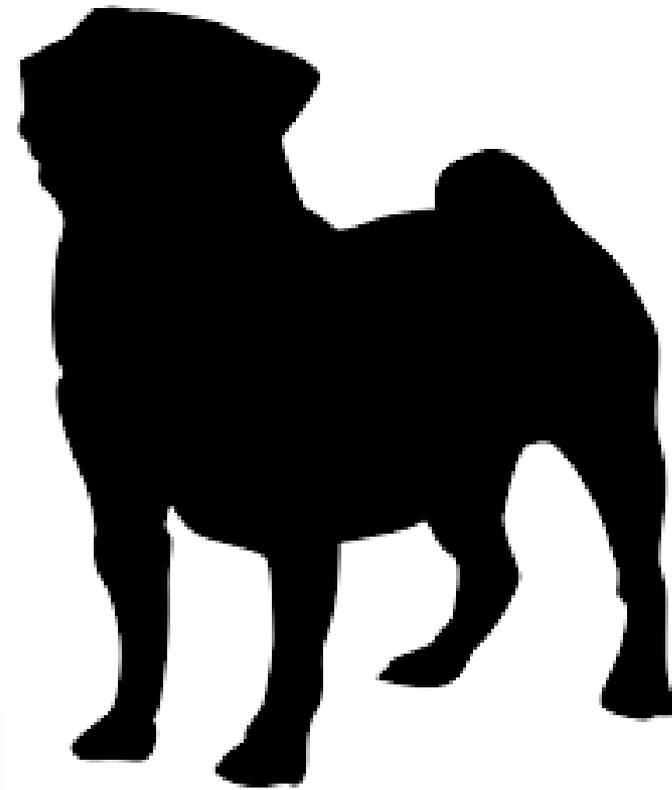


Pug



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Description

The pug is a type of dog with a wrinkly face. It also has a curled tail, and pug puppies are called puglets. The pug has a square, muscular body with a large head, big eyes, and small ears.

Pugs are often liked most for their curly tails, compact body, a deep chest, and strong muscles.

Country of origin

Pugs came from China, as most high people of China kept them as pets. Later they became popular in England, Ireland, and Scotland.



Temperament



The Pug is keen, with a happy-go-lucky attitude. Animated, peppy and spirited. Playful, lively and rambunctious, it is sure to keep you laughing.

Pugs are also charming, playful, clever, attentive, sociable.

They need an owner who is calm, yet firm, confident and consistent with the rules.

Other information

Height and weight:

Males: 30 - 36 cm , 6-9 kg.

Females: 25-30 cm, 6-8 kg.

Health Problems:

Pugs catch colds easily and are stressed by hot and cold weather. They are prone to allergies and also they may have breathing problems.

Pugs can also be hurt by necrotizing meningoencephalitis (NME). There is no known cure or explanation for NME, although most people believe it is a disease that dogs may inherit from their mother or father. All dogs usually die within a few months after this disease, which usually happens from 6 months to 7 years of age.

Nature:

Pugs are well kept for families with children. They can be quiet and nice but also funny according to the owner's mood. They are also good at guarding the house.

Facts

1. Pugs catch colds, because of their short noses.
2. Pugs are widely know as the oldest breed of dog. Pugs may have been around since 400 BC.
3. Pugs are energetic, but they sleep 14 hours a day.
4. While they're not big barkers, pugs have shown a propensity for singing.
5. The perfect pug tail is said to have 2-4 curls.
6. A group of pugs is called a grumble.



Photos

