

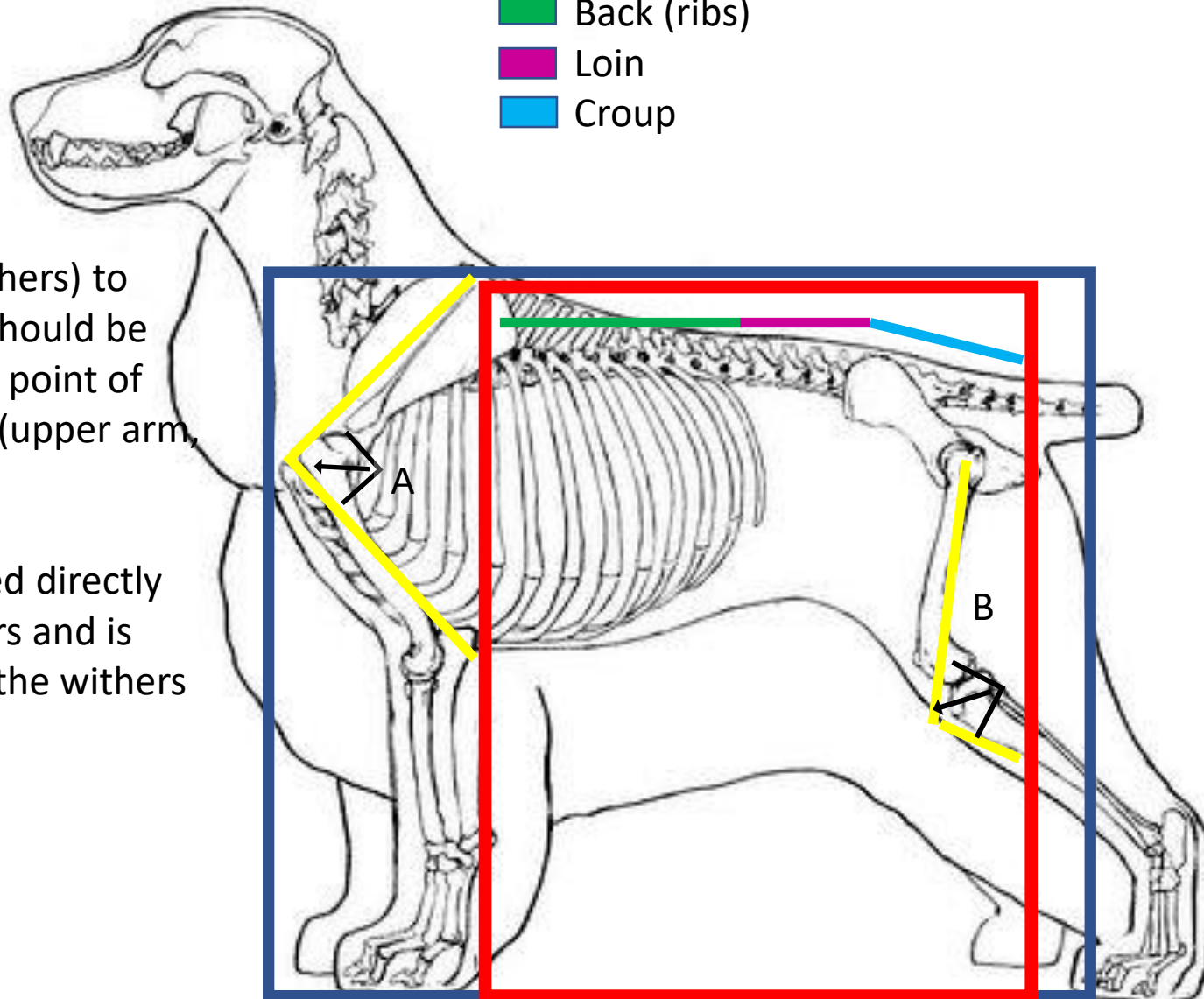
- Correct measurement of the breed: withers to set on of tail, withers to ground, slightly taller than long.
- Including correct front (the necessary forechest) and rear to point of buttock showing a slightly off square outline.
- Front (A) and rear angle (B), same roughly 90° - 100° = **BALANCED**
- Back (ribs)
- Loin
- Croup

Top of scapula (withers) to point of shoulder should be the same length as point of shoulder to elbow (upper arm, humerus)

The elbow is located directly beneath the withers and is mid-way between the withers and the ground.

Femur to stifle joint (upper thigh) should be the same length as stifle joint to hock joint (second thigh).

Line dropped from point of buttock to ground should land directly in front of hind foot.

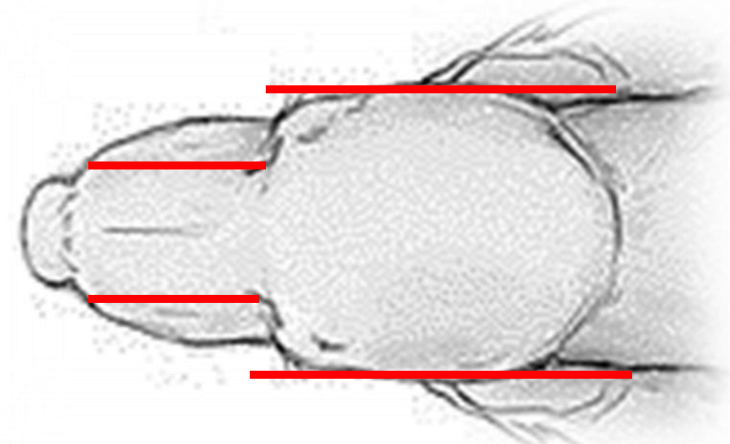


Viewed in profile, the brow appears not appreciably higher than the back-skull.

The eyes look forward over the muzzle.



Muzzle - Equal in length to skull



Viewed from above, the sides of the skull are in planes roughly parallel to those of the muzzle.

Please note: parallel planes are referenced when looking straight on at the head and NOT from the side.

When viewed from the front the planes of the skull and muzzle nearly parallel, muzzle only slightly narrower than the skull, allowing for the eyes.

