

Animal Fact Sheet

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Italian Greyhound

Canis lupus familiaris

The Italian Greyhound is a small, slender breed of domestic dog known for its elegant and graceful appearance. With origins dating back over 2,000 years, this breed was favored by nobility in ancient...

Quick facts

Classification: Mammal

Family: Canidae

Habitat: Domestic

Diet: Carnivore

Conservation status: Least Concern

Lifespan: 12-15 years

Weight: 3.6-5 kg (8-11 lbs)

Scientific name: *Canis lupus familiaris*

Did you know?

- Despite their aristocratic history, Italian Greyhounds are playful and mischievous, often performing acrobatic leaps and sprints around the home.
- Italian Greyhounds are the smallest of the sighthound family, renowned for their speed and agility. Their slim build and tucked abdomens give them a d...

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