



In a While, Crocodile!

African dwarf crocodile (*Osteolaemus tetraspis*)

“The African dwarf crocodile is one of the smallest species of crocodile (subfamily: Crocodylinae) and currently classed as vulnerable on the International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN) red list of threatened species. Both habitat loss and overexploitation through hunting make this species of crocodile particularly at risk. African dwarf crocodiles are not considered to be aggressive and feed on fish, crustaceans and amphibians. I have always found crocodiles fascinating and through this piece I wanted to capture the vulnerability and beauty of this species, rather than the cunning predator they are often perceived as.”

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