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## CONSERVATION CATEGORIES OF PERUVIAN PRIMATES – CATEGORIAS DE CONSERVACIÓN DE LOS PRIMATES PERUANOS

The Peruvian government published the Supreme Decree No. 34-2004-AG in the official journal *El Peruano* on 22 September 2004. This decree approves the categorization of threatened Peruvian wildlife and at the same time prohibits hunting, capturing, owning, transporting, and exportation for commercial purposes. An appendix to the decree lists 301 vertebrate species in different IUCN categories. The decree will hopefully represent an important tool to implement conservation action for, and stimulate research on, threatened Peruvian wildlife. Table 1 lists the primate species included in this appendix.

El 22 setiembre 2004, el gobierno peruano publicó en el diario oficial “El Peruano” el Decreto Supremo no. 34-2004-AG, que aprueba la categorización de especies amenazadas de fauna silvestre y al mismo momento prohíbe su caza, captura, tenencia, transporte y exportación con fines comerciales. El decreto lleva un anexo, en la cual están listadas 301 especies de vertebrados en diferentes categorías de la UICN. Este decreto representa un instrumento importante para implementar acciones de conservación y al mismo momento estimular investigaciones científicas en las

**Table 1.** Categorization of Peruvian primate species.  
**Cuadro 1.** Categorización de especies de primates del Perú.

CR – Critically endangered/En peligro crítico		
No primates listed – no incluye especies de primates		
EN – Endangered/En peligro		
<i>Alouatta palliata</i>	Mantled howler monkey	Mono coto de Tumbes
<i>Aotus miconax</i>	Andean night monkey	Mono nocturno, musmuqui
<i>Ateles belzebuth</i>	White-bellied spider monkey	Maquisapa vientre blanco, mono araña
<i>Oreonax flavicauda</i>	Yellow-tailed woolly monkey	Mono choro de cola amarilla
<i>Saguinus labiatus</i>	Red-bellied tamarin	Pichico de barriga anaranjada Pichico pecho anaranjado
VU – Vulnerable/Vulnerable		
<i>Ateles chamek</i>	Black spider monkey	Maquisapa
<i>Cacajao calvus</i>	Red uakari	Huapo colorado, huapo rojo
<i>Callicebus oenanthae</i>	Andean titi monkey	Tocón, tití
<i>Callicebus torquatus</i>	Collared titi monkey Yellow-handed titi monkey	Tocón de collar, tocón negro
<i>Callimico goeldii</i>	Goeldi's monkey	Pichico de Goeldi, supay pichico
<i>Lagothrix cana</i>	Geoffroy's woolly monkey	Mono choro
<i>Lagothrix lagotricha</i>	Humboldt's woolly monkey	Mono choro
NT – Near Threatened/Casi amenazado		
<i>Alouatta seniculus</i>	Red howler monkey	Mono coto
<i>Lagothrix poeppigii</i>	Poeppig's woolly monkey	Mono choro

especies amenazadas. Cuadro 1 presenta las especies de primates incluidas en este anexo según las categorías.

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