

A PRELIMINARY CHECKLIST OF REPTILES AND AMPHIBIANS IN THE MOUNTAIN ZEBRA NATIONAL PARK

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The following species of reptiles and amphibians have been collected and identified from the Mountain Zebra National Park some 27 km south west of Cradock, R.S.A.

Reptiles

Class Reptilia

Superorder Squamata

Order Sauria (Lacertilia)

Family Gekkonidae

Genus *Pachydactylus* Wiegmann

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| <i>Pachydactylus maculatus oculatus</i> Hewitt | Spotted Cape Gecko
Gespickelde Kaapse geitjie |
| <i>Pachydactylus bibroni</i> A. Smith | Bibron's Gecko
Bibron se geitjie |

Family Agamidae

Genus *Agama* Daudin

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| <i>Agama atra</i> Daudin | Blue-headed Agama
Bloukopkoggelmander |
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Family Scincidae

Genus *Mabuya* Fitzinger

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| <i>Mabuya capensis</i> (Gray) | Cape Skink
Kaapse gestreepde akkedis |
| <i>Mabuya v. variegata</i> (Peters) | Variegated Skink
Langoorskubskink |
| <i>Mabuya s. sulcata</i> (Peters) | Striped Skink
Westelike koppie-akkedis |

Genus <i>Acontias</i> Cuvier	
<i>Acontias m. meleagris</i> (Linnaeus)	Golden Legless Skink Goudkleurige grawende akkedis
Family Lacertidae	
Genus <i>Eremias</i> Wiegmann	
<i>Eremias namaquensis</i> Duméril & Bibron	Namaqua Sand Lizard Namakwa sand-akkedis
<i>Eremias lineo-occellata pulchella</i> Gray	Gray's Sand Lizard Gray se kollerige sand-akkedis
Family Cordylidae	
Genus <i>Pseudocordylus</i> A. Smith	
<i>Pseudocordylus microlepidotus fasciatus</i> A. Smith	Crag Lizard Kaaiman-akkedis
Genus <i>Gerrhosaurus</i> Wiegmann	
<i>Gerrhosaurus f. flavigularis</i> Wiegmann	Yellow-throated Plated Lizard Geelkeel-pantserakkedis
Genus <i>Tetradactylus</i> Merrem	
<i>Tetradactylus t. tetradactylus</i> Lacépède	Long-tailed Whip-lizard Slang-akkedis
Genus <i>Chamaesaura</i> Schneider	
<i>Chamaesaura anguina</i> (Linnaeus)	Cape Snake-Lizard Kaapse sweep slang
Genus <i>Cordylus</i> Laurenti	
<i>Cordylus c. cordylus</i> (Linnaeus)	Girdles Lizard Skurwejantjie
Family Varanidae	
Genus <i>Varanus</i> Merrem	
<i>Varanus exanthematicus albigularis</i> (Daudin)	Rock Leguaan Veldlikkewaan
Order Serpentes (Ophidia)	
Family Typhlopidae	
Genus <i>Typhlops</i> Oppel	
<i>Typhlops lalandii</i> Schlegel	Lalande's Blind Snake Delalande se Erdslang

Family Leptotyphlopidae

- Genus *Leptotyphlops* Fitzinger
Leptotyphlops nigricans (Schlegel) Black Worm Snake
 Swart erdslangetjie

Family Colubridae

- Genus *Lycodonomorphus* Fitzinger
Lycodonomorphus r. rufulus (Lichtenstein) Olive-brown Water-snake
 Rooipers waterslang
- Genus *Boaedon* Duméril & Brown
Boaedon f. fuliginosus (Boie) Brown House-snake
 Bruin huislang
- Genus *Lycophidion* Fitzinger
Lycophidion c. capense (A. Smith) Cape Wolf Snake
 Kaapse wolfslang
- Genus *Pseudaspis* Fitzinger
Pseudaspis cana (Linnaeus) Mole Snake
 Mol slang
- Genus *Duberria* Fitzinger
Duberria s. scabra (Linnaeus) Common Egg-eater
 Eiereveter
- Genus *Aparallactus* A. Smith
Aparallactus capensis (A. Smith) Black-headed Centipede-eater
 Swartkop-mierslang
- Genus *Crotaphopeltis* Fitzinger
Crotaphopeltis h. hotamboeia (Laurenti) Herald Snake
 Rooilipslang
- Genus *Dispholidus* Duvernoy
Dispholidus typus (A. Smith) Boomslang
 Boomslang
- Genus *Psammophylax* Fitzinger
Psammophylax rhombeatus (Linnaeus) Spotted Skaapsteker
 Gespikkelde Skaapsteker
- Genus *Psammophis* Boie
Psammophis crucifer (Daudin) Cross-marked Sand Snake
 Kruisgemerkte sandslang

Family Elapidae

- Genus *Aspidelaps* A. Smith
Aspidelaps l. lubricus (Laurenti) Coral Snake
 Koraalslang

Genus <i>Hemachatus</i> Flemming <i>Hemachatus haemachatus</i> (Lacépède)	Rinkhals Rinkhals
Genus <i>Naja</i> Laurenti <i>Naja nivea</i> (Linnaeus)	Cape Cobra Geelslang
Genus <i>Elaps</i> Schneider <i>Elaps lacteus</i> (Linnaeus)	Dwarf Garter Snake Dwergkousbandslang
Family Viperidae	
Genus <i>Causus</i> Wagler <i>Causus rhombeatus</i> (Lichtenstein)	Rhombic Nightadder Nagadder
Genus <i>Bitis</i> Gray <i>Bitis a. arietans</i> (Merrem)	Common Puff-adder Pofadder
<i>Bitis cornuta inornata</i> (A. Smith)	Cape Berg-adder Kaapse pofadder
Order Testudines (Chelonia) Suborder Cryptodira	
Family Testudinidae	
Genus <i>Geochelone</i> Fitzinger <i>Geochelone pardalis babcocki</i> (Loveridge)	Leopard Tortoise Bergskilpad
Genus <i>Homopus</i> Duméril & Bibron <i>Homopus femoralis</i> Boulenger	Greater Padloper Groter padloper
Family Pelomedusidae	
Genus <i>Pelomedusa</i> Wagler <i>Pelomedusa subrufa</i> (Lacépède)	Cape Terrapin Gewone waterskilpad

Amphibians

Order Anura
Suborder Opisthocoela

Family Pipidae

Genus *Xenopus* Wagler
Xenopus laevis (Daudin)

Common Platanna
Gewone-platanna

Suborder Procoela	
Family Bufonidae	
Genus <i>Bufo</i> Laurenti	
<i>Bufo g. garipeensis</i> Smith	Karoo Toad
	Karoo-skurwepadda
<i>Bufo v. vertebralis</i> Smith	Pigmy Toad
	Dwerg-skurwepadda
Family Ranidae	
Subfamily Raninae	
Genus <i>Tomopterna</i> Duméril & Bibron	
<i>Tomopterna delalandei cryptotis</i>	Striped Pyxie
Boulenger	Gestreepte-sandpadda
Genus <i>Rana</i> Linnaeus	
<i>Rana fuscigula</i> Duméril & Bibron	Cape River Frog
	Reuse-rivierpadda
<i>Rana g. grayi</i> Smith	Clicking Stream Frog
	Gevlekte graspadda
Genus <i>Cacosternum</i> Boulenger	
<i>Cacosternum boettgeri</i> (Boulenger)	Common Caco
	Gewone blikslanertjie

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