



*FCI-Standard N° 321 / 30. 08. 2002*  
**MAJORCA SHEPHERD DOG**  
*Ca de Bestiar; Perro de pastor mallorquín*  
Standard Provided by ABIDS

**CLASSIFICATION F.C.I.:**

Group.....1 Sheepdogs and Cattle Dogs (except Swiss Cattle Dogs)

Section....1 Sheepdogs

Without working trial.

ORIGIN: Spain.

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**HEAD:** Sharply defined. **Eyes:** Set wide, small and round in size. **Ears:** Left natural. **Muzzle:** Medium size and well proportioned to head. **Nose:** Black and self-colored according to coat. **Bite:** Scissors or level.

**Neck:** Short and strong.

**Topline:** Level.

**Chest:** Deep and broad, with well sprung ribs.

**BODY:** Back is straight and strong, with loins muscular.

**Legs:** Forelegs are straight and strong. Hind legs are muscular with hocks and stifles well bent.

**Feet:** Small and compact, with arched toes and hard pads.

**Tail:** Undocked.

**COAT:** Shorthaired or longhaired. **Color:** Black.

**SIZE:** Dogs 66-73 cm; bitches 62-68 cm. There is a tolerance of  $\pm 1$  cm. **Weight:** 35-40 kg (77-88 lbs.).

**PROPORTIONS:**

- Height at the croup 71 cm.
- Height at the chest 39 cm.
- Longitudinal diameter 71 cm.
- . Total length of head 26 cm.
- . Length of the foreface 13 cm.
- . Length of the skull 13 cm.
- Length of the neck 26 cm.
- Length of the ear 13 cm.
- Length of the tail 52 cm.
- Alzada al corvejón 23 cm.
- Length of the hair at loin:
  - Variety short hair 2 cm.
  - Variety long hair 7 cm.
- Width of the head 15 cm.
- Perimeter of the chest 81 / 83 cm.
- Width of the chest 26 cm.
- Perimeter of the neck 49 cm.

**MOVEMENT:** Swift and very agile, with flowing gait.

**TEMPERAMENT:** Intelligent and thoughtful, protective.

**Note:** Male animals should have two apparently normal testicles fully descended into the scrotum.