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### **Suborder SQUAMATA**

#### **Geckoes (Gekkonidae)**

- 1 Sri Lanka Golden Gecko (*Calodactylodes illingworthi*)
- 2 Jerdon's Day Gecko (*Cnemaspis jerdoni scalpensis*)
- 3 Kandyan Day Gecko (*Cnemaspis kandiana*)
- 4 Dwarf Day Gecko (*Cnemaspis podihuna*)
- 5 Rough-belly Day Gecko (*Cnemaspis tropidogaster*)
- 6 Frill-tail Gecko (*Cosymbotus platyurus*)
- 7 Collegal Rock Gecko (*Geckoella collagalensis*)
- 8 Spotted Bowfinger Gecko (*Geckoella triedrus*)
- 9 Blotched Bowfinger Gecko (*Geckoella yakhuna*)
- 10 Four-claw Gecko (*Gehyra mutilata*)
- 11 Great Forest Gecko (*Gonydactylus frenatus*)
- 12 Spotted House Gecko (*Hemidactylus brookii*)
- 13 Kandyan Gecko (*Hemidactylus depressus*)
- 14 Common House Gecko (*Hemidactylus frenatus*)
- 15 Bark Gecko (*Hemidactylus leschenaulti*)
- 16 Spotted Giant Gecko (*Hemidactylus maculatus hunae*)
- 17 Scaly Gecko (*Hemidactylus scabriceps*)
- 18 Termite Hill Gecko (*Hemidactylus triedrus lankae*)
- 19 Slender Gecko (*Hemiphyllodactylus typus typus*)
- 20 Scaly-finger Gecko (*Lepidodactylus lugubris*)

#### **Agamid Lizards (Agamidae)**

- 21 Green Garden Lizard (*Calotes calotes*)
- 22 Painted-lip Lizard (*Calotes ceylonensis*)
- 23 Whistling Lizard (*Calotes liolepis*)
- 24 Crestless Lizard (*Calotes liocephalus*)
- 25 Black-lipped Lizard (*Calotes nigrilabris*)
- 26 Common Garden Lizard (*Calotes versicolor versicolor*)
- 27 Rough-nosed Horned Lizard (*Ceratophora aspera*)
- 28 (*Ceratophora erdeleni*)
- 29 (*Ceratophora karu*)

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- 30 Rhino-horned Lizard (*Ceratophora stoddartii*)
- 31 Leaf-nosed Lizard (*Ceratophora tennentii*)
- 32 Dwarf Lizard (*Cophotis ceylanica*)
- 33 Hump-nosed Lizard (*Lyriocephalus scutatus*)
- 34 Kangaroo Lizard (*Otocryptis wiegmanni*)
- 35 Sand Lizard (*Sitana ponticeriana*)

### **Chamaeleon (Chamaeleonidae)**

- 36 Sri Lanka Chamaeleon (*Chamaeleon zeylanicus*)

### **Skinks (Scincidae)**

- 37 Four-toe Snake Skink (*Chalcidoceps thwaitesii*)
- 38 Haly's Tree Skink (*Dasia haliana*)
- 39 Daignan's Lanka Skink (*Lankascincus deignani*)
- 40 Deraniyagala's Lanka Skink (*Lankascincus deraniyagalae*)
  
- 41 Common Lanka Skink (*Lankascincus fallax*)
- 42 Gan's Lanka Skink (*Lankascincus gansi*)
- 43 Smooth Lanka Skink (*Lankascincus taprobanensis*)
- 44 Taylor's Lanka Skink (*Lankascincus taylori*)
- 45 Dotted Garden Skink (*Lygosoma punctata*)
- 46 Taylor's Garden Skink (*Lygosoma singha*)
- 47 Beddome's Skink (*Mabuya beddomii*)
- 48 Bibron's Skink (*Mabuya bibronii*)
- 49 Common Skink (*Mabuya carinata lankae*)
- 50 Taylor's Skink (*Mabuya floweri*)
- 51 Spotted Skink (*Mabuya macularia macularia*)
- 52 Spotted Skink (*Mabuya madaraszi*)
- 53 Smith's Snake Skink (*Nessia bipes*)
- 54 Three-toed Snake Skink (*Nessia burtonii*)
- 55 Deraniyagala's Snake Skink (*Nessia deraniyagalai*)
- 56 Two-toe Snake Skink (*Nessia didactyla*)
- 57 Shark-head Snake Skink (*Nessia hickanala*)
- 58 Layard's Snake Skink (*Nessia layardi*)
- 59 Toeless Snake Skink (*Nessia monodactyla*)
- 60 Sarasin's Snake Skink (*Nessia sarasinorum*)
- 61 (*Sphenomorphus deignani*)
- 62 Catenated Litter Skink (*Sphenomorphus dorsicatenatus*)

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- 63 Dussumier's Litter Skink (*Sphenomorphus dussumieri*)
- 64 Annandale's Litter Skink (*Sphenomorphus megalops*)
- 65 Red-throat Litter Skink (*Sphenomorphus rufogulus*)

### **Monitor Lizards (Varanidae)**

- 66 Land Monitor (*Varanus bengalensis*)
- 67 Water Monitor (*Varanus salvator kabaragoya*)

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### **Crocodiles (Crocodylidae)**

- 68 Marsh Crocodile (*Crocodylus palustris*)
- 69 Estuarine Crocodile (*Crocodylus porosus*)

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### **Marine Turtles (Cheloniidae)**

- 70 Loggerhead Turtle (*Caretta caretta*)
- 71 Green Turtle (*Chelonia mydas*)
- 72 Hawksbill Turtle (*Eretmochelys imbricata*)
- 73 Olive Ridley Turtle (*Lepidochelys olivacea*)
- 74 Leatherback Turtle (*Dermochelys coriacea*)

### **Freshwater Turtles (Emydidae)**

- 75 Hard-shelled Terrapin (*Melanochelys trijuga parkeri*)
- 76 Hard-shelled Terrapin (*Melanochelys trijuga thermalis*)

### **Freshwater Turtles (Trionychidae)**

- 77 Soft Terrapin (*Lissemys punctata punctata*)

### **Tortoise (Testudinidae)**

- 78 Star Tortoise (*Geochelone elegans*)

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