

**NAMIBRAND NATURE RESERVE
SPECIES CHECKLIST - REPTILES (50 species: 21 June 2011)**

Family	Scientific names	Common name(s)	Notes / locality / habitat
Testudinidae	<i>Geochelone pardalis</i>	leopard tortoise	Known from only 1 sighting in Toskaan kloof
Typhlopidae	<i>Rhinotyphlops schinzi</i>	Schinz's beaked blind snake	
Colubridae	<i>Lamprophis fuliginosus</i>	brown house snake	
Colubridae	<i>Pseudaspis cana</i>	mole snake	
Colubridae	<i>Pythonodipsas carinata</i>	Western keeled snake	
Colubridae	<i>Prosymna frontalis</i>	South-western shovel-snout	
Colubridae sub. Psammophinae	<i>Dipsina multimaculata</i>	dwarf beaked snake	
Colubridae sub. Psammophinae	<i>Psammophis leightoni namibensis</i>	Namib sand snake	?
Colubridae sub. Psammophinae	<i>Psammophis notostictus</i>	whip snake / Karoo sand snake	
Colubrinae sub. Colubrinae	<i>Dasypeltis Scabra</i>	common or rhombic egg eater	
Colubrinae sub. Colubrinae	<i>Telescopus beetzii</i>	Beetz's tiger snake	
Elapidae	<i>Aspidelaps lubricus</i>	coral snake	
Elapidae	<i>Dendroaspis polylepsis</i>	black mamba	Confirmed sightings/road kill (2010-2011)
Elapidae	<i>Naja nivea</i>	Cape cobra	
Elapidae	<i>Naja nigricollis</i>	black-necked spitting cobra	
Viperidae	<i>Bitis arietans</i>	puff adder	Common
Viperidae	<i>Bitis caudalis</i>	horned adder	Common
Viperidae	<i>Bitis peringueyi</i>	Péringuey's adder	
Scincidae sub. Acontiinae	<i>Acontias lineatus</i>	striped legless skink	
Scincidae sub. Acontiinae	<i>Typhlosaurus braini</i>	Brain's blind legless skink	Endemic; in dunes, hard to find
Scincidae sub. Scincinae	<i>Scelotes capensis</i>	Western dwarf burrowing skink	
Scincidae sub. Lygosomatiinae	<i>Mabuya capensis</i>	Cape skink	
Scincidae sub. Lygosomatiinae	<i>Mabuya occidentalis</i>	Western three-striped skink	
Scincidae sub. Lygosomatiinae	<i>Mabuya spilogaster</i>	Kalahari tree skink	
Scincidae	<i>Mabuya = Trachylepis sulcata</i>	Western rock skink	Common in hills
Scincidae	<i>Mabuya = Trachylepis variegata</i>	variegated skink	Less common in hills
Scincidae	<i>Mabuya = Trachylepis acutilabris</i>	wedge-snouted skink	Common on trees
Lacertidae	<i>Meroles anchietae</i>	shovel-snouted lizard	Very common slipface of dunes
Lacertidae	<i>Meroles ctenodactylus</i>	Smith's desert lizard	Very common edges of dunes
Lacertidae	<i>Meroles cuneirostris</i>	wedge-snouted desert lizard	Very common on flat areas in dunes
Lacertidae	<i>Meroles suborbitalis</i>	spotted desert lizard	Very common in sandy plains
Lacertidae	<i>Nucras tessellata</i>	Western sandveld lizard	
Lacertidae	<i>Pediopanis namaquensis</i>	Namaqua sand lizard	Very common in rocky plains and hills
Lacertidae	<i>Pediopanis undata?</i>	Western sand lizard	Uncommon

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Lacertidae	<i>Pedioplanis inornata?</i>	plain sand lizard	Suspected - should occur on rock
Gerrhosauridae	<i>Cordylus subtesellatus</i>	dwarf plated lizard	
Cordylidae	<i>Cordylus polyzonus</i>	Karoo girdled lizard	
Varanidae	<i>Varanus albigularis albigularis</i>	rock or white-throated monitor	Uncommon Draaihoek area
Agamidae	<i>Agama planiceps planiceps</i>	Namibian rock agama	Common rocky plains and hills
Chamaeleonidae	<i>Chamaeleo namaquensis</i>	Namaqua chameleon	Uncommon but can be anywhere
Gekkonidae	<i>Chondrodactylus angulifer angulifer</i>	giant ground gecko	Very common on sandy plains
Gekkonidae	<i>Narudasia festiva</i>	festive gecko	Endemic; common but hard to find
Gekkonidae	<i>Pachydactylus = Chondrodactylus turneri</i>	Turner's thick-toed gecko	Very common on building walls
Gekkonidae	<i>Pachydactylus punctatus?</i>	speckled thick-toed gecko	In hills uncommon
Gekkonidae	<i>Pachydactylus rugosus</i>	rough thick-toed gecko	
Gekkonidae	<i>Pachydactylus weberi</i>	Weber's thick-toed gecko	Very common on building walls
Gekkonidae	<i>Pachydactylus etultra</i>	Sossusvlei Mountain Lodge - new (palmato) gecko species	Rocky scree in hilly areas, also on walls. New species (Branch <i>et al.</i> 2011)
Gekkonidae	<i>Palmatogecko = Pachydactylus rangei</i>	web-footed gecko	Common in dunes, also found on sandy plains
Gekkonidae Endemic	<i>Ptenopus garrulus maculatus</i>	common barking gecko	Very common on gravel plains
Gekkonidae Endemic	<i>Ptenopus kochi</i>	Koch's barking gecko	Common (dunes) but hard to find