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# Afghan Hound

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The Afghan Hound is a sight hound that is tall and slender with a long, narrow, refined head; and powerful jaws. The occiput is prominent. The long coat is usually the color of sand with a darker face and ear fringes. Height: 27 to 29 inches (68.58-73.66 cm.)  
Weight: 58-64 pounds (26-34 kg.)