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**FCI-Standard N° 316**

**FRANÇAIS BLANC ET ORANGE**

(French white and orange Hound)

**TRANSLATION:** Mrs Peggy Davis. Official language (FR).

**ORIGIN:** France.

**DATE OF PUBLICATION OF THE OFFICIAL VALID STANDARD:** 01.02.1982.

**UTILIZATION:** Scenthound.

**FCI-CLASSIFICATION:** Group 6 Scenthounds and related related breeds.  
Section 1.1 Large-sized Hounds.  
With working trial.

**GENERAL APPEARANCE:** Typical French hound, distinguished, giving an impression of being rustic.

**HEAD:** Quite large, moderately elongated.

**CRANIAL REGION:**

**Skull:** Slightly domed, occipital crest barely marked. Without prominent superciliary arches.

**Stop:** Well marked.

**FACIAL REGION:**

**Nose:** Well developed, black, brown-orange.

**Muzzle:** Of almost equal length to that of the skull.

**Lips:** Quite pronounced giving the muzzle a certain squareness.

**EYES:** Large, brown and dark.

**EARS:** Set slightly below eye level, supple, fine, slightly twisted and reaching to about to two fingers from the on-set of the nose.

**NECK:** Straight, quite long, slight dewlap.

**BODY:**

Back: Broad and straight.

Loin: Normally arched.

Croup: Round without falling away.

Chest: Broad. Ribs rounded.

Underline and belly: Flank well filled.

**TAIL:** Long.

**LIMBS**

**FOREQUARTERS:** Strong and broad.

Shoulder: Sloping and well muscled.

Forefeet: Hare-feet.

**HINDQUARTERS:**

Thighs: Very muscular.

Hocks: Near to the ground and slightly bent.

Hind feet: Hare-feet.

**GAIT/MOVEMENT:** Rather easy, gallop light and sustained.

**SKIN:** White with yellow or orange markings; the palate can be yellow. Scrotum white or yellow.

**COAT**

Hair: Short and fine.

Colour: White-lemon or white and orange on condition that the orange is not too dark going on to red.

**SIZE:**

Height at the withers: 62-70 cm with 2 cm tolerance for the maximum size.

**FAULTS** : Any departure from the foregoing points should be considered a fault and the seriousness with which the fault should be regarded should be in exact proportion to its degree and its effect upon the health and welfare of the dog.

- Faulty conformation.
- Muzzle thin or too long.
- Overshot or undershot mouth.
- Light eyes.
- Tail curved up or deviated.
- Colours of the coat other than those previously mentioned, particularly black or red hair.
- Depigmentation.

**DISQUALIFYING FAULTS:**

- Aggressive or overly shy dogs.
- Any dog clearly showing physical or behavioural abnormalities.

**N.B.:**

- Male animals should have two apparently normal testicles fully descended into the scrotum.
- Only functionally and clinically healthy dogs, with breed typical conformation should be used for breeding.

## SURFACE ANATOMY

