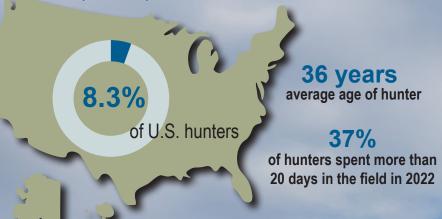
A Closer Look: Hunting with Dogs in the United States.

Data represents hunters that reported dog-related expenditures for the use of dogs to hunt, track, and aid in recovery of game in 2022.

1,195,942 hunters



\$11.8 billion

GDP contributions of these hunters

\$374

average annual dog-related spending per hunter

Share of Hunters with Dog Related Expenditures

8% of hunters of Big Game

17% percent of of Small Game

22% of hunters of Migratory Birds

22% of hunters of Other Animals (raccoons, feral pigs, etc.)



35 different breeds

North American Versatile Hunting Dog Association currently recognizes 35 different breeds of versatile hunting dogs that have been bred and trained to dependably hunt and point game, to retrieve on both land and water, and to track wounded game.



SOURCE: The National Survey of Fishing, Hunting, & Wildlife-Associated Recreation. Scan the QR code on the left to