

**A SUMMARY OF THE PRIMATES SEEN AT SANGHA LODGE AND ON TRIPS TAKEN INTO THE NATIONAL PARK AND SUROUNDS FROM SANGHA LODGE.**

There are several large gaps and it is clear that we can easily expand on the number of mammals by adding activities to encourage searching for more species... Night walks night drives and trips by boat are the three ways that will increase this. Also more information to help identify some of the more tricky species.

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| Order Primates   |   |
| Chimpanzee <i>Pan troglodytes</i>  | Heard regularly across the river from camp, never seen.   |
| Gorilla <i>Gorilla gorilla</i>   | Ocasional seen on roads near the lodge and heard regularly, best seen when going on a paid gorilla track to a habituated group. |
| Black-and-white Colobus Monkey <i>Colobus guereza</i>                      | heards and seen regularly from camp and at Bai Hoku   |
| Olive Baboon <i>Papio anubis</i>   | Signs found in the savannah zone, very uncommon.never seen  |
| Agile Mangabey <i>Cercocebus agilis (Cercocebus galeritus agilis)</i>      | seen across the river from camp and easy with the habituated group at bai Hoku  |
| Grey-cheeked Mangabey <i>Lophocebus albigena (Cercocebus albigena)</i>     | Heard daily around the lodge, seen when searched for.   |
| De Brazza's Monkey <i>Cercopithecus neglectus</i>                          | Heard daily around the lodge, seen when searched for.   |
| Crowned Guenon <i>Cercopithecus pogonias (Cercopithecus mona pogonias)</i> | Heard daily around the lodge, seen when searched for.   |
| Putty-nosed Monkey <i>Cercopithecus nictitans</i>                          | Heard daily around the lodge, seen when searched for.   |
| Moustached Monkey <i>Cercopithecus cephus</i>                              | Heard daily around the lodge, seen when searched for.   |
| Bosman's Potto <i>Perodicticus potto</i>                                   | seen regularly on Night walks around camp.  |
| Thomase's Galago <i>Galagoides thomasi</i>                                 | heard easily but fairly difficult to see even with a spotlight.   |
| Order Chiroptera   |   |
| Hammer Bat <i>Hypsignathus monstrosus</i>                                  | Heard nightly, seen occasionally if fruiting trees around camp  |
| Golden Fruit Bat <i>Casynicterus argennis</i>                              | Seen and photographed onc at a day rooste across the river  |
| Flying Calf <i>Nanonycteris veldkampi</i>                                  | 2 ocasions when spotlighting from the river at night.   |
| Black Hawk Bat <i>Saccolaimus peli</i>                                     | seen easily at dusk around camp and Bayanga village.  |
| Slit faced bat Spp. <i>Nycteris</i> Spp.                                   | Regular nocturnal visitors, often entering rooms at night to feed on trapped insects against the mosquito netting.              |
| Horse shoe bats Spp. <i>Rhinolophus spp.</i>                               | One spp at least found dead in a room in camp, and species seen in a cave in the hills zone                                     |
| Leaf nosed Bats Spp. <i>Hipposideros spp</i>                               | at leats 2 species of small hipposideros in caves at bai hoku and the hill zone   |

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| Commersons leaf Nosed bat <i>Hipposideros commersoni</i>               | night. Large size make this easy to seprate from  |
| <b>Rodent – Order Rodentia</b>   |   |
| African Dwarf Squirrel <i>Myosciurus pumilio</i>                       | seen a few times in the hill zone   |
| Red Cheeked Rope Squirrel <i>Funisciurus leucogenys</i>                | One of many species in the reserve  |
| Fire-footed Rope Squirrel <i>Funisciurus pyrrhopus</i>                 | One of many species in the reserve  |
| Boehm's Squirrel <i>Parxerus boehmi</i>                                | Very common around camp   |
| Green Squirrel <i>Paraxerus poensis</i>                                | Very common around camp   |
| Giant forest Squirrel <i>Protoxerus stangeri</i>                       | along the babongo river and accros the sangha river, not too hard to find   |
| Becroft's Anomalure <i>Anomalurus beecrofti</i>                        | seen Ocasionally at night on walks  |
| Brush-tailed Porcupine <i>Atherurus africanus</i>                      | Seen when hunting with the Baáka, and seen once in a cave in the hill zone.   |
| Marsh Cane Rat sp. <i>Thryonomys sp.</i>                               | Seen crossing the roads at night  |
| Link Rat <i>Deomys ferugeneus</i>                                      | Seen By Louise sarno at his house in yandoumbe  |
| African Wood Mouse spp. <i>Hylomyscus spp.</i>                         | Coomonly caught in camp, a pest in our rooms from time to time.   |
| Common Mouse spp. <i>Mus spp. [minutoides?]</i>                        | Only one seen in heavy rain in the forest at bai Hoku... tiny presumed to be Mus Minutoides, but the color was black rather than the Fawn coloured ones I am used to in SA. |
| Target Rat <i>Stochomys longicaudatus</i>                              | Coomonly caught in camp, a pest in our rooms from time to time.   |
| Zebra mouse spp. <i>Lemiscomys spp.</i>                                | seen often crossing roads during the day time in the Farm bush, seen once in camp when we first stared renovating.  |
| Giant Rat <i>Cricetomys emini</i>                                      | Seen crossing the roads at night  |
| <b>Carvorous – Order Carnivora</b>                                     |   |
| Congo Clawless Otter <i>Aonyx congica</i>                              | seen ocasionaly from the boat during transfers,   |
| Spotted-necked Otter <i>Lutra maculicollis</i>                         | seen once from camp, a family of four animals at least  |
| Flat Headed Cusimanse <i>Crossarchus platycephalus</i>                 | Seen by Gus Keys on the babongo river trail   |
| Servaline Genet <i>Genetta servalina</i>                               | Seen at night crossing roads  |
| African Civet <i>Civettictis civetta (Viverra civetta)</i>             | Seen in the farmbush zone at night  |
| African Palm Civet <i>Nandinia binotata</i>                            | Up to four animals feeding at any time when the fig trees are fruiting in Camp.   |
| Golden Cat <i>Felis aurata</i>   | Signs found in the savanah zone Never seen  |
| Leopard <i>Panthera pardus</i>   | Sighns found in sevrnal places , seen on only a few ocasions by Andrea Turkalo  |
| Order Pholidota  |   |
| Long-tailed Pangolin <i>Uromanis tetradactyla (Manis tetradactyla)</i> | Seen only twice, around camp at night   |
| Tree Pangolin <i>Phataginus tricuspis (Manis tricuspis)</i>            | seen 5 times around camp and once on road from Dzanga bai at night  |
| Order Hyracoidea   |   |

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| Western Tree Hyrax <i>Dendrohyrax dorsalis</i>           | Heard every night, NEVER SEEN   |
| <i>Order Proboscidea</i>                                 |   |
| Forest Elephant <i>Loxodonta cyclotis</i>                | Regular signs around camp, often a hazard when walking... Best place to see these in good numbers is Dzanga bai.                    |
| <i>Order Artiodactyla</i>                                |   |
| Hippopotamus <i>Hippopotamus amphibius</i>               | Only 2 seen near the old logging company where there is sufficient grass for them to survive.                                       |
| Red River Hog <i>Potamochoerus porcus</i>                | Signs are comon around camp but seen only from time to time at Dzanga bai   |
| Western Giant Hog <i>Hylochoerus meinertzhageni</i>      | Signs are comon around camp but seen only from time to time at Dzanga bai, but appears to be more regular there than Red River hog. |
| Water Chevrotain <i>Hyemoschus aquaticus</i>             | Seen only at Bai Hoku, but must be more common and expect this to change once we get our new activities like night driving set up.  |
| Forest Buffalo <i>Syncerus [caffer]nanus</i>             | Seen regularly at Dzanga bai and on the bai walks at Bai Hoku   |
| Bongo <i>Tragelaphus euryceros (Boocercus euryceros)</i> | Signs found often but only ever seen at Dzanga bai where up to 50 animals at a time are seen.                                       |
| Sitatunga <i>Tragelaphus spekei</i>                      | Small numbers are generally present at dzanga bai and on the bai walks at bai Hoku  |
| Blue Duiker <i>Cephalophus monticola</i>                 | Commin in all forest where there is no hunting pressure. The commonest animal caught by the Baáka during net hunts.                 |
| Peters Duiker <i>Cephalophus callipygus</i>              | Less common but also caught by the baáka during hunts   |
| Bay Duiker <i>Cephalophus dorsalis</i>                   | Less common but also caught by the baáka during hunts   |
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