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Young naturalists will devour these!



- Over 100 animals in each book.
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German Shepherd	Dogs Herding dog	Dogs Herding dog	Australian Shepherd
Factfile			Factfile
<p>Personality Confident, courageous, smart</p> <p>Height 22 to 26 in.</p> <p>Weight 48 to 88 lb.</p> <p>Exercise At least 2 hours</p> <p>Grooming 2 to 3 times a week</p> <p>Life span 9 to 13 years</p> <p>History The first German shepherd appeared in 1899. Named Horand, he was grandfather to Boowulf, to whom all modern German shepherds are genetically linked.</p> <p>Fact These are obedient working dogs that thrive on being challenged. One German shepherd female learned 100 tricks by her first birthday!</p>			<p>Personality Smart, work oriented, exuberant</p> <p>Height 18 to 23 in.</p> <p>Weight 40 to 65 lb.</p> <p>Exercise Vigorous 1 hour, plus games</p> <p>Grooming Weekly</p> <p>Life span 12 to 15 years</p> <p>History A European herding dog was crossed with collies and shepherds to create the breed. They first appeared in Australia in the 1800s.</p> <p>Fact Australian Shepherds were refined in California, where they herded livestock, performed in rodeos, and became a symbol of the American West.</p>
Trainability	Eager to please		Trainability
			Easy to train

Asian Tabby	Cats Shorthair	Cats Shorthair	Bombay
Factfile			Factfile
<p>Origin UK, 1981</p> <p>Breed profile Lilac Burmese + chinchilla Persian</p> <p>Head Wedge shape, rounded crown, forward tilt ears</p> <p>Eyes Large, round, silver rimmed and yellow to green</p> <p>Weight 7 to 15 lb.</p> <p>Life span 16 to 18 years</p> <p>Body The tail of Asian group cats is medium to long in length, and tapers evenly to the tip. If gently brought forward, the tail extends to the shoulder.</p> <p>Fact The coat of the Asian tabby may be classic (blotched), spotted (stripes appear as spots), mackerel (vertical curved stripes) or ticked (colored bands on each hair).</p>			<p>Origin USA, 1965</p> <p>Breed profile Sable Burmese + black American shorthair</p> <p>Head Broad and round with round-tipped ears</p> <p>Eyes Large almond shape, wide set, golden to copper</p> <p>Weight 6 to 12 lb.</p> <p>Life span 12 to 20 years (estimates vary widely)</p> <p>Body Musky and rounded, this medium-sized cat is black from the end of its snubbed nose and mouth to its paw pads and the tip of its straight tail.</p> <p>Fact The Bombay is a very vocal cat, often compared to a black panther because of its sleek, glossy coat and the way its body sways as it walks.</p>
Grooming	Weekly		Grooming
			Weekly