

Updated Checklist of Indian Reptiles

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INTRODUCTION

Reptiles are cold-blooded animals found in almost all the parts of the world, except the very cold regions. In India, all the three living orders of reptiles have their representatives - Crocodylia (crocodiles), Testudines (turtles and tortoises) and Squamata (lizards and snakes). The diversified climate, varying vegetation and different types of soil in the country form a wide range of biotopes that support a highly diversified reptilian fauna. The Western Ghats, Eastern Himalaya, and the Andaman and Nicobar Islands are endowed with varied and unique reptilian fauna.

The monumental works on Indian reptiles are, 'The Reptiles of British India' by Gunther (1864), 'Fauna of British India - 'Reptilia and Batrachia' by Boulenger (1890) and Smith (1931, 1935, 1943). The work of Smith stood the test of time and forms the standard work on the subject. Further contributions were made by Tiwari & Biswas (1973), Sharma (1977, 1978, 1981, 1998, 2002, 2007), Murthy (1985, 1994, 2010), Das (1991, 1994, 1996, 1997, 2003), Tikedar & Sharma (1992), Das & Bauer (2000), Das & Sengupta (2000), Daniel (2002), Whitaker and Captain (2004), Sharma (2007), Thrope *et al.* (2007), Mukherjee and Bhupathy (2007), Gower and Winkler (2007), Manamendra-Arachchi *et al.* (2007), Das and Vijayakumar (2009), Giri (2008), Giri & Bauer (2008), Giri, *et al.* (2009a), Giri *et al.* (2009b), Zambre *et al.* (2009), Haralu (2010), Pook *et al.* (2009), Van Rooijen and Vogel (2009), Mahony (2009, 2010) and Venugopal (2010).

An updated checklist of 518 species of reptiles which includes 3 species of crocodiles, 34 species of turtles and tortoises, 202 species of lizards and 279 species of snakes belonging to 28 families recorded till date from India is presented here. The species present in specific ecological subregions super- scribed with alphabets 'a' to 'cc' in the checklist, is based on the work of Murthy (2010).

PHYLUM: CHORDATA

CLASS: REPTILIA

ORDER: CROCODYLIA



1. Family Crocodylidae

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| 1. <i>Crocodylus palustris</i> Lesson, 1831 | Mugger crocodile |
| 2. <i>Crocodylus porosus</i> Schneider, 1801 | Saltwater crocodile |

2. Family Gavialidae

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| 3. <i>Gavialis gangeticus</i> (Gmelin, 1789) | Gharial |
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ORDER : TESTUDINES

Suborder: Cryptodira



3. Family Bataguridae

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| 4. <i>Batagur baska</i> (Gray, 1830) | Northern River terrapin |
| 5. <i>Cuora amboinensis</i> (Daudin, 1802) | Southeast Asian box turtle |
| 6. <i>Cyclemys oldhami</i> Gray, 1863 | Oldham's leaf turtle |
| 7. <i>Cyclemys dentata</i> (Gray, 1831) | Asian leaf-turtle |
| 8. <i>Geoclemys hamiltonii</i> (Gray, 1831) | Spotted pond turtle |
| 9. <i>Vijayachelys silvatica</i> ^b (Henderson, 1912) | Cochin forest cane turtle |
| 10. <i>Hardella thurjii</i> (Gray, 1831) | Crowned river turtle |
| 11. <i>Batagur dhongoka</i> (Gray, 1832) | Three-striped roofed turtle |

12. <i>Batagur kachuga</i> (Gray,1831)	Red - crowned roofed turtle
13. <i>Melanochelys tricarinata</i> (Blyth,1856)	Tricarinate hill turtle
14. <i>Melanochelys trijuga</i> (Schweigger,1812)	Indian black turtle
15. <i>Morenia petersi</i> (Anderson, 1879)	Indian eyed turtle
16. <i>Pangshura smithii</i> Gray,1863	Brown roofed turtle
17. <i>Pangshura sylhetensis</i> Jerdon,1870	Assam roofed turtle
18. <i>Pangshura tectum</i> Gray,1830	Indian roofed turtle
19. <i>Pangshura tentoria</i> Gray,1834	Indian tent turtle
20. <i>Cuora mouhotii</i> (Gray,1862)	Keeled box turtle

4. Family Cheloniidae

21. <i>Caretta caretta</i> (Linnaeus,1758)	Loggerhead sea turtle
22. <i>Chelonia mydas</i> (Linnaeus,1758)	Green sea turtle
23. <i>Eretmochelys imbricata</i> (Linnaeus,1766)	Hawksbill sea turtle
24. <i>Lepidochelys olivacea</i> (Eschscholtz,1829)	Olive ridley sea turtle

5. Family Dermochelyidae

25. <i>Dermochelys coriacea</i> (Vandelli,1761)	Leatherback sea turtle
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6. Family Testudinidae

26. <i>Geochelone elegans</i> (Schoepff,1795)	Indian star tortoise
27. <i>Indotestudo elongata</i> (Blyth,1853)	Elongated tortoise
28. <i>Indotestudo travancorica</i> ^b (Boulenger,1907)	Travancore tortoise
29. <i>Manouria emys</i> (Schlegel & Muller, 1840)	Asian Giant tortoise

7. Family Trionychidae

30. <i>Amyda cartilaginea</i> (Boddaert,1770)	Asiatic softshell turtle
31. <i>Nilssonia gangetica</i> (Cuvier,1825)	Indian softshell turtle
32. <i>Nilssonia hurum</i> (Gray,1830)	Indian peacock softshell turtle
33. <i>Nilssonia leithii</i> ^m (Gray,1872)	Leith's softshell turtle
34. <i>Nilssonia nigricans</i> (Anderson,1875)	Black softshell turtle
35. <i>Chitra indica</i> (Gray,1830)	Indian Narrow-headed softshell turtle
36. <i>Lissemys punctata</i> (Bonnaterre,1789)	Indian flapshell turtle
37. <i>Pelochelys cantorii</i> Gray,1864	Asian giant softshell turtle

ORDER : SQUAMATA

Suborder : Sauria



8. Family Agamidae

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| 38. <i>Bronchocela cristatella</i> (Kuhl, 1820) | Green crested lizard |
| 39. <i>Bronchocela danieli</i> ^h (Tiwari & Biswas, 1973) | Daniel's forest lizard |
| 40. <i>Bronchocela jubata</i> Duméril & Bibron, 1837 | Maned forest lizard |
| 41. <i>Brachysaura minor</i> (Hardwicke & Gray, 1827) | Hardwicke's bloodsucker |
| 42. <i>Bufoinceps laungwalaensis</i> ^p (Sharma, 1978) | Laungawala toad-headed lizard |
| 43. <i>Calotes andamanensis</i> ^g Boulenger, 1891, | Green crestless forest lizard |
| 44. <i>Calotes aurantolabium</i> ^b Krishnan, 2008 | Orange-lipped forest lizard |
| 45. <i>Calotes calotes</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) | Common green forest lizard |
| 46. <i>Calotes grandisquamis</i> ^b Günther, 1875 | Large scaled forest lizard |
| 47. <i>Calotes jerdoni</i> Günther, 1871 | Jerdon's Forest Lizard |
| 48. <i>Calotes maria</i> ^r Gray, 1845 | Khasi hills forest lizard |
| 49. <i>Calotes mystaceus</i> Duméril & Bibron, 1837 | Moustached forest lizard |
| 50. <i>Calotes nemoricola</i> ^b Jerdon, 1853 | Nilgiri forest lizard |
| 51. <i>Calotes ellioti</i> ^b Günther, 1864 | Elliot's forest lizard |
| 52. <i>Calotes emma</i> Gray, 1845 | Emma Gray's forest lizard |
| 53. <i>Calotes rouxii</i> ^b Duméril & Bibron, 1837 | Roux's forest lizard |
| 54. <i>Calotes versicolor</i> (Daudin, 1812) | Indian garden lizard |
| 55. <i>Coryphophylax subcristatus</i> (Blyth, 1860) | Bay Islands forest lizard |
| 56. <i>Draco blanfordii</i> Boulenger, 1885 | Blanford's forest lizard |
| 57. <i>Draco dussumieri</i> ^b Duméril & Bibron, 1837 | South Indian flying lizard |
| 58. <i>Draco maculatus</i> Gray, 1845 | Spotted flying dragon |
| 59. <i>Japalura andersoniana</i> Annandale, 1905 | Anderson's mountain lizard |
| 60. <i>Japalura kaulbacki</i> Smith, 1937 | Smith's Japalure |

61. <i>Japalura kumaonensis</i> (Annandale, 1907)	Kumaon mountain lizard
62. <i>Japalura major</i> (Jerdon, 1870)	Large mountain lizard
63. <i>Japalura otai</i> Mahony, 2009	Ota's mountain Lizard
64. <i>Japalura planidorsata</i> ^r Jerdon, 1870	Smooth-scaled mountain lizard
65. <i>Japalura sagittifera</i> Smith, 1940	Burmese Japalure
66. <i>Japalura tricarinata</i> (Blyth, 1854)	Three-keeled mountain lizard
67. <i>Japalura variegata</i> Gray, 1853	Variegated mountain lizard
68. <i>Laudakia agrorensis</i> (Stoliczka, 1872)	Agror agama
69. <i>Laudakia dayana</i> (Stoliczka, 1871)	Haridwar agama
70. <i>Laudakia himalayana</i> (Steindachner, 1867)	Himalayan agama
71. <i>Laudakia melanura</i> Blyth, 1854	Black agama
72. <i>Laudakia tuberculata</i> (Hardwicke & Gray, 1827)	Kashmir rock agama
73. <i>Otocryptis beddomii</i> ^b Boulenger, 1885	Indian kangaroo lizard
74. <i>Oriocalotes paulus</i> ^r Smith, 1935	Small forest lizard
75. <i>Phrynocephalus theobaldi</i> Blyth, 1863	Theobald's toad-headed agama
76. <i>Psammophilus blanfordanus</i> ^e (Stoliczka, 1871)	Blanford's rock agama
77. <i>Psammophilus dorsalis</i> ^m (Griffith & Pidgeon, 1831)	South Indian rock agama
78. <i>Pseudocalotes austeniana</i> ^r (Annandale, 1908)	Abor hills agama
79. <i>Ptyctolaemus gularis</i> (Peters, 1864)	Green fan-throated lizard
80. <i>Salea anamallayana</i> ^b (Beddome, 1878)	Anaimalai spiny lizard
81. <i>Salea horsfieldii</i> ^b Gray, 1845	Horsfield's spiny lizard
82. <i>Sitana ponticeriana</i> Cuvier, 1829	Fan throated lizard
83. <i>Trapelus agilis</i> (Olivier, 1804)	Brilliant ground agama
84. <i>Trapelus megalonyx</i> Günther, 1864	Afghan ground agama

9. Family Anguidae

85. <i>Ophisaurus gracilis</i> (Gray, 1845)	Burma/ Asian glass lizard
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10. Family Chamaeleonidae

86. <i>Chamaeleo zeylanicus</i> Laurenti, 1768	Indian Chamaeleon
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11. Family Dibamidae

87. <i>Dibamus nicobaricus</i> ^h (Steindachner, 1867)	Nicobarese worm lizard
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12. Family Eublepharidae

88. <i>Eublepharis hardwickii</i> Gray, 1827	East Indian leopard gecko
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89. *Eublepharis macularius* (Blyth, 1854) Common leopard gecko
 90. *Eublepharis fuscus*^b (Borner, 1981) Leopard gecko

13. Family Gekkonidae

91. *Calodactylodes aureus*^a (Beddome, 1870) Indian golden gecko
 92. *Cnemaspis assamensis* Das & Sengupta, 2000 Assamese day gecko
 93. *Cnemaspis australis*^b Manamendra-Arachchi *et al.*, 2007
 94. *Cnemaspis beddomei*^b (Theobald, 1876) Beddome's day gecko
 95. *Cnemaspis goaensis*^b Sharma, 1976 Goan day gecko
 96. *Cnemaspis gracilis*^b (Beddome, 1870) Slender day gecko
 97. *Cnemaspis heteropholis* Bauer, 2002 Heteropholis gecko
 98. *Cnemaspis indica*^b Gray, 1846 Indian day gecko
 99. *Cnemaspis indraneildasii*^b Bauer, 2002 Indraneil's day gecko
 100. *Cnemaspis jerdonii* (Theobald, 1868) Jerdon's day gecko
 101. *Cnemaspis kolhapurensis* Giri *et al.*, 2009 Kolhapur day gecko
 102. *Cnemaspis littoralis*^b (Jerdon, 1854) Coastal day gecko
 103. *Cnemaspis mysoriensis*^b (Jerdon, 1854) Mysore day gecko
 104. *Cnemaspis monticola*^b Manamendra-Arachchi *et al.*, 2007
 105. *Cnemaspis nairi*^b Inger, Marx & Koshy, 1984 Ponmudi day gecko
 106. *Cnemaspis nilagirica*^b Manamendra-Arachchi *et al.*, 2007
 107. *Cnemaspis ornata*^b (Beddome, 1870) Ornate day gecko
 108. *Cnemaspis otai* Das & Bauer, 2000 Otai's day gecko
 109. *Cnemaspis sisparensis*^b (Theobald, 1876) Sispara day gecko
 110. *Cnemaspis tropidogaster* (Boulenger, 1885) Rough bellied day gecko
 111. *Cnemaspis wynadensis*^b (Beddome, 1870) Wynad day gecko
 112. *Cnemaspis yercaudensis*^a Das & Bauer, 2000 Yercaud day gecko
 113. *Crossobamon orientalis* (Blanford, 1875) Sind day gecko
 114. *Cyrtodactylus adleri*^h Das, 1997 Alder's bow-fingered gecko
 115. *Cyrtodactylus fasciolatus*^j (Blyth, 1860) Banded bent-toed gecko
 116. *Cyrtodactylus gubernatoris*ⁱ (Annandale, 1913) Sikkimese bent-toed gecko
 117. *Cyrtodactylus himalayanus* Duda & Sahi, 1978 Himalayan bent-toed gecko
 118. *Cyrtodactylus khasiensis* (Jerdon, 1870) Khasi hills bent-toed gecko
 119. *Cyrtodactylus lawderanus*^j (Stoliczka, 1871) Lawder's bent-toed gecko
 120. *Cyrtodactylus malcomsmithi*^l (Constable, 1949) Smith's bent-toed gecko
 121. *Cyrtodactylus mansarulus*^j Duda & Sahi, 1978 Jammu bent-toed gecko

122. <i>Cyrtodactylus rubidus</i> ^{g&h} (Blyth, 1861)	Andaman bent-toed gecko
123. <i>Cyrtodactylus stoliczkai</i> (Steindachner, 1867)	Karakoram bent-toed gecko
124. <i>Cyrtopodion aravallensis</i> ^o (Gill, 1997)	Delhi rock gecko
125. <i>Cyrtopodion kachhense</i> Stoliczka, 1872	Warty rock gecko
126. <i>Cyrtopodion montiumsalsorum</i> (Annandale, 1913)	Salt range gecko
127. <i>Cyrtopodion scabrum</i> (Heyden, 1827)	Rough-tailed gecko
128. <i>Geckoella collegalensis</i> (Beddome, 1870)	Kollegal ground gecko
129. <i>Geckoella albofasciatus</i> ^b (Boulenger,1885)	Boulenger's Indian Gecko
130. <i>Geckoella deccanensis</i> ^c (Günther, 1864)	Deccan ground gecko
131. <i>Geckoella jeyporensis</i> ^a (Beddome, 1878)	Jaipore ground gecko
132. <i>Geckoella nebulosa</i> ^a (Beddome, 1870)	Clouded ground gecko
133. <i>Gehyra mutilata</i> (Wiegmann, 1834)	Four-clawed gecko
134. <i>Gekko gekko</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	Tokay gecko
135. <i>Gekko smithii</i> Gray, 1842	Smith's giant gecko
136. <i>Gekko verreauxi</i> ^g Tytler, 1865	Andaman giant gecko
137. <i>Hemidactylus aaronbaueri</i> ^b Giri, 2008	Aaron Bauer's rock gecko
138. <i>Hemidactylus albofasciatus</i> ^b Grandison & Soman, 1963	White-banded broad-tailed gecko
139. <i>Hemidactylus anamallensis</i> ^b (Günther, 1875)	Anaimalai gecko
140. <i>Hemidactylus bowringii</i> (Gray, 1845)	Bowring gecko
141. <i>Hemidactylus brookii</i> Gray, 1845	Brook's house gecko
142. <i>Hemidactylus flaviviridis</i> Rüppell, 1835	Yellow green house gecko
143. <i>Hemidactylus frenatus</i> Duméril & Bibron, 1836	Asian house gecko
144. <i>Hemidactylus garnotii</i> Duméril & Bibron, 1836	Garnot's gecko
145. <i>Hemidactylus giganteus</i> ^{a&b} Stoliczka, 1871	Giant south Indian gecko
146. <i>Hemidactylus gracilis</i> ^v Blanford, 1870	Slender day gecko
147. <i>Hemidactylus gujaratensis</i> ^b Giri <i>et al.</i> ,2009	
148. <i>Hemidactylus imbricatus</i> Bauer <i>et al.</i> , 2008	Carrot-tail viper gecko
149. <i>Hemidactylus leschenaultii</i> Duméril & Bibron, 1836	Bark gecko
150. <i>Hemidactylus maculatus</i> Duméril & Bibron, 1836	Spotted house gecko
151. <i>Hemidactylus graniticolus</i> ^a Agarwal <i>et al.</i> , 2011	
152. <i>Hemidactylus persicus</i> Anderson, 1872	Persian gecko
153. <i>Hemidactylus platyurus</i> (Schneider, 1792)	Flat tailed gecko
154. <i>Hemidactylus porbandarensis</i> ^s Sharma, 1981	Porbandar gecko
155. <i>Hemidactylus prashadi</i> ^b Smith, 1935	Prashad's gecko

156. *Hemidactylus reticulatus*^{a&b} Beddome, 1870 Reticulated gecko
 157. *Hemidactylus sataransensis*^b Giri & Bauer, 2008
 158. *Hemidactylus scabriceps* (Annandale, 1906) Scaly gecko
 159. *Hemidactylus triedrus* (Daudin, 1802) Termite hill gecko
 160. *Hemidactylus treutleri* Mahony, 2009
 161. *Hemiphyllodactylus aurantiacus*^{a&b} (Beddome, 1870) Western Ghats worm gecko
 162. *Hemiphyllodactylus typus* Bleeker, 1860 Oriental worm gecko
 163. *Lepidodactylus lugubris* (Duméril & Bibron, 1836) Mourning gecko
 164. *Phelsuma andamanense*^b Blyth, 1861 (1860) Andaman day gecko
 165. *Ptychozoon kuhli* (Stejneger, 1902) Kuhl's gliding gecko
 166. *Ptychozoon lionotum* Annandale, 1905 Smooth-backed gliding gecko
 167. *Ptychozoon nicobarensis*^h Das & Vijayakumar, 2009 Nicobar gliding gecko

14. Family Lacertidae

168. *Acanthodactylus cantoris* Günther, 1864 Indian fringe-fingered lizard
 169. *Mesalina watsonana* (Stoliczka, 1872) Persian long-tailed lizard
 170. *Ophisops beddomei*^{f&b} (Jerdon, 1870) Beddome's lacerta
 171. *Ophisops jerdoni* Blyth, 1853 Snake-eyed lacerta
 172. *Ophisops leschenaultii* (Milne-Edwards, 1829) Leschenault's lacerta
 173. *Ophisops microlepis*^u Blanford, 1870 Small-scaled lacerta
 174. *Ophisops minor* Deraniyagala, 1971 Lesser snake-eyed lacerta
 175. *Takydromus haughtonianus* (Jerdon, 1870) Haughton's long-tailed lizard
 176. *Takydromus khasiensis* (Boulenger, 1917) Kashi hills long-tailed lizard
 177. *Takydromus sexlineatus* Daudin, 1802 Six-lined long-tailed lizard

15. Family Scincidae

178. *Ablepharus grayanus* (Stoliczka, 1872) Dwarf earless skink
 179. *Ablepharus pannonicus* (Fitzinger, 1823) Asian snake-eyed skink
 180. *Asymblepharus ladacensis* (Günther, 1864) Ladakh ground skink
 181. *Asymblepharus himalayanus* (Günther, 1864) Himalaya ground skink
 182. *Asymblepharus sikkimensis* (Blyth, 1854) Sikkim ground skink
 183. *Barkudia insularis*^{cc} Annandale, 1917 Madras spotted skink
 184. *Barkudia melanosticta*^z (Schneider, 1801) Barkuda limbless skink

185.	<i>Dasia nicobarensis</i> ^h Biswas & Sanyal, 1977	Nicobar tree skink
186.	<i>Dasia olivacea</i> Gray, 1839	Olive tree skink
187.	<i>Dasia subcaeruleum</i> ^b (Boulenger, 1891)	Blue-bellied tree skink
188.	<i>Eurylepis poonaensis</i> (Sharma, 1970)	Poona skink
189.	<i>Eurylepis taeniolatus</i> Blyth, 1854	Yellow- bellied mole skink
190.	<i>Eutropis allapallensis</i> ^w (Schmidt, 1926)	Allapalli grass skink
191.	<i>Eutropis andamanensis</i> ^{g&h} (Smith, 1935)	Andaman Islands grassskink
192.	<i>Eutropis beddomii</i> (Jerdon, 1870)	Beddome's grass skink
193.	<i>Eutropis bibronii</i> (Gray, 1838)	Bibron's seashore skink
194.	<i>Eutropis carinata</i> (Schneider, 1801)	Common keeled skink
195.	<i>Eutropis clivicola</i> ^b (Inger <i>et al.</i> ,1984)	Mountain skink
196.	<i>Eutropis dissimilis</i> (Hallowell, 1857)	Striped grass skink
197.	<i>Eutropis gansi</i> ^b (Das, 1991)	Gans'grass skink
198.	<i>Eutropis innotata</i> ^q (Blanford, 1870)	Blanford's grass skink
199.	<i>Eutropis macularia</i> (Blyth, 1853)	Bronze grass skink
200.	<i>Eutropis multifasciata</i> (Kuhl, 1820)	Many- lined grass skink
201.	<i>Eutropis nagarjuni</i> ^y (Sharma, 1969)	Nagarjunasagar grass skink
202.	<i>Eutropis quadricarinata</i> ^r (Boulenger, 1887)	Four-keeled grass skink
203.	<i>Eutropis rudis</i> (Boulenger, 1887)	Lined grass skink
204.	<i>Eutropis rugifera</i> (Stoliczka, 1870)	Rough-scaled skink
205.	<i>Eutropis trivittata</i> ^e (Hardwicke & Gray, 1827)	Three-lined grass skink
206.	<i>Eutropis tytlerii</i> ^g (Tytler in Theobald, 1868)	Tytler's grass skink
207.	<i>Lipinia macrotympanum</i> ^g (Stoliczka, 1873)	Big-eared lipinia
208.	<i>Lygosoma albopunctata</i> (Gray, 1846)	White-spotted supple skink
209.	<i>Lygosoma ashwamedhi</i> ^{aa} (Sharma, 1969)	Ashwamedha supple skink
210.	<i>Lygosoma bowringii</i> (Günther, 1864)	Bowring's supple skink
211.	<i>Lygosoma goaensis</i> ^{bb} (Sharma, 1976)	Goan supple skink
212.	<i>Lygosoma guentheri</i> ^c (Peters, 1879)	Günther's supple skink
213.	<i>Lygosoma lineata</i> ^c (Gray, 1839)	Lined supple skink
214.	<i>Lygosoma pruthi</i> ^a (Sharma, 1977)	Pruth's supple skink
215.	<i>Lygosoma punctata</i> (Gmelin, 1799)	Spotted supple skink
216.	<i>Lygosoma vosmaerii</i> (Gray, 1839)	Vosmaer'supple skink
217.	<i>Novoeumeces schneideri</i> Daudin, 1802	Schneider's skink
218.	<i>Ophiomorus raithmai</i> Anderson & Leviton, 1966	Eastern sand swimmer

219.	<i>Ristella beddomii</i> ^b Boulenger, 1887	Beddome's cat skink
220.	<i>Ristella guentheri</i> ^b Boulenger, 1887	Günther's cat skink
221.	<i>Ristella rurkii</i> ^b Gray, 1839	Rurk's cat skink
222.	<i>Ristella travancoricus</i> ^b (Beddome, 1870)	Travancore cat skink
223.	<i>Kaestlea beddomii</i> (Boulenger, 1887)	Beddome's ground skink
224.	<i>Kaestlea bilineata</i> ^b (Gray, 1846)	Two-lined ground skink
225.	<i>Kaestlea laterimaculata</i> (Boulenger, 1887)	Side-spotted ground skink
226.	<i>Kaestlea palnica</i> ^b (Boettger, 1892)	Palni hills ground skink
227.	<i>Kaestlea travancorica</i> ^b (Beddome, 1870)	Travancore ground skink
228.	<i>Scincella macrotis</i> (Steindachner, 1867)	Large- eared ground skink
229.	<i>Sepsophis punctatus</i> ^a Beddome, 1870	Spotted Eastern Ghats skink
230.	<i>Sphenomorphus courcyanum</i> (Annandale, 1912)	Rotung litter skink
231.	<i>Sphenomorphus dussumieri</i> (Duméril & Bibron, 1839)	Dussumier's litter skink
232.	<i>Sphenomorphus indicus</i> (Gray, 1853)	Himalayan litter skink
233.	<i>Sphenomorphus maculatus</i> (Blyth, 1853)	Spotted litter skink
234.	<i>Tropidophorus assamensis</i> Annandale, 1912	North-eastern water snake

16. Family Uromastycidae

235.	<i>Uromastyx hardwickii</i> Gray, 1827	Spiny- tailed lizard
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17. Family Varanidae

236.	<i>Varanus bengalensis</i> (Daudin, 1802)	Bengal monitor
237.	<i>Varanus flavescens</i> (Hardwicke & Gray, 1827)	Yellow monitor
238.	<i>Varanus griseus</i> (Daudin, 1803)	Desert monitor
239.	<i>Varanus salvator</i> (Laurenti, 1768)	Water monitor

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18. Family Typhlopidae

240.	<i>Ramphotyphlops braminus</i> (Daudin, 1803)	Brahminy worm snake
241.	<i>Typhlops porrectus</i> Stoliczka, 1871	Slender worm snake
242.	<i>Typhlops pammeces</i> ^x Günther, 1864	Günther's worm snake
243.	<i>Typhlops thurstoni</i> ^b Boettger, 1890	Thurston's worm snake
244.	<i>Typhlops jerdoni</i> Boulenger, 1890	Jerdon's worm snake
245.	<i>Typhlops tenuicollis</i> (Peters, 1864)	Slender-necked worm snake
246.	<i>Typhlops diardii</i> Schlegel, 1839	Diard's worm snake
247.	<i>Typhlops muelleri</i> Schlegel, 1839	Muller's worm snake
248.	<i>Typhlops oatesii</i> ^g Boulenger, 1890	Oates' worm snake
249.	<i>Typhlops bothriorhynchus</i> Günther, 1864	Assam worm snake
250.	<i>Typhlops tindalli</i> ^b Smith, 1943	Tindall's worm snake
251.	<i>Typhlops beddomei</i> ^{a&b} Boulenger, 1890	Beddome's worm snake
252.	<i>Typhlops oligolepis</i> ⁱ Wall, 1909	Wall's worm snake
253.	<i>Typhlops andamanensis</i> ^g Stoliczka, 1871	Andaman worm snake
254.	<i>Typhlops exiguus</i> Jan, 1864	Jan's worm snake
255.	<i>Typhlops loveridgei</i> Constable, 1949	Loveridge's worm snake
256.	<i>Typhlops meszoelyi</i> ^r Wallach, 1999	Darjeeling worm snake
257.	<i>Grypotyphlops acutus</i> ^m (Duméril & Bibron, 1844)	Beaked worm snake

19. Family Leptotyphlopidae

258.	<i>Leptotyphlops blanfordii</i> (Boulenger, 1890)	Sindh thread snake
	<i>Leptotyphlops b. blanfordii</i> (Boulenger, 1890)	Blanford's thread snake

20. Family Uropeltidae

259.	<i>Melanophidium punctatum</i> ^b Beddome, 1871	Pied-belly shieldtail
260.	<i>Melanophidium bilineatum</i> ^b Beddome, 1870	Yellow-striped shieldtail
261.	<i>Melanophidium wynaudente</i> ^b (Beddome, 1863)	Wynad shieldtail
262.	<i>Platyplectrurus trilineatus</i> ^b (Beddome, 1867)	Three-lined shieldtail
263.	<i>Platyplectrurus madurensis</i> Beddome, 1877	Madurai shieldtail
264.	<i>Teretrurus sanguineus</i> ^b (Beddome, 1867)	Western shieldtail
265.	<i>Brachyophidium rhodogaster</i> ^b Wall, 1921	Wall's shieldtail
266.	<i>Plectrurus aureus</i> ^b Beddome, 1880	Golden shieldtail
267.	<i>Plectrurus canaricus</i> ^b (Beddome, 1870)	Kanara shieldtail
268.	<i>Plectrurus guentheri</i> ^b Beddome, 1863	Purple shieldtail

269.	<i>Plectrurus perroteti</i> ^b Dum.Bibr. & Duméril,1854	Perrotet's shieldtail
270.	<i>Uropeltis bicatenata</i> ^b (Günther, 1864)	Bicatenate shieldtail
271.	<i>Uropeltis ellioti</i> ^{a&b} (Gray,1858)	Elliot's shieldtail
272.	<i>Uropeltis nitida</i> ^b (Beddome, 1878)	Cochin shieldtail
273.	<i>Uropeltis ocellata</i> ^b (Beddome, 1863)	Nilgiri shieldtail
274.	<i>Uropeltis dindigalensis</i> ^b (Beddome, 1877)	Dindigul shieldtail
275.	<i>Uropeltis beddomii</i> ^b (Günther,1862)	Beddome's shieldtail
276.	<i>Uropeltis macrorhyncha</i> ^b (Beddome, 1877)	Anamalai shieldtail
277.	<i>Uropeltis woodmasoni</i> ^b (Theobald,1876)	Black-bellied shieldtail
278.	<i>Uropeltis macrolepis</i> ^b (Peters,1862)	Large-scaled shieldtail
	<i>Uropeltis macrolepis macrolepis</i> (Peters,1862)	Bombay shieldtail
	<i>Uropeltis m. mahableshwarensis</i> Chari,1955	Mahableshwar shieldtail
279.	<i>Uropeltis ceylanica</i> ^b Cuvier, 1829	Kerala shieldtail
280.	<i>Uropeltis arcticeps</i> ^b (Günther, 1875)	Thirunelveli shieldtail
	<i>Uropeltis a. arcticeps</i> (Günther, 1875)	Thirunelveli shieldtail
	<i>Uropeltis arcticeps madurensis</i> (Beddome, 1878)	Periyar shieldtail
281.	<i>Uropeltis rubromaculata</i> ^b (Beddome, 1867)	Red-spotted shieldtail
282.	<i>Uropeltis rubrolineata</i> ^b (Günther, 1875)	Red-lined shieldtail
283.	<i>Uropeltis phipsonii</i> ^b (Mason, 1888)	Phipson's shieldtail
284.	<i>Uropeltis myhendrae</i> ^b (Beddome, 1886)	Barred shieldtail
285.	<i>Uropeltis broughami</i> ^b (Beddome, 1878)	Sirumalai shieldtail
286.	<i>Uropeltis maculata</i> ^b (Beddome, 1878)	Red- sided shieldtail
287.	<i>Uropeltis petersi</i> ^b (Beddome, 1878)	Peter's shieldtail
288.	<i>Uropeltis liura</i> ^b (Günther, 1875)	Ashambu shieldtail
289.	<i>Uropeltis pulneyensis</i> ^b (Beddome, 1863)	Palni shieldtail
290.	<i>Uropeltis smithi</i> ^b Gans,1966	Violet shieldtail
291.	<i>Rhinophis sanguineus</i> ^b Beddome, 1863	Red-bellied shieldtail
292.	<i>Rhinophis fergusonianus</i> ^b Boulenger, 1892	Cardamom shieldtail
293.	<i>Rhinophis travancoricus</i> ^b Boulenger,1892	Travancore shieldtail

21. Family Xenopeltidae

294.	<i>Xenopeltis unicolor</i> Boie,1827	Sunbeam snake
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22. Family Pythonidae

295.	<i>Python molurus</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	Rock python
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	<i>Python m. molurus</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	Indian rock python
	<i>Python m bivittatus</i> Kuhl, 1820	Burmese python
296.	<i>Python reticulatus</i> (Schneider, 1801)	Reticulated python

23. Family Boidae

297.	<i>Gongylophis conicus</i> (Schneider,1801)	Common sand boa
	<i>Gongylophis conicus conicus</i> (Schneider, 1801)	
298.	<i>Eryx johnii</i> (Russell,1801)	Red sand boa
	<i>Eryx johnii johnii</i> (Russell, 1801)	Eastern red sand boa
299.	<i>Eryx whitakeri</i> ^b Das,1991	Whitaker's boa

24. Family Acrochordidae

300.	<i>Acrochordus granulatus</i> (Schneider,1799)	File snake
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25. Family Colubridae

301.	<i>Pareas macularius</i> Theobald,1868	Darjeeling snail-eater
302.	<i>Pareas monticola</i> (Cantor,1839)	Assam snail-eater
303.	<i>Stoliczka khasiensis</i> Jerdon,1870	Khasi earth snake
304.	<i>Elaphe prasina</i> (Blyth,1854)	Green trinket snake
305.	<i>Elaphe frenata</i> (Gray,1853)	Khasi hills trinket snake
306.	<i>Gonyosoma oxycephalum</i> (Boie,1827)	Red-tailed trinket snake
307.	<i>Coelognathus radiatus</i> Boie, 1827	Copper-headed trinket snake
308.	<i>Coelognathus flavolineatus</i> (Schlegel,1837)	Black-tailed trinket snake
309.	<i>Coelognathus helena helena</i> (Daudin,1803)	Common trinket snake
	<i>Coelognathus helena monticollaris</i> ^b (Schulz,1992)	Montane trinket snake
310.	<i>Orthriophis taeniurus</i> (Cope,1861)	Striped trinket snake
	<i>Orthriophis taeniurus yunnanensis</i> (Anderson,1879)	Yunnan-striped trinket snake
311.	<i>Orthriophis hodgsonii</i> (Günther,1860)	Himalayan trinket snake
312.	<i>Orthriophis cantoris</i> (Cantor,1839)	Eastern trinket snake
313.	<i>Oreocryptophis porphyraceus</i> (Cantor, 1839)	Banded trinket snake
	<i>Oreocryptophis p. porphyraceus</i> (Cantor, 1839)	Western-banded trinket snake
314.	<i>Euprepiophis mandarinus</i> (Canter,1840)	Mandarin trinket snake
315.	<i>Ptyas mucosa</i> (Linnaeus,1758)	Indian Rat snake
316.	<i>Ptyas korros</i> (Schlegel,1837)	Indo-Chinese Rat snake
317.	<i>Ptyas nigromarginata</i> (Blyth,1854)	Green Rat snake

318.	<i>Platyceps ventromaculatus</i> (Gray,1834)	Glossy-bellied racer
319.	<i>Platyceps rhodorachis</i> (Jan,1865)	Jan's cliff racer
320.	<i>Argyrogena fasciolata</i> (Shaw,1802)	Banded racer
321.	<i>Coluber gracilis</i> ^{f&b} (Günther,1862)	Slender racer
322.	<i>Coluber vittacaudatus</i> Blyth,1854	Darjeeling racer
323.	<i>Coluber bholanathi</i> ^a Sharma,1976	Nagarjunasagar racer
324.	<i>Spalerosophis diadema</i> (Sehlegel,1837)	Blotched royal snake
325.	<i>Spalerosophis atriceps</i> (Fischer,1885)	Black-headed royal snake
326.	<i>Spalerosophis arenarius</i> (Boulenger,1890)	Red-spotted royal snake
327.	<i>Cyclophiops doriae</i> (Boulenger,1888)	Green snake
328.	<i>Liopeltis frenatus</i> (Günther,1858)	Günther's stripe-necked snake
329.	<i>Liopeltis stoliczkae</i> (Sclater,1891)	Stoliczka's stripe-necked snake
330.	<i>Liopeltis calamaria</i> (Günther,1858)	Lesser stripe-necked snake
331.	<i>Gongylosoma nicobariense</i> ^h (Stoliczka,1870)	Nicobar stripe-necked snake
332.	<i>Liopeltis rappii</i> (Günther,1860)	Himalayan stripe-necked snake
333.	<i>Lytorhynchus paradoxus</i> (Günther, 1875)	Sind Awl- headed snake
334.	<i>Coronella brachyura</i> ^f (Günther, 1866)	Indian smooth snake
335.	<i>Oligodon cyclurus</i> (Cantor,1839)	Cantor's kukri snake
	<i>Oligodon cyclurus cyclurus</i> (Cantor, 1839)	Cantor's kukri snake
336.	<i>Oligodon kheriensis</i> Acharji & Ray,1936	Coral kukri snake
337.	<i>Oligodon juglandifer</i> ⁱ (Wall,1909)	Darjeeling kukri snake
338.	<i>Oligodon albocinctus</i> (Cantor,1839)	White-barred kukri snake
339.	<i>Oligodon melanozonatus</i> ^r (Wall, 1922)	Wall's kukri snake
340.	<i>Oligodon cinereus</i> (Günther,1864)	Black-barred kukri snake
341.	<i>Oligodon woodmasoni</i> ^{g&h} (Sclater,1891)	Yellow-striped kukri snake
342.	<i>Oligodon theobaldi</i> (Günther,1868)	Mandalay kukri snake
343.	<i>Oligodon venustus</i> ^b (Jerdon,1853)	Black-spotted kukri snake
344.	<i>Oligodon travancoricus</i> ^b Beddome,1877	Travancore kukri snake
345.	<i>Oligodon taeniolatus</i> (Jerdon,1853)	Russell's kukri snake
	<i>Oligodon taeniolatus fasciatus</i> (Günther, 1864)	Indian streaked kukri snake
346.	<i>Oligodon arnensis</i> (Shaw,1802)	Common kukri snake
347.	<i>Oligodon erythrorhachis</i> ^r Wall,1910	Red-striped kukri snake
348.	<i>Oligodon melaneus</i> ⁱ Wall,1909	Black kukri snake
349.	<i>Oligodon affinis</i> ^b Günther 1862	Western kukri snake

350.	<i>Oligodon breviceaudus</i> ^b (Günther, 1862)	Striped kukri snake
351.	<i>Oligodon erythrogaster</i> Boulenger, 1907	Red-bellied kukri snake
352.	<i>Oligodon catenatus</i> (Blyth, 1854)	North–eastern kukri snake
353.	<i>Oligodon dorsalis</i> (Gray & Hardwicke, 1834)	Spot-tailed kukri snake
354.	<i>Oligodon nikhili</i> ^b Whitaker & Dattatri, 1982	Nikhil’s kukri snake
355.	<i>Calamaria pavementata</i> Duméril <i>et al.</i> , 1854.	Collared reed snake
356.	<i>Dendrelaphis ashoki</i> ^b Rooijen & Vogel, 2011	Ashok’s bronzeback tree snake
357.	<i>Dendrelaphis pictus</i> (Gmelin, 1789)	Painted bronzeback tree snake
358.	<i>Dendrelaphis andamanensis</i> ^g (Adderson, 1871)	Andaman painted bronzeback tree snake
359.	<i>Dendrelaphis chairecaeos</i> (Boie, 1827)	
360.	<i>Dendrelaphis cyanochloris</i> (Wall, 1921)	Green bronzeback tree snake
361.	<i>Dendrelaphis grandoculis</i> ^b (Boulenger, 1890)	Large-eyed bronzeback tree snake
362.	<i>Dendrelaphis gorei</i> (Wall, 1910)	Himalayan bronzeback tree snake
363.	<i>Dendrelaphis tristis</i> (Daudin, 1803)	Common bronzeback tree snake
364.	<i>Dendrelaphis subocularis</i> (Boulenger, 1888)	Mountain bronzeback tree snake
365.	<i>Dendrelaphis humayuni</i> ^h Tiwari & Biswas, 1973	Nicobar bronzeback tree snake
366.	<i>Chrysopelea ornata</i> (Shaw, 1802)	Ornate flying snake
	<i>Chrysopelea ornata ornata</i> (Shaw, 1802)	Indian Ornate flying snake
	<i>Chrysopelea ornata ornatissima</i> Werner, 1925	Southeast Asian flying snake
367.	<i>Chrysopelea paradisi</i> Boie, 1827	Paradise flying snake
	<i>Chrysopelea paradisi paradisi</i> Boie, 1827	Paradise flying snake
368.	<i>Lycodon travancoricus</i> ^e (Beddome, 1870)	Travancore wolf snake
369.	<i>Lycodon laoensis</i> (Günther, 1864)	Laotian wolf snake
370.	<i>Lycodon jara</i> (Shaw, 1802),	Yellow-speckled wolf snake
371.	<i>Lycodon striatus</i> (Shaw, 1802),	Barred wolf snake
	<i>Lycodon striatus striatus</i> (Shaw, 1802)	Northern barred wolf snake
372.	<i>Lycodon flavicollis</i> ^b Mukherjee & Bhupathy, 2007	Yellow-collared wolf snake
373.	<i>Lycodon flavomaculatus</i> ^d (Wall, 1907)	Yellow-spotted wolf snake
374.	<i>Lycodon mackinnoni</i> ^j (Wall, 1906)	Mackinnon’s wolf snake
375.	<i>Lycodon aulicus</i> (Linnaeus, 1754),	Common wolf snake
376.	<i>Lycodon capucinus</i> Boie, 1827	Oriental wolf snake
377.	<i>Lycodon fasciatus</i> (Anderson, 1870)	Banded wolf snake
378.	<i>Lycodon tiwarii</i> ^{g&h} Biswas & Sanyal, 1965	Tiwari’s wolf snake
379.	<i>Lycodon zawi</i> Slowinski <i>et al.</i> , 2001	Zaw’s wolf snake

380.	<i>Dinodon septentrionalis</i> (Günther,1875),	Günther's false wolf snake
381.	<i>Dinodon gammiei</i> ¹ (Blanford,1878),	Sikkim false wolf snake
382.	<i>Dryocalamus nympha</i> (Daudin,1803),	Bridal snake
383.	<i>Dryocalamus gracilis</i> (Günther,1864),	Slender bridal snake
384.	<i>Sibynophis collaris</i> (Gray,1853),	Collared black-headed snake
385.	<i>Sibynophis subpunctatus</i> (Duméril <i>et al.</i> , 1854)	Dumeril's black-headed snake
386.	<i>Sibynophis bistrigatus</i> (Günther,1868)	Pegu black-headed snake
387.	<i>Sibynophis sagittarius</i> (Cantor, 1839)	Cantor's black-headed snake
388.	<i>Amphiesma venningi</i> (Wall,1910)	Venning's keelback
389.	<i>Amphiesma parallelum</i> (Boulenger,1890)	Boulenger's striped keelback
390.	<i>Amphiesma nicobarense</i> ^h (Sclater,1891)	Nicobar keelback
391.	<i>Amphiesma khasiense</i> (Boulenger,1890)	Khasi hills keelback
392.	<i>Amphiesma modesta</i> (Günther,1875)	Günther's keelback
393.	<i>Amphiesma pealii</i> ^r (Sclater,1891)	Peal's keelback
394.	<i>Amphiesma xenura</i> (Wall,1907)	Cherrapunji keelback
395.	<i>Amphiesma stolatum</i> (Linnaeus,1758)	Striped keelback
396.	<i>Amphiesma platyceps</i> (Blyth,1854)	Himalayan mountain keelback
397.	<i>Amphiesma beddomei</i> ^b (Günther,1864)	Beddome's keelback
398.	<i>Amphiesma monticola</i> ^b (Jerdon,1853)	Hill keelback
399.	<i>Amphiesma sieboldii</i> (Günther,1860)	Siebold's keelback
400.	<i>Xenochrophis cerasogaster</i> (Cantor,1839)	Dark-bellied marsh snake
401.	<i>Xenochrophis punctulatus</i> (Günther,1858)	Spotted keelback
402.	<i>Xenochrophis piscator</i> (Schneider,1799)	Checkered keelback
403.	<i>Xenochrophis sanctijohannis</i> (Boulenger,1890)	St.John's keelback
404.	<i>Xenochrophis flavipunctatus</i> (Hallowell,1860)	Yellow-spotted keelback
	<i>Xenochrophis f. flavipunctatus</i> (Hallowell,1860)	Yellow-spotted keelback
405.	<i>Xenochrophis melanzostus</i> (Gravenhorst,1807)	Andamans keelback
406.	<i>Xenochrophis trianguligerus</i> (Boie,1827)	Triangle-spotted keelback
407.	<i>Sinonatrix p. percarinata</i> (Boulenger,1899)	Chinese keelback
408.	<i>Rhabdophis himalayanus</i> (Günther,1864)	Himalayan Keelback
409.	<i>Rhabdophis subminiatus</i> (Schlegel,1837)	Red-necked keelback
410.	<i>Pseudoxenodon macrops</i> (Blyth,1854)	False cobra
	<i>Pseudoxenodon m. macrops</i> (Blyth, 1854)	False cobra
411.	<i>Macrophistodon plumbicolor</i> (Cantor,1839)	Green keelback

	<i>Macrophistodon p. plumbicolor</i> (Cantor, 1839)	Green keelback
412.	<i>Atrretium schistosum</i> (Daudin,1803)	Olive keelback water snake
413.	<i>Trachischium monticola</i> (Cantor,1839)	Assam oriental slender snake
414.	<i>Trachischium fuscum</i> (Blyth,1854)	Darjeeling oriental slender snake
415.	<i>Trachischium guentheri</i> (Boulenger,1890)	Günther's oriental slender snake
416.	<i>Trachischium tenuiceps</i> (Blyth,1854)	Orange-bellied oriental slender snake
417.	<i>Trachischium laeve</i> ^j Peracca, 1904	Olive oriental slender snake
418.	<i>Rhabdops olivaceus</i> ^b (Beddome,1863)	Olive forest snake
419.	<i>Rhabdops bicolor</i> (Blyth,1854)	Yellow-bellied forest snake
420.	<i>Blythia reticulata</i> (Blyth,1854)	Iridescent snake
421.	<i>Xylophis captaini</i> ^b Gower & Winkler, 2007	Captain's wood snake
422.	<i>Xylophis perroteti</i> ^b (Duméril <i>et al.</i> , 1854)	Striped narrow-headed Snake
423.	<i>Xylophis stenorhynchus</i> ^b (Günther, 1875)	Günther's narrow-headed Snake
424.	<i>Boiga multomaculata</i> (Boie,1827)	Large-spotted cat snake
425.	<i>Boiga ochracea</i> (Günther,1868)	Tawny cat snake
	<i>Boiga o. ochracea</i> (Günther, 1868)	Common tawny cat snake
	<i>Boiga o. stoliczkae</i> (Wall, 1909)	Stoliczka's tawny cat snake
	<i>Boiga o. walli</i> (Smith, 1943)	Wall's tawny cat snake
426.	<i>Boiga trigonata</i> (Bechstein,1802)	Common cat snake
	<i>Boiga t. trigonata</i> (Bechstein, 1802)	Common Indian cat snake
427.	<i>Boiga gokool</i> (Gray,1834)	Eastern cat snake
428.	<i>Boiga ceylonensis</i> (Günther,1858)	Ceylon cat snake
429.	<i>Boiga beddomei</i> (Wall,1909)	Beddome's cat snake
430.	<i>Boiga nuchalis</i> (Günther,1875)	Collared cat snake
431.	<i>Boiga andamanensis</i> ^g (Wall,1909)	Andaman cat snake
432.	<i>Boiga quincunciata</i> (Wall,1908)	Assam cat snake
433.	<i>Boiga cyanea</i> (Duméril <i>et al.</i> , 1854)	Green cat snake
434.	<i>Boiga multifasciata</i> (Blyth,1861)	Many-banded cat snake
435.	<i>Boiga ocellata</i> Kroon,1973	Eyed cat snake
436.	<i>Boiga forsteni</i> (Duméril <i>et al.</i> ,1854)	Forsten's cat snake
437.	<i>Boiga dightoni</i> ^b (Boulenger,1894)	Travancore cat snake
438.	<i>Boiga wallachi</i> ^h Das,1997	Nicobar cat snake
439.	<i>Psammophis schokari</i> (Forskål,1775)	Afro –Asian sand snake
440.	<i>Psammophis condanarus</i> (Merrem,1820)	Condanarus sand snake

441.	<i>Psammophis longifrons</i> [†] Boulenger,1896	Stout sand snake
442.	<i>Psammophis leithii</i> (Günther,1869)	Leith's sand snake
443.	<i>Psammodynastes pulverulentus</i> (Boie,1827)	Mock viper
444.	<i>Ahaetulla perroteti</i> ^b (Duméril <i>et al.</i> ,1854)	Bronze-headed vine snake
445.	<i>Ahaetulla dispar</i> ^b (Günther, 1864)	Günther's vine snake
446.	<i>Ahaetulla fronticincta</i> (Günther,1858)	River vine snake
447.	<i>Ahaetulla prasina</i> (Boie,1827)	Short-nosed vine snake
	<i>Ahaetulla p. prasina</i> (Boie, 1827)	Short-nosed vine snake
448.	<i>Ahaetulla nasuta</i> (Lacepede,1789)	Common vine snake
449.	<i>Ahaetulla pulverulenta</i> (Duméril <i>et al.</i> ,1854)	Brown vine snake
450.	<i>Enhydris plumbea</i> (Boie,1827)	Plumbeous smooth-scaled water snake
451.	<i>Enhydris enhydris</i> (Schneider,1799)	Common smooth-scaled water snake
452.	<i>Enhydris dussumieri</i> ^b (Duméril <i>et al.</i> , 1854)	Dussumier's smooth scale water snake
453.	<i>Enhydris sieboldii</i> (Schlegel,1837)	Siebold's smooth-scaled water snake
454.	<i>Cerberus rynchops</i> (Schneider,1799)	Dog-faced water snake
455.	<i>Gerarda prevostiana</i> (Eydoux & Gervais, 1822)	Glossy marsh snake
456.	<i>Fordonia leucobalia</i> (Schlegel,1837)	Crab-eating water snake
457.	<i>Cantoria violacea</i> Girard,1857	Yellow-banded mangrove snake
458.	<i>Elachistodon westermanni</i> Reinhardt, 1863	Indian egg-eating snake

26. Family Elapidae

459.	<i>Bungarus bungaroides</i> (Cantor,1839)	Himalayan krait
460.	<i>Bungarus fasciatus</i> (Schneider,1801)	Banded krait
461.	<i>Bungarus caeruleus</i> (Schneider,1801)	Common Indian krait
462.	<i>Bungarus sindanus</i> Boulenger,1897	Sindh krait
	<i>Bungarus s. sindanus</i> Boulenger, 1897	Common sindh krait
	<i>Bungarus sindanus walli</i> Wall, 1908	Wall's sindh krait
463.	<i>Bungarus andamanensis</i> ^g Biswas&Sanyal,1978	Andaman krait
464.	<i>Bungarus niger</i> Wall,1908	Black krait
465.	<i>Bungarus lividus</i> Cantor,1839	Lesser black krait
466.	<i>Calliophis melanurus</i> (Shaw,1802)	Slender coral snake
	<i>Calliophis m. melanurus</i> (Shaw, 1802)	Indian slender coral snake
467.	<i>Calliophis nigrescens</i> ^b (Günther,1862)	Striped coral snake

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| 468. | <i>Calliophis bibroni</i> ^b (Jan,1858) | Bibron's coral snake |
| 469. | <i>Calliophis beddomei</i> ^b Smith ,1943 | Beddome's coral snake |
| 470. | <i>Sinomicrurus macclellandi</i> (Reinhardt,1844) | MacClelland's coral snake |
| | <i>Sinomicrurus m. macclellandi</i> (Reinhardt, 1844) | MacClelland's coral snake |
| | <i>Sinomicrurus m. univirgatus</i> (Gunther, 1858) | MacClelland's one-lined coral snake |
| 471. | <i>Naja naja</i> (Linnaeus,1758) | Spectacled cobra |
| 472. | <i>Naja kaouthia</i> Lesson,1831 | Monocled cobra |
| 473. | <i>Naja sagittifera</i> ^g Wall,1913 | Andaman cobra |
| 474. | <i>Naja oxiana</i> (Eichwald,1831) | Central Asian cobra |
| 475. | <i>Ophiophagus hannah</i> (Cantor,1836) | King cobra |

27. Family Hydrophiidae

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| 476. | <i>Laticauda laticaudata</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) | Common sea krait |
| 477. | <i>Laticauda colubrina</i> (Schneider,1799) | Yellow-lipped sea krait |
| 478. | <i>Kerilia jerdonii</i> (Gray, 1849) | Jordon's sea snake |
| | <i>Kerilia j. jerdoni</i> (Gray, 1849) | |
| 479. | <i>Praescutata viperina</i> (Schmidt,1852) | Viperine sea snake |
| 480. | <i>Enhydrina schistosa</i> (Daudin, 1803) | Hook-nosed sea snake |
| 481. | <i>Hydrophis nigrocinctus</i> Daudin,1803 | Black-banded sea snake |
| 482. | <i>Hydrophis spiralis</i> (Shaw, 1802) | Yellow sea snake |
| 483. | <i>Hydrophis cyanocinctus</i> Daudin, 1803 | Annulated sea snake |
| 484. | <i>Hydrophis obscurus</i> Daudin,1803 | Estuarine sea snake |
| 485. | <i>Hydrophis stricticollis</i> Günther, 1864 | Bengal sea snake |
| 486. | <i>Hydrophis ornatus</i> (Gray,1842) | Cochin-banded sea snake |
| | <i>Hydrophis o. ornatus</i> (Gray, 1842) | Ornate sea snake |
| 487. | <i>Hydrophis lapemoides</i> (Gray, 1849) | Persian Gulf sea snake |
| 488. | <i>Hydrophis mammilaris</i> (Daudin, 1803) | Bombay Gulf sea snake |
| 489. | <i>Hydrophis caerulescens</i> (Shaw, 1802) | Malacca sea snake |
| 490. | <i>Hydrophis fasciatus</i> (Schneider, 1799) | Banded sea snake |
| | <i>Hydrophis f. fasciatus</i> (Schneider, 1799) | Striped sea snake |
| 491. | <i>Lapemis curtus</i> (Shaw, 1802) | Short sea snake |
| 492. | <i>Astrotia stokesii</i> (Gray, 1846) | Large-headed sea snake |
| 493. | <i>Hydrophis gracilis</i> (Shaw,1802) | Common small-headed sea snake |
| 494. | <i>Hydrophis cantoris</i> Günther,1864 | Cantor's narrow -headed sea snake |
| 495. | <i>Pelamis platura</i> (Linnaeus,1766) | Black and yellow sea snake |

28. Family Viperidae

496.	<i>Daboia russelii</i> (Shaw & Nodder,1797)	Russell’s viper
497.	<i>Macrovipera lebetina</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	Levantine viper
	<i>Macrovipera l. cernovi</i> (Chikin & Szczerbak, 1992)	Cernov’s Levantine viper
498.	<i>Echis carinatus</i> (Schneider, 1801)	Saw-scaled viper
499.	<i>Gloydius himalayanus</i> (Günther, 1864)	Himalayan pit viper
500.	<i>Hypnale hypnale</i> (Merrem, 1820)	Common hump-nosed pit viper
501.	<i>Protobothrops mucrosquamatus</i> (Cantor,1839)	Brown-spotted pit viper
502.	<i>Ovophis monticola</i> (Günther,1864)	Mountain pit viper
	<i>Ovophis m. monticola</i> (Günther, 1864)	Western mountain pit viper
503.	<i>Protobothrops jerdonii</i> (Günther,1875)	Jerdon’s pit viper
	<i>Protobothrops j. jerdonii</i> (Günther, 1875)	Jerdon’s pit viper
504.	<i>Trimeresurus macrolepis</i> ^{a&b} Beddome,1862	Large-scaled green pit viper
505.	<i>Trimeresurus malabaricus</i> ^{a&b} (Jerdon,1854)	Malabar pit viper
506.	<i>Trimeresurus yunnanensis</i> Schmidt, 1925	Yunnan pit viper
507.	<i>Trimeresurus strigatus</i> ^{a&b} Gray, 1842	Horseshoe pit viper
508.	<i>Trimeresurus gramineus</i> ^{a&b} (Shaw,1802)	Bamboo pit viper
509.	<i>Trimeresurus medoensis</i> Zhao in Zhao & Jiang, 1977	Medo pit viper
510.	<i>Trimeresurus cantori</i> ^{g&h} (Blyth,1846)	Cantor's pit viper
511.	<i>Trimeresurus p. popeiorum</i> Smith, 1937	Pope’s pit viper
512.	<i>Trimeresurus erythrurus</i> (Cantor, 1839)	Spot-tailed pit viper
513.	<i>Trimeresurus albolabris</i> Gray,1842	White-lipped pit viper
514.	<i>Trimeresurus andersoni</i> ^{g&h} Theobald,1868	Andaman pit viper
515.	<i>Trimeresurus labialis</i> ^h Fitzinger, 1867	Nicobar pit viper
516.	<i>Trimeresurus septentrionalis</i> Kramer,1977)	Himalayan white-lipped pit viper
517.	<i>Trimeresurus gumprechtii</i> David <i>et al.</i> , 2002	Gumprecht’s green pit viper
518.	<i>Tropidolaemus huttoni</i> ^b (Smith,1949)	Hutton’s pit viper

Key: (a - cc) - Ecoregional distribution is after Murthy (2010)

a- Eastern Ghats b-Western Ghats c-Northwestern Ghats d-Deccan, Western Ghats e-Deccan, Eastern Ghats and Western Ghats f-Deccan. g-Andaman Islands h-Nicobar Islands i-Eastern Himalayas j-Western Himalayas l-North western Himalayas (Kulu valley, H.P) m-Peninsular India o-Northern India p- Western India q-Central India r-Northeastern India s-Northwestern India t-Central and Western India u-Central, western and eastern India v-Central, western and Southern

India w-Central,eastern,western and Southern India x-Tamilnadu y-Andhra Pradesh z- Visakhaptanam (Andhra Pradesh) aa - Gundur and Nalgonda Districts(Andhra Pradesh) .bb- Goa cc- Orissa - Barkuda Islands,Chilka Lake.

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