *podilymbus podiceps* Ibera area + La Cumbre  
 GREAT GREBE *podiceps major* La Cumbre + San Clemente  
 WHITE-CHINNED PETREL *procellaria aequinoctialis* Punta Rasa  
 ANHINGA *anhinga anhinga* Ibera  
 MAGNIFICENT FRIGATEBIRD *fregata magnificens* Punta Rasa  
 NEOTROPIC CORMORANT *phalacrocorax olivaceus* Ibera + Santa Ana + Iguazu + JV Gonzales + Punta Rasa...  
 WHITE-NECKED HERON *ardea cocoi* Ceibas + Ibera + San Clemente  
 RUFESCENT TIGER-HERON *tigrisoma lineatum* Otamendi + Ibera + Santa Ana  
 WHISTLING HERON *syriigma sibilatrix* Otamendi + El Palmar + camping of Cafayate + San Clemente  
 GREAT EGRET *egretta alba* Otamendi + Ibera + Iguazu + Calilegua + San Clemente  
 SNOWY EGRET *egretta thula* as Great Egret  
 CATTLE EGRET *bubulcus ibis* Ibera + JV Gonzales  
 STRIATED HERON *butorides striatus* Ibera + Santa Ana + La Cumbre  
 BLACK-CROWNED NIGHT-HERON *nycticorax nycticorax* Mburucuya NP  
 AMERICAN WOOD STORK *mycteria americana* marshes on rd 118 to Mburucuya  
 MAGUARI STORK *ciconia maguari* Otamendi + Ceibas + Ibera + San Clemente, common  
 JABIRU *jabiru mycteria* marshes on rd 118 to Mburucuya  
 BUFF-NECKED IBIS *theristicus caudatus* Palomitas + Caliguela  
 GREEN IBIS *mesembrinibis cayenensis* Ibera  
 BARE-FACED IBIS *phimosus infuscatus* Ceibas + Ibera  
 WHITE-FACED IBIS *plegadis chihi* Otamendi + Ceibas + Santa Ana + San Clemente  
 ROSEATE SPOONBILL *platalea ajaja* marshes on rd 118 to Mburucuya  
 CHILEAN FLAMINGO *phoenicopterus chilensis* Punta Rasa + around San Clemente  
 SOUTHERN SCREAMER *chauna torquata* Otamendi + Ibera + San Clemente and along the roads  
 MUSCOVY DUCK *cairina moschata* Urugua-i NP + marshes rd 118 + Caliguela NP  
 FULVOUS WHISTLING-DUCK *dendrocygna bicolor* Laguna after El Carmen  
 BLACK-BELLIED WHISTLING-DUCK *dendrocygna autumnalis* Otamendi  
 WHITE-FACED WHISTLING-DUCK *dendrocygna viduata* Mburucuya NP  
 COSCOROBA SWAN *coscoroba coscoroba* Otamendi + Punta Rasa  
 BLACK-NECKED SWAN *cygnus melancoryphus* Otamendi + San Clemente  
 SOUTHERN WIGEON *anas sibilatrix* San Clemente  
 YELLOW-BILLED PINTAIL *anas georgica* San Clemente  
 SPECKLED TEAL *anas flavirostris* Taffi del Valle + La Cumbre  
 CINNAMON TEAL *anas cyanoptera* laguna after El Carmen  
 SILVER TEAL *anas versicolor* Otamendi + San Clemente  
 TORRENT DUCK *mergametta armata* Yala

ROSY-BILLED POCHARD *netta peposaca* Otamendi  
 BRAZILIAN DUCK *amazonetta brasiliensis* Ceibas + El Palmar + Ibera + Iguazu  
 ANDEAN CONDOR *vultur gryphus* Termas de Reyes + Pampa de Achala  
 TURKEY VULTURE *cathartes aura* Ibera + Santa Ana + Iguazu + JV Gonzales + Calilegua  
 BLACK VULTURE *coragyps atratus* common in many places  
 KING VULTURE *sarcoramphus papa* JV Gonzales + Calilegua  
 BLACK-CHESTED BUZZARD-EAGLE *geranoaetus melanoleucus* El Condor  
 SWALLOW-TAILED KITE *elanoides forficatus* Iguazu and Misiones region  
 WHITE-TAILED KITE *elanus leucurus* Taffi del Valle + San Clemente  
 PLUMBEOUS KITE *ictinia plumbea* Iguazu + Calilegua  
 GREAT BLACK HAWK *buteogallus urubitinga* Calilegua  
 BAY-WINGED HAWK *parabuteo unicinctus* Otamendi + JV Gonzales  
 SNAIL KITE *rostrhamus sociabilis* Otamendi + Ibera + San Clemente  
 GRAY-HEADED KITE *leptodon cayanensis* Iguazu  
 LONG-WINGED HARRIER *circus buffoni* Otamendi + Ibera + San Clemente, common  
 CINEREOUS HARRIER *circus cinereus* Taffi del Valle  
 SHARP-SHINNED HAWK *accipiter striatus* Santa Ana  
 RUFIOUS-THIGHED KITE *harpagus diodon* between Yala and Termas de Reyes  
 ROADSIDE HAWK *buteo magnirostris* common in many places  
 WHITE-RUMPED HAWK *buteo leucorrhous* Calilegua  
 RED-BACKED HAWK *buteo polyosoma* Cachi road + black phase at Taffi del Valle  
 WHITE-THROATED HAWK *buteo albigula* Taffi del Valle road  
 SHORT-TAILED HAWK *buteo brachyurus* Taffi del Valle road  
 BLACK-COLLARED HAWK *busearellus nigricollis* road 13 to Mburucuya  
 SAVANNA HAWK *heterospizias meridionalis* Ceibas + El Palmar  
 MOUNTAIN CARACARA *polyborus megalopterus* Cachi road  
 SOUTHERN-CRESTED CARACARA *polyborus plancus* common everywhere  
 CHIMANGO CARACARA *milvago chimango* Otamendi + Ibera + Cachi road + San Clemente  
 YELLOW-HEADED CARACARA *milvago chimachima* Iguazu  
 SPOT-WINGED FALCONET *spizaipteryx circumcinctus* 1 road 12 to Posadas  
 APLOMADO FALCON *falco femoralis* JV Gonzales  
 AMERICAN KESTREL *falco sparverius* seen in most places  
 BLACK-FRONTED PIPING-GUAN *aburria jacutinga* Urugua-i NP  
 CHACO CHACHALACA *ortalis canicollis* JV Gonzales  
 DUSKY-LEGGED GUAN *penelope obscura* Iguazu + JV Gonzales  
 RUSTY-MARGINED GUAN *penelope superciliaris* Urugua-i  
 RED-FACED GUAN *penelope dabbenei* between Yala and Termas de Reyes  
 LIMPKIN *aramus guarauna* Otamendi + Ibera + Santa Ana, numerous  
 GIANT WOOD-RAIL *aramides ypecaha* Ceibas + El Palmar + Ibera + Iguazu  
 GRAY-NECKED WOOD-RAIL *aramides cajanea* El Palmar + Calilegua  
 SLATY-BREASTED WOOD-RAIL *aramides saracura* Iguazu  
 PLUMBEOUS RAIL *rallus sanguinolentus* marshes road 118 to Mburucuya + La Cumbre + San Clemente  
 SPOTTED RAIL *rallus maculatus* marshes road 118 to Mburucuya  
 ASH-THROATED CRAKE *porzana albicollis* heard Ibera  
 RED-GARTERED COOT *fulica armillata* San Clemente  
 WHITE-WINGED COOT *fulica leucoptera* Otamendi + La Cumbre

RED-FRONTED COOT *fulica rufifrons* Otamendi  
 COMMON GALLINULE *gallinula chloropus* Ibera  
 PURPLE GALLINULE *porphyryula martinica* Ibera  
 SPOT-FLANKED GALLINULE *porphyriops melanops* Ibera  
 RED-LEGGED SERIEMA *cariama cristata* Palomitas  
 WATTLED JACANA *jacana jacana* Otamendi + Ibera  
 AMERICAN OYSTERCATCHER *haematopus palliatus* Punta Rasa  
 SOUTH AMERICAN STILT *himantopus melanurus* Otamendi + Ceibas + Ibera + San Clemente  
 SOUTHERN LAPWING *vanellus chilensis* common everywhere  
 ANDEAN LAPWING *vanellus resplendens* lagoon after Yala NP  
 AMERICAN GOLDEN PLOVER *pluvialis dominica* Ibera + Punta Rasa  
 SEMIPALMATED PLOVER *charadrius semipalmatus* Punta Rasa  
 GREATER YELLOWLEGS *tringa melanoleuca* Otamendi + Punta Rasa  
 LESSER YELLOWLEGS *tringa flavipes* San Clemente  
 SOLITARY SANDPIPER *tringa solitaria* Ibera  
 RUDDY TURNSTONE *arenaria interpres* Punta Rasa  
 SANDERLING *calidris alba* Punta Rasa  
 RED KNOT *calidris canutus* Punta Rasa  
 PECTORAL SANDPIPER *calidris melanotos* San Clemente  
 WHITE-RUMPED SANDPIPER *calidris fuscicollis* Punta Rasa  
 HUDSONIAN GODWIT *limosa haemastica* Punta Rasa  
 COMMON SNIPE *gallinago gallinago* Ceibas + Ibera  
 SNOWY SHEATHBILL *chionis alba* Punta Rasa  
 KELP GULL *larus dominicanus* Punta Rasa  
OLROG'S GULL *larus atlanticus* San Clemente beach  
 GRAY-HOODED GULL *larus cirrocephalus* Ibera + San Clemente  
 BROWN-HOODED GULL *larus maculipennis* Ceibas + San Clemente  
 SNOWY-CROWNED TERN *sterna trudeaui* Punta Rasa  
 COMMON TERN *sterna hirundo* Punta Rasa  
 LARGE-BILLED TERN *phaetusa simplex* marshes on road 118 to Mburucuya  
 YELLOW-BILLED TERN *sterna supercilialis* like Large-billed Tern  
 CAYENNE TERN *sterna eurygnatha* Punta Rasa  
 ROYAL TERN *sterna maxima* Punta Rasa  
 BLACK SKIMMER *rynchops nigra* Pre-Delta NP + Punta Rasa  
 PALE-VENTED PIGEON *columba cayennensis* Iguazu + Calilegua  
 PICAZURO PIGEON *columba picazuro* Otamendi + El Palmar + San Clemente  
 SPOT-WINGED PIGEON *columba maculosa* Ceibas + La Cumbre + Icho Cruz  
 ROCK DOVE *columba livia* in urban areas  
 EARED DOVE *zenaida auriculata* Otamendi + El Palmar + Santa Ana + San Clemente  
 PICUI GROUND-DOVE *columbina picui* Otamendi + JV Gonzales + Cachi road  
 RUDDY GROUND-DOVE *columbina talpacoti* Santa Ana + Mburucuya  
 BLUE-WINGED GROUND-DOVE *metriopelia melanoptera* Taffi del Valle  
BARE-EYED GROUND-DOVE *metriopelia moreno* Taffi del Valle km 80  
 WHITE-TIPPED DOVE *leptotila verreauxi* El Palmar + Santa Ana + JV Gonzales  
 LARGE-TAILED DOVE *leptotila megalura* Calilegua  
 GRAY-FRONTED DOVE *leptotila rufaxilla* Iguazu + Mburucuya

RUDDY QUAIL-DOVE *geotrygon montana* Iguazu  
 BLUE GROUND-DOVE *claravis pretiosa* Iguazu  
 GOLDEN-COLLARED MACAW *ara auricollis* Calilegua  
 MITRED PARAKEET *aratinga mitrata* Calilegua  
 BLUE-CROWNED PARAKEET *aratinga acuticaudata* JV Gonzales + Calilegua  
 WHITE-EYED PARAKEET *aratinga leucophtalma* Iguazu + Mburucuya  
 BURROWING PARROT *cyanoliseus patagonus* Cachi road  
 MONK PARAKEET *Myiopsitta monachus* common everywhere  
 GREEN-CHEEKED PARAKEET *pyrrhura molinae* Calilegua at entrance of lagunita trail  
 REDDISH-BELLIED PARAKEET *pyrrhura frontalis* Iguazu  
 GRAY-HOODED PARAKEET *bolborhynchus aymara* between Cafayate and El Infernillo  
 BLUE-WINGED PARROTLET *forpus xantopterygius* Iguazu  
 SCALY-HEADED PARROT *pionus maximiliani* Iguazu + Calilegua  
 TURQUOISE-FRONTED PARROT *amazona aestiva* Iguazu  
 SMOOTH-BILLED ANI *crotophaga ani* Ibera + Santa Ana + Iguazu  
 GUIRA CUCKOO *guira guira* El Palmar + JV Gonzales + Mburucuya + San Clemente  
 SQUIRREL CUCKOO *piaya cayana* Santa Ana + Iguazu + Calilegua  
 BARN OWL *tyto alba* 1 crushed before San Clemente  
 GREAT HORNED OWL *bubo virginianus* San Martin on Cachi road + heard El Palmar + 1 crushed at El Infernillo  
 STRIPED OWL *asio clamator* Mburuya campsite  
 BURROWING OWL *athene cunicularia* Ibera + JV Gonzales + Taffi del Valle + Capilla del Monte + San Clemente  
 TROPICAL SCREECH-OWL *otus choliba* Mburucuya + heard at El Palmar  
 HOY'S SCREECH-OWL *otus hoyi* between yala and Termas de Reyes  
 FERRUGINOUS PYGMY-OWL *glaucidium brasilianum* Puerto Iguazu campsite  
 CHACO PYGMY-OWL *glaucidium tucumanum* El Chaco NP  
 COMMON POTOO *nyctibius griseus* campsite of Puerto Iguazu  
 RUFIOUS NIGHTJAR *caprimulgus rufus* Calilegua  
 LITTLE NIGHTJAR *caprimulgus parvulus* JV Gonzales + heard in Calilegua  
 SEMICOLLARED NIGHTHAWK *lucoralis semitorquatus* Iguazu  
 PAURAQUE *nyctidromus albicollis* Iguazu + heard Calilegua  
 OCELLATED POORWILL *nyctiphrynus ocellatus* heard from campsite fo Puerto Iguazu  
 NACUNDA NIGHTHAWK *podager nacunda* Ceibas + Ibera  
 SCISSOR-TAILED NIGHTJAR *hydropsalis brasiliana* El Palmar  
 LYRE-TAILED NIGHTJAR *urosalis syra* Calilegua  
 WHITE-COLLARED SWIFT *streptoprocne zonaris* Terma de Reyes  
 GREAT DUSKY SWIFT *cypseloides senex* Iguazu falls  
 SOOTY SWIFT *cypseloides fumigatus* Iguazu  
 DARK-BROWN SWIFT *cypseloides rothschildi* Calilegua  
 ASHY-TAILED SWIFT *chaetura andrei* Cachi road  
 GRAY-RUMPED SWIFT *chaetura cinereiventris* Iguazu  
 ANDEAN SWIFT *aeronautes andecolus* Cachi road + Taffi del Valle  
 SCALE-THROATED HERMIT *phaethornis eurynome* Urugua-i  
 PLANALTO HERMIT *phaethornis pretrei* Calilegua  
 RED-TAILED COMET *sappho sparganura* Calilegua + Termas de Reyes Taffi del Valle  
 ANDEAN HILLSTAR *oreotrochilus estella* Cachi road  
 BLUE-TUFTED STARHROAT *heliomaster furcifer* Iguazu

SPARKLING VIOLETEAR *colibri coruscans* Cachi road  
 WHITE-THROATED HUMMINGBIRD *leucochloris albicollis* Punta Rasa  
 WHITE-BELLIED HUMMINGBIRD *amazilia chionogaster* Calilegua  
 VIOLET-CAPPED WOODNYMPH *thalurania glaucopis* Iguazu  
 BLUE-CAPPED PUFFLEG *eriocnemis glaucopoides* Calilegua  
 SPECKLED HUMMINGBIRD *adelomyia melanogenys* Calilegua  
 GLITTERING-BELLIED EMERALD *chlorostilbon aureoventris* Iguazu + JV Gonzales + Calilegua  
 GILDED SAPPHIRE *hylocharis chrysur* El Palmar  
 SLENDER-TAILED WOODSTAR *microstilbon burmeisteri* Calilegua  
 GIANT HUMMINGBIRD *patagona gigas* Cachi road  
 BLACK-THROATED TROGON *trogon rufus* Iguazu  
 SURUCUA TROGON *trogon surrucura* Iguazu  
 BLUE-CROWNED TROGON *trogon curucui* Calilegua  
 RINGED KINGFISHER *ceryle torquata* Ibera + Santa Ana + Iguazu + Icho Cruz  
 AMAZON KINGFISHER *chloroceryle amazona* Ibera  
 GREEN KINGFISHER *chloroceryle americana* Ibera  
 RUFIOUS-CAPPED MOTMOT *baryphthengus ruficapillus* Iguazu  
 SPOT-BILLED TOUCANET *selenidera maculirostris* Iguazu  
 SAFFRON TOUCANET *bailloni* bailloni Santa Ana  
 CHESTNUT-EARED ARACARI *pteroglossus castanotis* Iguazu  
 RED-BREASTED TOUCAN *ramphastos dicolorus* Iguazu  
 TOCO TOUCAN *ramphastos toco* Iguazu + Calilegua  
 FIELD FLICKER *colaptes campestris* Ibera + Iguazu + JV Gonzales + Icho Cruz + San Clemente  
 ANDEAN FLICKER *colaptes rupicola* Tafi del Valle  
 GOLDEN-BREASTED WOODPECKER *colaptes melanolaemus* Otamendi + El Palmar + Cachi rd + La Cumbre + San Clemente  
 GREEN-BARRED WOODPECKER *colaptes melanochloros* Iguazu + Mburucuya  
 BLOND-CRESTED WOODPECKER *celeus flavescens* Iguazu + Urugua-i  
 PALE-CRESTED WOODPECKER *celeus lugubris* Mburucuya  
 GOLDEN-OLIVE WOODPECKER *piculus rubiginosus* Laura Pass  
 YELLOW-FRONTED WOODPECKER *melanerpes flavifrons* Iguazu  
 WHITE-FRONTED WOODPECKER *melanerpes cactorum* JV Gonzales + Cachi road  
 CHECKERED WOODPECKER *picoides mixtus* JV Gonzales  
 WHITE-SPOTTED WOODPECKER *veniliornis spilogaster* Iguazu  
 DOT-FRONTED WOODPECKER *veniliornis frontalis* Calilegua  
 LITTLE WOODPECKER *veniliornis passerinus* Ibera  
 OCELLATED PICULET *picumnus forbignyanus* Calilegua  
 OCHRE-COLLARED PICULET *picumnus temminckii* Iguazu  
 WHITE-BARRED PICULET *picumnus cirratus* Iguazu + Mburuya  
 LINEATED WOODPECKER *dryocopus lineatus* Santa Ana + Iguazu  
 CREAM-BACKED WOODPECKER *campephilus leucopogon* Calilegua  
 ROBUST WOODPECKER *campephilus robustus* Iguazu  
 GREAT RUFIOUS WOODCREEPER *xiphocolaptes major* El Chaco  
 SCIMITAR-BILLED WOODCREEPER *drymornis bridgesii* Ceibas + El Palmar + JV Gonzales + Icho Cruz  
 NARROW-BILLED WOODCREEPER *lepidocolaptes angustirostris* Ceibas + Mburucuya + JV Gonzales Calilegua  
 RED-BILLED SCYTHEBILL *campylorhamphus trochilirostris* JV Gonzales  
 PLAIN-BROWN WOODCREEPER *dendrocincla fuliginosa* Iguazu



OLIVACEOUS WOODCREEPER *sittasomus griseicapillus* Urugua-i + Calilegua  
 RUFIOUS-BANDED MINER *geositta rufipennis* Cachi road  
 COMMON MINER *geositta cunicularia* Pre-Delta NP  
BUFF-BREASTED EARTHCREEPER *upucerthia validirostris* El Infernillo  
 CHACO EARTHCREEPER *upucerthia certhioides* JV Gonzales  
 ROCK EARTHCREEPER *upucerthia andaecola* Cachi road  
 WHITE-WINGED CINCLODES *cinclodes atacamensis* Cachi road + Taffi del Valle  
OLROG'S CINCLODES *cinclodes olrogi* Pampa de Achala  
SIERRAN CINCLODES *cinclodes comechingonus* Pampa de Achala  
 BAR-WINGED CINCLODES *cinclodes fuscus* Otamendi + Cachi road + Taffi del Valle  
 RUFIOUS HORNERO *furnarius rufus* Otamendi + Ibera + Santa Ana + La Cumbre + San Clemente  
 CRESTED HORNERO *furnarius cristatus* JV Gonzales  
 LARK-LIKE BRUSHRUNNER *coryphistera alaudina* JV Gonzales + Capilla del Monte  
 FIREWOOD GATHERER *anumbius annumbi* San Clemente  
 CURVE-BILLED REEDHAUNTER *kulbirbus cyrvuristrus* Otamendi  
 STRAIGHT-BILLED REEDHAUNTER *limnocites rectirostris* Otamendi  
 SULPHUR-BEARDED SPINETAIL *cranioleuca sulphurifera* Otamendi  
 YELLOW-THROATED SPINETAIL *certhiarias cinnamomea* Otamendi + Ceibas + Ibera  
 WREN-LIKE RUSHBIRD *phleocryptesmelanops* Otamendi + San Clemente  
 BAY-CAPPED WREN-SPINETAIL *spartonoica maluroides* Punta Rasa  
 STRIPE-CROWNED SPINETAIL *cranioleuca pyrrhophia* Ceibas + JV Gonzales + Calilegua + Icho Cruz  
 SHORT-BILLED CANASTERO *asthenes baeri* Ceibas + Icho Cruz  
CHESTNUT (STEINBACH'S) CANASTERO *asthenes steinbachi* Cachi road  
 CREAMY-BREASTED CANASTERO *asthenes dorbignyi* Cachi road  
HUDSON'S CANASTERO *asthenes hudsoni* San Clemente + Punta Rasa  
 PUNA CANASTERO *asthenes sclateri* Taffi del Valle  
 CHOTOY SPINETAIL *schoeniophylax phryganophila* Ceibas  
 BUFF-BROWED SPINETAIL *synallaxis superciliosa* Calilegua  
 SOOTY-FRONTED SPINETAIL *synallaxis frontalis* El Palmar + JV Gonzales + Calilegua  
 RUFIOUS-CAPPED SPINETAIL *synallaxis ruficapilla* Iguazu  
 OCHRE-CHEEKED SPINETAIL *synallaxis scutata* Calilegua  
 GRAY-BELLIED SPINETAIL *synallaxis cinerascens* Iguazu  
 BROWN CACHOLOTE *pseudoseisura lophotes* Ceibas + JV Gonzales + Capilla del Monte  
WHITE-THROATED CACHOLOTE *pseudoseisura gutturalis* Cachi road  
 TUFTED TIT-SPINETAIL *leptasthenura platensis* Ceibas + Icho Cruz  
 PLAIN-MANTLED SPINETAIL *leptasthenura aegithaloides* Cachi road  
 GREATER THORNBIRD *phacellodomus ruber* Mburucuya  
 LITTLE THORNBIRD *phacellodomus sibilatrix* Ceibas  
 FRECKLE-BREASTED THORNBIRD *phacellodomus striaticollis* Otamendi + Mburucuya  
 WHITE-EYED FOLIAGE-GLEANER *automolus leucophthalmus* Iguazu  
 BUFF-BROWED FOLIAGE-GLEANER *syndactyla rufosuperciliata* El Palmar + Calilegua  
 WHITE-BROWED FOLIAGE-GLEANER *anabacerthia amaurotis* Urugua-i  
 STREAKED XENOPS *xenops rutilans* Iguazu + Calilegua  
 BUFF-FRONTED FOLIAGE-GLEANER *philydor rufus* Iguazu  
 OCHRE-BREASTED FOLIAGE-GLEANER *philydor lichtensteini* Iguazu  
 GIANT ANTSHRIKE *batara cinerea* Calilegua

TUFTED ANTSHRIKE *mackenziaena severa* Urugua-i  
 SPOT-BACKED ANTSHRIKE *hypoedaleus guttatus* Santa Ana  
 RUFIOUS-CAPPED ANTSHRIKE *thamnophilus ruficapillus* Otamendi  
 VARIABLE ANTSHRIKE *thamnophilus caerulescens* El Palmar Urugua-i + JV Gonzales + Calilegua  
 GREAT ANTSHRIKE *taraba major* Mburucuya + JV Gonzales  
 WHITE-SHOULDERED FIRE-EYE *pyriglena leucoptera* Iguazu  
 STRIPE-BACKED ANTBIRD *myrmorchilus strigilatus* JV Gonzales  
 PLAIN ANTVIREO *dysithamnus mentalis* Iguazu + Urugua-i  
 BERTONI'S ANTBIRD *drymophila rubricollis* Iguazu  
 RUFIOUS-WINGED ANTWREN *herpsilochmus rufimarginatus* Santa Ana + Iguazu  
 BLACK-CAPPED ANTWREN *herpsilochmus pileatus* Calilegua  
 SHORT-TAILED ANTTHRUSH *chamaeza campanisona* Iguazu  
 WHITE-THROATED ANTPITTA *grallaria albigula* Calilegua  
 RUFIOUS GNATEATER *conopophaga linelata* Urugua-i  
 CRESTED GALLITO *rhinocrypta lanceolata* JV Gonzales  
 WHITE-BROWED TAPACULO *scytalopus superciliaris* Taffi del Valle  
 RED-RUFFED FRUITCROW *pyroderus scutatus* Iguazu  
 WHITE-TIPPED PLANTCUTTER *phytotoma rutila* Ceibas + JV Gonzales + Icho Cruz  
 WHITE-BEARDED MANAKIN *manacus manacus* Iguazu  
 SWALLOW-TAILED MANAKIN *chiroxiphia caudata* Iguazu  
 GREENISH MANAKIN *schiffornis virescens* Iguazu  
 CRESTED BECARD *pachyramphus validus* Mburucuya  
 GREEN-BACKED BECARD *pachyramphus viridis* Mburucuya + Calilegua  
 BLACK-TAILED TITYRA *tityra cayana* Iguazu  
 BLACK-CROWNED TITYRA *tityra inquisitor* Iguazu  
 BLACK-BELLIED SHRIKE-TYRANT *agriornis montana* Taffi del Valle  
 BLACK-AND-WHITE MONJITA *xolmis dominicana* Ibera  
 GRAY MONJITA *xolmis cinerea* El Palmar  
 WHITE MONJITA *xolmis irupero* Ceibas + JV Gonzales + Capilla del Monte  
 RUFIOUS-WEBBED TYRANT *polioxolmis rufipennis* between Yala and Termas de Reyes  
 CINEREOUS GROUND-TYRANT *muscisaxicola cinerea* Cachi road  
 CINNAMON-BELLIED GROUND-TYRANT *muscisaxicola capistrata* Taffi del Valle  
 RUFIOUS-NAPED GROUND-TYRANT *muscisaxicola rufivertex* Taffi del Valle  
 RUFIOUS-BACKED NEGRITO *lessonia rufa* Otamendi  
 WHITE-BROWED CHAT-TYRANT *ochthoeca leucophrys* Taffi del Valle  
 SPECTACLED TYRANT *pymenops perspicillatus* Otamendi + Ibera + Cachi rd + Capilla del Monte + San Clemente  
 BLACK PHOEBE *sayornis nigricans* Calilegua  
 LONG-TAILED TYRANT *colonia colonus* Iguazu  
 STRANGE-TAILED TYRANT *alectrurus risora* Ibera  
 WHITE-WINGED BLACK-TYRANT *knipolegus aterrimus* Cachi road  
 BLUE-BILLED BLACK-TYRANT *knipolegus cyanirostris* El Palmar  
 ANDEAN TYRANT *knipolegus signatus* Yala  
 CINEREOUS TYRANT *knipolegus striaticeps* JV Gonzales + Icho Cruz  
 VARIEGATED FLYCATCHER *empidonomus varius* Urugua-i  
 STREAKED FLYCATCHER *myiodynastes maculatus* Mburucuya + Calilegua  
 PIRATIC FLYCATCHER *legatus leucophaeus* Iguazu

PIED WATER-TYRANT *fluvicola pica* Mburucuya  
 WHITE-HEADED MARSH-TYRANT *fluvicola leucocephala* Ibera  
 MANY-COLORED RUSH-TYRANT *tachuris rubrigastra* Otamendi + San Clemente  
 CATTLE TYRANT *machetornis rixosus* Santa Ana + Iguazu + Mburucuya + Cumbre + Icho Cruz + San Clemente  
 YELLOW-BROWED TYRANT *satrapa icterophrys* Otamendi + Ibera Santa Ana + San Clemente  
 YELLOW TYRANNULET *capsiempis flaveola* Iguazu  
 GREATER WAGTAIL-TYRANT *stigmatura budytoides* JV Gonzales + Cachi road  
 GREAT KISKADEE *pitangus sulphuratus* in many sites  
 BOAT-BILLED FLYCATCHER *megarhynchus pitangua* Iguazu  
 VERMILION-CROWNED FLYCATCHER *myiozetetes similis* Iguazu  
 THREE-STRIPED FLYCATCHER *conopias trivirgata* Iguazu  
 TROPICAL KINGBIRD *tyrannus melancholicus* Ibera  
 FORK-TAILED FLYCATCHER *tyrannus savanna* Ibera + Santa Ana + San Clemente  
 SIRYSTES *sirystes sibilator* Iguazu  
 CROWNED SLATY-FLYCATCHER *empidonomus aurantioatrocristatus* JV Gonzales  
 RUFIOUS CASIORNIS *caziornis rufa* Calilegua  
 BROWN-CRESTED FLYCATCHER *myiarchus tyrannulus* Mburucuya + Calilegua  
 GREATER PEWEE *contopus fumigatus* Calilegua  
 EULER'S FLYCATCHER *empidonax euleri* Urugua-i  
 FUSCOUS FLYCATCHER *cnemotriccus fuscatus* Santa Ana  
 SOUTHERN SCRUB-FLYCATCHER *sublegatus modestus* JV Gonzales  
 SUIRIRI FLYCATCHER *suiriri suiriri* Otamendi + JV Gonzales  
 SOUTHERN ANTPIPIT *corythopis delalandi* Urugua-i  
 CLIFF FLYCATCHER *hirundinea ferruginea* Cachi road  
 LARGE-HEADED FLATBILL *ramphotricon megacephala* Urugua-i  
 YELLOW-OLIVE FLYCATCHER *tolmomyias sulphurescens* Calilegua  
 DRAB-BREASTED PYGMY-TYRANT *hemitriccus diops* Urugua-i  
 OCHRE-FACED TODY-FLYCATCHER *todirostrum plumbeiceps* Iguazu + Calilegua  
 PEARLY-VENTED TODY-TYRANT *todirostrum margaritaceiventer* Santa Ana + Mburucuya + JV Gonzales  
 MOTTLED-CHEEKED TYRANNULET *phylloscartes ventralis* El Palmar + Iguazu  
 VERMILION FLYCATCHER *pyrocephalus rubinus* Ceibas + Ibera + JV Gonzales + Icho Cruz + San Clemente  
 WARBLING DORADITO *pseudocolopterys flaviventris* Punta Rasa  
 SUBTROPICAL DORADITO *pseudocolopteryx acutipennis* La Cumbre  
 SOOTY TYRANNULET *serpophaga nigricans* Ibera + Punta Rasa  
 WHITE-CRESTED TYRANNULET *serpophaga subcristata* El Palmar + JV Gonzales + San Clemente  
 WHITE-BELLIED TYRANNULET *serpophaga munda* La Cumbre  
 TUFTED TIT-TYRANT *anairetes parulus* Cachi road  
 WHITE-THROATED TYRANNULET *mecocerculus leucophrys* Calilegua + Tafi del Valle  
 BUFF-BANDED TYRANNULET *mecocerculus hellmayri* Calilegua  
 HIGHLAND ELAENIA *elaenia obsura* Calilegua  
 SLATY ELAENIA *elaenia strepera* Calilegua  
 WHITE-CRESTED ELAENIA *elaenia albiceps* JV Gonzales + La Cumbre  
 SMALL-BILLED ELAENIA *elaenia parvirostris* JV Gonzales + San Clemente  
 SEPIA-CAPPED FLYCATCHER *leptopogon amaurocephalus* Iguazu + Caliguella  
 SOUTHERN BEARDLESS-TYRANNULET *camptostoma obsoletum* Mburucuya  
 GREENISH TYRANNULET *xanthomyias virescens* Iguazu

EARED PYGMY-TYRANT *myiornis auricularis* Santa Ana  
 BARN SWALLOW *hirundo rustica* Ibera  
 GRAY-BREASTED MARTIN *progne chalybea* Iguazu  
 BROWN-CHESTED MARTIN *phaeoprogne tapera* Santa Ana + San Clemente  
 WHITE-RUMPED SWALLOW *tachycineta leucorrhoa* Otamendi + Ceibas + Ibera + Santa Ana + San Clemente  
 WHITE-WINGED SWALLOW *tachycineta albiventer* Iguazu  
 BLUE-AND-WHITE SWALLOW *notiochelidon cyanoleuca* El Palmar + Cachi road  
 SOUTHERN ROUGH-WINGED SWALLOW *stelgidopteryx ruficollis* Santa Ana + Iguazu + Calilegua  
 TAWNY-HEADED SWALLOW *stelgidopteryx furcata* Otamendi + Icho Cruz  
 PURPLISH JAY *cyanocorax cyanomelas* Mburucuya  
 PLUSH-CRESTED JAY *cyanocorax chrysops* El Palmar + Iguazu + Mburucuya + Calilegua  
 RUFIOUS-THROATED DIPPER *cinclus schulzi* Yala  
 BLACK-CAPPED MOCKINGTHRUSH *donacobius atricapillus* Ibera + Iguazu  
 HOUSE WREN *troglodytes aedon* in many sites  
 MOUNTAIN WREN *troglodytes solstitialis* Calilegua + Taffi del Valle  
 SHORT-BILLED PIPIT *anthus furcatus* Pampa de Achala  
 CORRENDERA PIPIT *anthus correndera* Otamendi + San Clemente  
 YELLOWISH PIPIT *anthus chii* road 118  
 HELMAYR'S PIPIT *anthus hellmayri* road to Mburucuya  
 WHITE-BANDED MOCKINGBIRD *mimus triurus* La Cumbre + Icho Cruz  
 CHALK-BROWED MOCKINGBIRD *mumus saturninus* Otamendi + Ceibas + Iguazu + San Clemente  
 PATAGONIAN MOCKINGBIRD *mumus patagonicus* Cachi road  
 CREAMY-BELLIED THRUSH *turdus amaurochalinus* in many sites  
 PALE-BREASTED THRUSH *turdus leucomelas* Iguazu  
 RUFIOUS-BELLIED THRUSH *turdus rufiventris* in many sites  
 WHITE-NECKED THRUSH *turdus albicollis* Iguazu  
 SLATY THRUSH *turdus nigriceps* Iguazu + Calilegua  
 CHIGUANCO THRUSH *turdus chiguanco* Cachi road + Taffi del Valle + La Cumbre  
 GLOSSY-BLACK THRUSH *turdus serranus* Calilegua  
 MASKED GNATCATCHER *polioptila dumicola* Ceibas + El Palmar + Ibera + JV Gonzales + Icho Cruz  
 RED-EYED VIREO *vireo olivaceus* Iguazu + Mburucuya + Calilegua  
 RUFIOUS-BROWED PEPPERSHRIKE *cyclarhis gujanensis* Otamendi + Mburucuya + JV Gonzales + Calilegua  
 WHITE-RIMMED WARBLER *basileuterus leucoblepharus* El Palmar + Urugua-i + Mburucuya  
 STREAMSIDE WARBLER *basileuterus rivularis* Urugua-i  
 GOLDEN-CROWNED WARBLER *basileuterus culicivorus* El Palmar + Santa Ana  
 TWO-BANDED WARBLER *basileuterus bivittatus* Calilegua  
 PALE-LEGGED WARBLER *basileuterus signatus* Calilegua  
 BROWN-CAPPED REDSTART *myioborus brunniceps* Calilegua + Taffi del Valle  
 TROPICAL PARULA *parula pitayumi* El Palmar + Iguazu + JV Gonzales + Calilegua  
 MASKED YELLOWTHROAT *geothlypis aequinoctialis* Otamendi + El Palmar + Iguazu  
 CHESTNUT-VENTED CONEBILL *conirostrum speciosum* Iguazu + Calilegua  
 BLUE DACNIS *dacnis cayana* Iguazu  
 SWALLOW Tanager *tersina viridis* Iguazu  
 VIOLACEOUS EUPHONIA *euphonia violacea* Iguazu  
 CHESTNUT-BELLIED EUPHONIA *euphonia pectoralis* Iguazu  
 BLUE-NAPED CHLOROPHONIA *chlorophonia cyanea* Iguazu

GUIRA TANAGER *hemithraupis guira* Iguazu + Calilegua  
 COMMON BUSH-TANAGER *chlorospingus ophthalmicus* Calilegua + Taffi del Valle  
 GREEN-HEADED TANAGER *tangara seledon* Iguazu  
 MAGPIE TANAGER *cissopis leveriana* Iguazu  
 BLACK-GOGGLED TANAGER *trichothraupis melanops* Iguazu  
 RUBY-CROWNED TANAGER *tachyphonus coronatus* Iguazu  
 WHITE-LINED TANAGER *tachyphonus rufus* Santa Ana + Iguazu  
 DIADEMED TANAGER *stephanophorus diadematus* El Palmar  
 SAYACA TANAGER *thraupis sayaca* El Palmar + Santa Ana + Iguazu Calilegua + Cachi road  
 FAWN-BREASTED TANAGER *pipraeidea melanonota* Urugua-i + Calilegua  
 RED-CROWNED ANT-TANAGER *habia rubica* Iguazu  
 HEPATIC TANAGER *piranga flava* Ceibas + El Palmar  
 BLUE-AND-YELLOW TANAGER *thraupis bonariensis* JV Gonzales + Capilla del Monte + Icho Cruz  
 CHESTNUT-HEADED TANAGER *pyrrhocomma ruficeps* Urugua-i  
 ORANGE-HEADED TANAGER *thlypopsis sordida* Mburucuya + Calilegua  
 GOLDEN-BILLED SALTATOR *saltator aurantirostris* JV Gonzales + Calilegua + Cachi road + C del Monte + Icho Cruz  
 GREEN-WINGED SALTATOR *saltator similis* El Palmar  
 GRAYISH SALTATOR *saltator coerulescens* Mburucuya + Calilegua + Capilla del Monte  
 BLACK-THROATED GROSBEAK *pitylus fuliginosus* Iguazu  
 RED-CRESTED CARDINAL *paroaria coronata* Ceibas + Mburucuya + JV Gonzales + Pre-Delta NP  
 YELLOW-BILLED CARDINAL *paroaria capitata* Ibero + Pre-Delta NP  
 BLACK-BACKED GROSBEAK *pheucticus aureoventris* Calilegua  
 SAFFRON-BILLED SPARROW *arremon flavirostris* Iguazu + Calilegua  
 STRIPE-HEADED BRUSH-FINCH *atlapetes torquatus* Calilegua  
 FULVOUS-HEADED BRUSH-FINCH *atlapetes fulviceps* Calilegua  
YELLOW-STRIPED BRUSH-FINCH *atlapetes citrinellus* Taffi del Valle  
 ULTRAMARINE GROSBEAK *cyanocompsa brissonii* El Palmar + JV Gonzales  
 BLACKISH-BLUE SEEDEATER *amaurospiza moeza* Iguazu  
 BLUE-BLACK GRASSQUIT *volatinia jacarina* Calilegua  
 DOUBLE-COLLARED SEEDEATER *sporophila caerulescens* Santa Ana + Iguazu  
 RUSTY-COLLARED SEEDEATER *sporophila collaris* road 118 to Mburucuya  
 PLAIN-COLORED SEEDEATER *catamenia inornata* Cachi road  
 COMMON DIUCA-FINCH *diuca diuca* Cachi road  
 GRASSLAND YELLOW-FINCH *sicalis luteola* road 118 to Mburucuya  
 SAFFRON YELLOW-FINCH *sicalis flaveola* in many sites  
 GREATER YELLOW-FINCH *sicalis auriventris* El Infernillo  
 BAND-TAILED SIERRA-FINCH *phrygilus alaudinus* Cachi road + Taffi del Valle  
 PLUMBEOUS SIERRA-FINCH *phrygilus unicolor* Cachi road  
 ASH-BREASTED SIERRA-FINCH *phrygilus plebejus* Cachi road  
 GRAY-HOODED SIERRA-FINCH *phrygilus gayi* Cachi road  
 MOURNING SIERRA-FINCH *phrygilus fruticeti* Cachi road  
TUCUMAN MOUNTAIN-FINCH *compsospiza baeri* Taffi del Valle  
 RED-CRESTED FINCH *coryphospingus cucullatus* Santa Ana + Iguazu + JV Gonzales + Caligueta  
 STRIPE-CAPPED SPARROW *aimophila strigiceps* JV Gonzales + Icho Cruz  
 RUFIOUS-COLLARED SPARROW *zonotrichia capensis* everywhere  
 GRASSLAND SPARROW *ammodramus humeralis* Iguazu + Mburucuya + JV Gonzales

MANY-COLORED CHACO-FINCH *saltatricula multicolor* Capilla del Monte + Icho Cruz  
RUSTY-BROWED WARBLING-FINCH *poospiza erythroprys* Calilegua  
RUFIOUS-SIDED WARBLING-FINCH *poospiza hypochondria* Cachi road  
RED-RUMPED WARBLING-FINCH *poospiza lateralis* El Palmar  
BLACK-AND-RUFIOUS WARBLING-FINCH *poospiza nigrorufa* Otamendi + Capilla del Monte  
RINGED WARBLING-FINCH *poospiza torquata* JV Gonzales + Cachi road  
BLACK-CAPPED WARBLING-FINCH *poospiza melanoleuca* Otam + El Palmar + Mburuc + JV Gon. + San Clemente  
LONG-TAILED REED-FINCH *donacospiza albifrons* Otamendi + Punta Rasa  
LESSER GRASS-FINCH *emberizoides yiranganus* Mburucuya  
WEDGE-TAILED GRASS-FINCH *emberizoides herbicola* Mburucuya  
GREAT PAMPA-FINCH *embernagra platensis* Otamendi + El Palmar + Ibera + JV Gonz. + San Clemente  
HOODED SISKIN *carduelis magellanica* Otamendi + El Palmar + Santa Ana + Taffi d. V + San clemente  
CRESTED OROPENDULA *psarocolius decumanus* Calilegua  
GOLDEN-WINGED CACIQUE *cacicus chrysopterus* Mburucuya + Calilegua  
RED-RUMPED CACIQUE *cacicus haemorrhous* Santa Ana + Iguazu  
SOLITARY BLACK CACIQUE *cacicus solitarius* Iguazu + JV Gonzales  
CHOPi BLACKBIRD *gnorimopsar chopi* Iguazu  
EPAULET ORIOLE *icterus cayanensis* Iguazu + Mburucuya  
SCREAMING COWBIRD *molothrus rufoaxillaris* Iguazu + Mburucuya + JV Gonzales  
SHINY COWBIRD *molothrus bonariensis* Ceibas + Santa Ana + Iguazu + Taffi del Valle  
BAY-WINGED COWBIRD *molothrus badius* Ceibas + El Palmar + JV Gonzales + Iguazu + Taffi del Valle  
UNICOLORED BLACKBIRD *agelaius cyanopus* road 118 to Mburucuya  
CHESTNUT-CAPPED BLACKBIRD *agelaius ruficapillus* Ibera  
YELLOW-WINGED BLACKBIRD *agelaius thilius* Otamendi + Ibera  
YELLOW-RUMPED MARSHBIRD *pseudoleistes guirahuro* Ibera  
BROWN-AND-YELLOW MARSHBIRD *pseudoleistes virescens* Otamendi + Ibera + San Clemente  
SCARLET-HEADED BLACKBIRD *amblyramphus holosericeus* Otamendi + Ibera + San Clemente  
LONG-TAILED MEADOWLARK *sturnella loyca* Pampa de Achala  
WHITE-BROWED BLACKBIRD *sturnella superciliaris* road 118 to Mburucuya  
HOUSE SPARROW *passer domesticus* cities