

# Which dog breed is the best for you?

Heat map of dog breeds and their median yearly American Kennel Club rank (2013-2020) together with scores (1-5) for 14 traits. Half of the x axis labels for the dog breeds are plotted on top and half below, for readability. Dog breeds are ordered left to right by their first principal component (PC) calculated from the traits, which explains 25.1% of the variance. Traits are ordered top to bottom by their contributions to the first PC.

