

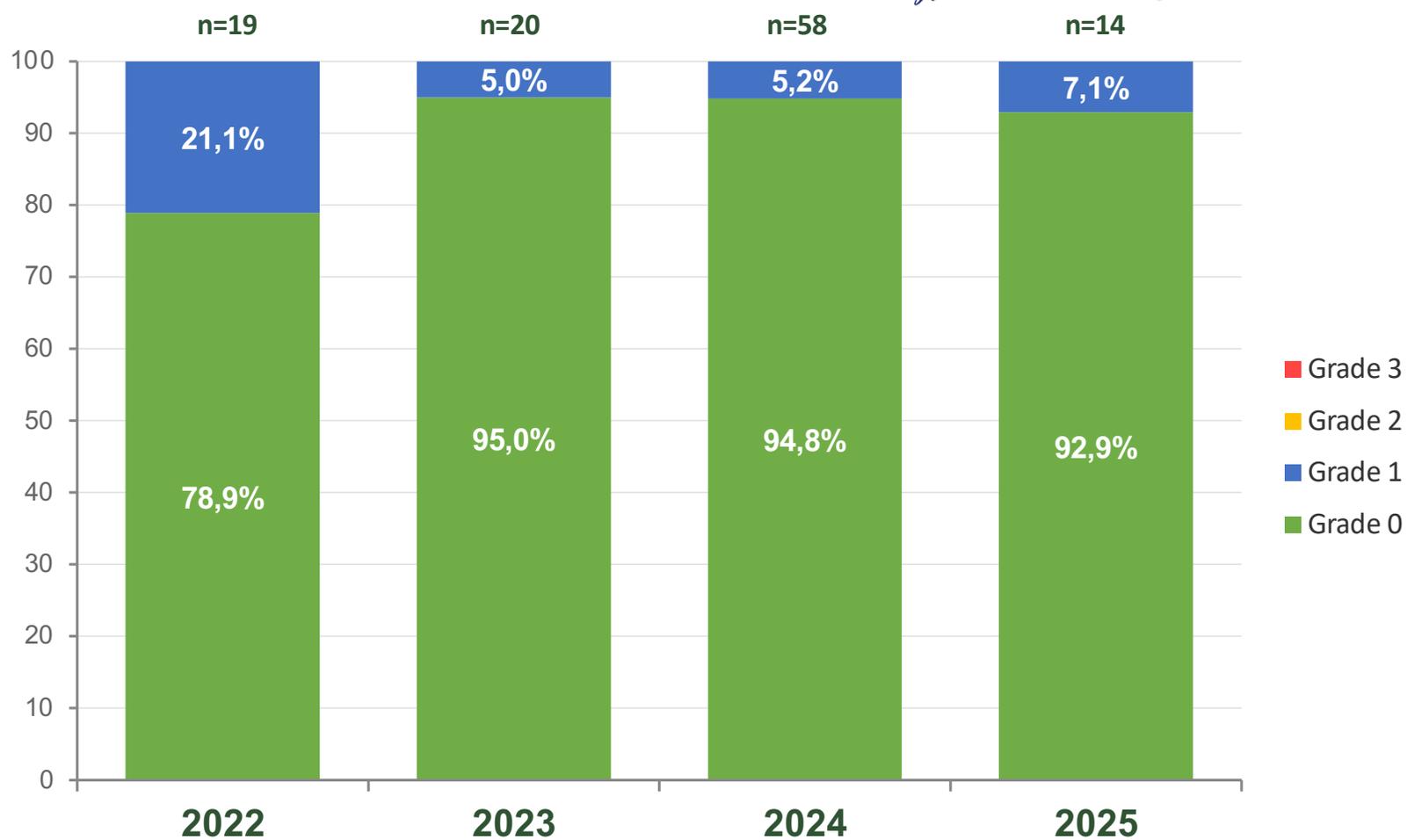
# Finnish Griffon BOAS Results

**2022–2025**

*Brachycephalic Obstructive Airway Syndrome  
Annual BOAS grade distributions*

Finnish Griffon Association (Suomen Griffonyhdistys r.y.)

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Source: Finnish Kennel Club breeding database (Koiranet) | Finnish Griffon Association

# Results at a Glance

**111**

Dogs tested  
in total

**91.9 %**

BOAS grade 0  
(no symptoms)

**8.1 %**

BOAS grade 1  
(mild symptoms)

**0 %**

BOAS grade 2–3  
(moderate/severe)

**Trend:** The proportion of BOAS grade 0 rose significantly from 2022 (78.9%) to 2023 (95.0%) and has remained consistently above 90%. Testing volumes tripled in 2024 (58 tests). No griffon has been assigned grade 2 or 3 during the entire observation period.

# Annual Breakdown

Year	Tested	Grade 0	Grade 1	Grade 0 %	Grade 1 %
2022	19	15	4	78.9 %	21.1 %
2023	20	19	1	95.0 %	5.0 %
2024	58	55	3	94.8 %	5.2 %
2025	14	13	1	92.9 %	7.1 %
<b>Total</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>91.9 %</b>	<b>8.1 %</b>

## Notes:

- BOAS grades 2 (moderate symptoms) and 3 (severe symptoms) have not been observed at all
- From 2025, nostril stenosis is recorded separately (grade 0–2)
- Interrupted stress tests are excluded from BOAS grade statistics

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# Summary

- Finnish griffons demonstrate excellent respiratory health — over 90% of tested dogs receive the best BOAS grade (0)
- Testing activity has grown significantly: a record 58 dogs tested in 2024
- No severe BOAS symptoms (grade 2–3) have been detected in any griffon during 2022–2025
- From 2025, nostril stenosis is also recorded, further refining the monitoring programme

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