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# Primates of Northeast Africa

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**LC**

**ET** **SO**

W A,0  
0-1200m

Vocal Profile

**Somali lesser galago**  
*Galago gallarum*

**LC**

**ET** **SO**

F, W A,0  
200-2100m

**Ethiopia lesser galago**  
*Galago senegalensis dunni*

**LC**

**ET** **SO**

F, W A,0  
400-1735m

Vocal Profile

**Senegal lesser galago**  
*Galago senegalensis senegalensis*

**LC**

**ET** **SO**

F A,0  
0-50m

**White-tailed small-eared galago**  
*Otolemur garnettii lasiotis*

**LC**

**ET** **SO**

F A,0  
0-200m

Vocal Profile

**Tail of dark-tailed variant**

**LC**

**SS**

F A,0  
480-650m

**Schmidt's red-tailed monkey**  
*Cercopithecus ascanius schmidti*

**LC**

**SS**

F A,0  
0-200m

**Pousargues's monkey**  
*Cercopithecus mitis albotroquatus*

**LC**

**SS** **ET** **SO**

F A,0  
1000-2900m

**Stuhlmann's blue monkey**  
*Cercopithecus mitis stuhlmanni*

**VU**

**F** A,0  
360-2780m

**Boutourlini's blue monkey**  
*Cercopithecus mitis boutourlinii*

**LC**

**SS** **ET** **SO**

F S,0  
380-2100m

**De Brazza's monkey**  
*Cercopithecus neglectus*

**LC**

**W** S,0  
1100-3000m

**Hilgert's grivet**  
*Chlorocebus aethiops hilgerti*

**CR**

**F** A,0  
0-180m

**Somalia white-collared monkey**  
*Cercopithecus mitis zammaranoi*

**LC**

**W** S,0  
0-3000m

**Common grivet**  
*Chlorocebus aethiops aethiops*

**LC**

**W** S,0  
0-30m

**Eastern Africa vervet**  
*Chlorocebus pygerythrus centralis*

**LC**

**W** S,0  
440-3000m

**Matschie's grivet**  
*Chlorocebus aethiops matschiei*

**EN**

**F** S,0  
2355-3200m

**Djam-djam monkey**  
*Chlorocebus djamdjamensis djamdjamensis*

**NA**

**W** S,0  
30-1500m

**Northeastern Africa vervet**  
*Chlorocebus pygerythrus arenaria*

**DD**

**F** S,0  
2315-3250m

**Bale Mountains monkey**  
*Chlorocebus djamdjamensis harenaensis*

**EN**

**W** S,0  
400-1500m

**Omo vervet**  
*Chlorocebus pygerythrus zavattarii*

**NA**

**W** S,0  
0-30m

**Eastern Africa vervet**  
*Chlorocebus pygerythrus centralis*



**Checklist and Conservation Status of Northeast African Primates**  
 Key to status in IUCN Red List: LC, Least Concern; NT, Near Threatened; VU, Vulnerable; EN, Endangered; CR, Critically Endangered; NA, Not Assessed; DD, Data Deficient

| Common name and scientific name                                     | Red List status | Date observed | Locality observed |
|---|-----------------|---------------|-------------------|
| Somali lesser galago <i>Galago gallarum</i>                         | LC              |               |                   |
| Ethiopia lesser galago <i>Galago senegalensis dunni</i>             | LC              |               |                   |
| Senegal lesser galago <i>Galago senegalensis senegalensis</i>       | LC              |               |                   |
| White-tailed small-eared galago <i>Otolemur garnettii lasiotis</i>  | LC              |               |                   |
| Schmidt's red-tailed monkey <i>Cercopithecus ascanius schmidti</i>  | LC              |               |                   |
| Pousargues's monkey <i>Cercopithecus mitis albotoquatus</i>         | LC              |               |                   |
| Boutourlini's blue monkey <i>Cercopithecus mitis boutourlinii</i>   | VU              |               |                   |
| Stuhlmann's blue monkey <i>Cercopithecus mitis stuhlmanni</i>       | LC              |               |                   |
| Somalia white-collared monkey <i>Cercopithecus mitis zammaranoi</i> | CR              |               |                   |
| De Brazza's monkey <i>Cercopithecus neglectus</i>                   | LC              |               |                   |
| Common grivet <i>Chlorocebus aethiops aethiops</i>                  | LC              |               |                   |
| Hilgert's grivet <i>Chlorocebus aethiops hilgerti</i>               | NA              |               |                   |
| Matschie's grivet <i>Chlorocebus aethiops matschiei</i>             | DD              |               |                   |
| Djam-djam monkey <i>Chlorocebus djamdjamenis djamdjamenis</i>       | EN              |               |                   |
| Bale Mountains monkey <i>Chlorocebus djamdjamenis harenaensis</i>   | EN              |               |                   |
| Northeastern Africa vervet <i>Chlorocebus pygerythrus arenaria</i>  | NA              |               |                   |
| Eastern Africa vervet <i>Chlorocebus pygerythrus centralis</i>      | NA              |               |                   |
| Omo vervet <i>Chlorocebus pygerythrus zavattarii</i>                | DD              |               |                   |
| Budgett's tantalus <i>Chlorocebus tantalus budgetti</i>             | LC              |               |                   |
| Jebel Marra tantalus <i>Chlorocebus tantalus marrensis</i>          | VU              |               |                   |
| Eastern patas monkey <i>Erythrocebus patas pyrrhonotus</i>          | VU              |               |                   |
| Blue Nile patas monkey <i>Erythrocebus poliphaeus</i>               | DD              |               |                   |
| Northern gelada <i>Theropithecus gelada gelada</i>                  | VU              |               |                   |
| Southern gelada <i>Theropithecus gelada obscurus</i>                | LC              |               |                   |
| Arsi gelada <i>Theropithecus gelada ssp. nov.</i>                   | NA              |               |                   |
| Olive baboon <i>Papio anubis</i>                                    | LC              |               |                   |
| Northern yellow baboon <i>Papio cynocephalus ibeanus</i>            | LC              |               |                   |
| Hamadryas baboon <i>Papio hamadryas</i>                             | LC              |               |                   |
| Oustalet's red colobus <i>Piliocolobus oustaleti</i>                | VU              |               |                   |
| Dodinga Hills guereza <i>Colobus guereza dodingae</i>               | EN              |               |                   |
| Djaffa Mountains guereza <i>Colobus guereza gallarum</i>            | DD              |               |                   |
| Omo guereza <i>Colobus guereza guereza</i>                          | LC              |               |                   |
| Western guereza <i>Colobus guereza occidentalis</i>                 | LC              |               |                   |
| Greyish-white-tailed guereza <i>Colobus guereza poliurus</i>        | NA              |               |                   |
| Eastern chimpanzee <i>Pan troglodytes schweinfurthii</i>            | EN              |               |                   |

Key to symbols and abbreviations accompanying the illustrations:  
 Typical habitat:  
 F Forest (including bamboo)  
 W Woodland, bushland and savanna (including riverine and gallery forests)  
 G Montane grassland  
 Diurnal animal  
 Nocturnal animal  
 Arboreality:  
 A Arboreal, usually in trees  
 S Semi-terrestrial, on the ground and in trees  
 Diet:  
 F Folivore  
 H Herbivore  
 O Omnivore (including gum-eating)  
 G Graminivore  
 Altitude range in Northeast Africa:  
 m (meters above sea level)

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