



Annual health report 2024
Elbow scores by breed

Data Calculated to 31/12/2024

The following is an annual summary, covering all breeds where at least one dog has been tested, 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 data reflects Kennel Club registered dogs only.

Breed	Tested in last 15 years	Tested in 2024	Grades									
			0		0< (1, 2 & 3)		1		2		3	
			Number scored	%	Number scored	%	Number scored	%	Number scored	%	Number scored	%
Afghan Hound	5	2	4	80%	1	20%	1	20%	0	0%	0	0%
Airedale Terrier	28	2	19	68%	9	32%	4	14%	5	18%	0	0%
Akita	13	1	13	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Alaskan Malamute	56	5	49	88%	7	13%	4	7%	3	5%	0	0%
Anatolian Shepherd Dog	6	0	5	83%	1	17%	0	0%	1	17%	0	0%
Australian Cattle Dog	131	5	112	85%	19	15%	12	9%	6	5%	1	1%
Australian Shepherd	360	23	342	95%	18	5%	13	4%	4	1%	1	0%
Barbet (Imp)	45	7	41	91%	4	9%	2	4%	2	4%	0	0%
Basenji	2	0	2	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Basset Fauve De Bretagne	1	0	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Basset Griffon Vendéen (Grand)	2	0	0	0%	2	100%	2	100%	0	0%	0	0%
Basset Hound	9	2	4	44%	5	56%	3	33%	2	22%	0	0%
Bavarian Mountain Hound (Imp)	15	1	13	87%	2	13%	2	13%	0	0%	0	0%
Beagle	10	0	10	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Bearded Collie	520	29	489	94%	31	6%	21	4%	6	1%	4	1%
Beauceron	15	6	12	80%	3	20%	2	13%	1	7%	0	0%
Belgian Shepherd Dog (Groenendael)	24	4	23	96%	1	4%	0	0%	0	0%	1	4%
Belgian Shepherd Dog (Laekenois)	4	0	4	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Belgian Shepherd Dog (Malinois)	203	19	186	92%	17	8%	11	5%	6	3%	0	0%
Belgian Shepherd Dog (Tervueren)	23	2	15	65%	8	35%	3	13%	4	17%	1	4%
Belgian Shepherd Dog	1	0	0	0%	1	100%	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%
Bergamasco (Imp)	5	0	5	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Bernese Mountain Dog	1720	71	1157	67%	563	33%	224	13%	236	14%	103	6%
Bichon Frise	1	0	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Black and Tan Coonhound (Imp)	40	3	38	95%	2	5%	2	5%	0	0%	0	0%
Bloodhound	37	2	28	76%	9	24%	3	8%	4	11%	2	5%
Border Collie	772	102	745	97%	27	3%	23	3%	3	0%	1	0%
Border Terrier	6	1	4	67%	2	33%	2	33%	0	0%	0	0%
Borzoi	1	0	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Boston Terrier	3	2	3	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Bouvier Des Flandres	44	0	39	89%	5	11%	2	5%	3	7%	0	0%
Boxer	27	2	26	96%	1	4%	1	4%	0	0%	0	0%
Bracco Italiano	265	8	199	75%	66	25%	44	17%	19	7%	3	1%
Braque D'Auvergne (Imp)	8	2	7	88%	1	13%	1	13%	0	0%	0	0%
Briard	1	0	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Brittany	2	0	2	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Bull Terrier	1	0	0	0%	1	100%	0	0%	1	100%	0	0%
Bull Terrier (Miniature)	3	0	1	33%	2	67%	2	67%	0	0%	0	0%
Bulldog	18	1	10	56%	8	44%	1	6%	4	22%	3	17%
Bullmastiff	226	14	147	65%	79	35%	38	17%	33	15%	8	4%
Canaan Dog	3	1	3	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Catalan Sheepdog	11	0	11	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Cavalier King Charles Spaniel	3	1	2	67%	1	33%	0	0%	1	33%	0	0%
Chihuahua (Smooth Coat)	1	0	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Chow Chow	205	6	75	37%	130	63%	32	16%	46	22%	52	25%
Collie (Rough)	18	1	18	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Collie (Smooth)	2	0	2	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Dachshund (Long Haired)	1	0	0	0%	1	100%	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%
Dachshund (Miniature Smooth Haired)	3	1	2	67%	1	33%	0	0%	0	0%	1	33%
Dachshund (Miniature Wire Haired)	1	0	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Dalmatian	207	29	192	93%	15	7%	9	4%	4	2%	2	1%
Dobermann	116	15	115	99%	1	1%	0	0%	1	1%	0	0%
Dogue de Bordeaux	362	4	222	61%	140	39%	60	17%	52	14%	28	8%
English Setter	6	0	5	83%	1	17%	0	0%	1	17%	0	0%
Entlebucher Mountain Dog (Imp)	1	0	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Estrela Mountain Dog	14	2	12	86%	2	14%	0	0%	2	14%	0	0%
Eurasier	199	8	188	94%	11	6%	6	3%	4	2%	1	1%
Finnish Lapphund	20	0	20	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
French Bulldog	16	1	11	69%	5	31%	4	25%	0	0%	1	6%
German Longhaired Pointer	6	4	6	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
German Pinscher	2	0	2	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
German Shepherd Dog	7095	247	5780	81%	1315	19%	715	10%	393	6%	207	3%
German Shorthaired Pointer	252	47	247	98%	5	2%	4	2%	1	0%	0	0%

German Spitz (Klein)	5	0	4	80%	1	20%	1	20%	0	0%	0	0%
German Spitz (Mittel)	1	0	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
German Wirehaired Pointer	188	25	178	95%	10	5%	8	4%	2	1%	0	0%
Giant Schnauzer	82	5	77	94%	5	6%	5	6%	0	0%	0	0%
Glen Of Imaal Terrier	2	0	2	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Gordon Setter	32	7	24	75%	8	25%	6	19%	2	6%	0	0%
Great Dane	237	24	216	91%	21	9%	9	4%	9	4%	3	1%
Great Swiss Mountain Dog	62	3	50	81%	12	19%	6	10%	5	8%	1	2%
Greenland Dog	1	0	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Havanese	21	0	17	81%	4	19%	4	19%	0	0%	0	0%
Hovawart	15	1	15	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Hungarian Puli	3	0	1	33%	2	67%	2	67%	0	0%	0	0%
Hungarian Pumi	32	3	28	88%	4	13%	3	9%	1	3%	0	0%
Hungarian Vizsla	1154	102	1066	92%	88	8%	67	6%	16	1%	5	0%
Hungarian Wire Haired Vizsla	226	32	210	93%	16	7%	12	5%	4	2%	0	0%
Irish Red & White Setter	26	1	26	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Irish Setter	42	5	41	98%	1	2%	1	2%	0	0%	0	0%
Irish Terrier	1	0	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Irish Wolfhound	14	2	9	64%	5	36%	1	7%	3	21%	1	7%
Italian Greyhound	1	0	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Italian Spinone	129	11	110	85%	19	15%	11	9%	7	5%	1	1%
Japanese Akita Inu	8	1	8	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Japanese Shiba Inu	1	1	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Keeshond	87	11	72	83%	15	17%	14	16%	1	1%	0	0%
Komondor	4	0	4	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Kooikerhondje	2	0	2	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Korean Jindo (Imp)	5	0	5	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Korthals Griffon (Imp)	75	4	65	87%	10	13%	7	9%	2	3%	1	1%
Lagotto Romagnolo	182	24	177	97%	5	3%	4	2%	1	1%	0	0%
Large Munsterlander	277	7	229	83%	48	17%	35	13%	9	3%	4	1%
Leonberger	775	34	704	91%	71	9%	51	7%	10	1%	10	1%
Maremma Sheepdog	6	0	5	83%	1	17%	1	17%	0	0%	0	0%
Mastiff	155	8	121	78%	34	22%	8	5%	14	9%	12	8%
Miniature Schnauzer	4	0	4	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Neapolitan Mastiff	25	0	15	60%	10	40%	5	20%	2	8%	3	12%
Newfoundland	1236	22	866	70%	370	30%	192	16%	122	10%	56	5%
Norfolk Terrier	1	0	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Norwegian Buhund	2	1	2	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Norwegian Elkhound	14	1	14	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Old English Sheepdog	147	19	135	92%	12	8%	10	7%	2	1%	0	0%
Otterhound	109	7	38	35%	71	65%	39	36%	24	22%	8	7%
Papillon	1	0	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Picardy Sheepdog (Imp)	10	0	9	90%	1	10%	1	10%	0	0%	0	0%
Pointer	18	1	17	94%	1	6%	1	6%	0	0%	0	0%
Polish Lowland Sheepdog	1	0	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Pomeranian	2	0	1	50%	1	50%	1	50%	0	0%	0	0%
Poodle (Miniature)	32	5	26	81%	6	19%	6	19%	0	0%	0	0%
Poodle (Standard)	255	29	230	90%	25	10%	20	8%	5	2%	0	0%
Poodle (Toy)	11	2	9	82%	2	18%	1	9%	1	9%	0	0%
Portuguese Pointer (Imp)	6	2	5	83%	1	17%	0	0%	1	17%	0	0%
Portuguese Water Dog	150	13	140	93%	10	7%	8	5%	2	1%	0	0%
Pug	7	0	1	14%	6	86%	3	43%	2	29%	1	14%
Pyrenean Mountain Dog	49	2	49	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Pyrenean Sheepdog (Long Haired)	24	2	24	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Pyrenean Sheepdog (Smooth Face)(Imp)	5	0	5	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Retriever (Chesapeake Bay)	127	5	104	82%	23	18%	8	6%	11	9%	4	3%
Retriever (Curly Coated)	33	3	33	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Retriever (Flat Coated)	860	74	844	98%	16	2%	11	1%	3	0%	2	0%
Retriever (Golden)	9363	735	7423	79%	1940	21%	1092	12%	731	8%	117	1%
Retriever (Labrador)	36742	2297	32690	89%	4052	11%	2535	7%	1014	3%	503	1%
Retriever (Nova Scotia Duck Tolling)	434	24	423	97%	11	3%	9	2%	2	0%	0	0%
Rhodesian Ridgeback	979	72	862	88%	117	12%	66	7%	43	4%	8	1%
Rottweiler	1934	102	1001	52%	933	48%	511	26%	368	19%	54	3%
Russian Black Terrier	99	2	57	58%	42	42%	18	18%	18	18%	6	6%
Samoyed	63	7	61	97%	2	3%	1	2%	0	0%	1	2%
Schnauzer	4	0	4	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Scottish Terrier	1	0	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Shar Pei	8	0	5	63%	3	38%	1	13%	1	13%	1	13%
Shetland Sheepdog	52	7	51	98%	1	2%	1	2%	0	0%	0	0%
Shih Tzu	3	0	3	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Siberian Husky	33	5	33	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Skye Terrier	1	0	0	0%	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	1	100%
Slovakian Rough Haired Pointer (Imp)	5	0	5	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier	10	5	9	90%	1	10%	1	10%	0	0%	0	0%
Spaniel (American Cocker)	3	1	2	67%	1	33%	1	33%	0	0%	0	0%
Spaniel (Clumber)	440	31	409	93%	31	7%	18	4%	9	2%	4	1%
Spaniel (Cocker)	728	127	715	98%	13	2%	10	1%	3	0%	0	0%
Spaniel (English Springer)	421	36	391	93%	30	7%	22	5%	8	2%	0	0%
Spaniel (Field)	116	13	114	98%	2	2%	2	2%	0	0%	0	0%
Spaniel (Irish Water)	295	7	232	79%	63	21%	42	14%	17	6%	4	1%
Spaniel (Sussex)	8	1	7	88%	1	13%	1	13%	0	0%	0	0%
Spaniel (Welsh Springer)	27	8	27	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%

Spanish Water Dog	32	4	32	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
St. Bernard	202	12	169	84%	33	16%	15	7%	10	5%	8	4%
Staffordshire Bull Terrier	21	0	15	71%	6	29%	0	0%	5	24%	1	5%
Swedish Lapphund (Imp)	1	0	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Swedish Vallhund	2	0	1	50%	1	50%	1	50%	0	0%	0	0%
Tibetan Mastiff	158	3	126	80%	32	20%	18	11%	8	5%	6	4%
Tibetan Terrier	12	0	12	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Weimaraner	92	10	90	98%	2	2%	1	1%	1	1%	0	0%
Welsh Corgi (Cardigan)	3	0	3	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Welsh Corgi (Pembroke)	9	0	9	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
West Highland White Terrier	1	0	1	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Whippet	3	0	3	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
White Swiss Shepherd Dog (Imp)	91	8	69	76%	22	24%	13	14%	6	7%	3	3%
Xoloitzcuintle (Mex Hairless) Std (Imp)	23	0	22	96%	1	4%	1	4%	0	0%	0	0%