

Tiny baby porcupine born at Edinburgh Zoo

A baby porcupine, or porcupette, was born at Edinburgh Zoo in August, and is the only one in Scotland.

The one-month-old Cape porcupine, Fiddich, is now spending more time outdoors with its parents.



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The quills are covered with keratin like human fingernails or

rhino horns.

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