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## Smith's Dwarf Chameleon

*Bradypodion taeniabronchum*

Smith's Dwarf Chameleon is a small, cryptic reptile endemic to South Africa, known for its remarkable camouflage and diminutive size. Typically reaching just 7–10 cm in total length, it inhabits dens...

### Quick facts

**Classification:** Reptile

**Family:** Chamaeleonidae

**Habitat:** Fynbos and coastal thicket

**Diet:** Carnivore

**Conservation status:** Endangered

**Lifespan:** 3-5 years

**Weight:** 2-5 grams

**Scientific name:** *Bradypodion taeniabronchum*

### Did you know?

- Smith's Dwarf Chameleon is one of the few chameleon species that are viviparous, meaning they give birth to live young rather than laying eggs.
- Smith's Dwarf Chameleon can independently move its eyes to scan for both predators and prey. Unlike many chameleons, it gives birth to live young ins...

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