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Australian Shepherd

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The Australian Shepherd is a medium-sized dog with a weather resistant coat of medium texture and moderate length. An identifying characteristic is a natural or docked bobtail. The coat comes in blue merle, red (liver) merle, solid black and solid red (liver) all with or without white markings and/or tan (copper) points. Height: 18-23 inches (46-58 cm.) Weight: 40-65 pounds (18-29 kg.)