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Samoyed

National Cancer Institute

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The Samoyed is a strong, active dog. The compact muscular body of this hard-working breed indicates its strength. Its coat is thick and harsh, not wavy, with a thick, soft undercoat, which protects it against the arctic cold. The thick, silver-tipped coat comes in white, biscuit, yellow and cream. It has a wedge-shaped head with strong jaws. Height: 19-23 1/2 inches (48-60 cm.) Weight: 35-65 pounds (16-30 kg.)