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1. *Cranopsis fastidiosus*. 2. *Crepidius epioticus*. 3. *Ollotis cœrulescens*. 4. *Bufo auritus*. 5. *B. coccifer*.
 6. *Dendrobates talamancæ*. 7. *Hyla nigripes*. 8. *Phyllobates hylæformis*. 9. *Lithodytes podiciferus* var. D.
 10. *L. melanostictus*. 11. *L. megacephalus*. 12. *Tryphersopsis chrysoprasinus*. 13. *Lithodytes muricinus*.

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1. *Anolis insignis* ½. 2. *A. microtus* ½. 3. *A. pachypus* ½. 4. *A. oxylophus* ½. 5. *Chalcidolepis metallicus* ½.

1. Basiliscus plumifrons. 2. B. mitratus.

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1. *Dendrophidium melanotropis*. 2. *Dryophis brevirostris*. 3. *Hyla elæochroa*. 4. *Hylodes cerasinus*

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1. *Leptognathus argus*. 2. *Teleuraspis schlegelii*. 3. *Bothriopsis proboscideus*. 4. *Hyla uranochroa*.

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1 *Mabuia alliacea*. 2. *Chalcidolepis metallicus*. 3. *Amiva gabbiana*. 4. *Anolis trochilus*. 5. *A. oxylophus*. 6. *Xiphosoma annulatum*. 7. *Leptognathus argus*. 8. *L. pictiventris*. 9. *Leptophis æruginosus*. 10. *L. saturatus*. 11. *Spilotes chrysobronchus*. 12. *Contia calligaster*. 13. *Bothriopsis proboscideus*.