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STANDARD OF POINTS

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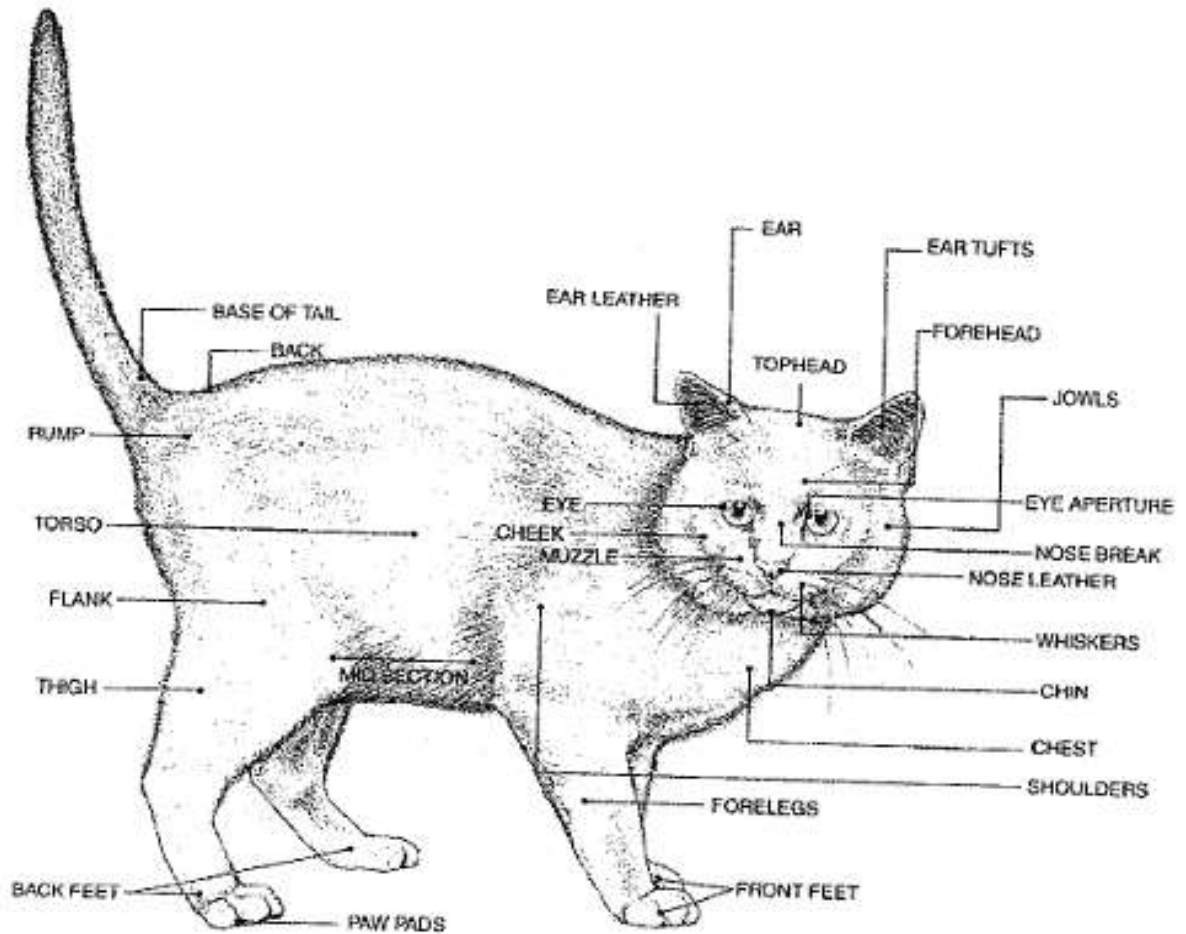
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IDEAL CHARACTERISTICS OF THE CAT

<p>General Appearance</p>	<p>The cat should exhibit the typical characteristics of its breed and a general appearance of health and well-being.</p> <p>The cat should be in excellent physical condition.</p> <p>Eyes clear and bright with evenness of colour.</p> <p>Five toes in front, four behind, complete with claws.</p> <p>Tip of chin forms a vertical line with the top of the nose.</p>
<p>Jaw and Bite</p>	<p>Ideally all teeth should be present and in correct alignment.</p>
<p>Condition</p>	<p>Neither excessively overweight nor underweight.</p> <p>The cat should be well groomed, free from any evidence of parasites.</p>

GENERAL FAULTS IN ALL BREEDS

*Precluding an award

All other faults penalise according to degree of fault.

Skeleton Defects	Deformation of bone structure* Fixed deviation of the sternum* - except for Neuters Skull indentation or irregularities Undershot or overshot jaw All deformations of the tail i.e. kink or knot* - except for Neuters (Slight irregularity at extreme tail tip penalise at the judges' discretion)
Eyes	Eyes set too deep or protruding Permanent squint* Odd-sized eyes*
Coat	Yellow or brown staining in white coats White hairs in self coloured cats Excessive loose hairs
Condition	All signs of bad health

FAULTS LEADING TO DISQUALIFICATION

Aggressive cats
Monorchid or Cryptorchid (Cats older than 9 months)
Cats who have had tranquillizers administered which extends the pupils of the eye
Cats which have been given cosmetic treatment i.e. visibly dyed, tinged, cut or trimmed
Declawed cats
Polydactylism or oligodactylism
Blind cats
Cats which are obviously pregnant or nursing

ALLOWANCES IN ALL BREEDS

Jowls in adult entire males
Males bigger than females
Undeveloped eye colour in immature cats
Irregularities in coat colour of kittens and immature cats
- unevenness, ghost markings, rustiness, paleness and undeveloped pattern
Seasonal coat condition

BREAKDOWN OF AWARDS

AWARDS	PERCENTAGE
Withhold	<83%
Sapphire / Bronze	83% - 85,9%
Emerald / Silver	86% - 92,4%
Ruby / Gold	>92,5 %

DOMESTIC CAT

Overall good condition and soundness of body without any structural deviations.

SCALE OF POINTS

Physical condition	25
Soundness	20
Coat and eyes – colour and pattern	15
Temperament	25
Condition / Presentation / Grooming	15

GLOSSARY

Agouti	The colour between a Tabby's stripes.
Almond	Eye shape oval, pointed at inner corner.
Aqua	Light bluish-green (aquamarine) colour.
Auburn	Deep red.
Bars	Stripes.
Blaze	Distinct markings of white or contrasting colour to body, on the cat's nose and/or forehead.
Bombay	A solid black cat of Burmese type.
Brick	Brick-red nose leather colour.
Brindling	Hairs of the wrong colour intermingled with those of the correct colour.
Brush	A bushy or plume-like tail of a longhaired cat.
Butterfly	The pattern of markings seen on the shoulders of correctly patterned classic tabbies.
Button	A white or contrasting colour patch anywhere on the body.
Calico	Coat consisting of patches of two colours and white.
Chinchilla	A black shell Persian.
Cobby	Short, compact and sturdy on low legs.
Cold coat	Coat exhibiting blue or grey tinges.
Colourpoint	Himalayan pointed Persian.
Cryptorchid	A male cat with both testicles not descended.
Dense	Thick, full coat.
Eal line	The darker shading of the ticking along the spine line in tabby varieties.
Even	Appearance of uniform coat colour.
Flare	Widening at base of outer edge of ears.
Frill	*See Ruff
Furnished	Provided with hair.
Gauntlets	Flash on back of hind feet, extending towards hock, tapering to a point.
Gloves	White foreparts of Birman and Ragdoll paws.
Ghost	Tabby markings sometimes seen in solid colour adults or young kittens.
Havana	Chocolate brown Oriental.
Haw	Nictitating membrane. Third or inner eyelid.
Hazel	Light brown, flecked with yellow or green.
Himalayan	Coat pattern of light body with dark points.
Hood	Completely dark head in pointed breeds.
Hot coat	Coat exhibiting pronounced reddish tinges.
Intermingled	Fur of two colours mingled together.
Jowls	Thickening in the area of the sides of the lower jaw of adult males.
Kink	A malformation or thickening of a joint in the tail.
Level bite	Upper and lower teeth line up.
Locket	A white or contrasting colour patch under the neck.
Magnolia	Off-white with a faint pinkish or lilac tone coat colour.
Mantle	Shading heavier than that of tipped varieties, but not as heavy as smoke, giving the impression of a darker mantle over a white base coat.
Mask	Darker colour covering face on pointed breeds.
Markings	Pattern on head and body in tabby varieties.
Massive	Large, substantial and proportionally heavy.
Monorchid	A male cat with only one testicle descended.
Muffs	Thick soft growth of fur at base of outer edge of ear.
Muzzle	The projecting jaw and nose of the cat.
Necklace	Band of dark colour round base of neck.
Nose break	A gentle concave curve where forehead meets nose.
Nose leather	Hairless skin around nostrils.
Oligodactyl	A cat that has too few toes.
Odd-eyed	One eye blue, the other as applicable to the pattern and/or colour of the breed without white.
Oriental eye shape	Elliptical eye shape. Pointed at inner corner and outer corners.
Overshot	Lower jaw recedes.
Overtyped	Showing any characteristic feature to an exaggerated degree.
Patched	Fur that has patches of different colours and white.
Pencillings	The delicate pencil-like markings on the faces of tabbies.
Pewter	Silver shaded coat with orange or copper eye colour found in Persians.
Pinch	Indentation in the line of the muzzle below check bones.

Points	The points are on the head, ears, legs, paws and tail which are darker than the body colour, as seen in pointed cats.
Polydactyl	A cat that has too many toes.
Plume	Feathered tail.
Reverse ticking	When ticked hairs show light colour at the tips.
Rings	Tabby tail and leg markings.
Ruff	A collar of projecting fur completely encircling neck in longhaired cats.
Rufous	Deep reddish brown.
Rustiness	Reddish brown shading.
Scarab	Beetle shaped outline on the head occurring in certain tabby breeds.
Self	The same colour fur all over.
Shading	Coat tipped or shaded with darker or lighter colour.
Silver	Colour is inhibited along hair shaft – Shell, Shaded and Smoke.
Snub	Extremely short upturned nose.
Solid colour	Same depth of colour from root to tip of hair.
Spectacle	Area of light hair surrounding eyelids.
Squint	Fixed unilateral or bilateral convergence of the eyes towards the nose.
Standard	The characteristics required for each variety, for which 100 points are given.
Sternum	Breast bone.
Stop	Firm nose break that is not rounded.
Svelte	Lithe and lean.
Tabby	Agouti expression resulting in stripes in one of four patterns i.e. Classic, Mackerel, Spotted and Ticked.
Thumbprint	Light coloured areas on back of tabby ears.
Ticking	Alternate bands of light and dark colour on each individual hair.
Tipping	Contrasting colour on tip of each hair.
Tracings	Thin lines of colour connecting ears to mask in pointed breeds.
Tufts	Hair growing from the ears or between toes.
Type	The structural appearance of the cat.
Undershot	Lower jaw protrudes.
Warm coat	Coat exhibiting fawn, brown or cream tinges.
Wedge	Triangular shape head.
Whip	Long thin tapering tail.
Whisker break	*See Pinch
Whorls	Roundels or rosettes on flanks and sometimes cheeks in certain breeds of tabbies.
Xiphoid	Cartilaginous appendage to lower end of sternum.

FOREIGN DIVISION

ABYSSINIAN / SOMALI – ABY / SOM

The Abyssinian is a colourful cat with a distinctly ticked short coat.

Medium in size, lithe, hard and muscular.

Rounded facial outline.

Ears set so to appear pricked.

Lively and alert with a regal attitude and friendly nature.

HEAD	A modified slightly rounded wedge, without flat planes, of medium proportions. Gently rounded brow. A shallow indentation forming the muzzle is desirable. Firm and well developed chin.	
NOSE	Medium long with a very slight nose break.	
EARS	Medium to large, broad at base. Widely spaced, well cupped and pricked. Thumbprint and ear tufts at tip of ears are not essential.	
EYES	Large, almond in shape, set well apart, bright and expressive. Colour: Amber, Green or Yellow	
NECK	Elegantly arched	
BODY	Medium in size and build. Lithe and muscular without coarseness.	
LEGS	Medium length, slender and elegant in proportion to body.	
PAWS	Small and oval with a tiptoe stance.	
TAIL	Fairly long and tapering, broad at base.	
COAT	<p><u>ABYSSINIAN</u> Short, fine and close-lying. Resilient to the touch with a lustrous sheen. Ticked with 2 or 3 bands of dark colour. Underside of body, chest and inside of legs without ticking.</p> <p><u>SOMALI</u> Medium length, slightly shorter over shoulders acceptable. Ruff and breeches give the cat a full coated appearance and is desirable. Extremely fine and very dense, soft to the touch. Ticked with 2 or 3 bands of dark colour. Underside of body, chest and inside of legs without ticking. Note: Ticking development is slow and allowance should be made for cats up to the age of 2 years.</p>	
MARKINGS	<p>Facial markings acceptable. Dark outlines to eyes encircled by a lighter coloured fur. Spotted whisker pads. A dark spine line (eal line) is acceptable. Necklaces if present must be broken. Pads set in dark fur, which extends up back of hind legs. Tail ends in a solid tip of dark colour. White fur only on chin and around nostrils acceptable.</p>	
FAULTS	<p>Bars on legs, body and tail. Grey undercoat. Cobby appearance Oriental type</p>	<p><u>Faults precluding an award</u> White locket or white extending beyond necklaces or above nostrils. Unbroken necklaces. Bars on all four legs. Reversed ticking in major portion of coat. Lack of ticking on parts of coat where desired. Grey undercoat extending throughout a major portion of the body.</p>
SCALE OF POINTS	Head and Ears	15
	Body, Legs and Tail	15
	Coat - Texture, Colour and Ticking	45
	Eyes – Shape and Colour	10
	Overall Balance	10
	Condition	5

ABYSSINIAN / SOMALI : NON-SILVER COLOURS

COLOURS	COAT	NOSE LEATHER	PADS
RUDDY	Ruddy brown ticked and tipped with black or dark brown. Base colour deep orange or apricot. Belly and inside of legs orange or apricot. Fur up back of hind legs and tail tip black or dark brown.	Brick red outlined with black.	Black or dark brown
SORREL	Bright warm copper ticked and tipped with chocolate. Base colour and underparts deep apricot. Fur up back of hind legs and tail tip chocolate.	Pink	Pink
CHOCOLATE	Rich coppery brown ticked and tipped with dark chocolate. Base colour and underparts paler copper. Fur up back of hind legs and tail tip rich dark chocolate.	Pinkish chocolate	Chocolate
BLUE	Warm blue-grey ticked and tipped with deeper steel blue-grey. Base colour and underparts oatmeal. Fur up back of hind legs and tail tip deep steel blue-grey.	Dark pink outlined with blue-grey	Mauvish blue- grey
LILAC	Warm shade of pinkish dove grey ticked and tipped with deeper dove grey. Base colour and underparts pinkish cream. Fur up back of hind legs and tail tip pinkish dove grey.	Mauvish pink	Mauvish pink
FAWN	Warm fawn ticked and tipped with deeper fawn. Base colour and underparts fawnish / cream. Fur up back of hind legs and tail tip fawn.	Pink	Pink

ABYSSINIAN / SOMALI : SILVER COLOURS

All silver varieties – the undercoat to be pure white

COLOURS	COAT	NOSE LEATHER	PADS
BLACK	Clear silver ticked and tipped with black. Base colour and underparts silver white Fur up back of hind legs and tail tip black.	Brick red outlined with black.	Black
SORREL	Silvery peach ticked and tipped with chocolate. Base colour and underparts silvery white. Fur up back of hind legs and tail tip chocolate.	Pink	Pink
CHOCOLATE	Soft silvery brown ticked and tipped with dark chocolate. Base colour and underparts silvery white. Fur up back of hind legs and tail tip chocolate.	Pinkish chocolate	Pinkish chocolate
BLUE	Silvery blue-grey ticked and tipped with deeper steel blue. Base colour and underparts silvery white. Fur up back of hind legs and tail tip deep steel blue-grey.	Dark pink	Mauvish blue- grey
LILAC	Silver dove grey ticked and tipped with dove grey. Base colour and underparts silvery white. Fur up back of hind legs and tail tip dove grey.	Mauvish pink	Mauvish pink
FAWN	Silvery fawn ticked and tipped with fawn. Base colour and underparts silvery white. Fur up back of hind legs and tail tip fawn.	Mauvish pink	Mauvish pink

BENGAL – BEN

The Bengal is a shorthaired cat of wild origins.

The spotted patterning is highly distinctive and quite unlike that of a spotted tabby.

The large spots are arranged horizontally.

A muscular cat in all respects with a strong rounded head.

Sound temperament is a vital feature of the breed.

HEAD	Broad medium wedge with rounded contours. Longer than it is wide with high cheek bones. Small in proportion to body. The profile has a gentle curve from forehead to the bridge of the nose with a prominent brow. Muzzle full and broad. Strong chin and pronounced whisker pads.	
NOSE	Large and broad.	
EARS	Rather short with a wide base and rounded tips. Set to follow the lines of the face, neither high nor low, with a forward tilt.	
EYES	Round to slightly almond in shape, large but not bold.	
NECK	Thick and muscular.	
BODY	Medium to large and robust with a broad chest. Muscular, long and sleek.	
LEGS	Medium length, strong and muscular. Hind legs are slightly longer and more robust.	
PAWS	Large and rounded.	
TAIL	Medium length with a rounded tip.	
COAT	Short to medium in length. Very dense. Luxurious and unusually soft to the touch. Note: Immature cats may lack the luxurious thick coat.	
FAULTS	Long, rough or coarse coat. Stomach not spotted. Tip of tail not the required colour. Incorrect paw pad colour. Whip tail. Poor contrast or barely visible pattern. Note: It can take two to three years for the cats to fully mature in size	Faults precluding an award Any aggressive behaviour. Distinctly ticked coat.
SCALE OF POINTS	Head and Ears	20
	Eyes	5
	Body, Legs, Paws, Tail	20
	Coat Texture	10
	Coat Colour	10
	Coat Pattern	20
	Overall balance	10
Condition	5	

BENGAL MARKINGS

LEOPARD SPOTTED

HEAD	Spectacles encircling the eyes should preferably extend into vertical streaks which may be outlined by an “M” marking on the forehead. Broken streaks run over the head on either side of a scarab marking, down the neck to the shoulders. Strong, bold chin straps, mascara markings, distinct necklace(s) – broken or unbroken. Blotchy horizontal shoulder streaks desirable.
BODY	Well defined spots and/or rosettes at random aligned horizontally over body. Rosettes are formed by a part circle of spots around a lighter centre. Contrast must be extreme with distinct shapes and sharp outlines. Stomach must be spotted. Legs may show broken horizontal lines and/or spots. Tail may be ringed and/or spotted, with a dark coloured tip.

MARBLE

HEAD	As for Leopard Spotted
BODY	Pattern consist of distinct swirled patches or streaks, clearly defined but symmetrical, giving the impression of marble, preferably with a horizontal flow. Contrast extreme with distinct shapes and sharp outlines. Stomach must be spotted. Legs may show broken horizontal lines and/or spots. Tail may be ringed and/or spotted, with a dark coloured tip. Note: Similarity to classic pattern or vertical striped mackerel tabby undesirable, elongated horizontal spots acceptable.

BENGAL PATTERNS

	COAT	EYES	NOSE LEATHER	PADS
NATURAL	All shades of brown, rufous yielding a high degree of yellow, buff, golden or orange colour preferred. Markings may be black or dark brown. Pale colour essential on whisker pads, chin, underside and inner legs; which are also pale in contrast to ground colour of flanks and back. Tail tip black. An overall appearance of gold dusting (glisten) is preferred. Grey base coat should not be penalized.	Gold, Green or Hazel rimmed with black	Brick red outlined with black	Black
SEPIA Burmese restriction	Ground colour cream to light brown. Pattern clearly visible may be charcoal or shades of brown with light coloured spectacles, whisker pads and chin.	Gold or Green rimmed with black	Brick red outlined with black	Dark brown with rosy undertones
MINK Tonkinese restriction	Thumbprints are preferred. Tail tip dark brown or charcoal. Overall appearance of pearl dusting (glisten) preferred.	Green or Aqua Rimmed with black		
SNOW Himalayan restriction	Ground colour ivory to cream. Pattern clearly visible may be charcoal or shades of brown with light coloured spectacles, whisker pads and chin. Thumbprints are preferred. Tail tip dark brown or charcoal. Overall appearance of pearl dusting (glisten) preferred.	Blue rimmed with black	Brick red outlined with black	Dark brown with rosy undertones

BRITISH – BRI

The British cat is compact, well balanced and powerful.

The head is round with good width between the ears.

The coat is short, firm and dense.

Adult males are considerably larger than females.

Temperament is placid and friendly.

HEAD	Round and broad, with well developed cheeks. Rounded contours when viewed from any angle. Rounded muzzle. Strong chin.	
NOSE	Straight medium short and broad with a slight nose break.	
EARS	Medium in size with rounded tips and set well apart.	
EYES	Large, round and well opened. Set wide apart.	
NECK	Short and strong.	
BODY	Strong, stocky and muscular. Medium to large in size. Broad deep chest.	
LEGS	Medium/Short, strong and sturdy.	
PAWS	Round and firm.	
TAIL	Medium short in proportion to the body, thick at base tapering slightly to a rounded tip.	
COAT	Short and dense. Crisp texture preferred.	
FAULTS	Overlong or fluffy coat. Pronounced nose stop	
SCALE OF POINTS	Head shape, Ears, Eyes	20
	Eye colour	10
	Body, Legs, Paws, Tail	25
	Coat	10
	Coat colour and pattern	20
	Overall balance	10
	Condition	5

BRITISH COLOURS

SELS

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PATCHED

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POINTED

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TABBY POINTED	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Clear Blue	14
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Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Clear Blue	15

TABBY (Classic, Mackerel, Spotted)

SOLIDS	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
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Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Copper or Orange	20
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Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Green or Blue-green or Orange	21
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Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Green or Blue-green or Orange	21

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Black Pewter	Orange or Copper	10
Blue	Green or Blue-green	10
Blue Pewter	Orange or Copper	10
Chocolate	Green or Blue-green	10
Lilac	Green or Blue-green	10
Red	Orange or Copper	10
Cream	Orange or Copper	10
Black Tortie	Orange or Copper	10
Blue Tortie	Orange or Copper	10
Chocolate Tortie	Orange or Copper	10
Lilac Tortie	Orange or Copper	10

GOLDEN – Shaded and Shell – Page 11

BURMESE – BUR

The Burmese is a shorthaired and elegant but muscular cat of foreign type.

The glossy coat and colours is a distinct feature of the breed created by its slightly pointed coat pattern.

A blunted wedge shaped head with ears following the outline of the face.

Wide cheekbones and strong lower jaw.

An active and friendly cat.

HEAD	Short wedge, wide at cheek bones tapering to a blunt muzzle. Slightly rounded top of head. Wide at jaw hinge with a strong chin.	
NOSE	Distinct nose break.	
EARS	Medium in size, broad at base with slightly rounded tips. Set wide apart with outer line continuing the upper part of face. In profile ears have a slight forward tilt.	
EYES	Large and set wide apart. The top line of the eyes is straight with slight oriental slant toward the nose, the lower line being rounded. Colour: Lustrous, all shades of yellow accepted.	
NECK	Muscular yet elegant.	
BODY	Medium length and size. Muscular and compact, heavier than its appearance indicates. Chest strong and rounded in profile, back straight.	
LEGS	Rather slender and in proportion to the body.	
PAWS	Oval, neat and small.	
TAIL	Medium length, straight, not heavy at base, tapering only slightly to a rounded tip.	
COAT	Short, fine and close-lying with a satin-like texture.	
COLOUR	Evenness is most desirable. Under parts will be paler. Face and ears may be slightly darker. Note: In young cats allowance should be made for faint barring and a paler colour.	
FAULTS	Oriental or British type.	Faults precluding an award True green or blue eye colour. Distinct barring.
SCALE OF POINTS	Head	25
	Eyes	20
	Body	15
	Coat	25
	Overall balance	10
	Condition	5

BURMESE COLOURS

SOLIDS

COLOUR	COAT	NOSE LEATHER	PADS
BROWN	Rich warm seal brown.	Dark brown	Seal brown
BLUE	Blue-grey with a sheen.	Blue-grey	Pinkish blue-grey
CHOCOLATE	Milk chocolate.	Chocolate brown	Cinnamon to chocolate
LILAC	Pale delicate dove-grey with a pinkish cast.	Faded lilac	Lavender
RED	Light tangerine.	Pink	Pink
CREAM	Rich cream.	Pink	Pink

TORTOISESHELL

For all tortoiseshells, the distribution of colours is of less importance than the other details of colour.

COLOUR	COAT	NOSE LEATHER	PADS
BROWN	Seal brown and light tangerine. Patched and/or mingled.	Pink and/or Brown	Pink and/or Brown
BLUE	Blue-grey and rich cream Patched and/or mingled.	Pink and/or Blue	Pink and/or Blue
CHOCOLATE	Milk chocolate and light tangerine. Patched and/or mingled.	Pink and/or Chocolate	Pink and/or Chocolate
LILAC	Dove-grey and cream. Patched and/or mingled.	Pink and/or Faded lilac	Pink and/or Lavender

ASIAN ASN

Same type and Scale of Points as Burmese

ASIAN COLOURS**BLACK (BOMBAY)**

COAT	EYES	NOSE LEATHER	PADS
Jet black, even and solid to the roots. Without rusty tinges or white hairs.	Deep clear orange or copper.	Black	Black or dark brown.

CORNISH REX – CRX

The Cornish Rex has a short wavy coat which lacks the outer guard hairs.

The body is slender and hard with arched back and muscular legs.

The head shows straight lines from ears to chin with a rather long nose.

The Cornish Rex is an active cat.

HEAD	Medium wedge, longer than wide, narrowing to a firm chin. Flat skull. The profile may be slightly convex or with the line from the center of the forehead to the end of the nose straight. Whiskers of good length, crinked or curved.	
NOSE	Straight or slightly convex.	
EARS	Large, wide at base and tapering to rounded tips, well covered with fine fur. Set high on head.	
EYES	Medium in size, almond in shape. Bright, clear and pure in colour, with an alert expression. Colour in keeping with coat colour	
NECK	Elegant	
BODY	Medium in length, elegant, hard and muscular. Slender with a naturally arched back.	
LEGS	Long, straight and slender, giving an overall appearance of being high on legs.	
PAWS	Small and oval.	
TAIL	Long, fine and tapering, well covered with curly fur.	
COAT	Short and dense, slightly plushy, without guard hairs. Curly or wavy, particularly on the back and tail.	
FAULTS	Head too broad or too long. Ears small. Body cobby or lacking firm muscle. Tail short, bare or bushy. Coat shaggy or too little waving. Bare patches a fault in kittens and a serious fault in adults. Pinch	
SCALE OF POINTS	Head Shape, Ears, Nose, Muzzle, Jaws & teeth, skull and chin	20
	Eye shape and colour	5
	Body	20
	Tail	5
	Coat Texture, Quality, Waviness	25
	Coat Colour and Pattern	10
	Overall balance	10
	Condition	5

CORNISH REX COLOURS

SELF

SOLID	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
White	Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred Additionally Clear blue & Odd-Eyed (one eye blue the other one of the accepted colours)	3
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	3
TORTIE	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	4

PATCHED: Bicolour / Harlequin / Van

NB: Bi-Colour, Harlequin & Van - **Blue** and **Odd-Eyes** also accepted

Odd-Eyed: One eye blue, the other as required per pattern/colour description of the Breed without white.

SOLID	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	6
TORTIE (Calico)	Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	8
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac		
SOLID TABBY	Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	6
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream		
TORTIE TABBY	Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	6
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac		
SILVER TABBY	Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	7
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream		
SILVER TORTIE TABBY	Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	7
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac		
SILVER SMOKE	Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	7
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream		
SILVER SHADED / SHELL	Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	7
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream		
SMOKE / SHADED / SHELL TORTIE	Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	7
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac		

HIMALAYAN POINTED

SELF POINTED	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Clear Blue	12
TORTIE POINTED	Clear Blue	13
Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac		
TABBY POINTED	Clear Blue	14
Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream		
TORTIE TABBY POINTED	Clear Blue	15
Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac		

TONKINESE (Mink)

SELF	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac Red, Cream, Tortoiseshell, Tabby, Tortoiseshell tabby	Blue Green	22
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TABBY (Classic, Mackerel, Spotted)

SOLID	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	20
TORTIE TABBY Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	20
SILVER TABBY Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	21
SILVER TORTIE TABBY Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	21

SILVER

SMOKE	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	9
SMOKE TORTIES Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	EYE COLOUR Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	PAGE 9
SHADED / SHELL	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	10
Red, Cream	Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	10
Black Tortie, Blue Tortie, Chocolate Tortie, Lilac Tortie	Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	10

DEVON REX – DRX

The Devon Rex is a cat of unique appearance.

The large eyes, low set large ears, short muzzle and prominent cheekbones create the characteristic “pixie” look.

Coat is short and wavy.

A muscular cat of foreign type.

The Devon Rex is inquisitive and playful by nature.

HEAD	Short wedge. Forehead curving back to a flat skull. Prominent cheekbones. Strong chin and whisker break. Whiskers and eyebrows, if present, are rather coarse and brittle.	
NOSE	Short, with a rounded forehead with a stop.	
EARS	Very large, very wide at base, tapering to rounded tips. Set low on head and covered with fine hair with or without tufts.	
EYES	Large, full and almond in shape. Set well apart. Bright, clear and pure in colour. Colour in keeping with coat colour	
NECK	Elegant	
BODY	Medium length and size, hard and muscular with a broad chest.	
LEGS	Medium length and slender.	
PAWS	Small and oval.	
TAIL	Long and tapering, well covered with short wavy hair.	
COAT	Short and fine; soft and wavy, with or without guard hairs. Note: Many Devons have only down on the underparts and this should not be interpreted as bareness.	
FAULTS	Oriental or British type. Small or high set ears. Lack of firm muscles. Short, bare or bushy tail. Shaggy coat or lack of waves. Bare patches – a fault in kittens, in adults a serious fault.	
SCALE OF POINTS	Head shape	15
	Ears	10
	Eye shape, placement and colour	5
	Body	20
	Coat waviness, texture, density	25
	Coat Colour and Pattern	10
	Overall balance	10
Condition	5	

DEVON REX COLOURS

SELS

SOLID	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
White	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred Additionally Clear blue & Odd-Eyed (one eye blue the other one of the accepted colours)	3
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac Red, Cream	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	3
TORTIES	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	4

PATCHED: Bicolour / Harlequin / Van

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Odd-Eyed: One eye blue the other as required per pattern/colour description of the Breed without white.

Solid	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	6
Calico Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	8
Tabby Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	6
Tortie Tabby Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	6
Silver Tabby Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	7
Silver Tortie Tabby Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	7
Silver Smoke Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	9
Silver Shaded / Shell. Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	10
Smoke /Shaded /Shell Tortie Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	10

POINTED Himalayan

SELF POINTED	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Clear Blue	12
TORTIE POINTED Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Clear Blue	13
TABBY POINTED Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Clear Blue	14
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TONKINESE (Mink)

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TABBY (Classic, Mackerel, Spotted)

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SILVER TABBY Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	21
SILVER TORTIE TABBY Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	21

SILVER

SMOKE	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	9
SMOKE TORTIES Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	9
SHADED / SHELL	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	10
Red, Cream	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	10
SHADED / SHELL TORTIE Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	10

JAPANESE BOBTAIL – JBT

The Japanese Bobtail is a shorthaired, medium sized cat with a well muscled, rather slender foreign type build. The unique set of eyes combined with high cheekbones and long nose lends to a Japanese appearance.

The distinctive curled-up tail joints are virtually fused.

The Japanese Bobtail is an affectionate cat.

HEAD	Appears long, but forms a nearly perfect equilateral triangle with gentle curving lines and high cheek bones. Noticeable whisker break and fairly broad muzzle which is neither pointed nor blunt. In profile there is a distinctive Japanese cast to the face.	
NOSE	Long and well defined by two parallel lines from tip of brow with a gentle dip at about eye level.	
EARS	Large, upright and expressive, wide set but at right angles to the head, not flared.	
EYES	Large, not quite round, but wide open and alert. In profile set at a slant. Colour: Blue, Orange and Odd-Eyed	
NECK	Short and strong.	
BODY	Medium in size, well-muscled. Rather elongated, slender and elegant.	
LEGS	Long, slender and high, but not dainty or fragile in appearance. The hind legs are noticeably longer than the front legs, but deeply angulated to bend when the cat is standing relaxed so that the torso remains nearly level rather than rising towards rear.	
PAWS	Oval	
TAIL	The unique tail is a stump 5 – 10 cm long, tightly curved on itself and with restricted movement. The tail hair is thick and fluffy giving it a pom-pom appearance.	
COAT	Short, soft and silky, without a noticeable undercoat.	
FAULTS	Short round head. Cobby built body.	Faults precluding an award Tail bone absent or extending too far beyond the body. Lack of pom-pom or non-fluffy appearance. Delayed pom-pom effect, i.e. the pom-pom being preceded by 3 – 5 cm of normal tail with close-lying hair rather than appearing to commence at the base of the spine.
SCALE OF POINTS	Head, Ears, Eyes	15
	Body and Legs	25
	Tail	20
	Coat – Colour and Pattern	25
	Overall balance	10
	Condition	5

JAPANESE BOBTAIL COLOURS

MI-KE	Tri-coloured – black, red and white. Preference is given to bold, dramatic markings and vividly contrasting colours.
WHITE	Pure glistening white.
BLACK	Dense jet black, shiny and free from rusty tinges.
RED	Deep rich red.
BLACK TORTIE	Black patched or mingled with red.
BLACK BI-COLOUR	Black and white.
RED BI-COLOUR	Red and white.

OCICAT – OCI

The Ocicat is a rather large cat, shorthaired, with a well designed pattern of spots.

The impression of power and strength is important.

The entire coat apart from the tip of the tail consists of banded hairs.

“Mascara” lines extend from eyes to cheeks, alert ear set.

The Ocicat is known for its “wild-cat” appearance.

The Ocicat is a friendly animal.

HEAD	Modified wedge, rounded contours. Broad muzzle with a suggestion of squareness, showing good length in profile. Strong chin with a firm jaw. Slight whisker break.	
NOSE	Rise from bridge of nose to brow apparent.	
EARS	Moderately large and alert. Set at 45 degrees to the head. Neither too high nor too low. Ear tufts if present extend vertically from tips of the ears.	
EYES	Large, almond in shape, slanting slightly upwards towards the ears. Set far apart.	
NECK	Gracefully arched.	
BODY	Medium to large, rather long-bodied. Well-muscled. Substantial but not coarse. Athletic and graceful. Deep chest.	
LEGS	Medium long, well-muscled and powerful.	
PAWS	Oval and compact.	
TAIL	Fairly long, slim and slightly tapering.	
COAT	Short, close-lying and sleek. Colour: Lightest colour on face around the eyes, chin and lower jaw. Darkest colour on tip of tail. All hairs except the tip of the tail are banded. Within the markings hairs are tipped with a darker colour, while hairs in the ground colour are tipped with a lighter colour. Distinctive markings should be clearly seen from any orientation. Those on the face, legs and tail may be darker than those on the torso. Ground colour may be darker on the saddle and lighter on the underside, chin and lower jaw.	
FAULTS	Bulky and coarse body. Any suggestion of woolliness or length to coat. Faint and blurred markings. Elongated spots following a mackerel pattern.	
Faults precluding an award	Blue eyes. White locket or spotting, or white anywhere other than around eyes, nostrils, chin, and upper throat (except white agouti ground in silver colours).	
SCALE OF POINTS	Head	15
	Muzzle	10
	Body, Legs, Tail	20
	Coat – Texture, Colour, Contrast	20
	Coat Pattern	20
	Overall balance	10
	Condition	5

OCICAT COLOURS

Pattern as for other spotted cats.

Characteristic pattern of the Ocicat as follows:

Broken necklaces on throat and broken rings on lower legs – the more the better.

Rows of spots run along the spine line from shoulders to tail.

Spots scattered across shoulders and hindquarters, extending as far as possible down the legs.

Large thumbprint shaped spots are scattered on the side of the torso, with a subtle suggestion of a classic pattern, (a spot circled by spots in place of the bulls eye).

Tail has horizontal brush strokes down the top, ideally alternating with spots and ends in a dark tip.

<u>COLOUR</u>	<u>COAT</u>	<u>NOSE LEATHER</u>	<u>PADS</u>
BLACK	Ruddy agouti ground with black or dark brown spotting.	Brick red outlined with black or dark brown	Black or dark brown
BLUE	Pale blue-grey agouti ground with blue-grey spotting.	Old rose outlined with blue-grey	Blue-grey
CHOCOLATE	Warm ivory agouti ground with chocolate spotting.	Pink outlined with chocolate	Cinnamon to chocolate
LILAC	Pale ivory agouti ground with lavender spotting.	Pink outlined with lavender	Lavender pink
CINNAMON	Warm ivory agouti ground with cinnamon spotting.	Pink outlined with cinnamon	Cinnamon pink
FAWN	Pale ivory agouti ground with fawn spotting.	Pink outlined with fawn	Pinkish fawn
BLACK SILVER	Pale silver agouti ground with black spotting.	Brick red outlined with black	Black
BLUE SILVER	Pale silver agouti ground with blue-grey spotting.	Old rose outlined with blue-grey	Blue-grey
CHOCOLATE SILVER	Pale silver agouti ground with chocolate spotting.	Pink outlined with chocolate	Cinnamon
LILAC SILVER	Pale silver agouti ground with lavender spotting.	Pink outlined with lavender	Lavender pink
CINNAMON SILVER	Pale silver agouti ground with cinnamon spotting.	Pink outlined with cinnamon	Pink cinnamon
FAWN SILVER	Pale silver agouti ground with fawn spotting.	Pink outlined with fawn	Pinkish fawn

RUSSIAN – RUS

The Russian is a short haired self coloured cat.

The fur of the Russian has a unique seal-like texture.

The body is long and graceful.

Head is wedge shaped with forehead and nose aligned.

Prominent whisker pads and upright ears.

Displaying a rather “dopey” attitude the Russian is an affectionate, docile cat.

HEAD	Wedge shaped with a short muzzle and long flat skull. Forehead and nose straight, forming a convex angle level with the eyebrows. Prominent whisker pads and strong chin.	
NOSE	Straight.	
EARS	Large, slightly pointed, wide at base; set vertically to the head. Skin of ears is fine and hardly covered with hair.	
EYES	Large, almond in shape, set wide apart. Colour: Vivid Green	
NECK	Long and straight	
BODY	Long, medium bone structure, but graceful in outline and carriage.	
LEGS	Medium long.	
PAWS	Small and oval	
TAIL	Fairly long and tapering	
COAT	Short, dense and very fine; plush, soft and silky. Double type coat standing out due to density.	
FAULTS	Incorrect head shape. Siamese type. Yellow tone in eye colour. Cobby or thickset. Flat lying coat. Any markings or shading in coat.	
SCALE OF POINTS	Head	25
	Eyes	10
	Body, Legs, Tail	20
	Coat – Colour and Texture	30
	Overall Balance	10
	Condition	5

RUSSIAN COLOURS

COLOUR	COAT	NOSE LEATHER	PADS
BLUE	Blue-grey, even and clear. Showing a distinct silver sheen.	Blue-grey	Pinkish Blue
BLACK	Lustrous Black Sound and even	Black or Dark Brown	Black or Dark Brown
WHITE	Pure White With no trace of yellow showing a sheen.	Pink	Pink

SINGAPURA – SIN

The Singapura shows a silver Abyssinian type coat pattern.

The fur is short and sleek.

This is a small breed with soft curves.

The cheeks are wide and eyes large and limpid.

Known as the “drain cats of Singapore” the Singapura are pretty cats with an inquisitive nature.

HEAD	Rounded skull. Wide and round cheeks at eye level narrowing to a definite whisker break. Medium short broad muzzle. Chin well developed.	
NOSE	Blunt, profile shows a very slight stop below eye level.	
EARS	Large, slightly rounded, wide and open at base, well cupped. Medium set.	
EYES	Large, almond shape, wide open and slightly slanted. Set well apart. Colour: Hazel, Green or Yellow.	
NECK	Short and thick.	
BODY	Small to medium in size. Muscular, moderately stocky type.	
LEGS	Medium length, heavy and muscular at the body, tapering to small short feet.	
PAWS	Small, short and oval.	
TAIL	Short and slender, blunt tip.	
COAT	Very short, fine and close-lying. <u>Markings:</u> Hair ticked with two bands of dark and light colour ending in dark tips. Dark tail tip extending back towards body on upper side. Barring present on inner front legs and back knee only. Allowance to be made for undeveloped ticking in kittens. <u>Colour:</u> Sepia agouti – Dark brown ticking on a warm old ivory ground colour giving a refined delicate appearance. Muzzle, chin, chest and underparts paler (Unbleached muslin). Nose leather – Pale to dark salmon outlined with dark brown. Pads – Rosy brown.	
FAULTS	Dark coat colouring next to skin. Grey tones. Barring on outer front legs. Necklaces. Small ears and eyes	<u>Faults precluding an award</u> White spotting Barring on tail Top of head unticked Blue eyes
SCALE OF POINTS	Head, Nose, Ears	25
	Eyes	10
	Body, Legs, Tail	20
	Coat Texture	10
	Coat Colour and Markings	20
	Overall balance	10
	Condition	5

SPHYNX – SPX

The Sphynx known as the hairless cat retains a variable amount of short down fur that is most noticeable at the extremities of the body.

The face shows an angular appearance with wide cheeks and large triangular ears.

Body feels warm to the touch with a barrel shaped chest and full stomach.

Temperament is affectionate and friendly.

HEAD	Slightly longer than wide with prominent cheek bones and a slight whisker break. Face slightly angular in appearance. Whiskers and eyebrows may or may not be present.	
NOSE	Shortish with a slight to moderate stop.	
EARS	Very large, wide at base with rounded tips. Set wide apart and carried upright.	
EYES	Large and full, lemon shape. Set well back and slanting towards the outer edges of the ears. Eye colour to conform to coat/skin colour. Bright, Clear and pure in colour	
NECK	Long, slender and elegant.	
BODY	Medium size. Hard and muscular with a barrel chest. Sturdy and rounded, thick through the abdomen.	
LEGS	Long and muscular, not fine boned.	
PAWS	Medium and oval shaped with long toes.	
TAIL	Long, fine and tapering, may be tufted at tail tip.	
COAT	The sphynx is not a truly hairless cat, but should be the texture of suede and warm to the touch. Body may be covered with very short fine down. Tightly packed hair on the ears, muzzle, tail, feet and scrotum. The skin often has a wrinkled appearance, especially in kittens. Body of adults should not be excessively wrinkled.	
FAULTS	Body that is too thin, frail or fine boned. Ears either low set or set on top of head.	Fault precluding an award Hair other than down, over parts other than specified.
SCALE OF POINTS	Head	20
	Ears	10
	Eye shape and colour	5
	Body, Legs, Tail	25
	Coat/Skin/hairlessness	15
	Coat/skin colour and pattern	10
	Overall balance	10
Condition	5	

SPHYNX COLOURS

SELS

SOLID	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
White	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred Additionally Clear blue & Odd-Eyed (one eye blue the other one of the accepted colours)	3
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac Red, Cream	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	3
TORTIES	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	4

PATCHED: Bicolour / Harlequin / Van

NB: Bi-Colour, Harlequin & Van - **Blue** and **Odd-Eyes** also accepted

Odd-Eyed: One eye blue the other as required per pattern/colour description

Solid	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	6
Tortoiseshell (Calico) Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	8
Tabby Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	6
Tortie Tabby Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	6

POINTED Himalayan

SELF POINTED	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Clear Blue	12
TORTIE POINTED Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Clear Blue	13
TABBY POINTED Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Clear Blue	14
TORTIE TABBY POINTED Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Clear Blue	15

TONKINESE (Mink)

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TABBY (Classic, Mackerel, Spotted)

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TORTIE TABBY Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Amber / Hazel / Green – with Gold preferred	20

TONKINESE – TON

The Tonkinese is a shorthaired cat that has a pointed coat pattern being midway between Himalayan point and Burmese point; this gives a distinctive coat colour and texture.

This Breed has an intermediate body-shape which shows a sleek outline.

The head is a modified wedge with muzzle being square.

The slight nose break is apparent in profile.

An active and affectionate cat.

HEAD	Modified wedge, longer than wide, square muzzle with a whisker break.	
NOSE	Long with a slight indentation in profile.	
EARS	Medium in size, broad at base with rounded tips. Spaced well apart.	
EYES	Medium in size, almond shaped, slanted and set wide apart. Colour: Aqua	
NECK	Medium long and slender.	
BODY	Medium in size, lithe and muscular. Mid in type between a svelte Siamese and the more compact Burmese.	
LEGS	Long, slim and elegant.	
PAWS	Rounded, oval and dainty.	
TAIL	Long in proportion to body and tapering.	
COAT	Medium-short, glossy and close-lying.	
FAULTS	Total resemblance to Siamese or Burmese. Definite nose break. Blue or green eyes.	Faults precluding an award Yellow eyes. White locket or button.
SCALE OF POINTS	Head	20
	Eye Colour	10
	Body, Legs, Paws, Tail	20
	Coat texture	15
	Coat colour	20
	Overall Balance	10
	Condition	5

TONKINESE COLOURS

Body colour should be rich, even and unmarked.

Mask, ears, feet and tail all dense and darker than the body but merging gently into body colour.

Allowances to be made for lighter body colour and slight barring in young cats.

Development may take up to 16 months for full coat colour.

<u>COLOUR</u>	<u>BODY</u>	<u>MARKINGS</u>	<u>NOSE LEATHER</u>	<u>PADS</u>
NATURAL MINK	Warm brown	Dark chocolate	Dark brown	Brown
BLUE MINK	Bluish-grey	Slate blue	Blue-grey	Blue-grey
CHAMPAGNE MINK	Warm beige	Pale brown	Cinnamon	Pinkish brown
PLATINUM MINK	Soft silver	Pewter-grey	Lavender	Lavender pink

MEDIUM HAIR DIVISION

BIRMAN – SBI

The Birman has a Himalayan pointed coat pattern and distinguishes itself as a breed apart from other pointed breeds by the characteristic white areas on the paws.

The head is full cheeked with tapering rounded muzzle.

Body is rather long and appears stocky and low on legs.

The Birman is an intelligent and gentle cat.

HEAD	Skull strong, broad and rounded with full cheeks. There is a slight flat area between eyes and ears. Muzzle slightly tapered. Chin firm.	
NOSE	Medium length without stop but with a slight indentation.	
EARS	Medium in size, widely spaced with rounded tips.	
EYES	Almost round set well apart, very slightly slanted. Colour: Clear Blue	
NECK	Should show a full ruff.	
BODY	Long and well developed. Neither svelte nor cobby.	
LEGS	Medium short and strong.	
PAWS	Rounded.	
TAIL	Medium length, in proportion to body. Bushy.	
COAT	Semi-long and silky in texture. Fur on under parts slightly curly. Very little undercoat. PATTERN The pattern is that of a pointed cat with white paws (gloves). GLOVES Pure white symmetrical gloves on front feet, which should not pass beyond the angle formed by paw and leg. Pure white gauntlets on hind feet ending just short of the hock.	
FAULTS	Pure white or coloured patches on chest or stomach. White runners creeping up from gloves.	Faults precluding an award Absence of gauntlets on hind feet. White patching in the coloured areas or vice versa. A white patch on the genitals. Grossly asymmetrical gloves.
SCALE OF POINTS	Head, Ears, Eyes	20
	Body, Legs, Tail	20
	Coat and Texture	10
	Coat colour and points	15
	Gloves / Gauntlets	20
	Overall balance	10
	Condition	5

BIRMAN COLOURS

Body colour pale egg-shell shade with slight shading to match point colour.

The back is golden beige in all colour varieties.

Paw Pads may be mottled with point colour.

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MAINE COON – MCO

The Maine Coon is a medium length haired cat.

These cats are tough and hardy with a dense rugged coat which is longer on back and tail.

The longish tail and back emphasizes body length.

The squared-muzzled head appears small relative to the size of the body.

Males are considerably larger than females.

The independent nature and demeanour of an alert, capable hunter befits their working ancestry.

HEAD	Medium in size with square outline. Cheekbones high and prominent, with squareness to muzzle. Chin firm and in line with nose and upper lip.	
NOSE	Medium in length with a slight concave slope in profile.	
EARS	Large, wide at base tapering to appear pointed. Slightly cupped with a forward tilt. Set high on head and spaced one ear width apart. Featherings in the ears extend beyond outer edges of ears.	
EYES	Large and full, spaced well apart and set at a slight slant.	
EYE COLOUR	Bright, clear and pure in colour Green, gold or copper. Blue eyes or odd-eyes allowed for white or patched patterned cats.	
NECK	Medium long.	
BODY	Large in size. Long and in proportion to create a rectangular appearance. Hard muscular and powerful. Broad chest. Square rump.	
LEGS	Medium in length and strong.	
PAWS	Large, round and well tufted.	
TAIL	At least as long as the back. Wide at base and tapering with full flowing hair.	
COAT	Heavy and shaggy. Soft and fine undercoat covered by a substantial topcoat. Short on head, neck and shoulders lengthening gradually down back, flanks and tail. Trousers and belly fur full and shaggy. Frontal ruff desirable. Texture silky with coat falling smoothly.	
EYE COLOURS NOT ALLOWED	Blue in non-White and non Bi-colour or Parti-colour cats.	
COAT COLOURS AND PATTERNS NOT ALLOWED	Colours Chocolate, Lilac, Cinnamon, Fawn, Caramel Pointed Patterns Pointed Patterns with White Ticked Tabby	
FAULTS	Unbalanced proportions Fine bone structure. Round or pointed muzzle.	Faults precluding an award Definite nose break or straight profile. Coat of overall even length.
SCALE OF POINTS	Head	15
	Ears	10
	Eyes	5
	Eye Colour	5
	Body, legs, paws, and tail	25
	Coat length and texture	15
	Coat Colour and Pattern	10
	Overall balance	10
	Condition	5

MAINE COON COLOURS

SELF

SOLID	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
White	Green, gold, or copper.	3
Black, Blue, Red, Cream	Blue Odd-Eyed: One eye blue the other green, gold, or copper	3
	Green, Gold or copper	3
TORTIE	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue	Green, Gold or copper	4

PATCHED: Bicolour / Harlequin / Van

NB: Bi-Colour, Harlequin & Van - **Blue** and **Odd-Eyes** also accepted

Odd-Eyed: One eye blue the other as required per pattern/colour description of the Breed without white.

SOLID	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Red, Cream		6
TORTIE (Calico) Black, Blue,		8
SOLID TABBY (Classic, Mackerel and Spotted) Black, Blue, Red, Cream		6
TORTIE TABBY (Classic, Mackerel and Spotted) Black, Blue		7
SILVER TABBY (Classic, Mackerel and Spotted) Black, Blue, Red, Cream	Green, gold or copper	7
SILVER TORTIE TABBY (Classic, Mackerel and Spotted) Black, Blue		7
SMOKE /SHADED Black, Blue, Red, Cream Black Tortie, Blue Tortie		7

TABBY (Classic, Mackerel and Spotted)

SOLID	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Red, Cream		20
TORTIE TABBY Black, Blue		20
SILVER TABBY Black, Blue, Red, Cream	Green, gold or copper.	21
SILVER TORTIE TABBY Black, Blue,		21

SILVERS

SMOKE /SHADED	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Red, Cream		9
Black Tortie, Blue Tortie	Green, gold or copper.	9

NORWEGIAN FOREST CAT – NFC

The Norwegian Forest Cat has medium length hair and is large and muscular with solid bone structure.

The head has the shape of an equilateral triangle with a long straight profile.

Well adapted to cold weather by their water-repellent coat, these cats have an adventurous spirit and enjoy the freedom to hunt.

HEAD	Triangular in shape with all sides equal. Profile is straight without any break in the line. Strong chin.	
NOSE	Long, wide and straight.	
EARS	Large, wide at base, set high and open. The outer line of the ears follows the line of the head down to the chin. Inner ears well furnished.	
EYES	Large, well opened with an alert expression. Set at a slight slant. Green, gold or copper. Bright, Clear and pure in colour Blue eyes or odd-eyes allowed for white or patched patterned cats.	
EYE COLOURS NOT ALLOWED	Blue in non-White and non Bi-colour or Parti-colour cats.	
BODY	Large, strongly build, solid and long.	
LEGS	High on legs, of sturdy structure.	
PAWS	Large, round and tufted.	
TAIL	Long and bushy, should reach to the neck.	
COAT	Medium in length with a woolly undercoat covered by a smooth, glossy outer coat. The glossy hair covers the back and the sides. Full ruff and trousers essential in winter.	
COAT COLOURS AND PATTERNS NOT ALLOWED	Colours Chocolate, lilac, Cinnamon, Fawn, Caramel Pointed Patterns Pointed Patterns with White.	
FAULTS	Too small and finely built cats. Round or square head. Profile with a break (stop). Small ears. Short legs and tail. Dry coat.	
SCALE OF POINTS	Head	15
	Ears	10
	Eyes	5
	Eye colour	5
	Body	20
	Tail	10
	Coat Length and Texture	10
	Coat Colour and Pattern	10
	Overall balance	10
Condition	5	

NORWEGIAN FOREST CAT COLOURS

SELF:

SOLID	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
White	Green, gold, or copper. Blue Odd-Eyed: One eye blue the other green, gold, or copper	3
Black, Blue, Red, Cream	Green Gold or copper	3
TORTIE	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue	Green, Gold or copper	4

PATCHED: Bicolour / Harlequin / Van

NB: Bi-Colour, Harlequin & Van - **Blue** and **Odd-Eyes** also accepted

Odd-Eyed: One eye blue the other as required per pattern/colour description of the Breed without white.

SOLID	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Red, Cream	Green, Gold or Copper	6
TORTIE (Calico)		8
Black, Blue,		
SOLID TABBY		6
Black, Blue, Red, Cream		
TORTIE TABBY		6
Black, Blue		
SILVER TABBY		7
Black, Blue, Red, Cream		
SILVER TORTIE TABBY	7	
Black, Blue		
SMOKE /SHADED / SHELL	7	
Black, Blue Red, Cream Black Tortie, Blue Tortie		

TABBY: (Classic, Mackerel, Spotted)

SOLID	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Red, Cream	Green, Gold or Copper	20
TORTIE TABBY		20
Black, Blue		
SILVER TABBY		21
Black, Blue, Red, Cream		
SILVER TORTIE TABBY	21	
Black, Blue,		

SILVERS:

SMOKE / SHADED / SHELL	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Red, Cream	Green, Gold or Copper	9
TORTIE SMOKE /SHADED / SHELL		PAGE
Black, Blue		9 - 10

RAGDOLL – RAG

The wedge shaped head is large with a flat topped skull and rounded muzzle.

A medium haired cat with fur long on the neck, giving the impression of a bib.

Body large and heavy and may exhibit a fatty pad on lower abdomen.

The Ragdoll coat pattern expresses Himalayan points and white spotting.

Reputed to be insensitive to pain, which is fallacious, it displays a docile and quiet temperament.

HEAD	Medium size, broad modified wedge with the appearance of a flat plane between the ears. Cheeks well developed with a rounded well developed muzzle. Well developed and strong chin.	
NOSE	Medium long with a slight dip.	
EARS	Medium in size, broad at base, set wide with a slight forward tilt.	
EYES	Large, well opened and wide set. Colour: Blue	
NECK	Short and strong.	
BODY	Long and muscular. Large with medium bone. Broad, well developed chest.	
LEGS	Medium in length, strong boned.	
PAWS	Large, round and well tufted.	
TAIL	Long in proportion to body, medium at base and slightly tapering to tip. Well furnished.	
COAT	Medium long, dense, soft and silky.	
FAULTS	Round or oriental eyes. Fine boned. Pinched or narrow muzzle. Pronounced nose break. White anywhere on pointed cats.	
SCALE OF POINTS	Head, Ears	25
	Eyes – shape and colour	10
	Body, Legs, Paws, Tail	25
	Coat – Length, Texture	10
	Coat – Colour, Markings	15
	Overall balance	10
	Condition	5

RAGDOLL COLOURS

BI-COLOUR

COLOURS	Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac
COAT	Ears, mask and tail to be well defined. White on face essential. (Inverted white “V” preferred). Body colour is to be a shade lighter than the points, white spots on the back allowed. Entire underbody should be white. Legs may show colour and white.
FAULTS	White on ears and tail

HIMALAYAN POINTED

COLOURS	Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac
COAT	As for Himalayan Pointed cats.
FAULTS	Any white spots.

MITTED

COLOURS	Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac
COAT	A white blaze on the forehead and/or nose is permitted. The blaze may be broken or unbroken. The nose leather colour should be appropriate to the points colour The chin is white. White to extend from the bib to the under body from chest to tail and may be interrupted by areas of body colour. The two front paws should have white mittens that are evenly matched and not extending beyond the angle formed by the paw and leg. The hind legs should be white to a minimum level of the hock, but preferably up to the level of the under body. Legs may show coin sized coloured spots.
FAULTS	Absence of the white chin

PAW PADS

HIMALAYAN POINT	See general description of pointed colours
BICOLOUR	Pink, or analogous to the coat colour
MITTED	Pink, but mottled with colour appropriate to the points is acceptable

SIBERIAN

The Siberian, Russia's native forest cat, is a cat that is designed to survive, and which has no extremes in type. It is a medium to large-sized cat with a strong water-repellent triple coat. The cat has an overall appearance of strength, presence and alertness with a gentle and sweet expression. The breed is very slow to mature and can take up to 5 years. Females are generally smaller than the males. The general impression is one of roundness and circles, rather than rectangles and triangles.

HEAD	Modified wedge of medium to large size, short and broad with a full rounded muzzle and slightly rounded chin. The cheekbones are neither high-set nor prominent. There is a slight doming between the ears and an almost flat area on the forehead. The nose is equally broad from the base to the nose leather. The contours are slightly rounded and the profile is slightly curved.	
EARS	Medium sized, broad at base with a slightly rounded tip. They are set wide apart and are tilted slightly forwards. Ear furnishings may cover the base of the ear and ear tipping is allowed.	
EYES	Large and slightly oval and rounded at the lower edge. Set at a slight slant and wide apart. Wide open, alert and expressive. Eye colour is even and corresponds with coat colour. In bi-colour and other patterns with white, also blue or odd-eyes is permitted, In pointed patterns blue, the darker the better.	
NECK	Short, rounded, sturdy and well-muscled.	
BODY	Medium to large; well-muscled and heavy with a barrel-shaped firm belly giving the sensation of solid weight. Moderate stomach pad or famine pouch is acceptable. Boning and musculature must be substantial and powerful.	
LEGS	Medium length and very muscular with substantial boning. The hind legs are slightly longer than the front legs.	
PAWS	Large and rounded with toe tufts desirable.	
TAIL	Slightly tapering and bushy. The tail reaches to the shoulder blades.	
COAT	Moderately long with a triple coat. The very dense undercoat is soft and fine, under a coarser, firm top coat. The dense, loosely falling top coat is water repellent and glossy. The coat texture may vary from coarse to soft depending on colour. The coat covers the back, flanks and top of the tail completely. The hair on the shoulder blades and lower part of the chest should be thick and slightly shorter. There should be a full collar ruff setting off the head in adults. Allowances should be made for warm weather coats. The under-parts of the body and the britches have only undercoat. The coat is particularly long on the neck, chest, trousers and tail. The coat may thicken to curls on the belly and britches, but a wavy coat is not characteristic.	
FAULTS	Adult cats not having substantial weight. Very long legs or very short legs. Delicate boning. Long body in adults. Non-muscular body. Temperament must be unchallenging.	ALLOWANCES: Because it is a slow maturing breed, allowance should be made for coat length and physical structure when judging kittens and young adults.
Faults precluding an award	Straight profile Narrow or fox-like muzzle Almond shaped eyes	

SCALE OF POINTS	HEAD & EARS	Shape	10
		Size	5
		Profile	4
		Ears	4
		Muzzle	2
	EYES		5
	NECK		5
	BODY	Shape	5
		Size	15
		Boning	5
		Musculature	5
	LEGS & FEET		5
	TAIL		5
COAT	Length and Texture	10	
	Undercoat	5	
	Pattern and Colour	5	
CONDITION		5	

SIBERIAN COLOURS**SELF:**

SOLID	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
White	Blue Shades of green, yellow, gold, green-gold or copper Odd-Eyed: One eye blue the other according to above description	3
Black, Blue, Red, Cream	Shades of green, yellow, gold, green-gold or copper	3
TORTIE / CALICO	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue	Shades of green, yellow, gold, green-gold or copper	4

PATCHED: Bicolour / Harlequin / Van

NB: Bi-Colour, Harlequin & Van - **Blue** and **Odd-Eyes** also accepted

Odd-Eyed: One eye blue, the other as required per pattern/colour description of the Breed without white.

SOLID	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Red, Cream	Shades of green, yellow, gold, green-gold or copper	6
TORTIE (Calico)		8
Black, Blue		6
SOLID TABBY		6
Black, Blue, Red, Cream		6
TORTIE TABBY		6
Black, Blue		7
SILVER TABBY		7
Black, Blue, Red, Cream	7	
SILVER TORTIE TABBY	7	
Black, Blue	7	
SMOKE / SHADED / SHELL		7
Black, Blue, Red, Cream		
Black Tortie, Blue Tortie		

TABBY: (Classic, Mackerel, Spotted, Ticked)

SOLID	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Red, Cream	Shades of green, yellow, gold, green-gold or copper	20
TORTIE TABBY		20
Black, Blue		21
SILVER TABBY		21
Black, Blue, Red, Cream		21
SILVER TORTIE TABBY		21
Black, Blue		

SILVER:

SMOKE / SHADED / SHELL	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Red, Cream	Shades of green, yellow, gold, green-gold or copper	9
TORTIE SMOKE / SHADED / SHELL		PAGE
Black, Blue		9 - 10

GOLDEN:

SHADED / SHELL	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Red, Cream	Shades of green, yellow, gold, green-gold or copper	11
TORTIE SHADED / SHELL		PAGE
Black, Blue		11

POINTED

	EYE COLOUR	PAGE

<u>SELF POINTED</u> Seal, Blue, Red, Cream	Clear Blue	12
<u>TORTIE POINTED</u> Seal, Blue	Clear Blue	13
<u>TABBY POINTED</u> Seal, Blue, Red, Cream	Clear Blue	14
<u>TORTIE TABBY POINTED</u> Seal, Blue	Clear Blue	15

TURKISH VAN – TUV

The Turkish Van is a medium haired cat which has a distinctly coloured chalky white coat with restricted markings ideally confined to the head and tail.

The blunted wedge shaped head, large high set ears and slanting eyes with long neck is carried on a long sturdy body.

This breed with their apparent affinity with water is agile and lively.

HEAD	Short blunted wedge. Firm chin.	
NOSE	Medium long and straight with a barely perceptible dip in profile. Nose leather pink.	
EARS	Large and well furnished, wide at base with slightly rounded tips. The ears must be white outside and pink inside. Set close together, high and erect on skull.	
EYES	Large, almond shape, wide and expressive. Set at a slight slant. COLOUR: Blue, Light Amber, Odd Eyed (one blue the other light amber) Eyelids to be outlined with Pink	
NECK	Fairly long and strong.	
BODY	Long but sturdy, muscular and of medium heavy type.	
LEGS	Medium long.	
PAWS	Dainty, round and well tufted. Pads Pink.	
TAIL	Medium long. Full brush. An Auburn/Cream patch on the rump extends to cover the whole of the tail, which is fairly ringed in Auburn/Cream	
COAT	Medium in length, fine and silky texture without woolly undercoat.	
COLOUR	Chalk White with no trace of yellow. Auburn/Cream patches on the face with a White blaze. NOTE: Some cats have small, irregularly placed patches, but this should not disqualify an otherwise good specimen.	
FAULTS	Siamese, British or Persian type. Severe nose break. Weakness in hind quarters.	
SCALE OF POINTS	Head	20
	Ears	10
	Eye Colour	10
	Body, including legs and tail	20
	Coat	25
	Overall balance	10
	Condition	5

PERSIAN / EXOTIC DIVISION

PERSIAN / EXOTIC – PER / EXO

The Persian is outstanding for its compact build and profuse longhaired coat.

The head is broad and round, large round eyes and small low set ears with full cheeks should display a pleasing expression to the face.

For all its size the Persian is a graceful cat with a placid quiet temperament.

The Exotic is a cat of Persian type with a coat that is slightly longer than other shorthairs, standing away from the body.

HEAD	Round with very broad skull. Full cheeks. Open face. Well balanced. Broad, powerful jaw and strong firm chin.	
NOSE	Short, broad with well-defined stop. Stop to be between the eyes. Length not to exceed breadth. Fully formed nose leather desirable.	
EARS	Small, round tipped, not unduly open at base. Well tufted inside. Set wide apart and low on head.	
EYES	Large, full and round. Set well apart. Bright and even in colour.	
NECK	Short and thick.	
BODY	Medium to large in size, of cobby type. Low on legs. Broad deep chest. Massive and in proportion without being coarse. Good bone substance.	
LEGS	Short, thick and strong.	
PAWS	Large, round and firm. Tufts between toes preferred.	
TAIL	Short and in proportion to the body. PERSIAN – Well furnished. EXOTIC – Bushy without feathered hairs.	
COAT	PERSIAN: Long and dense, fine silky in texture and not excessively woolly. Full ruff and brush. EXOTIC: Dense, plush and soft in texture. Standing out from the body. Slightly longer than the British, but not long enough to flow.	
FAULTS	Long body, legs, tail or nose. Lightness of bone. Large ears. Insufficient stop. Deep set eyes. Any trace of green in orange / copper eye colour of adult cats.	<u>Faults precluding an award</u> Skull deformities Exaggerated undershot or crooked jaw Nostrils that appear excessively reduced
SCALE OF POINTS	Head, Ears, Eyes	25
	Eye colour	10
	Body, Legs, Paws, Tail	20
	Coat texture & length	10
	Coat colour & pattern	20
	Overall balance	10
	Condition	5

PERSIAN / EXOTIC COLOURS

SELS

SOLID	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
White	Copper or Orange, Clear Blue Odd Eyed (One eye Blue, the other Copper or Orange)	3
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac Red, Cream	Copper or Orange	3
TORTIES	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Copper or Orange	4

PATCHED: Bicolour / Harlequin / Van

NB: Bi-Colour, Harlequin & Van - Blue and Odd-Eyes also accepted

Odd-Eyed: One eye blue the other as required per pattern/colour description of the Breed without white.

Solid	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Copper or Orange	6
Tortoiseshell (Calico) Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Copper or Orange	8
Tabby Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Copper or Orange	6
Tortie Tabby Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Copper or Orange	6
Silver Tabby Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Copper or Orange	7
Silver Tortie Tabby Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac,	Copper or Orange	7
Smoke / Shaded / Shell Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac,	Copper or Orange	7
Smoke / Shaded / Shell Tortie Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac,	Copper or Orange	7

POINTED

SELF POINTED	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Clear Blue	12
TORTIE POINTED Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Clear Blue	13
TABBY POINTED Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Clear Blue	14
TORTIE TABBY POINTED Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Clear Blue	15

TABBY (Classic, Mackerel, Spotted)

SOLIDS	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Copper or Orange	20
TORTIE TABBY Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Copper or Orange	20
SILVER TABBY Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream	Green or Blue-green or Orange	21
SILVER TORTIE TABBY Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Green or Blue-green or Orange	21
GOLDEN TABBY	Green or Blue-green or Orange	21

SILVERS

SMOKE	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac Red, Cream	Orange or Copper	9
SHADED / SHELL	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Green or Blue-green	10
Black Pewter	Orange or Copper	10
Blue Pewter	Orange or Copper	10
Red, Cream	Orange or Copper	10
Black Tortie, Blue Tortie, Chocolate Tortie, Lilac Tortie	Orange or Copper	10
SMOKE /SHADED /SHELL TORTIES	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Orange or Copper	10

GOLDEN – Shaded and Shell – Page 11

SIAMESE / ORIENTAL DIVISION

PETERBALD – PEC / PEB / PEV

The Peterbald is a graceful cat of oriental type, modified oriental head type and various unusual coat types.

They are curious, inquisitive and agile with an elegant appearance.

The paws are webbed and act like fingers.

HEAD	Wedge shaped, slightly longer than wide. Profile ideally straight, but a very slight break may be allowed. Muzzle strong, not narrow, ideally with straight lines, but a very slight whisker break may be allowed. Nose and chin in line. Flat forehead.	
EARS	Large, pointed, open and wide at base. Set straight and fairly wide, following the line of the wedge and pricked.	
EYES	Medium size, oriental shape and set at a slight slant towards the nose. Colours: As for Siamese, Balinese, Oriental, Javanese	
NECK	Long and slender.	
CHIN	Firm, but not protruding.	
BODY	Oriental body type, medium in size and fine boned. Long, elegant, firm and muscular.	
LEGS	Long and slender with fine boning, firm and muscular. Forelegs straight.	
PAWS	Oval, medium size. Toes long and agile with prominent membranes between.	
TAIL	Long, straight and whippy, well balanced with length of body.	
COAT/SKIN	Three coat/skin types are allowed and exhibited in the same class. Chamois: The skin is thin and soft, wrinkled and easily moves along the body on the neck and undersides. It feels almost sticky, but not oily, to the touch. Appears hairless, but may be covered in a fine, short down in young cats. This generally disappears by 2 years of age. Skin texture chamois-like. Whiskers and eyebrows wavy and/or broken. Several vertical lines of wrinkles on forehead and neck. Velour The coat ranges from a short, fine, sparse down to a slightly longer, closer down which offers resistance to the hand when stroked. The velour coat may appear hairless until touched. The texture is suede-like. Brush: No other breed has a coat similar to this. The brush coat is a dense, wiry coat of irregular texture, ranging from soft to coarse. Brush coat may vary in length, but should in no way feel or look like a normal coat when closely inspected. Colours and Patterns: As for Siamese, Oriental, Balinese and Javanese	
FAULTS	Precluding an award: Heavy boning Cobby body Very weak chin Bowed front legs Significant quantities of normal hair except on extremities	Allowances: Light, fine hair in adult cats Males bigger than females and should not be penalized as long as the cat is in balance.
SCALE OF POINTS	HEAD	25
	EARS	5
	EYES	5
	NECK	5
	BODY	15
	LEGS & FEET	5
	TAIL	10
	COAT/SKIN Quality/Wrinkles/Baldness	25
	CONDITION	5

SIAMESE / BALINESE – SIA / BAL**ORIENTAL / JAVANESE – ORI / JAV**

The Siamese / Oriental are a shorthaired cat.

A beautifully balanced animal with head, ears and neck carried on a long svelte body supported on fine legs and feet with a tail in proportion.

Supple and well-muscled.

Medium sized head in proportion to the body; wedge shaped with straight lines.

The wedge starts at the nose and gradually increases in width in straight lines on each side to the ears.

Independent, but affectionate cats.

The Balinese / Javanese are cats of Siamese / Oriental type with a medium length coat.

HEAD	Medium size wedge forming an equilateral triangle from tip of ears to tip of nose. Head in proportion to body and well balanced. Lines of wedge straight without whisker break. In profile top of head slightly convex. Muzzle fine and chin strong.					
NOSE	Long and straight from forehead to tip of nose.					
EARS	Rather large and pointed, wide at base, following lines of wedge.					
EYES	Medium in size, oriental in shape. Set well apart and slanting towards nose. <u>COLOUR:</u> Siamese / Balinese – Clear intense blue, the deeper the better. Oriental / Javanese – See Colour Chart					
NECK	Elegant					
BODY	Medium in size, long and svelte, well-muscled but still elegant.					
LEGS	Long and fine, in proportion to body.					
PAWS	Small and oval.					
TAIL	Long, fine and tapering, in proportion to body.					
COAT	<u>Siamese / Oriental:</u> Short, fine, glossy and close-lying. <u>Balinese / Javanese:</u> Medium in length on body, slightly longer at the frill and shoulders and on the tail which forms a plume. No woolly undercoat.					
FAULTS		SIAMESE / BALINESE	ORIENTAL / JAVANESE	POINTED BICOLOURS		
	General	Belly spots, Brindling in the points Heavily marked body	Tabby markings in self. Very weak chin	Random sprinkling of white hairs throughout the main colour, or coloured hairs in the white		
	Precluding an award	Very weak chin Whisker pinch A complete hood Lack of contrast between points and body colour.	Whisker pinch White spot except in Bi-Colours.	Incorrect proportion of either colour Locketing Any other eye colours than blue		
	Disqualify	White patches and white toes.				
SCALE OF POINTS		SIAMESE/BALINESE		ORIENTAL / JAVANESE		
	Head	20		20		
	Eye Colour	10		10		
	Body including Legs, Paws, Tail	25		25		
	Coat – quality and texture	10		10		
	Coat colour	Points	10	Colour	10	
		Body colour	10	Pattern	10	
	Overall balance	10		10		
Condition	5		5			

SIAMESE / BALINESE COLOURS

SELFS	PAGE	TABBY POINTS	PAGE
Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream, Cinnamon, Caramel, Fawn	12	Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream Cinnamon, Caramel, Fawn	14
TORTIE POINTS	PAGE	TORTIE TABBY POINTS	PAGE
Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream, Cinnamon, Caramel, Fawn	13	Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream, Cinnamon, Caramel, Fawn	15

ORIENTAL / JAVANESE COLOURS

SELFS	EYE COLOUR	PAGE	TABBY (Classic, Mackerel, Spotted, Ticked)	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
White	Intense blue Green Odd Eyed: One eye blue the other green	3	Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Green	20
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Green	3	Red, Cream	All shades from copper to green	20
Red, Cream	All shades from copper to green	3	Cinnamon, Caramel, Fawn	Green	20
Cinnamon, Caramel, Fawn	Green	3			
TORTIES	EYE COLOUR	PAGE	TORTIE TABBY	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Cinnamon, Caramel, Fawn	Any shade of hazel or green	4	Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Cinnamon, Caramel, Fawn	Any shade of hazel or green	20
SMOKE	EYE COLOUR	PAGE	SILVER TABBY	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Green	9	Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Green	21
Red, Cream	All shades from copper to green	9	Red, Cream	All shades from copper to green	21
Cinnamon, Caramel, Fawn	Green	9	Cinnamon, Caramel, Fawn	Green	21
SMOKE TORTIES	EYE COLOUR	PAGE	SILVER TORTIE TABBY	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Cinnamon, Caramel, Fawn	Any shade of hazel or green	9	Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Cinnamon, Caramel, Fawn	Any shade of hazel or green	21

ORIENTAL / JAVANESE PATCHED COLOURS

NB: Bi-Colour, Harlequin & Van: - **Blue** and **Odd-Eyes** also accepted

Odd-Eyed: One eye blue the other as required per pattern/colour description of the breed without white.

BI-COLOUR / HARLEQUIN / VAN	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac	Green	6
Red, Cream	All shades from copper to green	6
Cinnamon, Caramel, Fawn	Green	6
CALICO	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Black, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac Cinnamon, Caramel, Fawn	All shades from hazel to green	8
POINTED BICOLOUR	EYE COLOUR	PAGE
Seal, Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Red, Cream, Cinnamon, Caramel, Fawn	Blue Odd-eyed: Blue and green	8