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Dwarf African Clawed Frog

Hymenochirus boettgeri

The Dwarf African Clawed Frog is a small, fully aquatic amphibian native to the slow-moving rivers, swamps, and ponds of Central and West Africa. It has a slender, flattened body with webbed feet and...

Quick facts

Classification: Amphibian

Family: Pipidae

Habitat: Freshwater ponds, swamps, and slow-moving streams

Diet: Carnivore

Conservation status: Least Concern

Lifespan: 5-15 years

Weight: 2-5 grams

Scientific name: *Hymenochirus boettgeri*

Did you know?

- Unlike most frogs, Dwarf African Clawed Frogs lack tongues and use their tiny, clawed forelimbs to help stuff food into their mouths.
- Dwarf African Clawed Frogs are entirely aquatic and rarely leave the water. They use their sensitive fingers to detect vibrations and find food in mu...

What I learned
