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**From:** Adrián García <garciar.adrian@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 18 March 2009 20:34  
**To:** Yves Samyn  
**Subject:** Re: Guia Taxonómica de los Anfibios de Cuba

Dear Yves,  
Thanks a lot for the volumes!!!,

Here at the collection we have probably the most complete library at least in terms of herps in Costa Rica which is useful for reference by the students and researchers.

**These books provides a great source of relevant information about the species included and I must say that the way this info is organized make them attractive for both biologists and amateur herpetologists.**

**Books like these are a great invitation to work in that direction and hopefully get a result as good as this!**

**Congratulations, sincerely**

Adrián

**2009/3/9 Yves Samyn <[yves.samyn@naturalsciences.be](mailto:yves.samyn@naturalsciences.be)>**

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Dear Adrian,

A free copy of vol 4 and of vol 5 have been put in the mail.

Thank you for acknowledging receipt of this parcel (will take a couple of weeks)

Thank you also for letting us know how you will use these books and what your opinion on the scope of the series (incl. its website) is.

Kind regards,

Yves

Adrián García wrote:

Dear Yves

Thanks a lot for your reply, and yes, for sure we are also interested in vol. 5. You can send us the materials to

Adrián García-Rodríguez  
Zoology Museum  
Escuela de Biología at Sede Rodrigo Facio,  
Universidad de Costa Rica, San Pedro, San José de Costa Rica.

If possible, please tell me as soon as you know that the package was sent to be aware of the delivery,

Again thanks a lot!

Best regards

Adrián García R.  
Museo de Zoología  
Universidad de Costa Rica

El 4 de marzo de 2009 5:09, Yves Samyn <[yves.samyn@naturalsciences.be](mailto:yves.samyn@naturalsciences.be)> escribió:

Dear Colleague,

Thank you for your interest in our series Abc Taxa.

We have well received your request for a free copy of vol 4 of our series Abc Taxa. We acknowledge that your museum is eligible for a free copy.

Given your interest in vol 4, I think your museum will also be interested in vol 5 of our series, i.e.:

Kok, P.J.R., Kalamandeen, M. (2008). Introduction to the taxonomy of the amphibians of the Kaieteur National Park, Guyana. Abc Taxa, vol 5, 278 pp.

If yes, we will add a (free) copy of that volume as well.

Could you please provide us with a complete physical address so that the sent materials do not get lost.

Kind regards,

Yves Samyn

Adrián García wrote:

Dear Ives Samyn

My name is Adrián García and I work in the herps collection at Museo de Zoología, Universidad de Costa Rica.

Initially I sent an email to Antonio Cadiz because here in the museum we would like to have a copy of the "Guia taxonomica de los anfibios d= Cuba", but he explained me that they do not have enough copies in Cuba=A0 and still are distributing those they have but are for institutions and protected areas in the island. So he gave me your e mail and told me that the editorial have some copies for institutions.

I would like to know if it will be possible to get one of those copies for our Museum. Thanks!

Sincerely,

Adrián García R.  
Museo de Zoología  
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Fecha: 2 de marzo de 2009 17:03

Asunto: Re: Saludos de Costa Rica

Para: Adrián García <[garciar.adrian@gmail.com](mailto:garciar.adrian@gmail.com)>

Muy estimado amigo,

Agradecemos enormemente tu interés en adquirir una copia de nuestro libro. Para nosotros sería un gran honor que el Museo de Zoología de Costa Rica tuviera un ejemplar en copia dura. En estos momentos estamos inmersos en lograr una distribución (gratuita) del libro lo más amplia posible en nuestra isla, tarea nada fácil pues son muchas las áreas protegidas e instituciones en general que nos gustaría cubrir, y son pocos los ejemplares que llegaron al país: 400 copias. Por esta razón, no estamos en condiciones de enviarte un ejemplar directamente. No obstante, pudieras contactar a nuestro editor: Yves Samyn - Zoology Belgian Focal Point to the Global Taxonomy Initiative, Royal Belgian Institute of Natural Sciences, Rue Vautier 29, B-1000 Brussels, Belgium ([yves.samyn@naturalsciences.be](mailto:yves.samyn@naturalsciences.be)), pues la editorial también se encuentra distribuyendo ejemplares. También debe haber una versión digital en [ht=p://www.abctaxa.be](http://www.abctaxa.be).

Espero que la información te sea útil, y me disculpes la demora en responderme.

Cualquier duda no dudes en contactarme.

un saludo afectuoso desde Cuba,

Antonio Cádiz  
Facultad de Biología,  
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