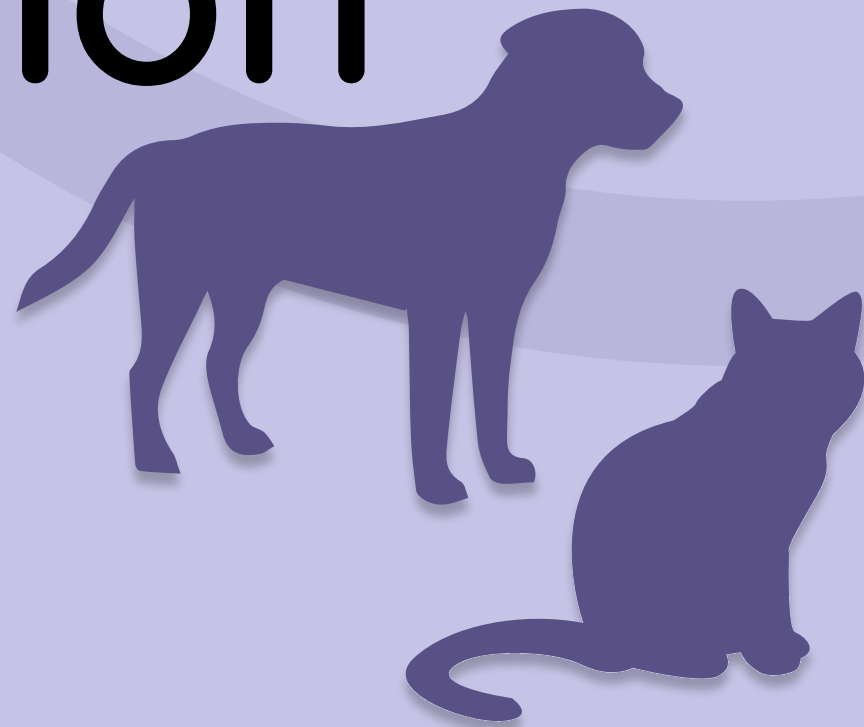


# Dehydration



# Estimated % Dehydration

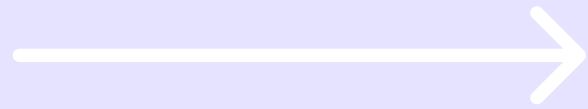
(as a % of Body Weight)

**< 5 %**



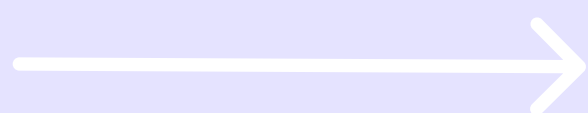
No abnormalities

**5-6 %**



Tacky mucous membranes

**6-8 %**



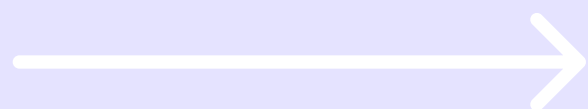
Dry mucous membranes, mild skin tenting

**8-10 %**



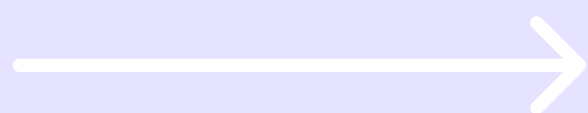
Dry mucous membranes, moderate skin tenting, sunken eyes

**10-12 %**



The above + severe skin tenting, dull corneas, hypovolaemia- weak pulses, increased heart rate

**12-15 %**



The above + marked shock, collapse, coma and imminent death

\* Not all animals will exhibit all signs

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