

The Official National List of Amphibians, Reptiles and Turtles

Order

- Family
 - *Genus (species-none listed) - common name*

Crocodylia

- Crocodylidae - **crocodiles**
- Alligatoridae – **alligators and caiman**

Testudines

- Chelydridae - **snapping turtles**
- Kinosternidae - **musk and mud turtles**
- Emydidae - **box, pond and marsh turtles**
 - *Terrapene - box turtles*
 - *Malaclemys - diamondback terrapins*
 - *Graptemys - map turtles*
 - *Chrysemys - painted turtles, cooters, sliders & redbelly*
 - *Pseudemys – cooters*
 - *Clemmys – spotted, bog, and wood turtles*
 - *Deirochelys – chicken turtle*
 - *Emydoidea – Blanding’s turtle*
- Testudinidae - **tortoises**
- Cheloniidae - **sea turtles**
- Trionychidae – **soft shelled turtles**



Squamata

SUBORDER LACERTILA OR SAURIA - LIZARDS

- Gekkonidae – **gecko lizards**
- Polychridae – **anoles**
 - *Anolis - anoles*
- Iguanidae – **iguanids**
 - *Iguana – green iguana*
 - *Dipsosaurus – desert iguana*
 - *Sauromalus – chuckwalla*
- Crotaphytidae – **Collared lizards**
- Phrynosomatidae – **earless, spiny, tree, side-blotched and horned lizards**
 - *Sceloporus – spiny lizards*
 - *Cophosaurus and Holbrookia – earless lizards*
 - *Uma – fringe toed lizards*
 - *Urosaurus and Uta – tree and side blotched lizards*
 - *Phrynosoma – horned lizards*
- Lacertidae – **wall lizards**
- Teiidae – **whiptails**
 - *Cnemidophorus – racerunners and whiptails*
- Scincidae – **skinks**
 - *Eumeces – skinks*
- Anguidae – **glass lizards and alligator lizard**
 - *Ophisaurus – glass lizards*
 - *Gerrhonotus – alligator lizard*
- Helodermatidae – **gila monster**

SUBORDER SERPENTES - SNAKES

- Typhlopidae
 - *Ramphotyphlops – Brahminy blind snake*
- Leptotyphlopidae – **blind snakes**

- **Boidae**
 - *Charina* – *rubber boa and rosy boa*
- **Colubridae** – **typically harmless snakes**
 - *Nerodia* – *water snakes and salt marsh snakes*
 - *Storeria* – *brown snakes and redbelly snakes*
 - *Thamnophis* – *garter, ribbon, lined snakes*
 - *Heterodon* – *hog nosed snakes*
 - *Diadophis* – *ringneck snakes*
 - *Coluber* – *racers*
 - *Masticophis* – *coachwhips and whipsnakes*
 - *Opheodrys* – *green snakes*
 - *Elaphe* – *rat snakes*
 - *Pituophis* – *pine, bull and gopher snakes*
 - *Lampropeltis* – *king and milk snakes*
 - *Tantilla* – *crowned and blackhead snakes*
- **Elapidae** – **coral snakes**
- **Hydrophiidae** – **sea snakes**
- **Viperidae** – **(subfamily viperinae) pit vipers**
 - *Agkistrodon* – *copperhead and cotton mouths*
 - *Sistrurus* – *pigmy and massasauga rattlesnakes*
 - *Crotalus* – *rattlesnakes*

Caudata (Urodela)

- **Cryptobranchidae** – **hellbenders**
- **Dicamptodontidae** – **giant salamanders**
- **Proteidae** – **mud puppies and water dogs**
- **Rhyacotritonidae** – **torrent or seep salamanders**
- **Amphiumidae** – **amphiumas**
- **Sirenidae** – **sirens**
- **Ambystomatidae** – **mole salamanders**
- **Salamandridae** – **newts**
- **Plethodontidae** – **lungless salamanders**
 - *Desmognathus* – *dusky salamanders & kin*
 - *Plethodon* – *woodland salamanders & kin*
 - *Ensatina* - *ensatina*
 - *Aneides* – *green/climbing salamanders*
 - *Batrachoseps* – *slender salamanders*
 - *Hydromantes* – *web-toed salamanders*
 - *Hemidactylium* – *four-toed salamanders*
 - *Gyrinophilus* – *spring salamander*
 - *Pseudotriton* – *red and mud salamanders*
 - *Eurycea* – *brook salamanders*
 - *Typhlomolge* – *Texas and Blanco blind salamanders*

Anura (Salientia)

- **Pelobatidae** – **spadefoots**
 - *Scaphiopus* or *Spea*
- **Bufonidae** – **toads**
- **Hylidae** – **tree frogs**
 - *Hyla* - *tree frogs*
 - *Pseudacris* – *chorus frogs*
 - *Acris* – *cricket frogs*
- **Ranidae** – **true frogs**
- **Microhylidae** – **narrow mouth toads**