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Animal Fact Sheet

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Bichon Frise

Canis lupus familiaris

The Bichon Frise is a small, cheerful dog breed known for its distinctive fluffy white coat and friendly, affectionate temperament. Originally bred as a companion animal, the Bichon Frise has a playf…

Quick facts

Classification: Mammal
Family: Canidae
Habitat: Domestic
Diet: Omnivore
Conservation status: Least Concern
Lifespan: 12-15 years
Weight: 5-8 kg (11-18 lbs)
Scientific name: Canis lupus familiaris

Did you know?

- Despite their glamorous appearance, Bichon Frises are renowned for their clown-like personalities and love to entertain their owners with playful ant…
- Bichon Frises have a history as royal lapdogs in European courts and were popular circus performers due to their agility and trainability. Their coat…

What I learned

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