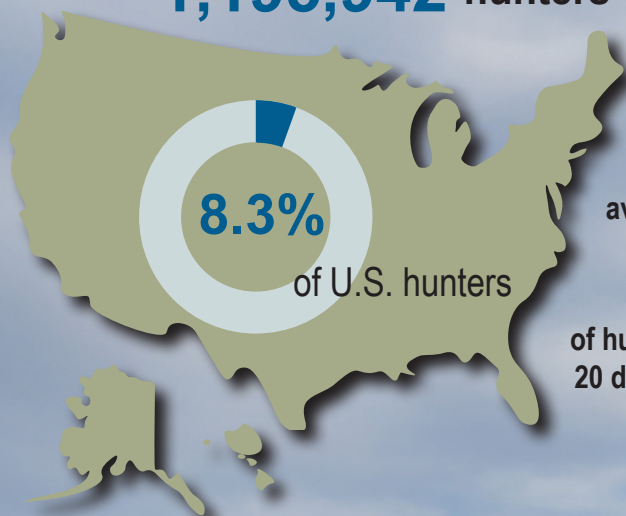


A Closer Look: Hunting with Dogs in the United States.

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



36 years
average age of hunter

37%
of hunters spent more than
20 days in the field in 2022

\$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.



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