

Marcapomacocha 1999-2000 (near Lima)

Casual notes by Mikko Pyhälä 1999-2000

Km 44 Chosica

Expect:

- *Red-fronted Parakeet*
- *Amazilia Hummingbird*
- *Oasis Hummingbird (-3000)*
- *Peruvian Sheartail (-3000)*
- *Great Inca-Finch 1675m*

Matucana 2440

Expect:

- *Great Inca-Finch*

Km 70 San Mateo 3000m?

Expect:

- *Andean Swift*
- *Giant Hummingbird*
- *Black Metaltail*
- *Sparkling Violetear*
- *Rusty-crowned Tit-Spinetail (2000-4000)*
- *Rufous-webbed Tyrant (3050-4300)*
- *White-capped Dipper*
- *Cinereous Conebill*
- *Black-throated Flower-piercer (2000-4000)*
- *Slaty (=Rusty) Flower-piercer (600-3500)*
- *Blue-and-Yellow Tanager*
- *Rusty-bellied Brush-Finch*

Km 139 Casapalca

Chinchán 4700 m

Marcapomacocha

Overlooking valley with railroad 4800m

- *Andean Goose* two flying
- *Mountain Parakeet* (heard)
- **Black-breasted Hillstar** one pair
- *Andean Swallow* small flocks
- *Streak-throated Canastero* one

- Black Siskin some

Small bog 4700

- **Diademed Sandpiper-plover one Sept 99**
- White-fronted Ground-tyrant, common Sept 99
- Ochre-naped Ground-tyrant, common Sept 99
- Cinereous Ground-tyrant Sept 99 possibly one
- Puna Ground-tyrant Sept 99 several
- **Olivaceous Thornbill Sept 99 at least three**
- Slender-billed Miner
- Ash-breasted Sierra-Finch
- White-winged Diuca-Finch

Milloc bog 4700

- Puna Ibis Sept 99, groups of up to six
- Andean Goose Sept 99 five plus two
- **White-bellied Cinclodes Sept 99 one Km 1 upstream**
- White-winged Cinclodes
- Bar-winged Cinclodes
- Ochre-naped Ground-Tyrant Sept 99 common
- White-Fronted Ground-Tyrant Sept 99 common
- Puna Tinamou Sept 99 three above the bog, one further toward the lakes
- **Black-breasted Hillstar Sept 99 one**
- Andean Flicker Sept 99 a pair
- Mountain Caracara Sept 99 three
- Ash-breasted Sierra-Finch
- White-winged Sierra-Finch

Expect:

- *Plain-breasted Earthcreeper (3000-5000)*
- *Rufous-naped Ground-Tyrant (3000-4520)*
- *Plain-capped Ground-Tyrant (2700-4800)*
- *Bright-rumped Yellow-Finch*
- *Puna Snipe (Gunnar)*

Ridge 4900 m

- Gray-breasted Seedsnipe a pair
- Puna Tinamou (4000-5300) one
- Dark-winged Miner

Expect:

- *Ornate Tinamou 2500-4800*
- *Rufous-breasted Seedsnipe 4000-5500 (Gunnar)*

Two lakes and nearby 4500 m

- Giant Coot Sept. 99 several with young ones
- Andean Gull several
- Canastero
- Dark-winged Miner common
- Black-billed Shrike-Tyrant
- Peruvian Sierra-Finch

Expect:

- *Silvery Grebe*
- *Speckled Teal*
- *Puna Teal*
- *Andean Lapwing*

Polylepis forest at Santa Eulalia 4000 m

- Andean Condor Sept 99 one
- Puna Hawk
- Bare-faced Ground-Dove
- Black-winged Dove
- Black Metaltail several
- Giant Hummingbird common
- **Striated Earthcreeper one (pair?)**
- Bar-winged Cinclodes
- Rusty-bellied Brush-Finch
- D'Orbigny's Chat-Tyrant
- **Tit-like Dacnis**
- Hooded Siskin
- Mourning Sierra-Finch
- Ash-breasted Sierra-Finch
- Peruvian Sierra-Finch

Expect:

- *Stripe-headed Antpitta 3000-4300 (Gunnar)*
- *Tufted Tit-tyrant 1830-4200*
- *Yellow-billed Tit-Tyrant 1000-3650*
- *White-browed Chat-Tyrant*
- *Rusty-crowned Tit-Spinetail (Gunnar)*
- *Andean Tit-Spinetail*
- *White-cheeked Cotinga (presence of mistletoe) 2700-4240*
- *Canyon Canastero*
- *Junin Canastero 3350-4300*
- *Plain-breasted Earthcreeper*
- *Pied-crested Tit-Tyrant (-2900)*
- *Giant Conebill 2700-4850*
- *White-capped Dipper*
- *Black-throated Flower-piercer*
- *Rufous-necked Sparrow*

Above Santa Eulalia village 1500-3500

- Torrent Duck
- Aplomado Falcon
- American Kestrel
- Eared Dove
- White-tipped Dove
- Brown-breasted Swallow
- Scrub Blackbird
- Torrent Tyrannulet
- Blue-and-Yellow Tanager

Expect:

- *Black-necked Flicker 500-2800*
- *Peruvian Sheartail San Pedro de Canta*
- *Rufous-webbed Tyrant*
- *Rufous-breasted Warbling-Finch 2350-3700*
- *White-tailed Shrike-tyrant 3660-4500 (exceptionally seen in San Pedro de Canta at about 2500, according to Jon Hornblu)*
- *Great Inca Finch 1000-2750 San Pedro de Canta*