

Asian Group

This group includes the following: Asian, Bombay, Burmilla and Tiffanie.

HEAD	Slightly rounded on top with good breadth between ears, having wide cheekbones and tapering to a short, blunt wedge. Jaw wide at hinge. There is a distinct nose break and the chin shows a strong lower jaw.
EARS	Medium in size, set well apart, broad at base, with slightly rounded tips. The outline of the ears continues the shape of the upper part of the face and has a slight forward tilt in profile.
EYES	Set well apart, large and lustrous. The top line of the eye is straight with a slight oriental slant towards the nose, the lower line being rounded.
CHIN	Firm.
BODY	Medium length and size and elegant, feeling hard and muscular, and heavier than its appearance indicates. Chest strong and rounded in profile. Back straight from shoulder to rump.
LEGS	Legs slender in proportion to body, hind legs slightly longer than front legs.
PAWS	Paws neat and oval in shape.
TAIL	Straight, medium in length, not heavy at base, tapering only slightly to a rounded tip.

SCALE OF POINTS

Type:	Head	15
	Ears	5
	Eye set	5
	Body	10
	Legs and paws	10
	Tail	5
Colour and markings:	Coat Colour and pattern	20
	Eyes - colour and rims	10
Length and texture of coat		10
Condition		5
Temperament		5
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FAULTS

Any suggestion of either Siamese type or British cobbiness.
Round or oriental eyes.
Short legs.
Small size is a serious fault.
Obvious barring in Tortoiseshell coats.
Lockets or excessive white hairs.
Obvious tabby markings.
Obvious ticking in coat.
Any defects listed in the Relevant to All Breeds Section.

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Coat length and Texture:

COAT LENGTH AND TEXTURE Soft, fine and close lying with a satin-like texture.

Asian eye colours

<u>Self Colours:</u> Blue, Chocolate, Lilac, Cinnamon, Fawn, Caramel, Red, Cream, Black Tortoiseshell, Blue Tortoiseshell, Chocolate Tortoiseshell, Lilac Tortoiseshell, Cinnamon Tortoiseshell, Fawn Tortoiseshell, Caramel Tortoiseshell	<u>Eye Colour:</u> Any colour from gold through to green, with gold preferred.
<u>Smoke Colours:</u> Black, blue, chocolate, lilac, cinnamon, fawn, caramel	Any colour from gold through to green, with gold preferred.
<u>Patterned Colours:</u> Brown tabby, brown tortoiseshell tabby, blue tabby, blue tortoiseshell tabby, chocolate tabby, chocolate tortoiseshell tabby, lilac tabby, lilac tortoiseshell tabby, cinnamon tabby, cinnamon tortoiseshell tabby, fawn tabby, fawn tortoiseshell tabby, caramel tabby, caramel tortoiseshell tabby, red tabby, cream tabby and all cameo tabbies Silver tabbies, including silver tortoiseshell tabbies	Any colour from gold through to green, with gold preferred.
<u>Burmese Colours:</u> All Colours	Golden yellow through to yellow through to yellow chartreuse.

Eye colour faults:

- Uneven eye colour.

Asian coat colours

Self colours [blue, chocolate, lilac, cinnamon, fawn, caramel, red, cream, apricot and tortoiseshell]

Smoke [blue, chocolate, lilac, cinnamon, fawn, caramel, red, cream, apricot]

Patterned colours [Tabbies]

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Allowable Outcross Breeds: None

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