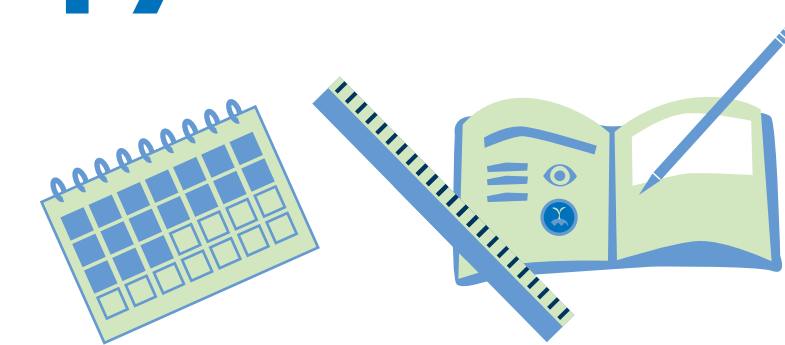


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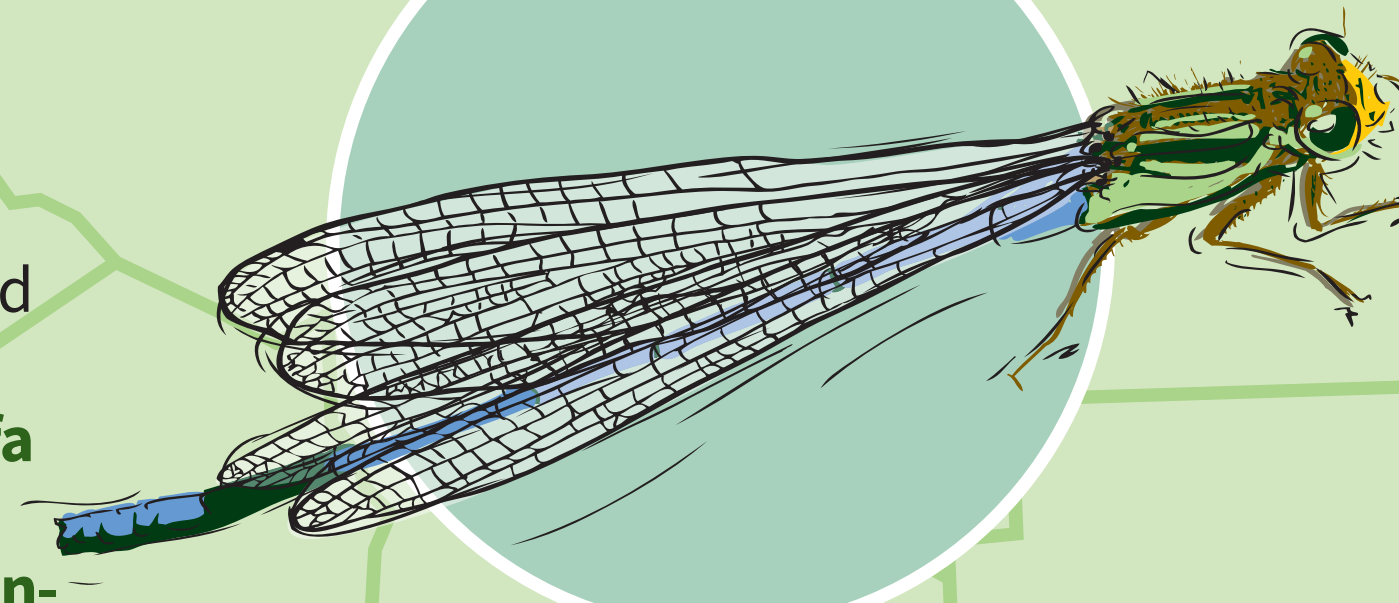


From Germany alone, **203** applications were received. **28** experts from Ethiopia and Germany took part in the expedition. Most members of the team spent **17** days in the field.



... consisted of **79** people, including field assistants, trainees, drivers and rangers.

... **33** dragonfly species, of which **3** were recorded in Ethiopia for the first time, **12** were recorded in Kafa for the first time. **1** of the species is the endemic and endangered dragonfly *Notogomphus ruppeli*.



Pseudagrion guichardii

... **178** bird species, **8** of which are either vulnerable or endangered. **3** of the species, *Macronyx flavicollis*, *Poicephalus flavifrons* and *Parophasma galinieri*, are endemic.



Poicephalus flavifrons

... **25** large mammal species, **3** of which are small mammals endemic to Ethiopia and **6** primate species. **1** of these, the Boutourlini's Blue Monkey (*Cercopithecus mitis boutourlinii*), is endemic to the western side of the Ethiopian Rift Valley.

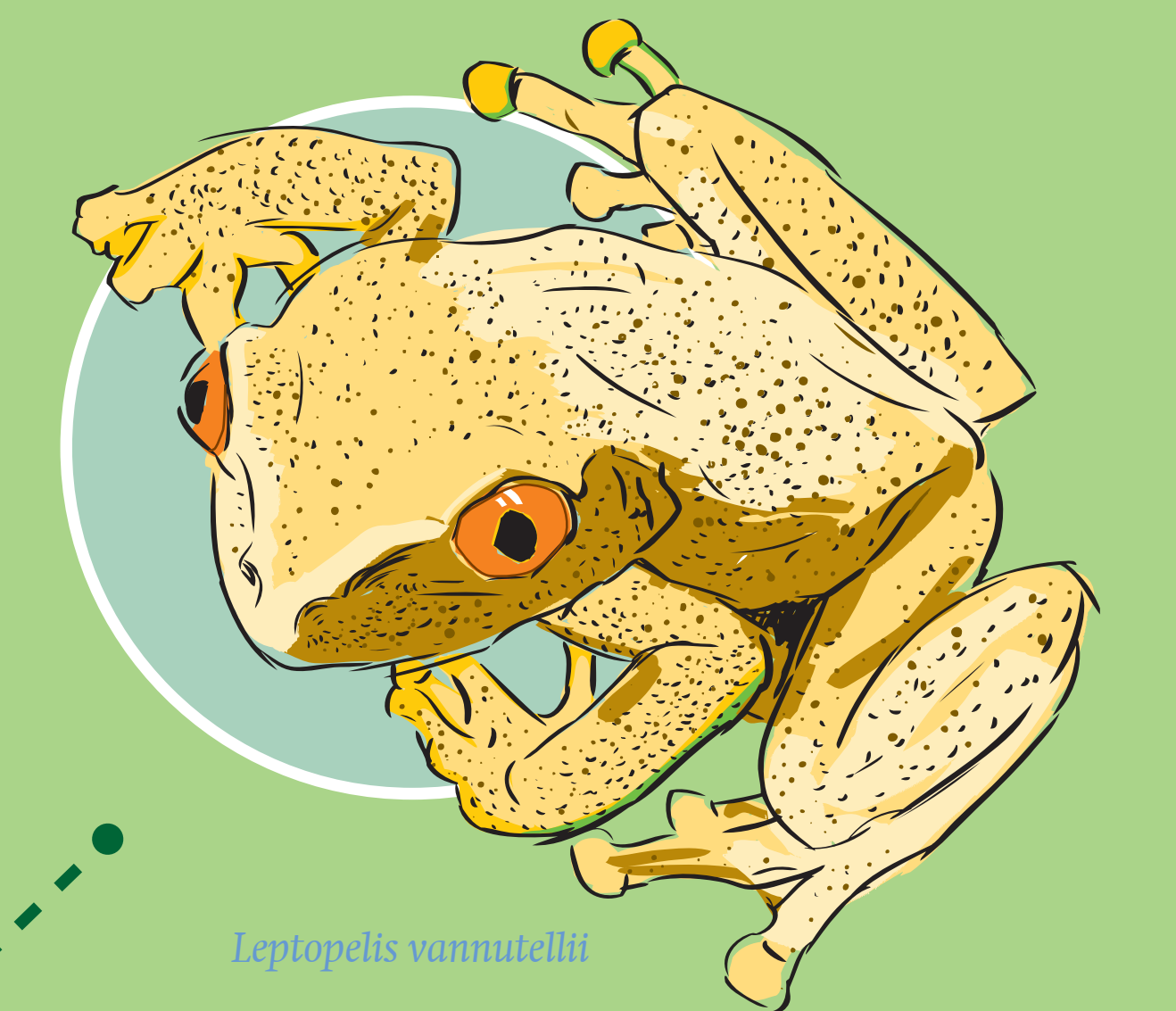


Cercopithecus mitis boutourlinii

... **29** bat species and **4** species of fruit bat, of which **1** was recorded in Kafa or the first time. **1** species of Horseshoe bat is new to science, though its documentation still has to be verified. This was the first scientific assessment of bats and fruit bats in the Kafa Biosphere Reserve.

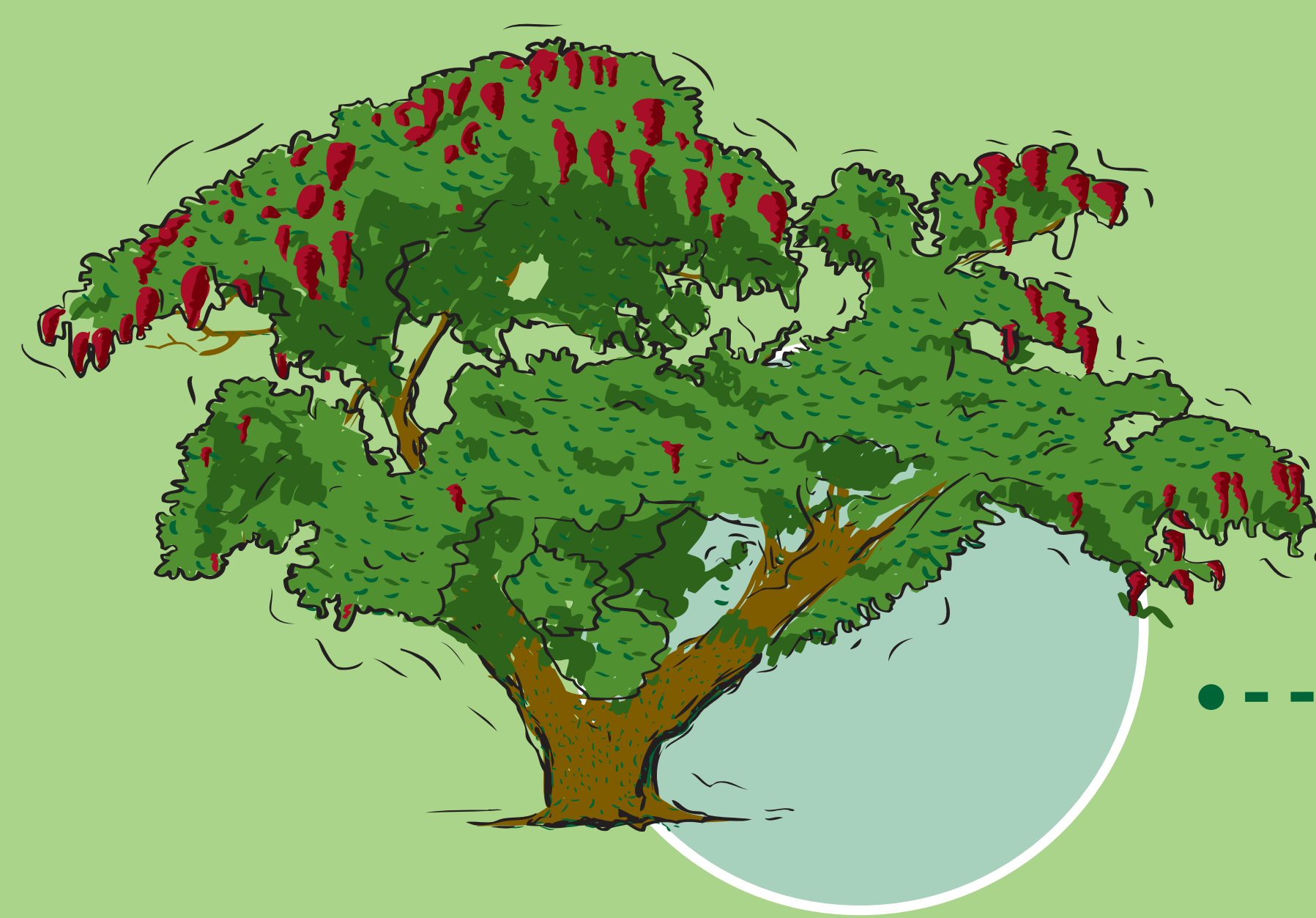


Myotis blythii



Leptopelis vanuatsii

... **17** amphibian species, including one species of Hyperoliidae new to science, as well **2** lizard- and **3** snake species. **8** of the amphibian species and **2** species of reptiles were recorded in the Kafa Biosphere Reserve for the first time.



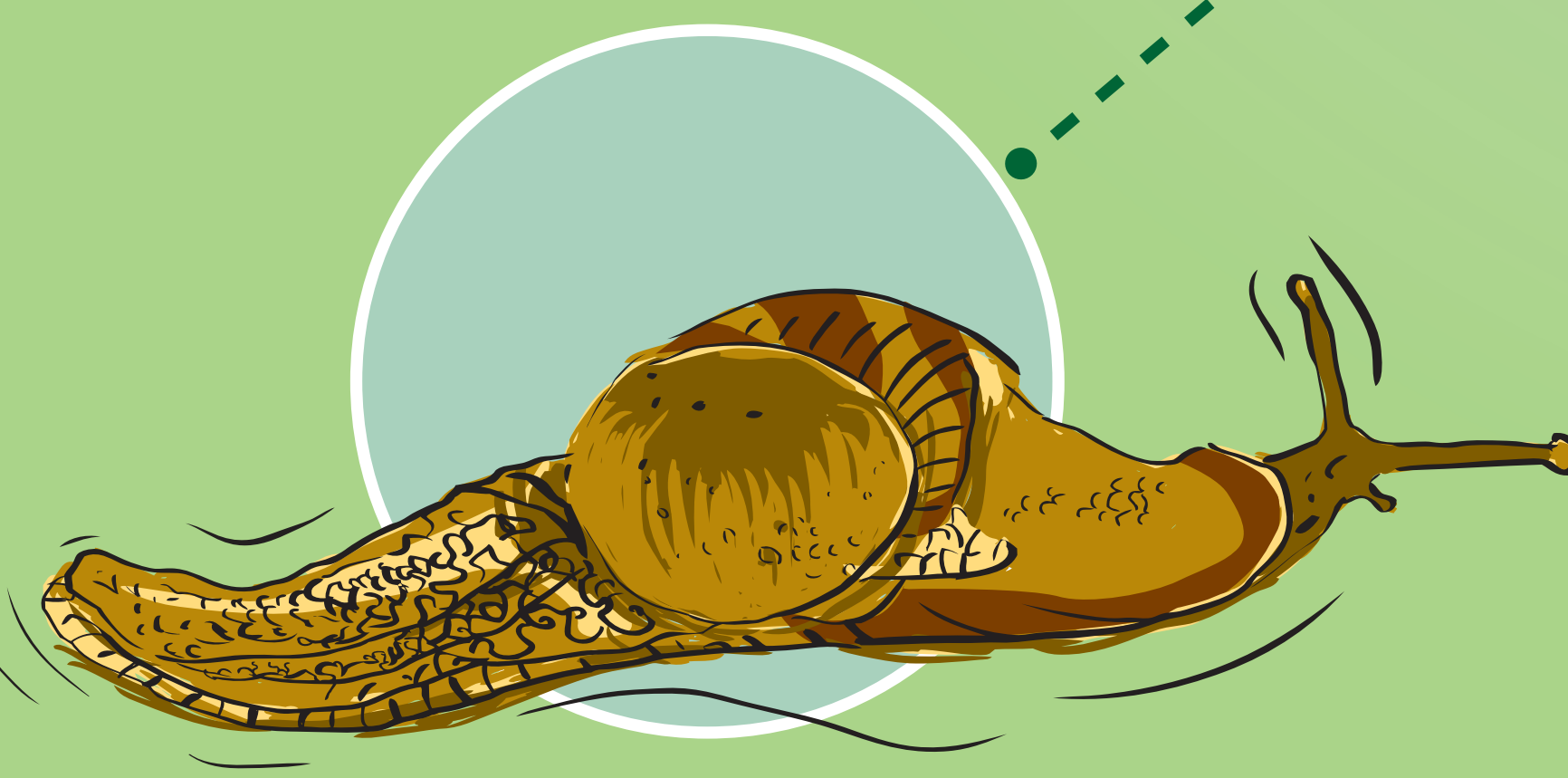
Bignonia abyssinica

... **154** plant species, **7** of which are endemic and **16** of which are endangered.



... **32** different species of terrestrial molluscs. **9** different species of freshwater molluscs. **1** pea clam species new to science.

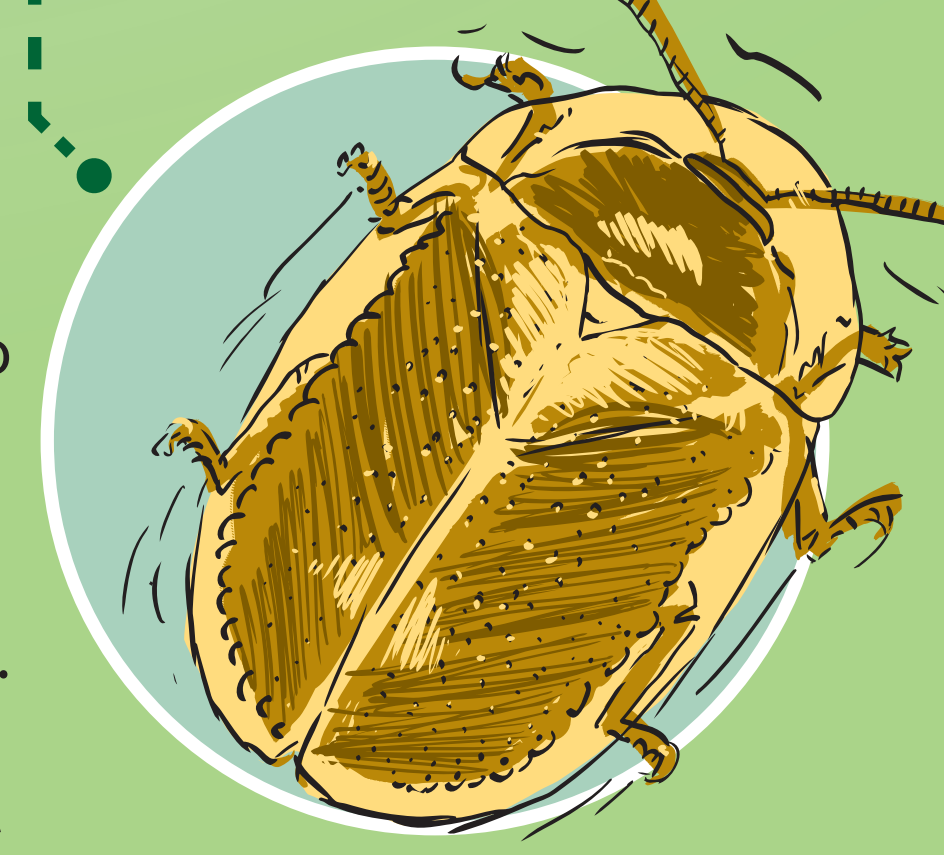
The NABU-expedition was the first scientific study of terrestrial molluscs ever conducted in an Ethiopian rainforest.



Vitrina sp. A

... **400** beetle species belonging to **79** families or subfamilies, **35** of which were unknown to science before now.

This was the first scientific beetle assessment ever conducted in the Kafa Biosphere Reserve.



Tortoise beetle

... almost **400** species of fungi, of which at least **30** were recorded in Ethiopia for the first time. At least **3** of the fungi species are new to science. This was the first mycological study ever conducted in Kafa.



— first scientific assessment

— discovery of a species new to science

— recorded for the first time



Coniophora sporangia

— endemic/endemic for...

— vulnerable/endangered

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