

# Iguacu and Pantanal 12-22/9 2013

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Jaguar

## Introduction

A trip to Pantanal has been on my wish list for many years and after some negotiation with my wife we started to plan. She wanted to pay a visit to the famous waterfalls at Iguacu and could also accept to visit the wildlife (birdlife) in Pantanal.

As this was a family vacation I put out the warning here and now! If you hope to find a trip report covering several short stays, a lot of transportation for maximize the trip list and full time birding – Stop reading. *This was a family holiday!*

We stayed at three different locations, first 3 nights at hotel San Martin in Iguacu, then transport (flight) to Cuiaba and a drive to Jaguar Ecological Lodge, situated not more than 45 minutes by car from Porto Jofre along the Transpantaneira Road. Here we had booked a 4 night stay and finally 4 nights at Pousada Mutum in a totally different part of Northern Pantanal.

The whole trip, including flights, land transportation and private guides in Iguacu and Jaguar and also a guide shared with other people at Mutum was put together by and bought from Sambatravels in Sweden.

We ordered the falls and Jaguar Lodge and let the travel agency come up with the third choice. All three places are to be recommended.

The trip was a little disturbed by some hassles, see the daily log, but overall we went back home satisfied and with a lot of memories.

## **Accommodation**

### **Hotel San Martin, Iguacu**

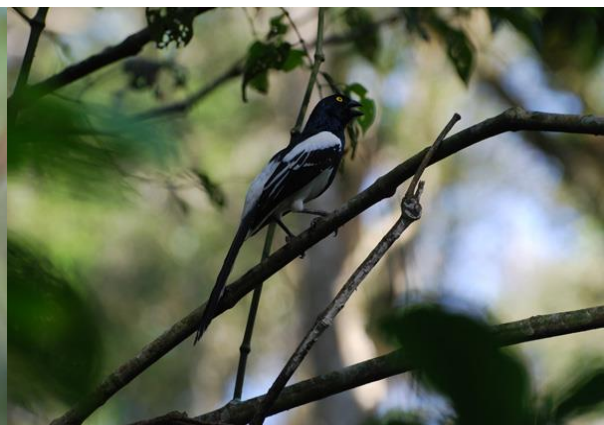
This hotel is situated close to the airport and the national park. The hotel garden itself was good for birds. At the far end of the garden, behind a football field, started a few kilometers of trail in a nice patch of rainforest. It ended above the river as a dead end trail. This trail was very rewarding to walk right after breakfast, before other guests found their way. There is a trail map to download from their web page

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Lineated Woodpecker



Magpie Tanager

### **Jaguar Ecological Lodge, Pantanal**

To reach Jaguar be prepared for quite a long, but at the end, very rewarding drive. From Cuiaba there is a boring, around a one-hour, drive on paved roads. Once reaching the small town of Poconé the surroundings are getting more interesting for bird watching. Shortly after Poconé starts the straight gravel road named Transpantaneira Road that cuts through the Pantanal and ends after around 150 km at Porto Jofre.

Jaguar is, from the start of Transpantaneira, some 120 wooden bridges and 120 km away, but with birds everywhere the feeling is more like half that distance.

The lodge itself is quite small and simple but very charming with a nice family atmosphere. The small houses are also simple but very functional with AC and private facilities. The food was of small buffet style and excellent.

The surroundings are great for bird watching with up to 12 Hyacinth Macaws roosting in the garden every morning. Several types of woodland, an abandoned

research station with a group of loose trees excellent for roosting parrots, woodcreepers, woodpeckers and of course a lot of areas for wetland birds just



Welcome to Jaguar Lodge



Yellow Anaconda

around the lodge corner. A small pond just outside the garden had a Yellow Anaconda one day, the locals estimated the length to around 3 meters.

For a bird watcher this place must be included in a Pantanal trip and we can **highly recommend** this lodge. The lodge boss Eduardo knows his wildlife and where to find it. Add to this also a trip along the rest of Transpantaneira Road to Porto Jofre and from there one or more relaxing and rewarding boat trips with a good chance of finding Jaguar and other wildlife, as well as a lot of birds.

Tito, our guide had a daily program for us, had a discussion with us during breakfast, and we felt that he would have had no problems to make changes. We were the only ones he took care of during our stay, and that felt very good.

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### **Pousada Mutum, Pantanal**

This lodge situated in a totally different part of northern Pantanal. From Jaguar we had to drive all the way back to Cuiaba and then another 3 hour drive south to Pousada Mutum.

Mutum is of more luxury standard with well-spaced rooms in small houses, each with 4 apartments and separate entrances. Food was of buffet style and very good.

The lodge surroundings are not as good and of different types as the ones around Jaguar. The set program with guided trips was quite good although some walks were too short in very good woodlands.

The boat trips were ordinary except one, which went along a narrower part of the river and held a lot of goodies like Agami Heron, Least Bittern, Sungrebe and Giant Otter to mention a few. Just outside the gates a small patch of forest gave us excellent views of Helmeted Manakin. The lodge also had a short boardwalk behind

the pool area, this was good for listening after nightjars and owls. The activity of people around the lodge was not heard from here.

The guides here were not bird guides but knew more about birds than one could imagine. They certainly knew a lot of the nature, including mammal life.

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## Daily log

**11/9.** Left our local airport just after lunch time for Arlanda, Stockholm and further on to Heathrow, London. Killed a few hours there before the departure to Rio de Janeiro, where we arrived 05.15, local time 12/9.

**12/9.** After a couple of hours wait we found ourselves on the final leg, the domestic flight to Foz du Iguacu. Here we were picked up by the pre booked local guide and transferred to our comfortable hotel San Martin. After some unpacking and refreshing we headed out in the garden and birded, had lunch and then some more relaxing birding.

**13/9.** After being the first breakfast guests this morning we headed out for the trails behind the hotel. Back at 09.00 for our pre booked tour to the Iguacu Falls on the Brazilian side. Got back to the hotel around 15.00, did some more garden birding until dusk.

**14/9.** Almost the same morning routine as yesterday, except there was a couple of breakfast guests before us this morning. Today we went back to the falls, but visited them from the Argentinian side this time, with the same guide. An experience of its own, transported by a long but charming kind of train, to the boardwalk towards the falls. Not so charming were the more than crowded outlooks along the boardwalk. Our opinion at the end of the visits was that the Brazilian side was more rewarding and relaxing.

We ended the day with some garden birding.

**15/9.** Sunday morning, and a very early wake up (04.30) for transport to the airport to catch the flight to Cuiaba via Sao Paulo. Our guide picked us up and drove us to the airport and also took care of most of the check in procedure. So by lunch we arrived to Cuiaba, the wait in Sao Paulo was around 4 hours, boring at the small domestic part of the airport. Anyway, our pre booked guide, called Tito, picked us up and quickly drove out of Cuiaba towards Poconé. After around 2 hours we reached the start of the Transpantaneira road and the actual Pantanal. Tito was very kind and stopped frequently for birds. We did not arrive to Jaguar Lodge before it was dark.

**16/9.** We woke up early to the chorus of Rufous Hornero, Chaco Chacalacha and the raucous calls of the Hyacinth Macaws. Not the best song choir I have heard but very efficient and that mixture are not so common!

We birded with Tito around the lodge until breakfast, then a few hours of gently walk in the forest behind the lodge. After lunch we had a few hours siesta before driving south along the road.

**17/9.** We woke up to a grey and rather chilly morning, the coldest on the whole of the trip. Funny, today we should go for a boat trip on the river. So after breakfast we



Two third of the morning choir. Chaco Chachalaca and Rufous Hornero.

drove to Porto Jofre and the rest of the day (until 15.30) was spent on the river. As always a very relaxing day when out on a boat trip, although it was a little chilly the last hour on the river.



Female Jaguar.

**18/9.** Early morning birding around the abandoned research station near the lodge. This is a really interesting and good area, still quite clear with several huge old trees good for roosting parrots, feeding woodcreepers and woodpeckers.

After breakfast we went for a walk in another type of forest, just opposite the lodge. In the afternoon we drove around close to lodge, Tito took us to visit his home where his mother and sister also live. Chotoy Spinetail breeding in the garden, Upland Sandpiper in the grassland was nice to watch.

**19/9.** The morning birding was a short walk to the north along the road and after breakfast we went to the old research station for birding until lunch. After lunch we had agreed to take our second boat trip BUT we were told that our stay at Jaguar was over so we had pack very quickly, while Tito made some phone calls and then we left towards Cuiaba. Our schedule told us we should stay a number of nights and leave 20/9. Our next lodge also had in their notes that we should arrive 20/9. Unfortunately the travel agency in Sweden and his local agent in Brazil had mixed it up to a real mess and printed wrong dates in the papers. We had counted the nights and thought we had one night to much, but trusted the agency's dates. Anyway, off we had to go and just outside Cuiaba we picked up, what we thought were someone who knew the way to Mutum. Tito had never been there or in that area before he told us. So there were anyway a couple of stops for finding the way, signs showing the directions to lodges are not too frequent along Brazilian roads. We saw loads of Common Pauraque after sunset on the gravel road the last 5-10 km's.

This saw us not arrive to Pousada Mutum until after 19.30, almost when the dinner was over. After dinner we were shown our spacious and nice room. I ended the day with a walk around the lodge and found the boardwalk and sat down at the end of it and listened to nightjars and owls.

**20/9.** I went up before six o'clock and birded the lodge surroundings until breakfast. Around 8 we went for a boat trip with a visit at a local school. The kids were educated in how to take care of their nature along with the ordinary school subjects.

After lunch and siesta we had a drive with a safari jeep to a nearby ranch, in search of macaws and other birds in the open landscape and around palm plantations. The trip ended with a little night spotting on the way back home.

Here we were put together with other people on our trips.

**21/9.** Pre breakfast I birded the lodge grounds until breakfast. Then there were a horse ride on the program, though horses don't like me and vice versa we were offered a walk with a local guide. The young lad didn't speak English at all and knew nothing about birds, but he found his way through patches of forest and bushes.

After the daily procedure with lunch and siesta we had a boat trip that ended with fishing piranhas in the sunset. We all caught a couple each of these nasty creatures, nice rows of sharp teeth. The boatmen took care of the catch and to add new bate to the fishing rod. Today our group had changed members though yesterday's pair was leaving and we were joined by two American couples instead. We all had a great fun the rest of the stay. Especially when fishing.....because one of us had huge difficulties catching a piranha and we were not supposed to go back until everyone picked up at least one piece of fish. The sunset was nice!

**22/9.** On the program today was another boat trip after breakfast with an hours walk through a nice patch of forest. Several groups of monkeys were seen as well as quite a good number of bird species. This was by far the best birding area near the lodge, unfortunately unreachable without a boat. After lunch and siesta a very rewarding boat trip on a narrower and winding part of the river.

As usual I birded an hour before breakfast and also an hour after dinner. The time between 8.30-10.00 pm was especially good for nightjars and owls.

**23/9.** All good things have an end, and so this very relaxing vacation. After breakfast we started our journey back home with the drive to Cuiaba, a flight to Sao Paulo and the overnight flight to London/Heathrow. From London to Stockholm and finally a late flight Stockholm to Sundsvall/Timrå airport. After four flights, some boring hours of waiting here and there, we finally reached our home around midnight **24/9** after been travelling almost 39 hours.

## Species List

### **Greater Rhea** (*Rhea americana*)

10 seen between Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9 and 16 on our way back to Cuiaba 19/9.

### **Undulated Tinamou** (*Crypturellus undulatus*)

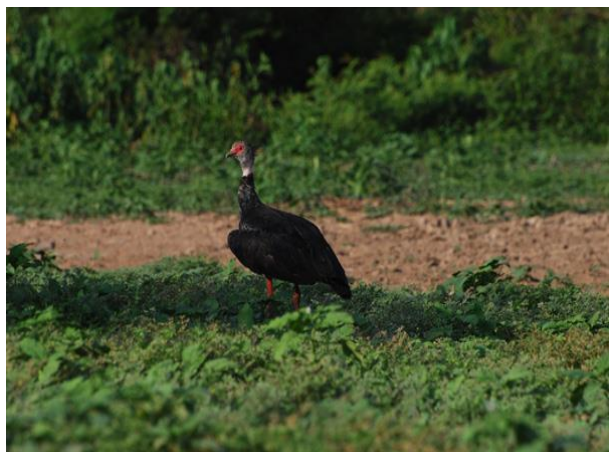
1-8 heard daily and also seen very well twice near Jaguar Lodge 16-19/9 and also 1-3 heard daily Pousada Mutum 20-22/9.

### **Southern Screamer** (*Chauna torquata*)

Seen daily with a maximum of 15, including several chicks along Transpantaneira Road 15-19/9, 2 on the boat trip on Cuiaba River 17/9, 2-6 Pousada Mutum 20-21/9 and 8 on the boat trip Rio Mutum 22/9.



Greater Rhea



Southern Screamer

### **Black-bellied Whistling-Duck** (*Dendrocygna autumnalis*)

10 near Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9 and 15 flying by Cuiaba River 17/9.

### **Muscovy Duck** (*Cairina moschata*)

2 Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 5 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 2 between Jaguar Eco Lodge and Porto Jofre 17/9 and 2 roadside Pousada Mutum-Cuiaba 23/9.

**Brazilian Teal** (*Amazonetta brasiliensis*)

1 pair Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9 and 1 pair on the drive back to Cuiaba 19/9.  
Probably the same pair.

**Chaco Chachalaca** (*Ortalis canicollis*)

Common.

**Chestnut-bellied Guan** (*Penelope ochrogaster*)

2 roadside birds Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, seen daily Jaguar Eco Lodge, with 8 as highest count 18/9 and 6 Pousada Mutum 20-22/9

**Blue-throated Piping-Guan** (*Pipile cumanensis*)

2 roadside birds Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 4-10 seen Jaguar Eco Lodge 16-19/9, 5 roadside birds between Jaguar Eco Lodge-Porto Jofre 17/9 and 5 Cuiaba River 17/9.

**Bare-faced Curassow** (*Crax fasciolata*)

8 roadside birds Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 1-2 seen daily around Jaguar Eco Lodge 16-19/9, 4 Cuiaba River 17/9, 4 roadside birds Jaguar Eco Lodge-Cuiaba 19/9, 1 male Pousada Mutum 20/9 and 1 pair with 2 chicks Pousada Mutum 21/9.



Male Bare-faced Curassow.

**Maguari Stork** (*Ciconia maguari*)

1 seen between Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9 and 3 roadside



birds Jaguar Eco Lodge-Porto Jofre 17/9.

**Jabiru** (*Jabiru mycteria*)

20 seen Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 3 Cuiaba River 17/9, 6 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18-19/9 and 10 between Jaguar Eco Lodge-Cuiaba 19/9. Singles around Pousada Mutum 20-23/9.



Jabiru

**Wood Stork** (*Mycteria americana*)

Common.

**Magnificent Frigatebird** (*Fregata magnificens*)

30 seen Rio airport 12/9.

**Neotropic Cormorant** (*Phalacrocorax brasilianus*)

5 Foz du Iguacu 13/9, 5 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 5 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 5 Cuiaba River 17/9 and up to 7 Pousada Mutum 20-22/9.

**Anhinga** (*Anhinga anhinga*)

30 Cuiaba River 17/9, 1 roadside Jaguar Eco Lodge-Cuiaba 19/9 and up to 12 Pousada Mutum 20-22/9.

**Least Bittern** (*Ixobrychus exilis*)

1 seen on the boat trip Rio Mutum 22/9 was a bonus bird.

**Rufescent Tiger-Heron** (*Tigrisoma lineatum*)

8 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, fairly common both at Jaguar Eco Lodge and Pousada Mutum 20/9.

**Cocoi Heron** (*Ardea cocoi*)

1 Foz du Iguacu 14/9 and common in Pantanal with more than 50 seen on a single day.



Adult and juvenile Rufescent Tiger-heron.

**Great Egret** (*Ardea alba*)

10 seen Rio airport 12/9, 2 Foz du Iguacu 13/9 and very common in Pantanal.

**Snowy Egret** (*Egretta thula*)

Common.

**Little Blue Heron** (*Egretta caerulea*)

1 Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9 and 2 on the boat trip Rio Mutum 22/9.

**Cattle Egret** (*Bubulcus ibis*)

Common.

**Striated Heron** (*Butorides striata*)

1 Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 10 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 10 Cuiaba River 17/9 and 15 Rio Mutum 22/9.

**Agami Heron** (*Agamia agami*)

1 seen on the boat trip Rio Mutum 22/9. This tricky heron is a real stunner.

**Capped Heron** (*Pilherodius pileatus*)

2 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 10 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 1 Cuiaba River 17/9 and 1 roadside Jaguar Eco Lodge-Cuiaba 19/9.

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

5 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 65 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9 and 1 Pousada Mutum 20/9.



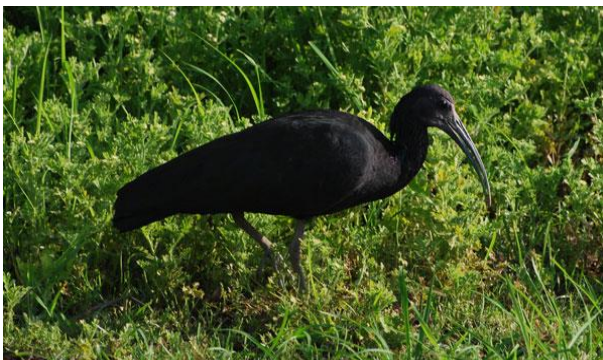
Agami Heron.

**Boat-billed Heron** (*Cochlearius cochlearius*)

1 young bird between Cuiaba and Jaguar Lodge 15/9 and 1 adult Pousada Mutum 21/9.

**Green Ibis** (*Mesembrinibis cayennensis*)

5 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9, 3 roadside Jaguar Eco Lodge-Cuiaba 19/9, 1 Pousada Mutum 20-23/9 and 7 on the boat trip Rio Mutum 22/9.



Green Ibis



Plumbeous Ibis

**Bare-faced Ibis** (*Phimosus infuscatus*)

15 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 2 Porto Jofre 17/9, 4 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9 and 5 roadside Jaguar Eco Lodge-Cuiaba 19/9.

**Plumbeous Ibis** (*Theristicus caerulescens*)

5 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, up to 5 around Jaguar Eco Lodge 16-19/9, 2 roadside Jaguar Eco Lodge-Porto Jofre 17/9 and 2 Pousada Mutum 20-21/9.

**Buff-necked Ibis** (*Theristicus caudatus*)

3 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 15 roadside Jaguar Eco Lodge-Porto Jofre 17/9, 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9, 2-4 Pousada Mutum 20-21/9 and 3 roadside Pousada Mutum-Cuiaba 23/9.

**Roseate Spoonbill** (*Platalea ajaja*)

10 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 10 around Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9 and 2-3 Pousada Mutum 20-22/9.



Cooi Heron



Roseate Spoonbill

**Black Vulture** (*Coragyps atratus*)

Common.

**Turkey Vulture** (*Cathartes aura*)

Fairly common.

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

Fairly common in Pantanal.

**Osprey** (*Pandion haliaetus*)

1 Pousada Mutum 20/9 and 2 there 21/9.

**Swallow-tailed Kite** (*Elanoides forficatus*)

1 Foz du Iguacu 14/9.

**Snail Kite** (*Rostrhamus sociabilis*)

Common in Pantanal.

**Plumbeous Kite** (*Ictinia plumbea*)

A pair seen daily Foz du Iguacu 12-14/9, 1 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 1 Cuiaba River 17/9 and 2 Pousada Mutum 22/9.

**Black-collared Hawk** (*Busarellus nigricollis*)

Common in Pantanal.

**Crane Hawk** (*Geranospiza caerulescens*)

1 Porto Jofre 17/9 and 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9.



Black-collared Hawk

Crane Hawk

**Great Black-Hawk** (*Buteogallus urubitinga*)

3 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 2 Cuiaba River 17/9 and 2 Pousada Mutum 21/9.

**Savanna Hawk** (*Buteogallus meridionalis*)

Fairly common in Pantanal, seen daily.

**Roadside Hawk** (*Buteo magnirostris*)

Fairly common, seen daily with up to 5 birds.

**Crested Caracara** (*Caracara cheriway*)

Common.

**Yellow-headed Caracara** (*Milvago chimachima*)

5 Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9 and 5 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9.  
Much overlooked.

**Laughing Falcon** (*Herpetotheres cachinnans*)

1 heard Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9 and 1 seen Jaguar Eco Lodge-Cuiaba 19/9.

**American Kestrel** (*Falco sparverius*)

1 Foz du Iguacu 13/9.

**Bat Falcon** (*Falco ruficularis*)

1 Cuiaba River 17/9 and 1 adult visiting a probable nest Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9.

**Red-legged Seriema** (*Cariama cristata*)

2 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 2 roadside Jaguar Eco Lodge-Cuiaba 19/9, 1 Rio Mutum 22/9 and 1 roadside Pousada Mutum-Cuiaba 23/9.

**Sunbittern** (*Eurypyga helias*)

1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9 and another near Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9, 2 roadside Jaguar Eco Lodge-Cuiaba 19/9, up to 3 Pousada Mutum 20-23/9 and 1 on the boat trip Rio Mutum 22/9.



Red-legged Seriema

Sunbittern

**Gray-necked Wood-Rail** (*Aramides cajanea*)

Common.

**Sungrebe** (*Heliornis fulica*)

1 seen on the boat trip Rio Mutum 22/9.

**Limpkin** (*Aramus guarauna*)

500-1000 seen during the drive between Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9 then seen daily around Jaguar Eco Lodge 16-19/9.

**Pied Lapwing** (*Vanellus cayanus*)

3 Porto Jofre 17/9, 3 Cuiaba River 17/9, 4 Pousada Mutum 21/9 and 1 Rio Mutum 22/9.

**Southern Lapwing** (*Vanellus chilensis*)

4 Rio airport 12/9, 2 Foz du Iguacu 12-14/9, 10 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 10 Pousada Mutum 20-21/9 and 10 Rio Mutum 22/9.

**Collared Plover** (*Charadrius collaris*)

1 Porto Jofre 17/9, 3 (1 adult with 2 chicks) Cuiaba River 17/9, 1 Pousada Mutum 21/9

**Black-necked Stilt** (*Himantopus mexicanus*)

4 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 10 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 4 Porto Jofre 17/9, 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9 and 3-4 Pousada Mutum 20-21/9.

**Wattled Jacana** (*Jacana jacana*)

Common in Pantanal.

**Solitary Sandpiper** (*Tringa solitaria*)

2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 10 Porto Jofre 17/9, 1-3 Pousada Mutum 20-21/9.

**Lesser Yellowlegs** (*Tringa flavipes*)

2 Porto Jofre 17/9.

**Upland Sandpiper** (*Bartramia longicauda*)

1 near Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9.

**Stilt Sandpiper** (*Calidris himantopus*)

2 Porto Jofre 17/9.

**Yellow-billed Tern** (*Sternula superciliaris*)

10 Cuiaba River 17/9 and a few seen along Rio Mutum 20-22/9.

**Large-billed Tern** (*Phaetusa simplex*)

Fairly common in Pantanal.

**Black Skimmer** (*Rynchops niger*)

11 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 4 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 95 Cuiaba River 17/9 and 4 Rio Mutum 21/9.



Large-billed Tern



Striated Heron

**Pale-vented Pigeon** (*Patagioenas cayennensis*)

Fairly common.

**Picazuro Pigeon** (*Patagioenas picazuro*)

2-3 Foz du Iguacu 13-14/9, 1 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9 and 50 Pousada Mutum 20-22/9.

**Eared Dove** (*Zenaida auriculata*)

2 Foz du Iguacu 12/9, 5 Foz du Iguacu 13/9, 5 Foz du Iguacu 14/9, 10 Cuiaba River 17/9.

**Ruddy Ground-Dove** (*Columbina talpacoti*)

Common, at least 100 in a flock near Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9, together with around 200 Picui Ground-dove, see below.

**Scaled Dove** (*Columbina squammata*)

1 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 5 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16-19/9, 5 Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9 and 5 Pousada Mutum 20-21/9.

**Picui Ground-Dove** (*Columbina picui*)

5 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16-19/9, at least 200 in a flock near Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9 and around 50 on a farm near Pousada Mutum 20/9.

**Blue Ground-Dove** (*Claravis pretiosa*)

1 male Pousada Mutum 22/9.

**White-tipped Dove** (*Leptotila verreauxi*)

Common.

**Gray-fronted Dove** (*Leptotila rufaxilla*)

1 heard Foz du Iguacu 14/9.

**Ruddy Quail-Dove** (*Geotrygon montana*)

1 male seen twice on the tracks behind hotel San Martin's garden Foz du Iguacu 13-14/9.

**Maroon-bellied Parakeet** (*Pyrrhura frontalis*)

Up to 15 in the hotel garden Foz du Iguacu 12-14/9.

**Monk Parakeet** (*Myiopsitta monachus*)

Common in Pantanal.

**White-eyed Parakeet** (*Aratinga leucophthalma*)

5 Foz du Iguacu 13/9, 5 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9 and a pair Pousada Mutum 22/9.

**Peach-fronted Parakeet** (*Aratinga aurea*)

2-3 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16-18/9, 5 Jaguar Eco Lodge-Porto Jofre 17/9, 2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9, 30 Pousada Mutum 20/9 and 6 Rio Mutum 22/9.

**Hyacinth Macaw** (*Anodorhynchus hyacinthinus*)

Up to 11 roosting early mornings in the garden of Jaguar Eco Lodge 16-19/9 also 2 Porto Jofre 17/9 and 4 at Tito's house a few km away from Jaguar Lodge 18/9. There is a small possibility to see Hyacinth Macaw near a ranch close to Pousada Mutum, although we did not see any.

**Blue-and-yellow Macaw** (*Ara ararauna*)

1 pair seen at the Transpantaneira checkpoint 15/9, 9 at a farm near Pousada Mutum 20/9 and 2 Pousada Mutum 21/9.

**Yellow-collared Macaw** (*Primolius auricollis*)

1 pair Jaguar Eco Lodge 18-19/9, 6 Cuiaba River 20/9, 2-3 Pousada Mutum 21-22/9 and 6 Rio Mutum 22/9.

**Red-shouldered Macaw** (*Diopsittaca nobilis*)

50 at a farm near Pousada Mutum 20/9.





Hyacinth Macaws

**Blue-winged Parrotlet** (*Forpus xanthopterygius*)

2 Foz du Iguacu 12-13/9.

**Yellow-chevroned Parakeet** (*Brotogeris chiriri*)

25 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 30 Porto Jofre 17/9, 30 Pousada Mutum 20/9, 30 Pousada Mutum 21/9

**Scaly-headed Parrot** (*Pionus maximiliani*)

Common Foz du Iguacu 13-14/9 and fairly common in Pantanal.

**Blue-fronted Parrot** (*Amazona aestiva*)

Up to 10 seen around Jaguar Eco Lodge 16-19/9, 4 roadside Jaguar Eco Lodge-Porto Jofre 17/9, 2-6 Pousada Mutum 20-22/9.

**Little Cuckoo** (*Coccyzua minuta*)

1 Rio Mutum 20/9.

**Squirrel Cuckoo** (*Piaya cayana*)

Seen 7 days with up to 4 birds.

**Guira Cuckoo** (*Guira guira*)

10 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 10 Pousada Mutum 20/9 and 1 Pousada Mutum 22/9.

**Striped Cuckoo** (*Tapera naevia*)

2 heard Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9.

**Greater Ani** (*Crotophaga major*)

2 Rio Mutum 21/9.

**Smooth-billed Ani** (*Crotophaga ani*)

Common. Seen daily with up to 70-100 birds, most common around Pousada Mutum.

**Tropical Screech-Owl** (*Megascops choliba*)

1 heard near Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9 and 1 heard Pousada Mutum 19-20/9.

**Great Horned Owl** (*Bubo virginianus*)

1 roadside bird seen at dusk between Cuiaba and Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 1 adult with a chick near Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9 and 1 seen eating a frog near Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9.

**Ferruginous Pygmy-Owl** (*Glaucidium brasilianum*)

1 heard Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 1 seen and 1 heard near Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9 and also 1 heard Pousada Mutum 19/9.

**Striped Owl** (*Pseudoscops clamator*)

1 heard Pousada Mutum 19/9.

**Nacunda Nighthawk** (*Chordeiles nacunda*)

At least 75 seen at dusk near Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9.

**Band-tailed Nighthawk** (*Nyctiprogne leucopyga*)

At least 35 seen at dusk near Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 50 between Jaguar Eco Lodge and Porto Jofre 17/9 and 15 Pousada Mutum 21/9.

**Common Pauraque** (*Nyctidromus albicollis*)

Common, especially around Pousada Mutum, where up to 15-20 was seen and heard during a night safari 21/9.

**Rufous Nightjar** (*Caprimulgus rufus*)

1-2 heard Pousada Mutum 19-20/9, 1 seen and 3 heard on a night safari around Pousada Mutum 21/9.

**Little Nightjar** (*Caprimulgus parvulus*)

2 flushed near Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9.

**Scissor-tailed Nightjar** (*Hydropsalis torquata*)

1 heard Pousada Mutum 21/9.

**Great Potoo** (*Nyctibius grandis*)

1 on day roost near Jaguar Eco Lodge and another seen hunting near Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9 and also 1 seen on the night safari around Pousada Mutum 20/9.

According to Tito Common Potoo is a great find and Great Potoo is a common find in Pantanal.



Great Potoo

**Common Potoo** (*Nyctibius griseus*)

1 seen perched Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9. 1 seen perched on the night drive Pousada Mutum 21.9

**Great Dusky Swift** (*Cypseloides senex*)

300-600 Foz du Iguacu 13-14/9. Highest number seen on the Argentinian side.

**Sick's Swift** (*Chaetura meridionalis*)

2 Foz du Iguacu 14/9.

**Black Jacobin** (*Florisuga fusca*)

1 Foz du Iguacu 12-13/9.

**Buff-bellied Hermit** (*Phaethornis subochraceus*)

1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9.

**Glittering-bellied Emerald** (*Chlorostilbon aureoventris*)

1 male Foz du Iguacu 12/9 and 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16 and 18/9.

**Violet-capped Woodnymph** (*Thalurania glaucopis*)

2-3 Foz du Iguacu 12-14/9.

**Versicolored Emerald** (*Amazilia versicolor*)

5-10 Foz du Iguacu 12-14/9.

**Glittering-throated Emerald** (*Amazilia fimbriata*)

1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9 and 1 in another area near Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9.

**Blue-crowned Trogon** (*Trogon curucui*)

1 heard Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 1 seen and 3 heard Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9, 2 heard Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9, 1 heard Pousada Mutum 21/9 and a pair near Pousada Mutum 22/9.

**Surucua Trogon** (*Trogon surrucura*)

1 male seen Foz du Iguacu 12/9, 2-3 heard Foz du Iguacu 13-14/9.

**Black-throated Trogon** (*Trogon rufus*)

A pair seen Foz du Iguacu 14/9.

**Blue-crowned Motmot** (*Momotus coeruliceps*)

2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9, 1 heard Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9 and 2 seen Pousada Mutum 21/9.

**Ringed Kingfisher** (*Megaceryle torquata*)

1 Foz du Iguacu 13/9 and common in Pantanal.

**Amazon Kingfisher** (*Chloroceryle amazona*)

Fairly common in Pantanal.

**Green Kingfisher** (*Chloroceryle americana*)

Fairly common in Pantanal.

**Green-and-rufous Kingfisher** (*Chloroceryle inda*)

1 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9 and 1 Rio Mutum 22/9.

**American Pygmy Kingfisher** (*Chloroceryle aenea*)

1 near Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9 and 2 Rio Mutum 22/9.

**Black-fronted Nunbird** (*Monasa nigrifrons*)

Fairly common in Pantanal, favored dry woodland.

**Swallow-winged Puffbird** (*Chelidoptera tenebrosa*)

3 Pousada Mutum 20-21/9.

**Rufous-tailed Jacamar** (*Galbula ruficauda*)

Fairly common in Pantanal.

**Chestnut-eared Aracari** (*Pteroglossus castanotis*)

1-2 Foz du Iguacu 12 and 14/9, 2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9, 4 at a ranch near Pousada Mutum 20/9 and 2 Pousada Mutum 23/9.

**Toco Toucan** (*Ramphastos toco*)

2-5 Foz du Iguacu 12-14/9 and common in Pantanal, with at least 20 seen at the

ranch near Pousada Mutum 20/9.



Toco Toucan

**Ochre-collared Piculet** (*Picumnus temminckii*)

1 Foz du Iguacu 14/9.

**White-wedged Piculet** (*Picumnus albosquamatus*)

1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9 and 2 Pousada Mutum 21/9.

**White Woodpecker** (*Melanerpes candidus*)

4 Cuiaba River 17/9 and 3 at the ranch near Pousada Mutum 20/9.

**Yellow-fronted Woodpecker** (*Melanerpes flavifrons*)

1 each at two different places Foz du Iguacu 13/9.

**Little Woodpecker** (*Veniliornis passerinus*)

1 pair Jaguar Eco Lodge and 2 in another area near Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9, 1 female Pousada Mutum 21/9 and 1 female Pousada Mutum 22/9.

**Golden-green Woodpecker** (*Piculus chrysochloros*)

1 pair Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9.

**Green-barred Woodpecker** (*Colaptes melanochloros*)

1 male Pousada Mutum 20-21/9.



White Woodpecker

**Campo Flicker** (*Colaptes campestris*)

4 at the ranch near Pousada Mutum 20/9.

**Pale-crested Woodpecker** (*Celeus lugubris*)

1 pair Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9, 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9, 1 Pousada Mutum 20/9 and 1 near Pousada Mutum 22/9.

**Lineated Woodpecker** (*Dryocopus lineatus*)

1 pair Foz du Iguacu 12-14/9 and 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9.

**Robust Woodpecker** (*Campephilus robustus*)

1 Foz du Iguacu 14/9.

**Crimson-crested Woodpecker** (*Campephilus melanoleucos*)

1 pair Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9.

**Pale-legged Hornero** (*Furnarius leucopus*)

Fairly common near water in Pantanal.

**Rufous Hornero** (*Furnarius rufus*)

Common.

**Chotoy Spinetail** (*Schoeniophylax phryganophilus*)

1 heard Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 1 pair building a nest near Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9 and 1 near Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9.

**White-lored Spinetail** (*Synallaxis albilora*)

Seen daily, up to 5 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16-19 and up to 8 Pousada Mutum 20-22/9.



White-lored Spinetail

**Rusty-backed Spinetail** (*Cranioleuca vulpina*)

2 Pousada Mutum 22/9.

**Yellow-chinned Spinetail** (*Certhiaxis cinnamomeus*)

Up to 10 seen/heard daily around Jaguar Eco Lodge 16-19/9, 2 Cuiaba River 17/9, 5 Pousada Mutum 21/9 and 2 Rio Mutum 22/9.

**Greater Thornbird** (*Phacellodomus ruber*)

2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9.

**Rufous Cacholote** (*Pseudoseisura unirufa*)

2 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 2 Cuiaba River 17/9, 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9, 1 roadside Jaguar Eco Lodge-Cuiaba 19/9 and up to 5 daily Pousada Mutum 20-21/9.

**Buff-fronted Foliage-gleaner** (*Philydor rufum*)

2 Foz du Iguacu 14/9.

**Olivaceous Woodcreeper** (*Sittasomus griseicapillus*)

1 heard Foz du Iguacu 14/9, 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9, 1 heard Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9 and 1 feeding nestlings Pousada Mutum 21/9.

**Great Rufous Woodcreeper** (*Xiphocolaptes major*)

2 near Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9.

**Planalto Woodcreeper** (*Dendrocolaptes platyrostris*)

1 Foz du Iguacu 13/9 and 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9.

**Straight-billed Woodcreeper** (*Dendroplex picus*)

1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9, 1 Pousada Mutum 20/9 and 2 Pousada Mutum 22/9.

**Lesser Woodcreeper** (*Xiphorhynchus fuscus*)

1 Foz du Iguacu 13/9.

**Buff-throated Woodcreeper** (*Xiphorhynchus guttatus*)

1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 2 different birds Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9 and 1 Pousada Mutum 22/9.

**Narrow-billed Woodcreeper** (*Lepidocolaptes angustirostris*)

1 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 2 at the entrance to Jaguar Eco Lodge 16-19/9 and 1 Pousada Mutum 22/9.

**Great Antshrike** (*Taraba major*)

1 seen Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 2+1 heard Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9, 1 heard Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9, 1 heard Pousada Mutum 21/9 and 1 seen Pousada Mutum 22/9.

**Barred Antshrike** (*Thamnophilus doliatus*)

2 heard Foz du Iguacu 13/9, the most frequently seen and heard antbird in Pantanal.

**Planalto Slaty-Antshrike** (*Thamnophilus pelzelni*)

1 male Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9.

**Plain Antvireo** (*Dysithamnus mentalis*)

1 pair Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 1 female Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9 and 5 Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9.

**Black-capped Antwren** (*Herpsilochmus atricapillus*)

1 male Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9 and 1 heard Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9.

**Large-billed Antwren** (*Herpsilochmus longirostris*)

1 seen and 1 heard Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9 and up to 5 seen daily Pousada Mutum 20-23/9.

**Mato Grosso Antbird** (*Cercomacra melanaria*)

1 heard Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9 and 3 heard Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9.

**Band-tailed Antbird** (*Hypocnemoides maculicauda*)

1 pair Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9 and 1 male Pousada Mutum 20/9.

**Southern Beardless-Tyrannulet** (*Camptostoma obsoletum*)

2+1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9, 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9 and 2 Pousada Mutum 21/9.

**Forest Elaenia** (*Myiopagis gaimardii*)

1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9.

**White-crested Tyrannulet** (*Serpophaga subcristata*)

1 Cuiaba River 17/9 and 2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9.



**Gray-hooded Flycatcher** (*Mionectes rufiventris*)

1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9.

**Sepia-capped Flycatcher** (*Leptopogon amaurocephalus*)

1 Foz du Iguacu 13/9 and 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9.

**Planalto Tyrannulet** (*Phyllomyias fasciatus*)

1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9

**Southern Scrub-Flycatcher** (*Sublegatus modestus*)

1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9.

**Plain Tyrannulet** (*Inezia inornata*)

1 Cuiaba River 17/9, 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9 and 2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9.

**Southern Antpipit** (*Corythopis delalandi*)

1 Foz du Iguacu 13/9.

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

1 seen and 3 heard Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9 and 2 Pousada Mutum 21/9.

**Rusty-fronted Tody-Flycatcher** (*Poecilatriccus latirostris*)

1 Pousada Mutum 22/9.

**Common Tody-Flycatcher** (*Todirostrum cinereum*)

2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9.

**Yellow-olive Flycatcher** (*Tolmomyias sulphurescens*)

1 Pousada Mutum 22/9.

**Fuscous Flycatcher** (*Cnemotriccus fuscatus*)

Seen 3 of 4 days around Jaguar Eco Lodge 16-19/9, with 4 as highest count and 1 Pousada Mutum 21/9.

**Vermilion Flycatcher** (*Pyrocephalus rubinus*)

Common.

**White-rumped Monjita** (*Xolmis velatus*)

1 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 1 roadside Jaguar Eco Lodge-Cuiaba 19/9, 1 Pousada Mutum 20/9 and 1 Rio Mutum 22/9.

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

1 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 1 Cuiaba River 17/9 and 4 Rio Mutum 22/9.

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

2 male Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9 and 1 male Rio Mutum 22/9.



Male Vermilion Flycatcher.

**Cattle Tyrant** (*Machetornis rixosa*)

1 Foz du Iguacu 12/9, 4 Porto Jofre 17/9, 10 near Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9 and common around Pousada Mutum 20-21/9.

**Rufous Casiornis** (*Casiornis rufus*)

5 Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9 and 1 Pousada Mutum 22/9.

**Short-crested Flycatcher** (*Myiarchus ferox*)

2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18 and 19/9, also 2 near Pousada Mutum 22/9.

**Brown-crested Flycatcher** (*Myiarchus tyrannulus*)

2-5 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16-19/9, 2 Cuiaba River 17/9 and 2 Pousada Mutum 21/9.

**Lesser Kiskadee** (*Pitangus lictor*)

3 near Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 10 Cuiaba River 17/9, 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9, 2 near (on boat trips) Pousada Mutum 20-22/9 and 10 Rio Mutum 22/9.

**Great Kiskadee** (*Pitangus sulphuratus*)

Common.

**Boat-billed Flycatcher** (*Megarynchus pitangua*)

1 Foz du Iguacu 14/9, 1 Cuiaba River 17/9 and 2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18 and 19/9.

**Rusty-margined Flycatcher** (*Myiozetetes cayanensis*)

1 Cuiaba River 17/9.

**Social Flycatcher** (*Myiozetetes similis*)

1 Foz du Iguacu 14/9.

**Streaked Flycatcher** (*Myiodynastes maculatus*)

1 Foz du Iguacu 13/9, 1 each day, but in different areas, Jaguar Eco Lodge 16, 18

and 19/9.

**Piratic Flycatcher** (*Legatus leucophaeus*)

2 Pousada Mutum 23/9.

**Tropical Kingbird** (*Tyrannus melancholicus*)

Fairly common.

**Fork-tailed Flycatcher** (*Tyrannus savana*)

3 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 1+1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 1 roadside Jaguar Eco Lodge-Porto Jofre 17/9, 2 Pousada Mutum 21/9 and 4 Pousada Mutum 22/9.

**Helmeted Manakin** (*Antilophia galeata*)

1 seen and 1 heard Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9 and 1 seen and 2 heard Pousada Mutum 20-22/9.



Helmeted Manakin

**Band-tailed Manakin** (*Pipra fasciicauda*)

2 seen and another 2 heard along the trails behind hotel San Martin, Foz du Iguacu 13-14/9.

**Black-crowned Tityra** (*Tityra inquisitor*)

2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9 and 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9.

**Red-eyed Vireo** (*Vireo olivaceus*)

1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9.

**Ashy-headed Greenlet** (*Hylophilus pectoralis*)

1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9 and 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9.

**Purplish Jay** (*Cyanocorax cyanomelas*)

1 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, up to 10 seen daily Jaguar Eco Lodge 16-19/9, 3 Cuiaba River 17/9 and 15 Pousada Mutum 20-21/9.

**Plush-crested Jay** (*Cyanocorax chrysops*)

20+ seen daily Foz du Iguacu 12-14/9.



Plush-crested Jay

**Blue-and-white Swallow** (*Pygochelidon cyanoleuca*)

5-10 Foz du Iguacu 13-14/9 and 5 Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9.

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

Common near water.

**Gray-breasted Martin** (*Progne chalybea*)

20 Foz du Iguacu 13/9, 15 Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9 and fairly common Rio Mutum 20-22/9.

**Brown-chested Martin** (*Progne tapera*)

5 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9 and 10 Cuiaba River 17/9.

**White-winged Swallow** (*Tachycineta albiventer*)

Up to 10 seen near water around Jaguar Eco Lodge 16-19/9, at least 50 Cuiaba River 17/9, a few near Pousada Mutum 21-22/9 and 10 Rio Mutum 22/9.

**Barn Swallow** (*Hirundo rustica*)

5 Cuiaba River 17/9 and 1 Pousada Mutum 21/9.

**Thrush-like Wren** (*Campylorhynchus turdinus*)

Up to 4 seen daily around Jaguar Eco Lodge 16-19/9, 2 Cuiaba River 17/9 and up to

4 daily Pousada Mutum 20-22/9.

**Moustached Wren** (*Pheugopedius genibarbis*)

1 Pousada Mutum 22/9.

**Buff-breasted Wren** (*Cantorchilus leucotis*)

1 pair Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9 and 4 Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9.

**Fawn-breasted Wren** (*Cantorchilus guarayanus*)

2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9.

**House Wren** (*Troglodytes aedon*)

10 Foz du Iguacu 12-13/9.

**Masked Gnatcatcher** (*Polioptila dumicola*)

2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9 and 4 seen at a different site near Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9.

**Black-capped Donacobius** (*Donacobius atricapilla*)

1 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 5 Cuiaba River 17/9, 5 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9, 2 Pousada Mutum 21/9 and 2 Rio Mutum 22/9.



Black-capped Donacobius

**Pale-breasted Thrush** (*Turdus leucomelas*)

Fairly common Foz du Iguacu 12-14/9.

**Rufous-bellied Thrush** (*Turdus rufiventris*)

5 Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9 and common Pousada Mutum 20-23/9.

**Creamy-bellied Thrush** (*Turdus amaurochalinus*)

5 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 2 Cuiaba River 17/9 and 3 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9.

**White-necked Thrush** (*Turdus albicollis*)

1 Foz du Iguacu 13/9.

**Chalk-browed Mockingbird** (*Mimus saturninus*)

Up to 4 seen daily Foz du Iguacu 12-14/9, 5 Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9 and 2 Pousada Mutum 20/9.

**Yellowish Pipit** (*Anthus lutescens*)

1 seen and 1 heard Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9 and 1 heard near Pousada Mutum 20/9.

**Golden-crowned Warbler** (*Basileuterus culicivorus*)

Common Foz du Iguacu 12-14/9.

**White-bellied Warbler** (*Basileuterus hypoleucus*)

1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9 and 2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9.

**Flavescent Warbler** (*Myiothlypis flaveolus*)

4 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9 and 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9.

**Bananaquit** (*Coereba flaveola*)

5+ seen daily Foz du Iguacu 12-14/9 and 5 Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9.

**Magpie Tanager** (*Cissopis leverianus*)

1 Foz du Iguacu 13/9, and 6 Foz du Iguacu 14/9.

**Hooded Tanager** (*Nemosia pileata*)

1 pair Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9 and 2 pair Pousada Mutum 22/9.

**Black-goggled Tanager** (*Trichothraupis melanops*)

2-3 Foz du Iguacu 13-14/9.

**Chestnut-vented Conebill** (*Conirostrum speciosum*)

1 pair Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9 and 1 pair Pousada Mutum 22/9.

**Guira Tanager** (*Hemithraupis guira*)

1 pair Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9.

**Ruby-crowned Tanager** (*Tachyphonus coronatus*)

1 female Foz du Iguacu 12/9.

**Silver-beaked Tanager** (*Ramphocelus carbo*)

Common in Pantanal.

**Sayaca Tanager** (*Thraupis sayaca*)

2 Foz du Iguacu 13-14/9, 3 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9 and 4 Pousada Mutum 20-22/9.

**Palm Tanager** (*Thraupis palmarum*)

Up to 10 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16-19/9 and up to 20 Pousada Mutum 20-22/9.

**Green-headed Tanager** (*Tangara seledon*)

5-10 Foz du Iguacu 12-14/9.

**Blue Dacnis** (*Dacnis cayana*)

1 pair Foz du Iguacu 13/9.

**Black-throated Saltator** (*Saltator atricollis*)

1 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9.

**Grayish Saltator** (*Saltator coerulescens*)

1 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16-19/9, 3 Cuiaba River 17/9 and 4 Pousada Mutum 21/9 .

**Blue-black Grassquit** (*Volatinia jacarina*)

2 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9 and 30 near Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9

**Rusty-collared Seedeater** (*Sporophila collaris*)

10 near Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 1 female near Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9 and 5 near Pousada Mutum 21/9.

**Double-collared Seedeater** (*Sporophila caerulescens*)

2-5 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16 and 19/9.

**Saffron Finch** (*Sicalis flaveola*)

5 Foz du Iguacu 12-14/9, 10 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16-19/9, 10 Porto Jofre 17/9 and common Pousada Mutum 20-22/9.

**Red-crested Cardinal** (*Paroaria coronata*)

1 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9.

**Yellow-billed Cardinal** (*Paroaria capitata*)

Common in Pantanal.

**Red-crested Finch** (*Coryphospingus cucullatus*)

1 roadside male Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9 and 1 pair near Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9.

**Saffron-billed Sparrow** (*Arremon flavirostris*)

1 Foz du Iguacu 14/9.

**Rufous-collared Sparrow** (*Zonotrichia capensis*)

A few Foz du Iguacu 13-14/9.

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

2 Foz du Iguacu 13/9.

**Chopi Blackbird** (*Gnorimopsar chopi*)

4 Foz du Iguacu 12-14/9, 4 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9 and 2 Pousada Mutum 20-22/9.

**Scarlet-headed Blackbird** (*Amblyramphus holosericeus*)

1+3 (two locations) Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9.

**Unicolored Blackbird** (*Agelasticus cyanopus*)

3 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9 and a huge flock of at least 500 between Jaguar Eco Lodge-Porto Jofre 17/9.

**Bay-winged Cowbird** (*Agelaioides badius*)

2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9, 1 roadside Jaguar Eco Lodge-Cuiaba 19/9 and 1 Pousada Mutum 20/9.

**Shiny Cowbird** (*Molothrus bonariensis*)

5 Foz du Iguacu 12/9, 5 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, up to 30 near and around Jaguar Eco Lodge 16-19/9, 5 Porto Jofre 17/9 and common around Pousada Mutum, especially near the ranch.

**Giant Cowbird** (*Molothrus oryzivorus*)

1 Foz du Iguacu 12/9, 1 Pousada Mutum 22/9 and 2 Pousada Mutum 23/9.

**Epaulet Oriole** (*Icterus cayanensis*)

1 Foz du Iguacu 12/9, 2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 2 Cuiaba River 17/9, 1 Jaguar Eco Lodge 19/9.

**Orange-backed Troupial** (*Icterus croconotus*)

1 Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 1 Cuiaba River 17/9, 1 Pousada Mutum 20/9, and 4 Pousada Mutum 22/9.

**Solitary Black Cacique** (*Cacicus solitarius*)

4 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16/9, 6 Jaguar Eco Lodge 18/9, 4 Pousada Mutum 21/9 and 2 Rio Mutum 22/9.

**Red-rumped Cacique** (*Cacicus haemorrhous*)

10 in the hotel garden Foz du Iguacu 12-14/9 and 60 Foz du Iguacu 13/9.

**Yellow-rumped Cacique** (*Cacicus cela*)

2 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 16-19/9, 5 Porto Jofre 17/9 and common Pousada Mutum 20-22/9.

**Crested Oropendola** (*Psarocolius decumanus*)

1 Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9, 5 Pousada Mutum 20/9 and 2 Pousada Mutum 21/9.

**Purple-throated Euphonia** (*Euphonia chlorotica*)

1 male Foz du Iguacu 12/9, 2 male Foz du Iguacu 13/9 and a pair Foz du Iguacu 14/9.



**Violaceous Euphonia** (*Euphonia violacea*)

Fairly common Foz du Iguacu 12-14/9.

**Chestnut-bellied Euphonia** (*Euphonia pectoralis*)

3 Foz du Iguacu 13-14/9.

**Blue-naped Chlorophonia** (*Chlorophonia cyanea*)

1 pair Foz du Iguacu 13/9. On the Argentinian side.

**House Sparrow** (*Passer domesticus*)

2 Foz du Iguacu 14/9 and 10 roadside Cuiaba-Jaguar Lodge 15/9.

**Mammals** (names and order follows Duff&Lawson, Mammals of the World, A checklist, 2004.

**Azara's Agouti** (*Dasyprocta azarae*)

3 Hotel San Martin, Igucu 14/9, 3 on the drive along Transpantaneira Road 15/9, 2 Jaguar Eco Lodge 15/9, 1 Jaguar Lodge 18/9 and 2 on the drive to Pousada Mutum 19/9.

**Capibara** (*Hydrochoerus hydrochaeris*)

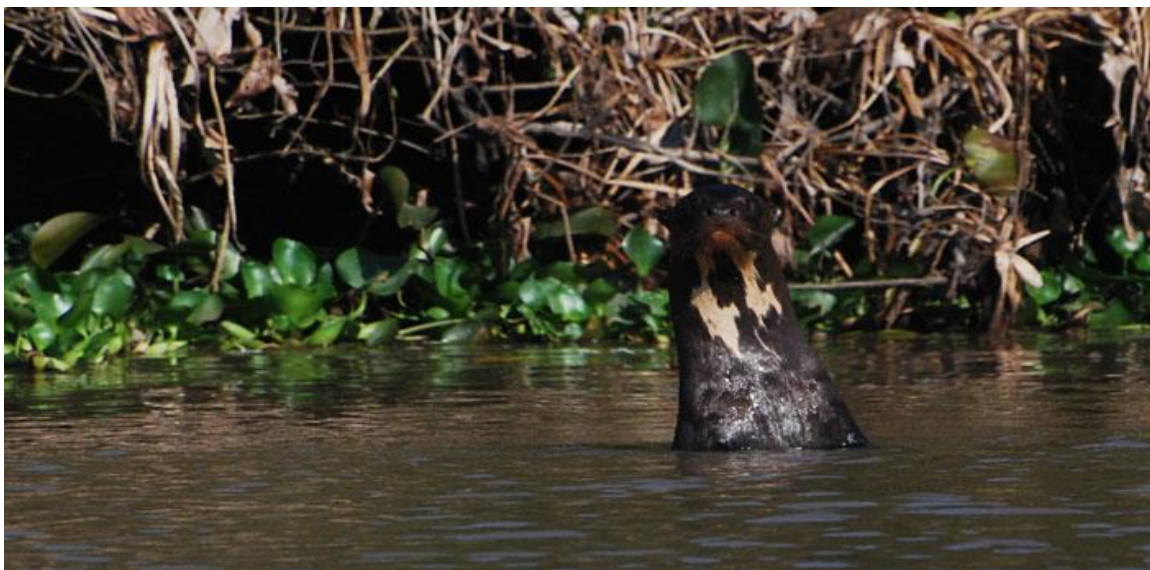
Common in Panatal.

**Jaguar** (*Panthera onca*)

1 male and 1 female seen on the boat ride off Porto Jofre 17/9.

**Ocelot** (*Leopardus pardalis*)

1 seen on the night drive close to Jaguar Lodge 18/9.



Giant Otter

**Giant Otter** (*Pteronura brasiliensis*)

4 seen near Pousada Mutum 20/9, 2 of these also seen 21/9 and another 2 seen on the boat trip 22/9.

**Crab-eating Fox** (*Cerdocyon thous*)

1 near Jaguar Lodge 16/9 and 1 on the night drive around Jaguar Lodge 18/9.

**South American Coati** (*Nasua nasua*)

Common in Iguacu National Park 13-14/9.

**Crab-eating Raccoon** (*Procyon cancrivorus*)

1 Pousada Mutum 21/9 and another there 22/9.

**Greater Fishing Bat** (*Noctilio leporinus*)

At least 50 seen leaving a day roost from the shelter under one of the 122 bridges along the Transpantaneira Road 17/9.

**Black-tailed Marmoset** (*Callithrix melanura*)

5 Jaguar Lodge 18/9, 2 seen near Jaguar Lodge 19/9 and 5 Pousada Mutum 22/9.

**Brown Capuchin** (*Cebus apella*)

10 Hotel San Martin, Iguacu 13/9, 5 Jaguar Lodge 19/9, 5 along Cuiaba River 17/9 and 10 Pousada Mutum 22/9.

**Black Howler Monkey** (*Alouatta caraya*)

5 Jaguar Lodge 16/9 and 3 near Pousada Mutum 20 and 22/9.

**White-lipped Peccary** (*Tayassu peccary*)

3 seen near Jaguar Lodge 18/9.

**Marsh Deer** (*Blastocercus dichotomus*)

1 male seen on the drive back to Cuiaba 19/9.

**Brasilian Tapir** (*Tapirus terrestris*)

1 seen on the drive back to Cuiaba 19/9.

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