**What is dog shoulder height?**



The height measurement on a dog is done **from the ground to its withers**. The withers is the highest point of a dog's shoulder blades. Measuring from the withers to the ground is standard for all dogs, and allows you to get an accurate measurement every time.

The following list is in alphabetical order by breed as a quick reference for adult size and weights of the various breeds of dogs.

| **BREED** | **HT** **Male (inches)** | **HT** **Female  (inches)** | **WT** **Male (pounds)** | **WT** **Female   (pounds)** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Affenpincher | 9-11.5 | 10 | 7 | 12 |
| Afghan Hound | 27 | 25 | 60 | 50 |
| Airedale Terrier | 23 | Slightly smaller | 44-50 | 44-50 |
| Akita | 26-28 | 24-26 | Proportionate to height;   can be 75-120 pounds |
| Alaskan Malamute | 25 | 23 | 85 | 75 |
| American Black & Tan Coonhound | 23-27 | 21-26 | 50-75 | 40-65 |
| American Eskim    Miniature | 12-15 | 11-14 | 10-20 | 10-20 |
| American Eskimo  Standard | 15-19 | 14-18 | 18-35 | 18-35 |
| American Foxhound | 22 min 25 max | 21 min 24 max | 65-75 | 65-75 |
| American Pit Bull Terrier |   |   | 35-60 | 30-50 |
| American Water Spaniel | 15-18 | 15-18 | 28-45 | 25-40 |
| Anatolian Shepherd | 29-32 | 27.5-31 | 110-143 | 88-120 |
| Appenzeller | 19-23 | Slightly smaller | 48-55 | Slightly smaller |
| Ariegeois | 22-24 | 20-22 |   |   |
| Australian Cattle Dog | 18-20 | 17-19 | 33-50 | 33-50 |
| Australian Kelpie | 20-23 | 17-20 | 25-45 | 25-45 |
| Australian Terrier | 10-11 | 10-11 | 14 | 14 |
| Azawakh | 25-29 | 23.5-27.5 | 37-45 | 37-45 |
| Basenji | 17 | 16 | 24 | 22 |
| Basset Bleu De Gascogne | 12 | 15 | Up to 40 | Up to 40 |
| Basset Hound | Not over 14 | Not over 14 | 50-70 | 50-70 |
| Beagle | Not over 15 | Not over 15 | 22-25 | 22-25 |
| Bearded Collie | 21-22 | 20-21 | 40-60 | 40-60 |
| Bedlington Terrier | 16.5 | 15.5 | 17-23 | 17-23 |
| Belgian Shepherd | 23-26.5 | 21-24.5 | 65-70 | 60-65 |
| Bernese Mountain Dog | 25-27.5 | 23-26 | 130-135 | 125-130 |
| Bichon Frise | 9.5-11.5 | 9.5-11.5 | 7-12 | 7-12 |
| Bloodhound | 25-27 | 23-25 | 90-110 | 80-100 |
| Bluetick Coonhoud | 22-27 | 21-25 | 55-80 | 45-65 |
| Border Collie | 17-24 | 17-24 | 25-65 | 25-65 |
| Border Terrier | 14 | 13 | 13-15.5 | 14.5 |
| Borzoi | 28 minimum | 26 minimum | 75-105 | 60-90 |
| Boston Terrier | 15-17 | 15-17 | 10-25 | 10-25 |
| Bouvier Des Flandres | 24.5-27.5 | 23.5-26.5 | 75-90 | 60-80 |
| Boxer | 22.5-25 | 21-23.5 | 60-70 | 53-65 |
| Boykin Spaniel | 15-5-18 | 14-16.5 | 30-40 | 25-35 |
| Briard | 23-27 | 22-25 | 75 | 75 |
| Brittany Spaniel | 17.5-21 | 18-20 | 35-40 | 30-40 |
| Brussels Griffon | 7-8 | 7-8 | 6-12 | 6-12 |
| Bull Terrier  (breed standards do not specify height) | 19-20 | 19-20 | 45 | 45 |
| Bullmastiff | 25-27 | 24-26 | 110-130 | 100-120 |
| Cairn Terrier | 9.5-10 | 9.5-10 | 14 | 14 |
| Canaan Dog | 20-24 | 19-23 | 45-55 | 35-45 |
| Cavalier King Charles Spaniel | 12-13 | 12-13 | 12-18 | 12-18 |
| Cesky Terrier | 10.5-13.75 | 10.5-13.75 | 18 | 15.5 |
| Chesapeake Bay Retriever | 23-26 | 21-24 | 65-80 | 55-70 |
| Chihuahua | 6-9 | 6-9 | Not to     exceed 6 | Not to exceed     6 |
| Chinese Shar-Pei | 18-20 | 18-20 | 35-55 | 35-55 |
| Chinook | 22-28 | 20-26 | 70 | 55 |
| Chow Chow | 17-20 | 17-20 | 55 | 55 |
| Clumber Spaniel | 19-20 | 17-19 | 70-85 | 55-70 |
| Cocker Spaniel, American | 14.5-15.5 | 13.5-14.5 | 15-30 | 15-30 |
| Cocker Spaniel, English | 16-17 | 15-16 | 28-34 | 26-32 |
| Collie | 24-26 | 22-24 | 60-75 | 50-65 |
| Curly Coated Retriever | 25-27 | 25-27 | 70 | 70 |
| Dachshund, Standard |   |   | 15-25 | 15-25 |
| Dachshund, Miniature |   |   | 11 | 10 |
| Dalmatian | 22-24 | 21-23 | 51-55 | 51-55 |
| Dandie Dinmont Terrier | 8-11 | 8-11 | 18-24 | 18-24 |
| Doberman Pinscher | 26-28 | 24-26 | 71-99 | 66-88 |
| English Bulldog | 12-16 | 12-16 | 50 | 40 |
| English Coonhound | 22-27 | 21-25 | 40-65 | 40-65 |
| English Foxhound | 22-25 | 21-24 | 65-70 | 65-70 |
| English Pointer | 23-28 | 23-28 | 45-75 | 45-75 |
| English Setter | 25 | 24 | 55-70 | 50-60 |
| English Shepherd | 18-23 | 18-22 | 45-60 | 40-50 |
| English Springer Spaniel | 20 | 19 | 49-55 | 45-50 |
| English Toy Spaniel | 10 | 10 | 8-14 | 8-14 |
| Entlebucher | 16-20 | 16-20 | 55-65 | 55-65 |
| Harrier | 19-21 | 19-21 | 40-60 | 40-60 |
| Havanese | 8.5-11 | 8.5-11 | 7-13 | 7-13 |
| Ibizan Hound | 23.5-27.5 | 22.5-26 | 45-55 | 40-50 |
| Irish Setter | 27 | 25 | 75 | 65 |
| Irish Terrier | 18 | 17 | 27 | 25 |
| Irish Water Spaniel | 22-24 | 21-23 | 55-65 | 45-58 |
| Irish Wolfhounds | 32 | 30 | 120 | 105 |
| Italian Greyhound | 13 | 15 | 6-10 | 6-10 |
| Jack Russell Terrier | 10-15 | 10-15 | 14-18 | 14-18 |
| Jagdterrier | 13 min 16 max | 13 min 16 max | 16-22 | 16-22 |
| Keeshond | 18 | 17 | 35-45 | 30-40 |
| Kerry Blue Terrier | 18.5-19.5 | 17.5-19 | 33-40 | 33-40 |
| Komondor | 25.5 | 23.5 | Up to 125 | Up to 112 |
| Kuvasz | 28-30 | 26-28 | 90-115 | 70-90 |
| Labrador Retriever | 22.5-24.5 | 21.5-23.5 | 60-75 | 55-70 |
| Leonberger | 28.5 min 31.5 max | 25.5 mi  29.5 max |   |   |
| Lhasa Apso | 10-11 | 10 | 13-15 | 13-15 |
| Maltese | 8-10 | 8-9 | 4-6 | 4-6 |
| Manchester Terrier-Standard | 15-16 | 15-16 | 18 | 17 |
| Manchester Terrier-Toy | 10-12 | 10-12 | 12 | 12 |
| Mastiff | 30 | 27 | 160 | 150 |
| Miniature Bull Terrier | 10-14 | 10-14 | 24-33 | 24-33 |
| Miniature Pinscher | 10-12.5 | 10-12.5 | 8-10 | 8-10 |
| Newfoundland | 28 | 26 | 130-150 | 100-120 |
| Norfolk Terrier | 9-12 | 10 | 10-12 | 10-12 |
| Norwich Terrier | Not to exceed 10 | Not to exceed 10 | 12 | 12 |
| Norwegian Elkhound | 20.5 | 19.5 | 55 | 48 |
| Nova Scotia Duck Tolling Retriever | 19-20 | 18-19 | 45-51 | 37-43 |
| Old English Sheepdog | 22 | 21 | 66 | 60 |
| Otterhound | 24-27 | 23-26 | 75-115 | 65-100 |
| Papillon | 8-11 | 8-11 | 8-10 | 7-9 |
| Pekingnese | 6-9 | 6-9 | Not over 14 | Not over 14 |
| Petit Basset Griffon     Vendeen | 13-15 | 13-15 | Not over 45 | Not over 45 |
| Petit Bleu De Gascogne | 22-24 | 20-22 | 44 | 44 |
| Petit Gascon-Saintongeois | 20-22 | 18-20 |   |   |
| Petit Griffon Bleu De Gascogne | 18-20 | 17-19 |   |   |
| Pharaoh Hound | 23-25 | 21-24 | 45-55 | 40-50 |
| Plott Hound | 22-27 | 21-25 | 50-75 | 40-65 |
| Polish Owczarek Nizinny | 17-20 | 16-18 |   |   |
| Pomeranian |   |   | 3-7 | 3-7 |
| Poodle, Toy | 10 or less | 10 or less | 4-5 | 4-5 |
| Poodle, Miniature | 10-15 | 10-15 | 15-17 | 15-17 |
| Poodle, Standard | Over 15 | Over 15 | 45-70 | 45-60 |
| Portuguese Water Dog | 20-23 | 17-21 | 42-60 | 35-50 |
| Pug | 10-11 | 10-11 | 14-18 | 14-18 |
| Puli | 14-18 | 14-16 | 25-35 | 25-30 |
| Redbone Coonhound | 22-27 | 21-25 | 50-70 | 50-65 |
| Rhodesian Ridgeback | 25-27 | 24-26 | 75 | 65 |
| Rottweiler | 24-27 | 22-25 | 95-130 | 85-115 |
| Saint Bernard | 27.5 minimum | 25.5 minimum | 110-200 | 110-190 |
| Saluki | 23-28 | Smaller | 29-66 | 29-66 |
| Samoyed | 21-23.5 | 19-21 | 45-65 | 35-50 |
| Schipperke | 10-13 | 10-13 | 12-18 | 12-18 |
| Schnauzer, Standard | 18.5-19.5 | 17.5-18.5 | 30-45 | 30-40 |
| Schnauzer, Miniature | 12-14 | 12-14 | 10-15 | 10-15 |
| Scottish Deerhound | 30-32 | 28-30 | 85-110 | 75-95 |
| Scottish Terrier | 10 | 10 | 19-22 | 18-21 |
| Sealyham Terrier | 10.5 | 10 | 23-24 | 23-24 |
| Shetland Sheepdog | Over 13 under 16 | 18-25 | 18-25 |
| Shiba Inu | 14-16 | 13-15 | 20-30 | 18-28 |
| Shih Tzu | 9-10.5 | 8-10 | 9-16 | 9-16 |
| Siberian Husky | 21-23.5 | 20-22 | 45-60 | 35-50 |
| Silky Terrier | 9-10 | 9-10 | 8-10 | 8-10 |
| Sky Terrier | 10 | 9.5 | 25 | 23 |
| Soft-Coated Wheaten | 18-19 | 17-18 | 35-40 | 30-35 |
| Staffordshire Bull Terrier | 14-16 | 14-16 | 24-38 | 24-38 |
| Sussex Spaniel | 13-15 | 13-15 | 35-45 | 35-45 |
| Tibetan Spaniel | 10 | 10 | 9-15 | 9-15 |
| Tibetan Terrier | 15-16 | 15-16 | 18-30 | 18-30 |
| Toy Fox Terrier | 10 | 10 | 3.5-7 | 3.5-7 |
| Treeing Walker Coonhound | 22-27 | 20-25 | 50-70 | 50-70 |
| Vizsla | 22-24 | 21-23 | 45-60 | 40-55 |
| Weimaraner | 25-27 | 23-25 | 55-70 | 50-65 |
| Welsh Corgi, Cardigan | 10.5-12.5 | 10.5-12.5 | 30-38 | 25-34 |
| Welsh Corgi, Pembroke | 10-12 | 10-12 | 24-27 | 22-25 |
| Welsh Springer Spaniel | 18-19 | 17-18 | 40-45 | 35-40 |
| Welsh Terrier | 15-15.5 | Slightly smaller | 20 | 20 |
| West Highland White   Terrier | 11 | 10 | 15-22 | 13-16 |
| Whippet | 19-22 | 18-21 | 18-28 | 12-20 |
| Wirehaired Pointing Griffon | 21.5-23 | 19.5-21.5 | 50-60 | 50-60 |
| Xoloitzcuintli, Toy | Up to 13 | Up to 13 | 9-18 | 9-18 |
| Xoloitzcuintli, Miniature | 13-18 | 13-18 | 13-22 | 13-22 |
| Xoloitzcuintli, Standard | 18-23 | 16-22 | 20-31 | 20-31 |
| Yorkshire Terrier | 9-12 | 9-12 | 7 | 7 |