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Animal Fact Sheet

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Sloughi

Canis lupus familiaris

The Sloughi is an ancient sighthound breed native to North Africa, particularly Morocco, Algeria, Tunisia, and Libya. Renowned for its elegant, slender build and remarkable speed, the Sloughi was ori…

Quick facts

Classification: Mammal
Family: Canidae
Habitat: Desert and grassland regions
Diet: Carnivore
Conservation status: Least Concern
Lifespan: 12-16 years
Weight: 35-50 lbs (16-23 kg)
Scientific name: Canis lupus familiaris

Did you know?

- Unlike many sighthounds, the Sloughi has a strong guarding instinct and is often used both as a hunter and a watchdog in its native regions.
- The Sloughi is known for its incredible endurance and can maintain high speeds over long distances. Its aloof demeanor is paired with deep loyalty to…

What I learned

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