

PRIMATES of Itatiaia National Park, Itatiaia – BRAZIL 1

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Itatiaia National Park (INP) is Brazil's oldest strictly protected area, established in June 1937 with the aim of protecting the fauna and flora of the Atlantic Forest. The region was dubbed the 'citadel of waters' by geographer Aziz Ab'Saber, because of the abundant springs and waterfalls in the park. This guide contains images, silhouettes, size estimates, and other relevant information about the six recorded primate species in INP.



Véu de noiva waterfall – lower section of INP (Felipe Torres dos Santos)



Felipe Torres dos Santos

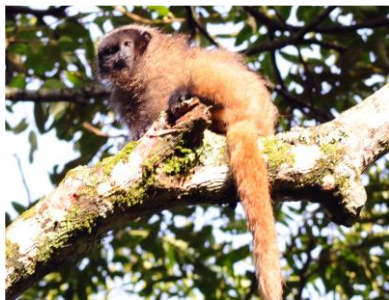
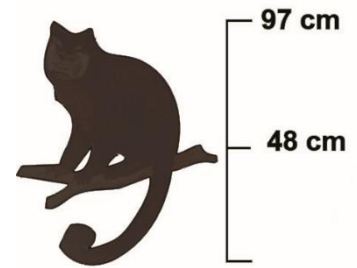
Scientific name: *Sapajus nigritus*
(Goldfuss, 1809)

Family: Cebidae

Conservation status (IUCN): Near Threatened

Common name: PT: Macaco-prego
EN: Black-horned capuchin,
Black-capped capuchin,
Black capuchin

Diet in nature: Frugivorous-insectivorous:
fruits, seeds and arthropods



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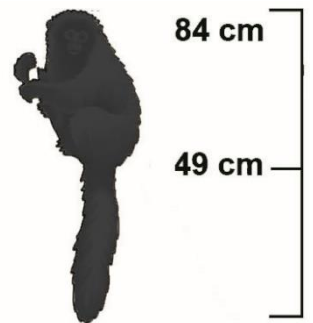
Scientific name: *Callicebus nigrifrons*
(Spix, 1823)

Family: Pitheciidae

Common name: PT: Sauá, Guigó
EN: Black-fronted Titi monkey

Conservation status (IUCN): Near Threatened

Diet in nature: Frugivorous: fruits, flowers,
seeds



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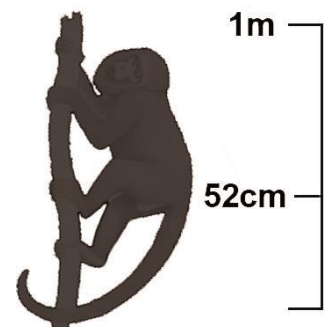
Scientific name: *Alouatta guariba clamitans*
(Cabrera, 1940)

Family: Atelidae

Common name: PT: Bugio-ruivo-do-sudeste
EN: Southern Howler monkey

Conservation status (IUCN): Least Concerned

Diet in nature: Folivorous-frugivorous



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Jorge Lucas

Scientific name: *Brachyteles hypoxanthus* (Kuhl, 1820)

Family: Atelidae

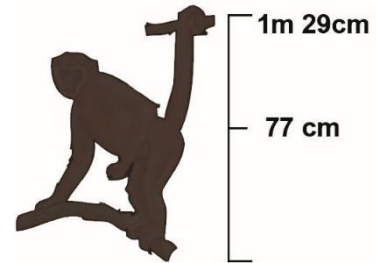
Common name:

PT: Muriqui-do-norte

EN: Northern Muriqui

Conservation status (IUCN): Critically Endangered

Diet in nature: Buds, leaves, flowers and fruits



Miguel Rangel Jr

Scientific name: *Callithrix aurita* (É. Geoffroy in Humboldt, 1812)

Family: Callitrichidae

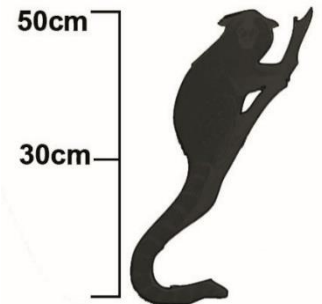
Common name:

PT: Sagui-da-serra-escuro

EN: Buffy-tufted-ear marmoset

Conservation status (IUCN): Vulnerable

Diet in nature: Omnivorous



Robson Melo Bob

Scientific name: *Callithrix penicillata* (É. Geoffroy, 1812) - EXOTIC

Family: Callitrichidae

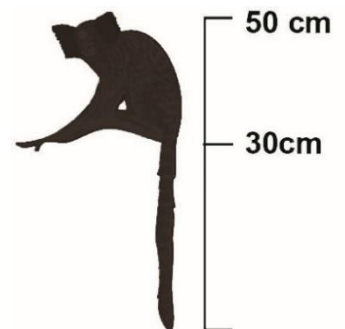
Common name:

PT: Sagui-de-tufos-pretos

EN: Black-pencilled marmoset

Conservation status (IUCN): Vulnerable

Diet in nature: Omnivorous



Jéssica A. Cardoso

Capuchin monkeys are known for their intelligence. The capuchin in INP, *Sapajus nigritus*, uses tools to obtain food. This allows the species to diversify its diet and helps it adapt easily to a diverse range of environments.