

UNDERWEIGHT

IDEAL WEIGHT

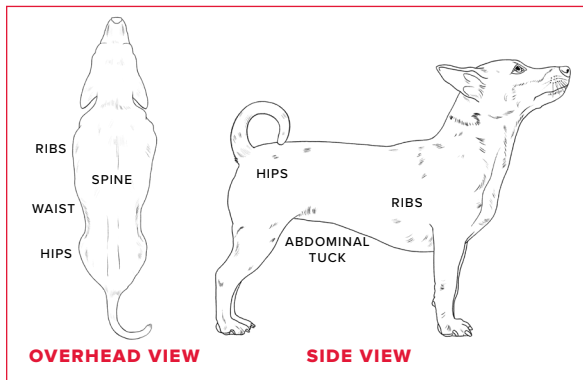
OVERWEIGHT

1-5 Scale

1	2	3	4	5

1-9 Scale

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Ribs	Easily felt; visible from a distance		Easily felt; little fat cover		Easily felt; slight fat cover		Difficult to feel; moderate fat cover		Difficult to feel under fat cover	
Spine									Massive fat deposits over ribs, back, and base of tail	
Hips										
Muscle Mass	Marked/moderate muscle wasting		Depends on age, activity level, and overall health							
Side View	Severe abdominal tuck		Abdominal tuck			No abdominal tuck		Distended abdomen		
Overhead View	Accentuated hourglass		Marked hourglass		Well-proportioned waist		Less obvious waist		No obvious waist	



MUSCLE CONDITION SCORE			
Normal muscle mass	Mild muscle loss	Moderate muscle loss	Severe muscle loss