

Supersize Crocs
Sizing up the Supersize Croc

Compare the Facts Worksheet

Skeletal Facts of the *Sarcosuchus Imperato* or SuperCroc

The *Sarcosuchus imperato* has around 250 bones (not counting skull and armor).
How many bones are there in the human body?

The *Sarcosuchus imperato* has about 65 vertebrae in the spinal column.
How many vertebrae does the human body contain?

The longest bone in the *Sarcosuchus imperato* skeleton is the femur.
What is the longest bone in the human body?

Skull Stats for the *Sarcosuchus Imperato*

The number of bones in the skull of the *Sarcosuchus imperato* is about 50 in the cranium (upper part) and 12 in the mandible (6 each side).
How many bones are in a human skull?

The *Sarcosuchus imperato* has 132 teeth.
How many teeth does the average adult human have?

The most fragile bone in the skull of a *Sarcosuchus imperato* is the ear bone (stapes).
What is the most fragile bone in the human skull?