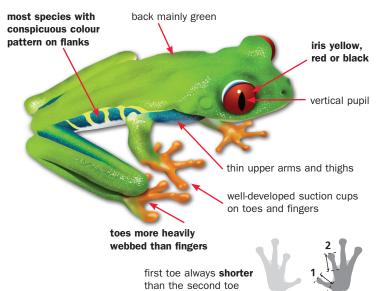


### Agalychnis spp.

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### Agalychnis spp. important characteristics

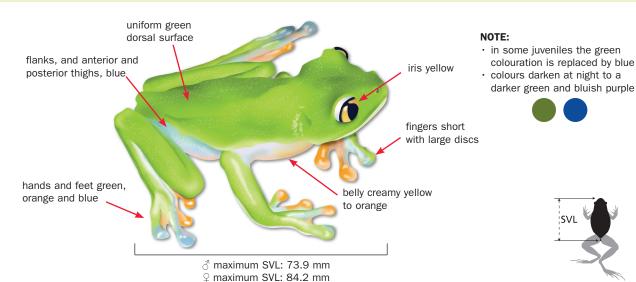


Similar Species: ( Phyllomedusa spp. iris whitish fingers and toes not webbed first toe always longer

Scientific Name: Agalychnis annae Subspecies: None known Synonyms: Phyllomedusa annae

Common Names: (E) Blue-sided Tree Frog, Blue-sided Leaf Frog, Golden-eyed Leaf Frog (F) Rainette arboricole à côtes bleues (S) Rana azul, Rana de los cafetales, Ranita de los cafetales, Rana de café

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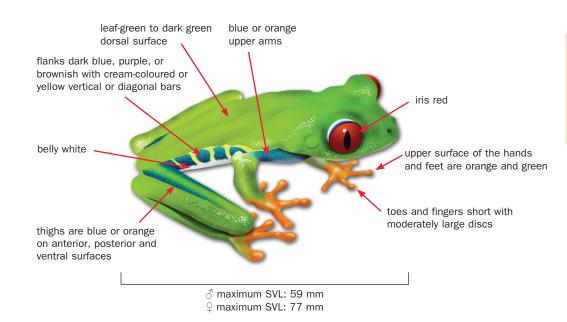




Scientific Name: Agalychnis callidryas

Subspecies: None known

Synonyms: Agalychnis helenae, Hyla callidryas, Phyllomedusa helenae, Phyllomedusa callidryas Common Names: (E) Red-eyed Leaf Frog, Red-eyed Tree Frog, Gaudy Leaf Frog
(F) Grenouille aux yeux rouges, Rainette aux yeux rouges
(S) Rana calzonuda, Rana arbórea de ojos rojos, Rana verde de ojos rojos,
Rana maki ojimarilla, Rana hoja de ojos rojos



NOTE: Agalychnis callidryas is the most popular species of Agalychnis in the pet trade. Between 1998 and 2008 the United States of America imported at least 20,000 specimens annually.

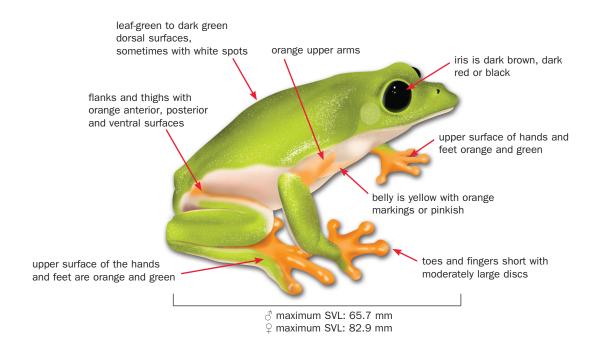
#### NOTE:

 colour darkens at night to a darker green and bluish purple





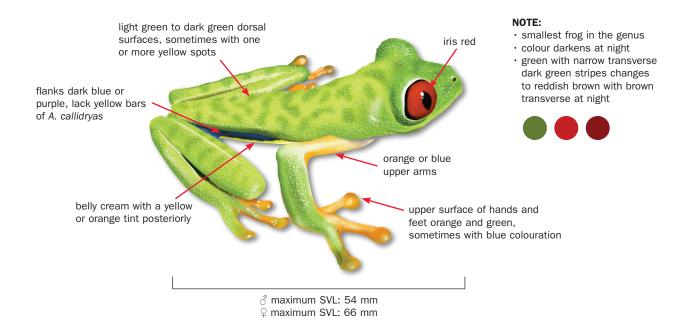
Scientific Name: Agalychnis moreletii Subspecies: None known Synonyms: Agalychnis holochlora, Hyla holochlora, Hyla moreletii, Phyllomedusa moreletii Common Names: (E) Black-eyed Leaf Frog, Black-eyed Tree Frog, Morelet's Leaf Frog, Morelet's Tree Frog (F) Rainette arboricole de Morelet (S) Rana Morelet, Rana maki, Escuerzo, Rana de ojos negros





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Scientific Name: Agalychnis saltator Subspecies: None known Synonyms: Phyllomedusa saltator Common Names: (E) Misfit Leaf Frog, Parachuting Red-eyed Leaf Frog (F) Unknown (S) Rana saltadora



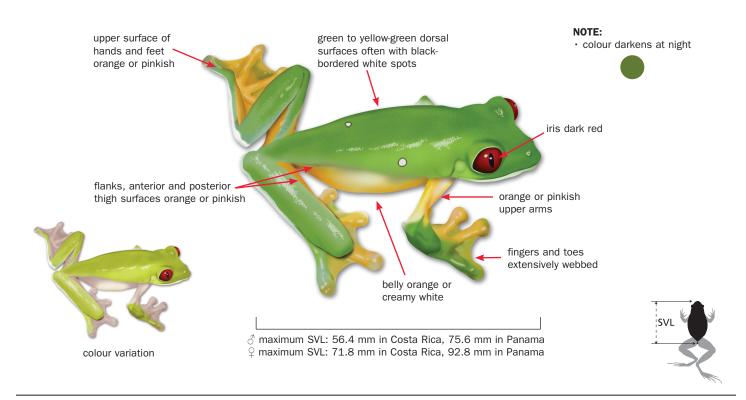
Scientific Name: Agalychnis spurrelli

Subspecies: None known

Synonyms: Agalychnis litodryas, Phyllomedusa spurrelli

Common Names: (E) Gliding Tree Frog, Gliding Leaf Frog, Spurrell's Flying Frog
(F) Rainette arboricole de spurrelli

(S) Rana deslizadora





### **Countries Targeted**

#### **Countries of Origin:**

A. annae - Costa Rica

A. callidryas – Belize, Colombia, Costa Rica, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama

A. moreletii - Belize, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico

A. saltator - Costa Rica, Honduras, Nicaragua

A. spurrelli - Colombia, Costa Rica, Ecuador, Panama

# Countries that have imported specimens in significant quantity from United States of America:

Agalychnis sp. - Canada, Guatemala, Japan, Sweden

A. callidryas – Austria, Canada, Czech Republic, El Salvador, France, Germany, Guatemala, Hong Kong, Italy, Japan, Mexico, Netherlands, Panama, Republic of Korea, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, United Kingdom, Taiwan, Thailand

A. moreletii - Canada, Jordan, Republic of Korea, Sweden

# Countries that have exported specimens in significant quantity to United States of America:

Agalychnis sp. – Costa Rica, Ecuador, Ghana, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Niger, Panama

A. callidryas - Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama

A. moreletii - Guatemala

A. spurrelli - Costa Rica

### **Parts and Derivatives**

None known

### **Inspection Considerations**

Please avoid handling specimens directly or, if unavoidable, proceed with great care.

When proceeding with the inspection of live amphibian shipments, pay special attention to the country of origin as described on permits and invoices. Specimens are sometimes concealed in shipments of non-CITES species.

As this complete genus is listed under Appendix II, the shipment must be accompanied by either a CITES export permit or re-export certificate issued by the exporting country or the re-exporting country, respectively. Trade is allowed.

### **Transportation Considerations**

Refer to the requirements governing the transport of live animals described in *Live Animals Regulations* (Container Requirement 45). See *References*.

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