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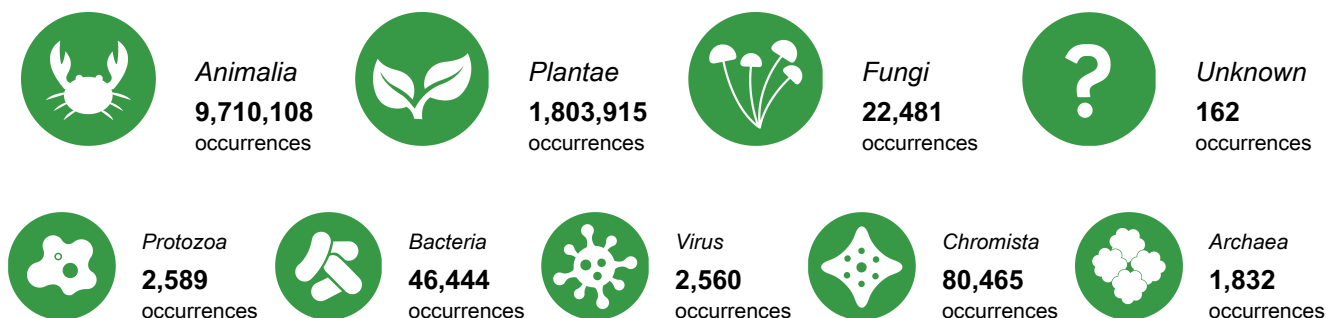
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This report provides a series of summary charts, statistics and other details about the mobilization and use of open-access species data through the GBIF network, relating to users and participating institutions in Peru. These metrics show status at the time of report generation, unless otherwise noted. Taken together, the elements of this report can help guide and measure progress toward the information needs for biodiversity research, as well as for national commitments on biodiversity and sustainable development.

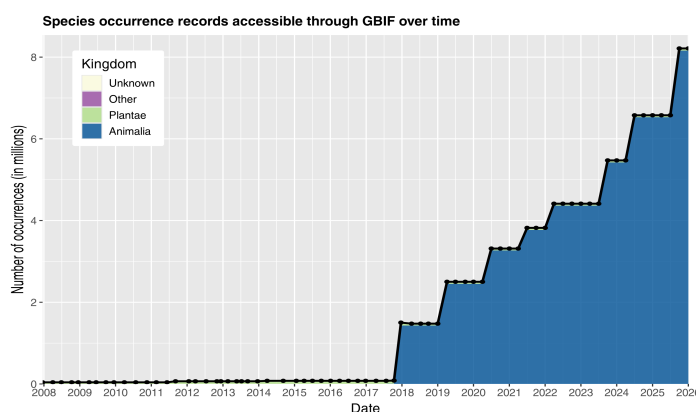
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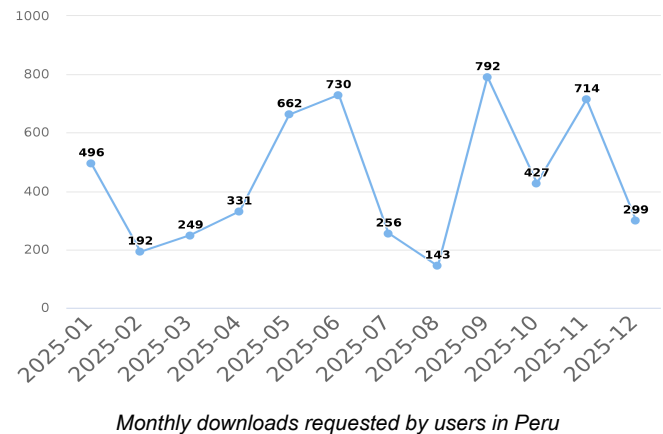
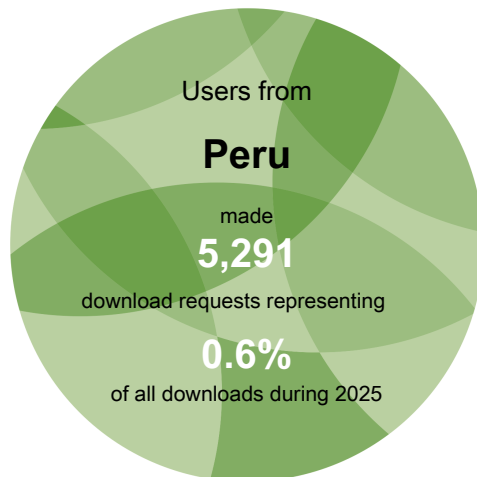


Number of records published by institutions in Peru, categorized by kingdom



Access and usage

Data downloads on GBIF.org from users in Peru



Recent peer-reviewed articles using GBIF-mediated data by co-authors based in Peru

The GBIF Secretariat maintains and reports on an ongoing literature tracking programme, giving priority to substantive uses of GBIF-mediated data in peer-reviewed literature while identifying the countries or areas of the authors' institutional affiliations. The citations below represent the five most recent journal articles with at least one co-author from Peru.

Those interested in assisting the Secretariat in identifying additional peer-reviewed uses of GBIF-mediated data may forward relevant citations to comms@gbif.org.

Klemann-Junior, Asenjo, Gouvea *et al.* (2025) An update on *Scaponopselaphus Scheerpeltz* (Coleoptera: Staphylinidae) with the description of three new species, and a key to the species. *PLOS One*.
<https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0326484>

Yáñez, Tavera, Guzmán-Rendón *et al.* (2025) Macroecological patterns of planktonic unicellular eukaryotes richness in the Southeast Pacific Ocean. *Scientific Reports*.
<https://doi.org/10.1038/s41598-025-03220-3>

Medina-Franco, Sangiorgi, Valdés-Velásquez. (2025) Lost in the glow: understanding the impact of light pollution on storm-petrels. *Avian Conservation and Ecology*.
<https://doi.org/10.5751/ace-02846-200118>

Meza-Mori, Nematollahi, Amasifuen Guerra *et al.* (2025) Integrating MaxEnt and InVEST modeling methods to identify priority areas for the conservation of emblematic and endemic wildlife in the Peruvian Tropical Andes. *Global Ecology and Conservation*.
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.gecco.2025.e03626>

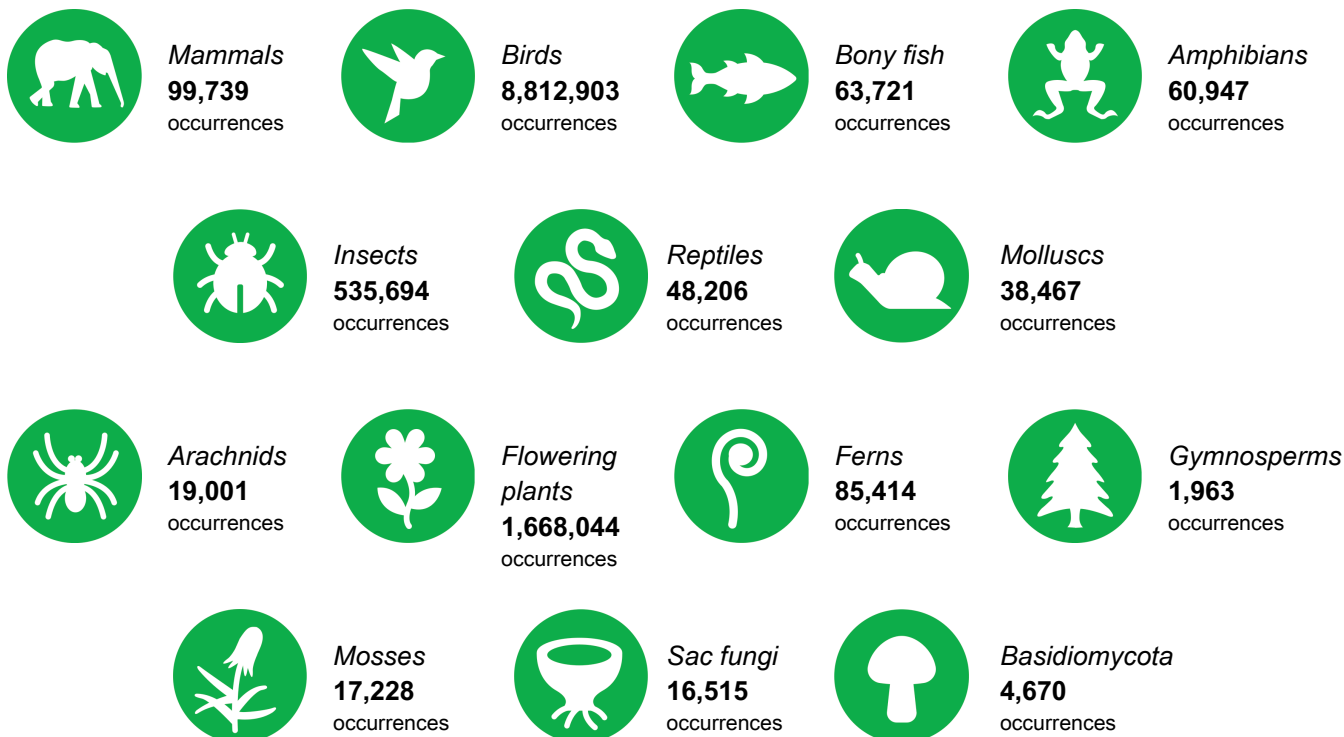
Rick, Lema, Echeverría *et al.* (2025) Pre-Hispanic ritual use of psychoactive plants at Chavín de Huántar, Peru. *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*.
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Data availability

Total data available for selected taxonomic groups in Peru



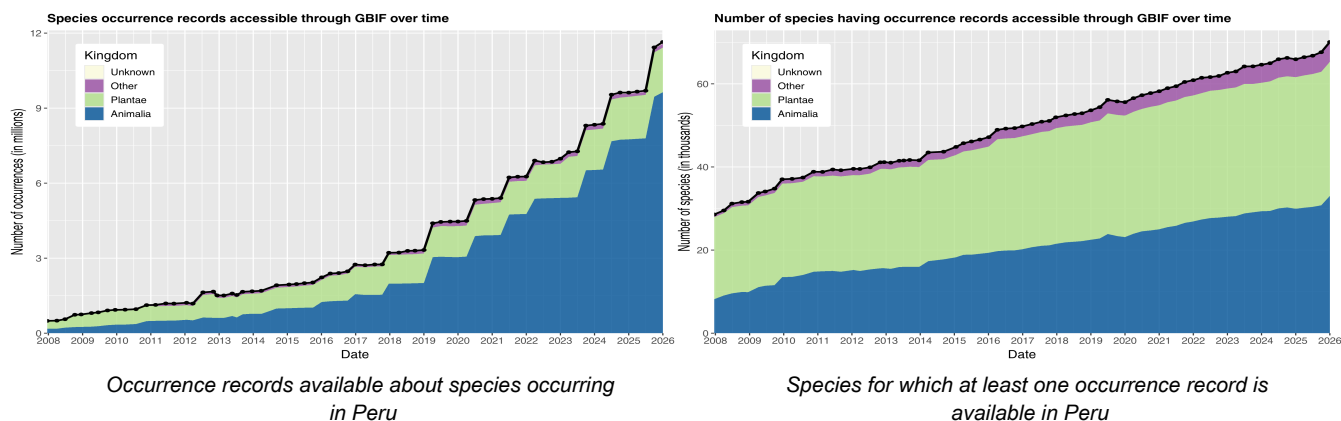
Mammals = Class *Mammalia*
Birds = Class *Aves*
Bony fish = Superclass
Osteichthyes p.p.
Amphibians = Class *Amphibia*

Insects = Class *Insecta*
Reptiles = Class *Testudines*,
Sphenodontia, *Squamata* &
Crocodylia
Molluscs = Phylum *Mollusca*

Arachnids = Class *Arachnida*
Flowering plants = Phylum
Magnoliophyta
Gymnosperms = Superclass
Gymnospermae

Ferns = Phylum *Pteridophyta*
Mosses = Phylum *Bryophyta*
Sac fungi = Phylum *Ascomycota*
Basidiomycota = Phylum
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Change over time in records about biodiversity in Peru



WHY MIGHT THE AMOUNT OF MOBILIZED DATA DECREASE?

Datasets are sometimes removed by publishers, but more often decreases in the number of records are due to the removal of duplicate records and datasets.

SPECIES COUNTS represent the number of binomial scientific names for which GBIF has received data records, organized as far as possible using synonyms recorded in key databases like the Catalogue of Life



Most recent datasets from publishers in Peru

Línea de base de la diversidad del ají y rocoto peruano con fines de bioseguridad. *Published by* *Ministerio del Ambiente de Perú - MINAM*
<https://doi.org/10.15468/93bfr8>

Prospecciones de la línea de base de la papaya en el Perú. *Published by* *Ministerio del Ambiente de Perú - MINAM*
<https://doi.org/10.15468/n92ebe>

Registro de mamíferos pequeños en la Red Vial 4, como parte del monitoreo biológico de Autopista del Norte S.A.C., en los departamentos de Lima, Áncash y La Libertad. *Published by* *AUTOPISTA DEL NORTE S.A.C.*
<https://doi.org/10.15468/qve5m3>

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<https://doi.org/10.15468/z5hmjd>

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Newest publishers from Peru

AUTOPISTA DEL NORTE S.A.C.

Escuela Académico Profesional de Ingeniería Ambiental - Universidad Nacional de Cajamarca

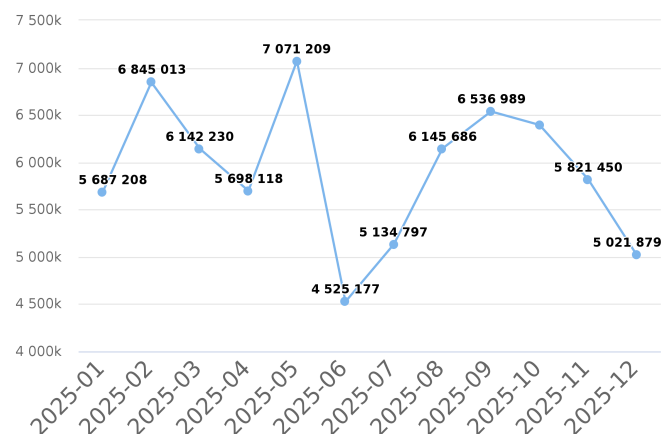
Servicio Nacional de Areas Naturales Protegidas por el Estado

Servicio Nacional Forestal y de Fauna Silvestre

Ministerio del Ambiente de Perú - MINAM

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Occurrence records downloaded from GBIF.org, published by institutions in Peru

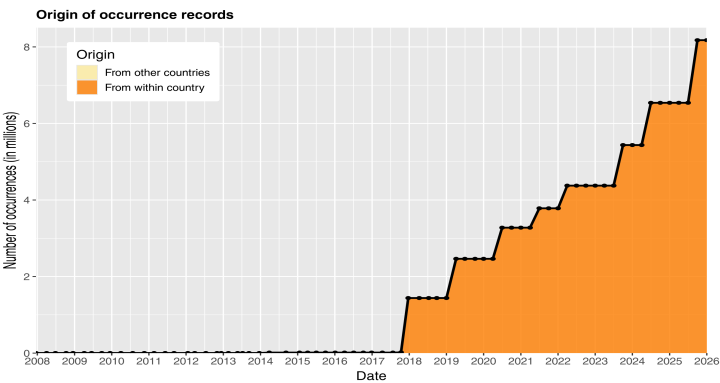


Number of occurrence records downloaded via
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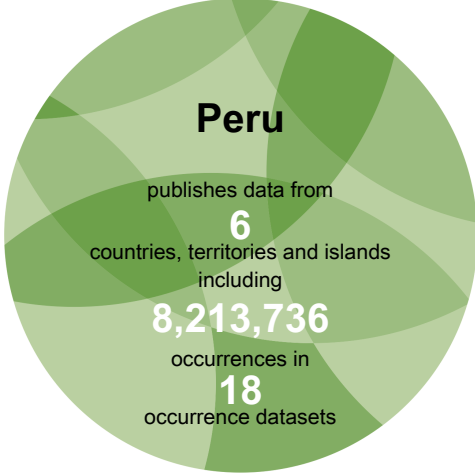


Data mobilization

Data sharing with country or area of origin by national institutions in Peru



Data sharing with country or area of origin



The chart above shows the number of records shared over time by publishers within Peru, with separate colours for records about species occurring within undefined and those occurring elsewhere.

Top data contributors about biodiversity in Peru

Rank	Country or area	No. of occurrences
1	Peru	8,176,281
2	United States of America	2,119,494
3	Denmark	333,618
4	International organization or unknown country	290,461
5	United Kingdom	166,545
6	Netherlands	98,561
7	Germany	84,630
8	Colombia	71,777
9	Belgium	50,834
10	Sweden	42,705

Table 1. Ranking of countries or areas contributing data about Peru

Top datasets contributing data about Peru

- EOD – eBird Observation Dataset. 8,150,543 occurrences in Peru. (Last updated 29 Oct 2025)
- Tropicos MO Specimen Data. 371,153 occurrences in Peru. (Last updated 31 Dec 2025)
- Tropicos Specimens Non-MO. 331,660 occurrences in Peru. (Last updated 31 Dec 2025)
- Aarhus University Palm Transect Database. 327,403 occurrences in Peru. (Last updated 1 Feb 2024)
- iNaturalist Research-grade Observations. 263,412 occurrences in Peru. (Last updated 31 Dec 2025)

See all contributing countries and areas or datasets: gbif.org/country/PE/about



Peru participates in the following projects coordinated by GBIF

Strengthening Latin American sampling-event data publishing

Capacity Enhancement Support Programme, 2016–2017

This project will provide documentation and training to Latin American participants in order to strengthen publishing skills and increase cooperation in the region.

<https://www.gbif.org/project/83155>

From shared experiences to shared knowledge and common solutions: collaborating to improve web-based tools in Latin America and the Caribbean

Capacity Enhancement Support Programme, 2020–2022

Participating nodes aim to incorporate shared best practices, protocols, tools and future road maps for representing the region's biodiversity richness and abundance

<https://www.gbif.org/project/4YJIFEvYJi5kfuUVzNcfYH>

Data use for decision-making workshop: an Iberoamerican community call

Capacity Enhancement Support Programme, 2019–2020

<https://www.gbif.org/project/4dnLglg7lh9HekXEIkuG6A>

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