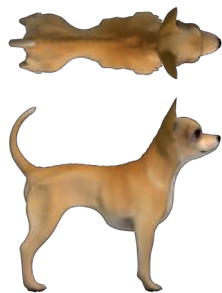
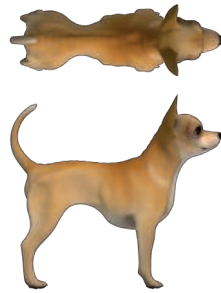


TOO THIN



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- No discernible body fat.
- Obvious loss of muscle mass.



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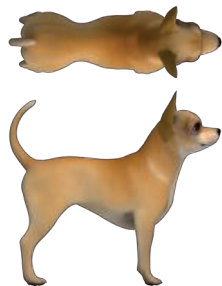
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IDEAL



4

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- Palpable ribs without excessive fat covering.
- Visible waistline behind the ribs.
- Abdominal fold seen from the sides.

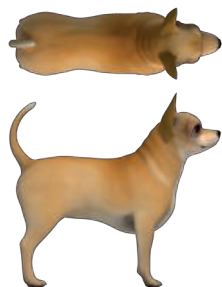
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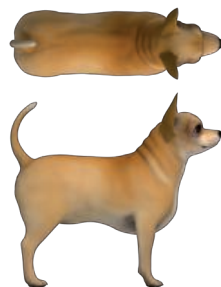
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TOO HEAVY



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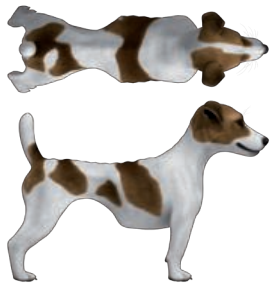
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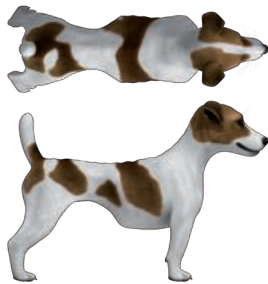
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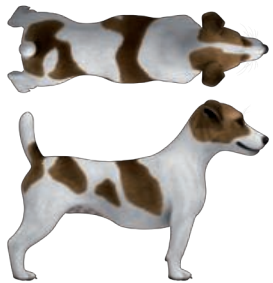
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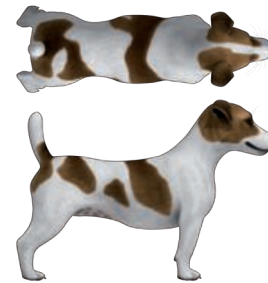
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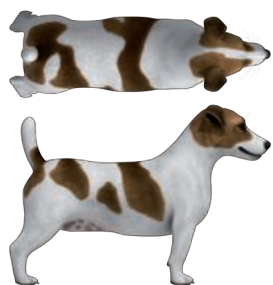
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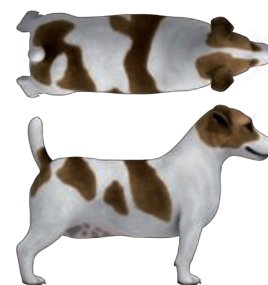
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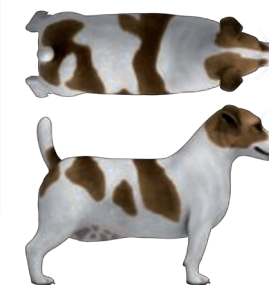
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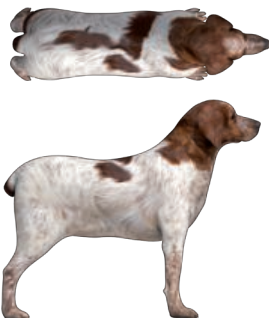
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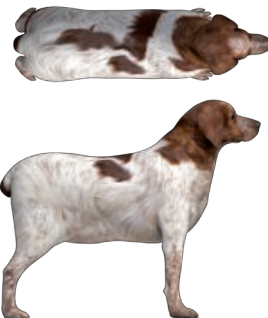
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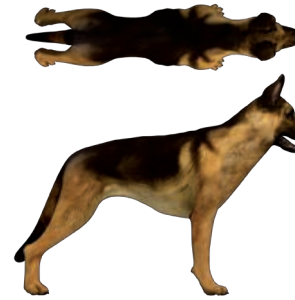
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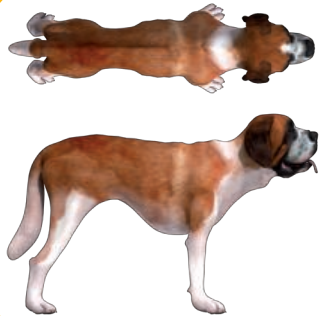
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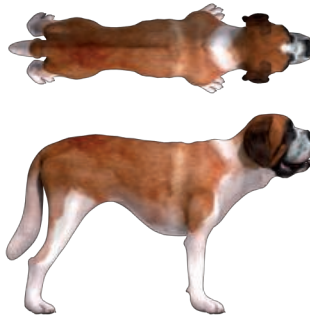
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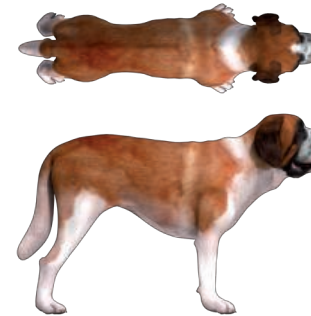
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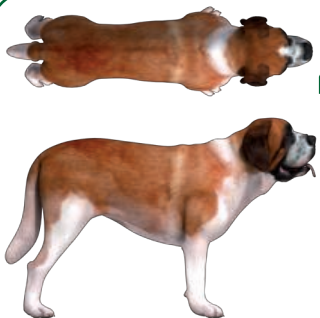
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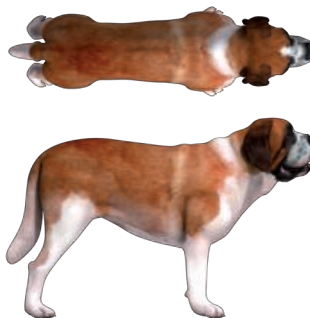
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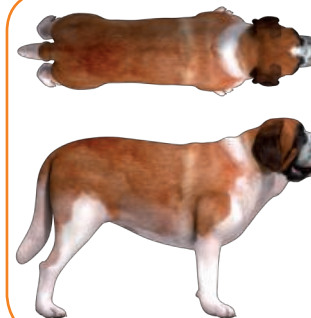
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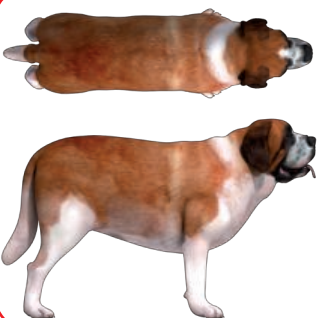
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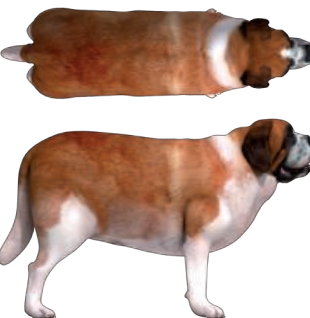
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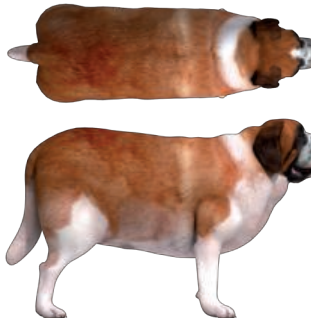
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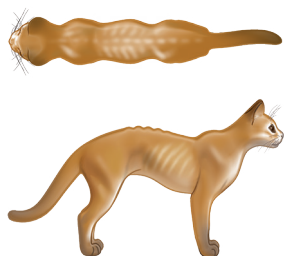


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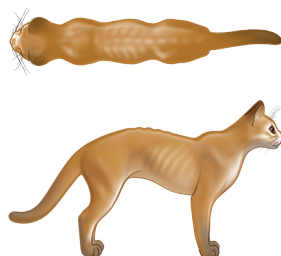
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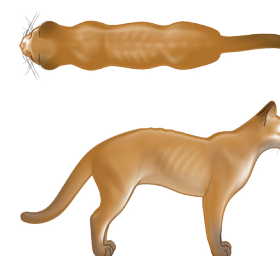
TOO THIN



- Ribs, spine and pelvic bones easily visible on shorthaired cats
- Very narrow waist
- Small amount of muscle
- No palpable fat on the rib cage
- Severe abdominal tuck

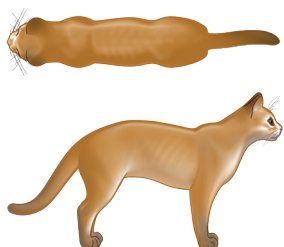


- Ribs easily visible on shorthaired cats
- Very narrow waist
- Loss of muscle mass
- No palpable fat on the rib cage
- Very pronounced abdominal tuck

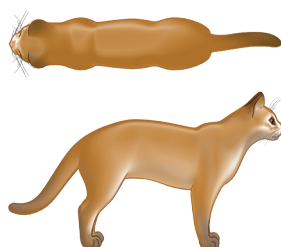


- Ribs visible on shorthaired cats
- Obvious waist
- Very small amount of abdominal fat
- Marked abdominal tuck

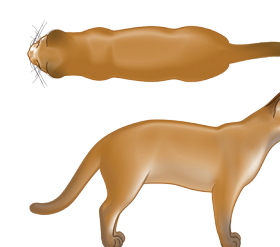
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- Ribs not visible but are easily palpable
- Obvious waist
- Minimal amount of abdominal fat

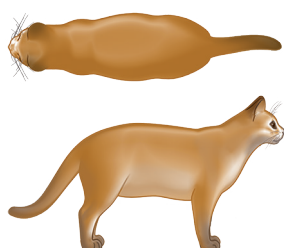


- Well proportioned
- Ribs not visible but are easily palpable
- Obvious waist
- Small amount of abdominal fat
- Slight abdominal tuck

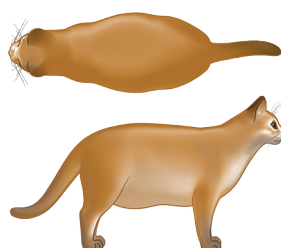


- Ribs not visible but palpable
- Waist not clearly defined when seen from above
- Very slight abdominal tuck

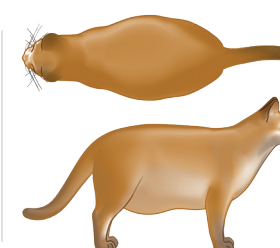
OVERWEIGHT



- Ribs difficult to palpate under the fat
- Waist barely visible
- No abdominal tuck
- Rounding of abdomen with moderate abdominal pad



- Ribs not palpable under the fat
- Waist not visible
- Slight abdominal distension



- Ribs not palpable under a thick layer of fat
- Waist absent
- Obvious abdominal distension
- Extensive abdominal fat deposits

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