

Breed Standards for the German Pinscher

General Appearance:	Elegant, flowing outlines. This is a well-muscled dog.
Coat:	Short and dense
Color:	Fawn to stag red
Head:	Strong but not heavy and when viewed both from above and from the side resembles a blunt wedge.
Ears:	High-set v-shaped ears fold down close to the head.
Tail:	Tail is highest and is customarily docked to three joints.
Temperament:	High-spirited, self-possessed breed is alert, good natured and playful. A loyal dog which is both watchful and fearless, making a good guard dog.