

Siamese



The Siamese cat is a well-balanced animal with head, ears and neck carried on a long svelte body, supported on fine legs and feet and with a tail in proportion. The head - frontal view and profile - is wedge-shaped, neither round nor sharp. Alert and intelligent expression.

<p>HEAD: Wedge-shaped, long and well proportioned, carried on an elegant neck, with good width between the ears, narrowing in straight lines to a fine muzzle. The wedge starts at the tip of the nose and flares out in straight lines to the tips of the ears, forming an equilateral triangle. The skull is slightly rounded. Straight profile and strong chin.</p> <p>CHIN: Strong.</p> <p>NECK: Elegant.</p> <p>EARS: Large and pricked, wide at base, set so as to continue the lines of the wedge.</p> <p>EYES Oriental eye shape, pointed at inner and outer corners. Set well apart and slanting towards the nose. Eye size medium, neither protruding nor recessed.</p> <p>BODY Medium in size, long, svelte and elegant.</p> <p>LEGS: Long, proportionately slim, hind legs slightly higher than front legs.</p> <p>PAWS: Small and oval.</p> <p>TAIL: Long, tapering and whip-like.</p> <p>COAT: Short and fine in texture, glossy and close lying.</p> <p>COAT COLOURS: <u>Pointed colours</u></p> <p>NOTE: The following colours/ patterns are not recognized as Siamese in SACC, but as Pointed Orientals:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pointed Smokes • Pointed Silver tabbies • Pointed Bicolours 	<p style="text-align: center;">EYE COLOURS</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>Sealpoint, Seal tortiepoint, Seal tabbypoint and Seal tortoiseshell tabbypoint</td> <td>Clear, brilliant deep blue</td> </tr> <tr> <td>All other Pointed colours</td> <td>Clear, bright vivid blue</td> </tr> </table> <p>FAULTS</p> <p>Major awards <u>may be withheld, depending on degree of the following faults:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Very weak chin. • Uneven bite. • Protruding lower end of sternum. • A complete hood. • Lack of contrast between body and points. • Heavily marked body, e.g. spots or bars. • Incorrect colour on nose leather or pads. • Lack of tracings (for solid colour Siamese) • Heavy ringing on tail (for solid colour Siamese). • Any defects as listed under the Relevant to All Breeds Section. 	Sealpoint, Seal tortiepoint, Seal tabbypoint and Seal tortoiseshell tabbypoint	Clear, brilliant deep blue	All other Pointed colours	Clear, bright vivid blue	<p>Withhold major awards for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Very weak chin and uneven bite. • Fixed squint in one or both eyes. • Eyes tinged green, or green rimmed. <p>Disqualify exhibit for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • White toe or toes. <p>Allowable Outcrosses: Orientals,</p> <p>Note: Any offspring from parents other than Siamese or Orientals may not be registered as Siamese.</p> <p>Standard amended: January 2002/ January 2009/ January 2014/ January 2019</p>																																			
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