



Annual health report 2024

Hip scores by breed

Data Calculated to 31/12/24

The following is an annual summary, covering all breeds which have had a least one dog scored, using data from the current approximated breeding population (data from dogs scored in the last 15 years only). By representing dogs scored in the last 15 years, a more accurate reflection of each breed's current state of health and improvement is given. The 5-year median here refers to dogs scored between 1st January 2020 and 31st December 2024. The data reflects Kennel Club registered dogs only. Where results do not exceed 10 dogs tested within a given time period mean and median analysis are not provided due to insufficient data.

Breed	Tested 15 years	Tested 2024	15 years				5 years	
			Mean	Min	Max	Median	Mean	Median
Affenpinscher	12	0	17.1	8.0	38.0	14.0	N/A	N/A
Afghan Hound	143	98	10.8	0.0	73.0	9.0	8.7	9.0
Airedale Terrier	827	28	13.3	1.0	77.0	11.0	12.6	11.0
Akita	676	10	7.2	0.0	70.0	6.0	6.5	6.0
Alaskan Malamute	857	16	11.0	0.0	78.0	10.0	9.4	9.0
Anatolian Shepherd Dog	14	0	16.4	2.0	46.0	11.5	N/A	N/A
Australian Cattle Dog	134	5	11.9	4.0	56.0	11.0	10.2	9.0
Australian Shepherd Dog	470	27	11.1	0.0	92.0	10.0	11.3	10.0
Barbet	49	7	11.2	0.0	46.0	10.0	11.1	10.0
Basenji	43	1	8.0	0.0	19.0	8.0	N/A	N/A
Basset Fauve De Bretagne	1	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Basset Griffon Vendéen (Grand)	5	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Basset Hound	8	2	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Bavarian Mountain Hound	91	6	10.6	4.0	29.0	10.0	10.5	10.0
Beagle	43	0	20.2	8.0	49.0	16.0	N/A	N/A
Bearded Collie	1066	31	9.5	0.0	56.0	9.0	9.1	9.0
Beauceron	58	12	9.8	0.0	23.0	10.0	9.3	9.0
Bedlington Terrier	1	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Belgian Shepherd Dog (Groenendael)	182	6	8.5	0.0	33.0	8.0	8.2	8.0
Belgian Shepherd Dog (Laekenois)	9	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Belgian Shepherd Dog (Malinois)	278	20	8.6	0.0	38.0	8.0	7.9	8.0
Belgian Shepherd Dog (Tervueren)	246	9	8.6	0.0	44.0	8.0	7.3	7.0
Belgian Shepherd Dog	1	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Bergamasco	27	0	14.1	6.0	54.0	11.0	N/A	N/A
Bernese Mountain Dog	1627	72	11.9	0.0	95.0	9.0	12.1	9.0
Bichon Frise	5	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Black and Tan Coonhound	39	2	12.2	7.0	24.0	11.0	12.3	12.0
Bloodhound	26	3	15.0	8.0	42.0	14.5	13.2	15.0
Border Collie	3407	150	11.2	0.0	91.0	10.0	10.7	10.0
Border Terrier	32	2	9.5	2.0	24.0	8.5	9.9	10.0
Borzoi	1	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Boston Terrier	5	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Bouvier Des Flandres	51	0	11.8	4.0	25.0	12.0	10.6	12.0
Boxer	135	14	15.0	0.0	58.0	13.0	14.6	12.0
Bracco Italiano	282	8	12.3	0.0	63.0	10.0	11.0	9.5
Braque D'Auvergne	26	2	10.3	3.0	29.0	9.0	10.4	9.0
Briard	301	18	13.1	0.0	57.0	11.0	13.4	12.0
Brittany	232	232	14.4	4.0	63.0	12.0	12.8	12.0
Bull Terrier (Miniature)	3	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Bull Terrier	4	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Bulldog	38	1	34.3	9.0	86.0	26.0	30.9	22.0
Bullmastiff	383	14	17.6	3.0	94.0	13.0	16.3	13.0
Cairn Terrier	1	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Canaan Dog	26	1	9.8	0.0	20.0	9.5	N/A	N/A
Canadian Eskimo Dog	65	2	10.5	0.0	51.0	9.0	8.9	8.0

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			Mean	Min	Max	Median	Mean	Median
Catalan Sheepdog	73	2	15.2	0.0	98.0	11.0	10.4	9.0
Cavalier King Charles Spaniel	15	1	16.6	0.0	34.0	16.0	N/A	N/A
Chihuahua (Long Coat)	4	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Chihuahua (Smooth Coat)	2	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Chinese Crested	2	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Chow Chow	298	7	16.1	0.0	93.0	9.0	17.2	10.0
Collie (Rough)	567	21	9.6	0.0	80.0	8.0	9.9	9.0
Collie (Smooth)	38	1	5.3	0.0	11.0	6.0	N/A	N/A
Coton de Tulear	6	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Dachshund (Long Haired)	1	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Dachshund (Miniature Long Haired)	1	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Dachshund (Miniature Smooth Haired)	4	1	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Dachshund (Miniature Wirehaired)	2	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Dachshund (Wire Haired)	2	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Dalmatian	444	37	9.6	0.0	96.0	9.0	9.1	9.0
Deerhound	1	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Dobermann	1104	58	10.0	0.0	58.0	9.0	10.3	9.0
Dogue De Bordeaux	855	5	20.9	0.0	98.0	14.0	18.8	12.0
English Setter	982	41	14.5	2.0	103.0	11.0	13.8	11.0
Entlebucher Mountain Dog	29	2	12.2	2.0	23.0	13.0	N/A	N/A
Estrela Mountain Dog	28	2	14.9	4.0	67.0	10.0	N/A	N/A
Eurasier	216	8	8.9	0.0	37.0	8.0	8.1	7.0
Finnish Lapphund	246	14	13.0	4.0	45.0	12.0	12.3	12.0
French Bulldog	55	1	12.9	5.0	60.0	11.0	12.6	9.0
German Longhaired Pointer	40	4	8.2	0.0	17.0	8.0	6.6	7.0
German Pinscher	60	4	10.0	1.0	18.0	10.0	10.5	10.0
German Shepherd Dog	9134	256	14.5	0.0	104.0	11.0	13.9	11.0
German Shorthaired Pointer	1961	119	9.3	0.0	67.0	9.0	8.8	8.0
German Spitz (Klein)	5	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
German Spitz (Mittel)	6	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
German Wirehaired Pointer	500	30	10.1	0.0	93.0	9.0	9.1	8.0
Giant Schnauzer	143	6	11.4	0.0	46.0	10.0	11.0	10.0
Glen of Imaal Terrier	4	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Gordon Setter	749	25	13.3	0.0	101.0	10.0	11.7	10.0
Great Dane	562	29	10.7	0.0	81.0	9.0	10.8	9.0
Great Swiss Mountain Dog	63	3	9.1	0.0	29.0	8.0	N/A	N/A
Greenland Dog	27	1	13.0	0.0	45.0	11.0	N/A	N/A
Griffon Fauve De Bretagne	9	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hamiltonstovare	2	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Havanese	56	3	11.1	6.0	30.0	10.0	12.3	10.0
Hovawart	87	3	8.9	0.0	37.0	8.0	7.5	7.5
Hungarian Puli	120	1	12.2	0.0	60.0	11.0	13.8	10.5
Hungarian Pumi	61	6	11.3	4.0	31.0	10.0	10.2	9.0
Hungarian Vizsla	3198	120	12.1	0.0	95.0	11.0	12.2	11.0
Hungarian Wire Haired Vizsla	1110	47	12.5	0.0	68.0	11.0	11.4	11.0
Ibizan Hound	2	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Irish Red and White Setter	237	10	8.2	0.0	57.0	7.0	8.8	7.0
Irish Setter	1153	65	11.9	0.0	100.0	11.0	11.8	11.0
Irish Terrier	2	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Irish Wolfhound	14	3	6.4	0.0	12.0	7.0	N/A	N/A
Italian Spinone	867	31	11.1	0.0	81.0	9.0	9.7	8.0
Japanese Akita Inu	130	3	11.1	0.0	85.0	8.0	11.3	8.0
Japanese Chin	1	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Japanese Shiba Inu	41	1	10.3	0.0	39.0	9.0	9.2	9.0
Keeshond	89	9	10.5	4.0	42.0	10.0	9.6	10.0
Kerry Blue Terrier	6	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Komondor	6	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Kooikerhondje	2	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Korean Jindo	8	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Korthals Griffon	131	4	9.1	0.0	35.0	8.0	8.6	8.0
Lagotto Romagnolo	265	25	12.9	0.0	89.0	11.0	13.0	11.0
Lancashire Heeler	1	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Large Munsterlander	276	7	8.3	0.0	61.0	8.0	8.1	7.0
Leonberger	718	35	7.1	0.0	21.0	6.0	8.9	7.0

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Lhasa Apso	3	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Lowchen (Little Lion Dog)	13	1	15.4	7.0	84.0	9.0	N/A	N/A
Maremma Sheepdog	56	1	13.4	5.0	68.0	10.0	13.1	10.0
Mastiff	161	8	16.1	0.0	78.0	11.0	16.9	13.0
Miniature Schnauzer	13	1	11.1	4.0	16.0	10.0	N/A	N/A
Neapolitan Mastiff	59	0	23.4	2.0	97.0	15.0	15.5	4.0
Newfoundland	1463	24	15.8	0.0	103.0	10.0	15.5	9.0
Norfolk Terrier	2	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Norweigan Buhund	78	4	12.7	4.0	23.0	13.0	11.8	12.0
Norweigan Elkhound	156	6	10.5	0.0	45.0	10.0	9.7	10.0
Old English Sheepdog	603	29	11.8	0.0	87.0	8.0	12.1	8.5
Otterhound	99	7	38.3	7.0	105.0	28.0	22.6	14.0
Papillon	2	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Picardy Sheepdog	15	0	11.0	6.0	19.0	11.0	N/A	N/A
Pointer	169	5	8.8	0.0	30.0	9.0	7.8	8.0
Polish Lowland Sheepdog	133	2	12.9	4.0	63.0	11.0	12.3	9.0
Pomeranian	2	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Poodle (Miniature)	158	11	11.4	4.0	45.0	11.0	10.7	11.0
Poodle (Standard)	1542	68	11.4	0.0	83.0	10.0	10.8	10.0
Poodle (Toy)	20	1	10.5	5.0	15.0	10.5	11.0	12.0
Portuguese Podengo	2	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Portuguese Pointer	2	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Portuguese Water Dog	254	13	13.2	2.0	68.0	11.0	12.3	11.0
Pug	60	0	21.4	7.0	62.0	17.0	N/A	N/A
Pyrenean Mastiff (Imp)	1	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Pyrenean Mountain Dog	250	10	9.4	0.0	54.0	9.0	8.8	8.0
Pyrenean Sheepdog (Long Haired)	58	2	14.4	7.0	53.0	12.0	12.0	12.0
Pyrenean Sheepdog (Smooth Face)	6	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Retriever (Chesapeake Bay)	176	5	9.5	0.0	43.0	9.0	9.7	9.0
Retriever (Curly Coated)	280	12	10.8	0.0	68.0	10.0	10.3	10.0
Retriever (Flat Coated)	2676	120	7.4	0.0	84.0	7.0	7.2	7.0
Retriever (Golden)	12521	759	13.0	0.0	104.0	10.0	12.7	11.0
Retriever (Labrador)	47216	2373	10.3	0.0	106.0	9.0	9.5	8.0
Retriever (Nova Scotia Duck Tolling)	524	26	10.5	0.0	77.0	9.0	9.8	9.0
Rhodesian Ridgeback	1458	73	7.6	0.0	84.0	7.0	7.3	7.0
Rottweiler	2441	104	9.5	0.0	88.0	8.0	9.6	8.0
Russian Black Terrier	122	2	23.9	0.0	106.0	18.5	20.3	13.0
Saluki	2	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Samoyed	616	29	12.1	0.0	69.0	10.0	12.0	10.0
Schnauzer	26	0	12.3	7.0	21.0	12.5	N/A	N/A
Scottish Terrier	2	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Sealyham Terrier	1	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Shar Pei	11	0	8.0	0.0	13.0	9.0	N/A	N/A
Shetland Sheepdog	634	21	12.0	0.0	89.0	10.0	9.8	9.0
Shih Tzu	8	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Siberian Husky	1323	49	6.9	0.0	71.0	7.0	5.8	6.0
Skye Terrier	1	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Slovakian Rough Haired Pointer	73	3	10.6	0.0	29.0	10.0	11.2	11.0
Small Munsterlander	1	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier	382	11	11.2	0.0	37.0	11.0	10.9	10.0
Spaniel (American Cocker)	31	2	10.8	0.0	27.0	11.0	10.4	10.0
Spaniel (Clumber)	743	36	16.2	0.0	106.0	10.0	13.5	10.0
Spaniel (Cocker)	2097	182	10.7	0.0	69.0	10.0	10.2	10.0
Spaniel (English Springer)	818	45	11.4	0.0	92.0	10.0	11.2	10.0
Spaniel (Field)	265	16	11.7	0.0	70.0	10.0	10.9	9.0
Spaniel (Irish Water)	349	7	12.5	0.0	91.0	10.0	11.3	10.0
Spaniel (Sussex)	101	7	38.6	7.0	85.0	38.0	36.3	34.0
Spaniel (Welsh Springer)	842	42	16.8	0.0	96.0	12.0	14.7	11.0
Spanish Water Dog	437	22	13.9	0.0	70.0	11.0	14.3	10.0
St. Bernard	464	15	21.0	0.0	98.0	15.0	20.4	14.0
Staffordshire Bull Terrier	37	0	13.6	0.0	53.0	12.0	11.1	11.5
Swedish Lapphund	3	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Swedish Vallhund	140	8	9.4	0.0	21.0	9.0	9.1	10.0
Tibetan Mastiff	190	3	14.9	0.0	88.0	11.0	16.2	10.0

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Tibetan Terrier	1817	58	12.2	0.0	97.0	10.0	11.6	10.0
Turkish Kangal Dog	1	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Weimaraner	1303	50	10.1	0.0	60.0	9.0	9.5	9.0
Welsh Corgi (Cardigan)	46	1	17.0	6.0	48.0	14.0	N/A	N/A
Welsh Corgi (Pembroke)	19	1	18.5	7.0	38.0	15.0	N/A	N/A
Welsh Terrier	1	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
West Highland White Terrier	7	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Whippet	5	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
White Swiss Shepherd Dog	90	7	10.2	2.0	26.0	10.0	10.3	10.0
Xoloitzcuintle (Mex Hairless) Int	11	0	9.6	6.0	15.0	9.0	N/A	N/A
Xoloitzcuintle (Mex Hairless) Min	33	1	9.4	3.0	17.0	9.0	N/A	N/A
Xoloitzcuintle (Mex Hairless) Std	30	2	11.3	0.0	84.0	9.0	7.0	8.5