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REPTILES

87

**FROGS** 

TAWAU HILLS PARK

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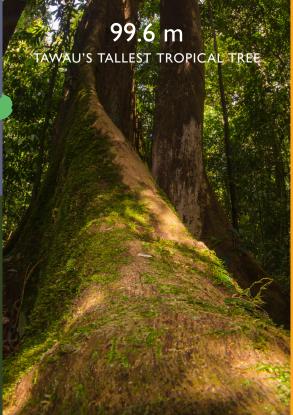
MAMMALS

338

**BIRDS** 

279.72 km<sup>2</sup>
LOWLAND DIPTEROCARP
RAINFOREST

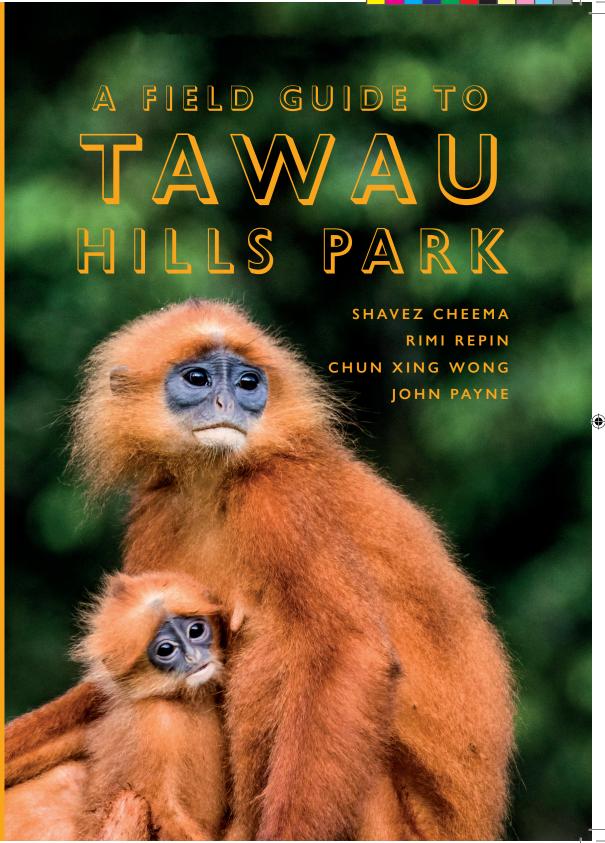




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BEGONIAS

40+







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