# **CORNISH REX**

The Cornish Rex is a cat covered in a characteristic soft, wavy curly-coat, with a fine-boned body that stands high on its legs. It's a well-balanced cat physically and in temperament. It has a distinctive arched back, deep rib cage and a natural 'tuck-up.' It's distinguished by its slender and graceful appearance. The fine bone conformation is covered with firm muscles so when handling, it feels hard and surprisingly weighty. The coat quality and texture, distinctive head type, refined boning as well as a 'well knit' body are prime features to examine.

## I-BODY/CONFORMATION (25)

(14) BODY – Small to medium in size. Slender and fine boned but sill hard and muscular. All contours gently curved and without any tubular appearance (5 points). Due to the generally strong and well-developed musculature, all heavily muscled areas appear somewhat heavy in proportion to rest of body. Rib cage is full and deep (3 points). Naturally arched back, an arch is evident when the cat is standing naturally. Lower line of the body follows this upward curve, showing tuck-up (6 points).

(3) NECK - Long and slender.

- (5) LEGS & FEET Except for the more muscular hips, the legs are very long, delicate and slender. Stands high on its legs. When viewed from behind, back legs show no evidence of being splayed or "cow-hocked". Paws dainty and slightly oval in shape.
- (3) TAIL Long and slender, tapering toward end and extremely flexible. A slight natural curve of the last vertebrae is not a fault.

# II – HEAD TYPE (25)

- (5) HEAD SHAPE Egg shaped, oval and relatively small compared with rest of body; length is nearly 1/3 greater than width.
- (5) FRONT VIEW Head appears to be a smooth reunion (at the whisker break) of two circles. Muzzle well defined with a definite whisker break. Whiskers and eyebrows are curly. All outlines are gently curved.
- (5) PROFILE Rounded forehead, Roman-type nose and high, prominent bridge give impression the head profile consists of two convex arcs which meet at nose break. Nose break is smooth and mild but distinctive. Strong, chin, well-developed forming a straight line with tip of nose giving depth and 'strength' in appearance rather than 'receding' in appearance.
- (5) EARS Large, wide at base, tapering to rounded tips, taller than wide, placed high on head and stand erect (as if listening), with outer edges nearly parallel and continuing a straight line from each jowl. Ears may be bare.
- (5) EYES Set one full eye's width apart. Medium to large in size, oval in shape and possess a slight upward slant. Eye colour is clear and brilliant, with any colour permitted.

# III – COAT TEXTURE/LENGTH (40)

(10) Extremely soft, silky and completely free of coarse guard hair.

- (5) Short and dense, but evenly distributed without any thin or sparse areas.
- (5) Closely lying to body and any open coat is undesirable. (20) A distinctive, tight, uniform marcel wave. Size and depth of wave may vary from cat to cat. Waves should extend from top of head, across back, sides, thighs and continue to tip of tail. Some allowance should be made for thin coat or bare patches on the tail.

## IV - COLOUR (5)

Any coat colour, or combination of colours, or patterns is permitted. Solid colour cats with white lockets, spots, buttons, groin spots, or toes shall remain in the solid colour class (no penalty is applied). EYE COLOUR is clear and brilliant, with any colour permitted.

#### V-CONDITION & BALANCE (5)

Fine boned and muscular. Excellent physical condition.

OBJECTIONS	DEDUCT
* Flabbiness or emaciation.	1-5
* Oriental head.	1 - 10
* British head type.	1 - 10
* Patchy loss of coat	
(allowance for kittens)	1-5
* Incomplete waviness	
(allowance for kittens)	1 - 10
* Round eyes.	1-3
* Small ears.	1-5
* Short legs.	1-5
* Open coat.	1-5
* Hind legs that are not straight.	1 - 4
* Flat forehead.	1-3

#### **WITHHOLDS**

- \* Presence of coarse guard hair.
- \* Excessive lack of coat.
- \* Extensive absence of waves in coat.
- \* British head and body type.
- \* Oriental head and tubular body.
- \* All grounds for withholding awards as listed in the General Preface.

#### RECOGNIZED COLOURS

All patterns and colours accepted. All eye colours accepted.

BREED ORIGIN:	Mutation
REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS:	No foundation allowed.
SHOWING REQUIREMENTS:	No foundation allowed.
ALLOWED ANCESTRY:	Cornish Rex
ALLOWED MATINGS:	Cornish Rex

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#### SOLID

BLACK

BLUE

**CHOCOLATE** 

CINNAMON

CREAM

**FAWN** 

LILAC

RED

WHITE AQUA-EYED

WHITE BLUE-EYED

WHITE COPPER-EYED

WHITE GOLD-EYED

WHITE GREEN-EYED

WHITE ODD-EYED

#### **SMOKE**

**BLACK SMOKE** 

**BLUE SMOKE** 

CAMEO SMOKE

CHOCOLATE SMOKE

**CINNAMON SMOKE** 

CREAM CAMEO SMOKE

FAWN SMOKE

LILAC SMOKE

#### **TORTOISESHELL SMOKE**

BLUE-CREAM SMOKE

CHOCOLATE TORTOISESHELL SMOKE

CINNAMON TORTOISESHELL SMOKE

FAWN TORTOISESHELL SMOKE

LILAC-CREAM SMOKE

TORTOISESHELL SMOKE

#### **SHADED**

**BLUE SILVER SHADED** 

CAMEO SHADED

CHOCOLATE SILVER SHADED

CINNAMON SILVER SHADED

CREAM CAMEO SHADED

FAWN SILVER SHADED

LILAC SILVER SHADED

SILVER SHADED

#### TORTOISESHELL SHADED

**BLUE-CREAM SHADED** 

CHOCOLATE TORTOISESHELL SHADED

CINNAMON TORTOISESHELL SHADED

FAWN TORTOISESHELL SHADED

LILAC-CREAM SHADED

TORTOISESHELL SHADED

#### **CHINCHILLA**

**BLUE CHINCHILLA** 

CAMEO CHINCHILLA

CHOCOLATE CHINCHILLA

CINNAMON CHINCHILLA

CREAM CAMEO CHINCHILLA

**FAWN CHINCHILLA** 

LILAC CHINCHILLA

SILVER CHINCHILLA

#### TORTOISESHELL CHINCHILLA

**BLUE-CREAM CHINCHILLA** 

CHOCOLATE TORTOISESHELL CHINCHILLA

CINNAMON TORTOISESHELL CHINCHILLA

FAWN TORTOISESHELL CHINCHILLA

LILAC-CREAM CHINCHILLA

TORTOISESHELL CHINCHILLA

#### **SHADED GOLDEN**

**BLUE GOLDEN SHADED** 

**CHOCOLATE GOLDEN SHADED** 

CINNAMON GOLDEN SHADED

CREAM GOLDEN SHADED

FAWN GOLDEN SHADED

GOLDEN SHADED

LILAC GOLDEN SHADED

**RED GOLDEN SHADED** 

#### TORTOISESHELL GOLDEN SHADED

**BLUE-CREAM GOLDEN SHADED** 

CHOCOLATE TORTOISESHELL GOLDEN SHADED

CINNAMON TORTOISESHELL GOLDEN SHADED

FAWN TORTOISESHELL GOLDEN SHADED

LILAC-CREAM GOLDEN SHADED

TORTOISESHELL GOLDEN SHADED

#### **GOLDEN CHINCHILLA**

BLUE GOLDEN CHINCHILLA

CHOCOLATE GOLDEN CHINCHILLA

CINNAMON GOLDEN CHINCHILLA

CREAM GOLDEN CHINCHILLA

FAWN GOLDEN CHINCHILLA

**GOLDEN CHINCHILLA** 

LILAC GOLDEN CHINCHILLA

RED GOLDEN CHINCHILLA

#### TORTOISESHELL GOLDEN CHINCHILLA

BLUE-CREAM GOLDEN CHINCHILLA
CHOCOLATE TORTOISESHELL GOLDEN CHINCHILLA
CINNAMON TORTOISESHELL GOLDEN CHINCHILLA
FAWN TORTOISESHELL GOLDEN CHINCHILLA
LILAC-CREAM GOLDEN CHINCHILLA
TORTOISESHELL GOLDEN CHINCHILLA

#### **CLASSIC TABBY**

BLUE CLASSIC TABBY
BROWN CLASSIC TABBY
CHOCOLATE CLASSIC TABBY
CINNAMON CLASSIC TABBY
CREAM CLASSIC TABBY
FAWN CLASSIC TABBY
LILAC CLASSIC TABBY

#### **MACKEREL TABBY**

RED CLASSIC TABBY

BLUE MACKEREL TABBY
BROWN MACKEREL TABBY
CHOCOLATE MACKEREL TABBY
CINNAMON MACKEREL TABBY
CREAM MACKEREL TABBY
FAWN MACKEREL TABBY
LILAC MACKEREL TABBY
RED MACKEREL TABBY

#### **SPOTTED TABBY**

BLUE SPOTTED TABBY
BROWN SPOTTED TABBY
CHOCOLATE SPOTTED TABBY
CINNAMON SPOTTED TABBY
CREAM SPOTTED TABBY
FAWN SPOTTED TABBY
LILAC SPOTTED TABBY
RED SPOTTED TABBY

#### **TICKED TABBY**

BLUE TICKED TABBY
BROWN TICKED TABBY
CHOCOLATE TICKED TABBY
CINNAMON TICKED TABBY
CREAM TICKED TABBY
FAWN TICKED TABBY
LILAC TICKED TABBY
RED TICKED TABBY

#### **SILVER CLASSIC TABBY**

BLUE SILVER CLASSIC TABBY
CAMEO CLASSIC TABBY
CHOCOLATE SILVER CLASSIC TABBY
CINNAMON SILVER CLASSIC TABBY
CREAM CAMEO CLASSIC TABBY
FAWN SILVER CLASSIC TABBY
LILAC SILVER CLASSIC TABBY
SILVER CLASSIC TABBY

#### **SILVER MACKEREL TABBY**

BLUE SILVER MACKEREL TABBY
CAMEO MACKEREL TABBY
CHOCOLATE SILVER MACKEREL TABBY
CINNAMON SILVER MACKEREL TABBY
CREAM CAMEO MACKEREL TABBY
FAWN SILVER MACKEREL TABBY
LILAC SILVER MACKEREL TABBY
SILVER MACKEREL TABBY

#### SILVER SPOTTED TABBY

BLUE SILVER SPOTTED TABBY
CAMEO SPOTTED TABBY
CHOCOLATE SILVER SPOTTED TABBY
CINNAMON SILVER SPOTTED TABBY
CREAM CAMEO SPOTTED TABBY
FAWN SILVER SPOTTED TABBY
LILAC SILVER SPOTTED TABBY
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#### **SILVER TICKED TABBY**

BLUE SILVER TICKED TABBY
CAMEO TICKED TABBY
CHOCOLATE SILVER TICKED TABBY
CINNAMON SILVER TICKED TABBY
CREAM CAMEO TICKED TABBY
FAWN SILVER TICKED TABBY
LILAC SILVER TICKED TABBY
SILVER TICKED TABBY

#### **GOLDEN CLASSIC TABBY**

BLUE GOLDEN CLASSIC TABBY
CHESTNUT GOLDEN CLASSIC TABBY
CINNAMON GOLDEN CLASSIC TABBY
CREAM GOLDEN CLASSIC TABBY
FAWN GOLDEN CLASSIC TABBY
GOLDEN CLASSIC TABBY
LILAC GOLDEN CLASSIC TABBY
RED GOLDEN CLASSIC TABBY

#### **GOLDEN MACKEREL TABBY**

BLUE GOLDEN MACKEREL TABBY
CHOCOLATE GOLDEN MACKEREL TABBY
CINNAMON GOLDEN MACKEREL TABBY
CREAM GOLDEN MACKEREL TABBY
FAWN GOLDEN MACKEREL TABBY
GOLDEN MACKEREL TABBY
LILAC GOLDEN MACKEREL TABBY
RED GOLDEN MACKEREL TABBY

#### **GOLDEN SPOTTED TABBY**

BLUE GOLDEN SPOTTED TABBY
CHOCOLATE GOLDEN SPOTTED TABBY
CINNAMON GOLDEN SPOTTED TABBY
CREAM GOLDEN SPOTTED TABBY
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#### **GOLDEN TICKED TABBY**

BLUE GOLDEN TICKED TABBY
CHOCOLATE GOLDEN TICKED TABBY
CINNAMON GOLDEN TICKED TABBY
CREAM GOLDEN TICKED TABBY
FAWN GOLDEN TICKED TABBY
GOLDEN TICKED TABBY
LILAC GOLDEN TICKED TABBY
RED GOLDEN TICKED TABBY

#### **CLASSIC PATCHED TABBY**

BLUE CLASSIC PATCHED TABBY
BROWN CLASSIC PATCHED TABBY
CHOCOLATE CLASSIC PATCHED TABBY
CINNAMON CLASSIC PATCHED TABBY
FAWN CLASSIC PATCHED TABBY
LILAC CLASSIC PATCHED TABBY

#### **MACKEREL PATCHED TABBY**

BLUE MACKEREL PATCHED TABBY
BROWN MACKEREL PATCHED TABBY
CHOCOLATE MACKEREL PATCHED TABBY
CINNAMON MACKEREL PATCHED TABBY
FAWN MACKEREL PATCHED TABBY
LILAC MACKEREL PATCHED TABBY

#### **SPOTTED PATCHED TABBY**

BLUE SPOTTED PATCHED TABBY
BROWN SPOTTED PATCHED TABBY
CHOCOLATE SPOTTED PATCHED TABBY
CINNAMON SPOTTED PATCHED TABBY
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#### TICKED PATCHED TABBY

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CHOCOLATE TICKED PATCHED TABBY
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#### SILVER CLASSIC PATCHED TABBY

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CHOCOLATE SILVER CLASSIC PATCHED TABBY
CINNAMON SILVER CLASSIC PATCHED TABBY
FAWN SILVER CLASSIC PATCHED TABBY
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SILVER CLASSIC PATCHED TABBY

#### **SILVER MACKEREL PATCHED TABBY**

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CHOCOLATE SILVER MACKEREL PATCHED TABBY
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#### SILVER SPOTTED PATCHED TABBY

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#### SILVER TICKED PATCHED TABBY

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#### **GOLDEN CLASSIC PATCHED TABBY**

BLUE GOLDEN CLASSIC PATCHED TABBY
CHOCOLATE GOLDEN CLASSIC PATCHED TABBY
CINNAMON GOLDEN CLASSIC PATCHED TABBY
FAWN GOLDEN CLASSIC PATCHED TABBY
GOLDEN CLASSIC PATCHED TABBY
LILAC GOLDEN CLASSIC PATCHED TABBY

#### **GOLDEN MACKEREL PATCHED TABBY**

BLUE GOLDEN MACKEREL PATCHED TABBY
CHOCOLATE GOLDEN MACKEREL PATCHED TABBY
CINNAMON GOLDEN MACKEREL PATCHED TABBY
FAWN GOLDEN MACKEREL PATCHED TABBY
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LILAC GOLDEN MACKEREL PATCHED TABBY

#### **GOLDEN SPOTTED PATCHED TABBY**

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CHOCOLATE GOLDEN SPOTTED PATCHED TABBY
CINNAMON GOLDEN SPOTTED PATCHED TABBY
FAWN GOLDEN SPOTTED PATCHED TABBY
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LILAC GOLDEN SPOTTED PATCHED TABBY

#### **GOLDEN TICKED PATCHED TABBY**

BLUE GOLDEN TICKED PATCHED TABBY
CHOCOLATE GOLDEN TICKED PATCHED TABBY
CINNAMON GOLDEN TICKED PATCHED TABBY
FAWN GOLDEN TICKED PATCHED TABBY
LILAC GOLDEN TICKED PATCHED TABBY
GOLDEN TICKED PATCHED TABBY

#### **TORTOISESHELL**

BLUE-CREAM
CHOCOLATE TORTOISESHELL
CINNAMON TORTOISESHELL
FAWN TORTOISESHELL
LILAC-CREAM
TORTOISESHELL

# **CARAMELIZED** (Dilute Modifier)

Caramel is a 'dilute modifier' that affects diluted colours (Blue, Lilac, Fawn, Cream):
Blue (based) Caramel, Lilac (based) Caramel,
Fawn (based) Caramel. Apricot is the name used for Cream (based) Caramel. A metallic sheen visibly overlays the base coat colour.
Carmelized colours are recognized in all dilute colours and patterns including with white.

# WITH WHITE COMBINATIONS

#### **Bi-Colour Combinations:**

All established colours and patterns with the addition of white (preferred minimum the cat should have white feet, legs, undersides, chest, and muzzle—ideally an inverted 'V'). All eye colours are allowed including odd-eyed (one eye must be blue): Solids, Smokes, Shadeds, Chinchillas, Golden Shadeds, Golden Chinchillas, Tabbies, Silver Tabbies, Golden Tabbies, Patched Tabbies, Silver Patched Tabbies, Golden Patched

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Tabbies, Tortoiseshells, Tortoiseshell Smokes, Tortoiseshell Shadeds, Tortoiseshell Chinchillas, Tortoiseshell Golden Shadeds, Tortoiseshell Golden Chinchillas. All eye colours are allowed including Odd-eyed (one eye must be blue).

#### **Calico Combinations:**

All established colours and patterns distributed as described for the Calico pattern (a tri-colour cat with un-brindled medium to large patches of SOLID colour and red, or DILUTE colour and cream on a white background). Calico, Dilute Calico, Calico Smoke, Calico Shaded, Calico Chinchilla, Calico Golden Shaded, Calico Golden Chinchilla, Tabby Patterned Calico, Tabby Patterned Silver Calico, Tabby Patterned Golden Calico. All eye colours are allowed including Odd-eyed (one eye must be blue).

#### Van Combinations:

All established colours and patterns distributed as described for the Van pattern (face and body predominantly white with colour restricted to the head and tail. One or two small spots of colour on the body are allowed): Solids, Smokes, Shadeds, Chinchillas, Golden Shadeds, Golden Chinchillas, Tabbies, Silver Tabbies, Golden Tabbies, Patched Tabbies, Silver Patched Tabbies, Golden Patched Tabbies, Tortoiseshell Smokes, Tortoiseshell Shadeds, Tortoiseshell Shadeds, Tortoiseshell Chinchillas, Tortoiseshell Golden Shadeds, Tortoiseshell Golden Chinchillas, and all Calico patterns. All eye colours are allowed including Odd-eyed (one eye must be blue).

# **SEPIA** and **MINK**

Sepia and Mink colours are recognized in all established colours and patterns (except Pointed); including with white (bi-colour, calico, van).

Sepia eye colour is gold or greenish-gold, and odd-eyed (one blue eye and one gold or greenish-gold eye). Sepia coat colour is paler and warmer than the equivalent of traditional colour. The coat colour darkens with age. A slight intensification of colour at the ears, tail, feet and face is noticeable especially in kittens.

**Mink** eye colour is blue-green to aqua, and odd-eyed (one blue eye and one blue-green / aqua eye). Mink coat colour is much lighter than the corresponding sepia colours and develops more intense colour at the ears, tail, feet and face; than on the body.

Sepia and Mink are recognized in:
Solids (except black\* and white), Smokes,
Shadeds, Chinchillas, Golden Shadeds, Golden
Chinchillas, Tabbies, Silver Tabbies, Golden
Tabbies, Patched Tabbies, Silver Patched Tabbies,
Golden Patched Tabbies, Tortoiseshells,
Tortoiseshell Smokes, Tortoiseshell Shadeds,
Tortoiseshell Chinchillas, Tortoiseshell Golden
Shadeds, Tortoiseshell Golden Chinchillas. All
established colours and patterns with the addition
of white: Bi-Colours, Calicos, and Vans.

\*The Sepia and Mink equivalent of Black is SEAL.

# **POINTED**

#### **SOLID POINT**

BLUE POINT

**CHOCOLATE POINT** 

**CINNAMON POINT** 

CREAM POINT

**FAWN POINT** 

LILAC POINT

**RED POINT** 

SEAL POINT

#### **SMOKE POINT**

**BLUE SMOKE POINT** 

**CHOCOLATE SMOKE POINT** 

**CINNAMON SMOKE POINT** 

**CREAM SMOKE POINT** 

**FAWN SMOKE POINT** 

LILAC SMOKE POINT

**RED SMOKE POINT** 

SEAL SMOKE POINT

#### **TORTIE POINT**

**BLUE CREAM POINT** 

CHOCOLATE TORTIE POINT

**CINNAMON TORTIE POINT** 

**FAWN TORTIE POINT** 

LILAC CREAM POINT

SEAL TORTIE POINT

#### **TORTIE SMOKE POINT**

**BLUE CREAM SMOKE POINT** 

CHOCOLATE TORTIE SMOKE POINT

CINNAMON TORTIE SMOKE POINT

**FAWN TORTIE SMOKE POINT** 

LILAC CREAM SMOKE POINT

SEAL TORTIE SMOKE POINT

#### **SHADED POINT**

**BLUE SHADED POINT** 

CHOCOLATE SHADED POINT

**CINNAMON SHADED POINT** 

CREAM SHADED POINT

**FAWN SHADED POINT** 

LILAC SHADED POINT

RED SHADED POINT

SEAL SHADED POINT

#### **TORTIE SHADED POINT**

BLUECREAM SHADED POINT

CHOCOLATE TORTIE SHADED POINT

CINNAMON TORTIE SHADED POINT

FAWN TORTIE SHADED POINT

LILAC CREAM SHADED POINT

SEALTORTIE SHADED POINT

#### **GOLDEN SHADED POINT**

BLUE GOLDEN SHADED POINT

CHOCOLATE GOLDEN SHADED POINT

CINNAMON GOLDEN SHADED POINT

CREAM GOLDEN SHADED POINT

FAWN GOLDEN SHADED POINT

LILAC GOLDEN SHADED POINT

RED GOLDEN SHADED POINT

SEAL GOLDEN SHADED POINT

#### **TORTIE GOLDEN SHADED POINT**

**BLUE CREAM** 

CHOCOLATE TORTIE GOLDEN SHADED POINT CINNAMON TORTIE GOLDEN SHADED POINT

FAWN TORTIE GOLDEN SHADED POINT

LILAC CREAM GOLDEN SHADED POINT

SEALTORTIE GOLDEN SHADED POINT

#### LYNX POINT

**BLUE LYNX POINT** 

CHOCOLATE LYNX POINT

CINNAMON LYNX POINT

CREAM LYNX POINT

FAWN LYNX POINT

LILAC LYNX POINT

RED LYNX POINT

SEAL LYNX POINT

#### **TORTIE LYNX POINT**

**BLUE CREAM LYNX POINT** 

CHOCOLATE TORTIE LYNX POINT

CINNAMON TORTIE LYNX POINT

FAWN TORTIE LYNX POINT

LILAC CREAM LYNX POINT

SEAL TORTIE LYNX POINT

#### **SILVER LYNX POINT**

BLUE SILVER LYNX POINT

CHOCOLATE SILVER LYNX POINT

CINNAMON SILVER LYNX POINT

CREAM SILVER LYNX POINT

**FAWN SILVER LYNX POINT** 

LILAC SILVER LYNX POINT

RED SILVER LYNX POINT

SEAL SILVER LYNX POINT

#### **SILVER TORTIE LYNX POINT**

BLUE TORTIE SILVER LYNX POINT

CHOCOLATE TORTIE SILVER LYNX POINT

CINNAMON TORTIE SILVER LYNX POINT

FAWN TORTIE SILVER LYNX POINT

LILAC TORTIE SILVER LYNX POINT

SEAL TORTIE SILVER LYNX POINT

#### **GOLDEN LYNX POINT**

BLUE GOLDEN LYNX POINT

CHOCOLATE GOLDEN LYNX POINT

CINNAMON GOLDEN LYNX POINT

CREAM GOLDEN LYNX POINT

FAWN GOLDEN LYNX POINT

LILAC GOLDEN LYNX POINT

RED GOLDEN LYNX POINT

SEAL GOLDEN LYNX POINT

#### **TORTIE GOLDEN LYNX POINT**

**BLUE TORTIE GOLDEN LYNX POINT** 

CHOCOLATE TORTIE GOLDEN LYNX POINT

CINNAMON TORTIE GOLDEN LYNX POINT

FAWN TORTIE GOLDEN LYNX POINT

LILAC TORTIE GOLDEN LYNX POINT

SEAL TORTIE GOLDEN LYNX POINT

#### **POINTED BI-COLOUR**

**BLUE POINT & WHITE** 

CHOCOLATE POINT & WHITE

CINNAMON POINT & WHITE

**CREAM POINT & WHITE** 

**FAWN POINT & WHITE** 

LILAC POINT & WHITE

**RED POINT & WHITE** 

SEAL POINT & WHITE

All established POINT colours and patterns with the addition of white for Solid Points, Smoke Points, Shaded Points, Golden Shaded Points, Lynx Points, Silver Lynx Points, Golden Lynx Points, Tortie Points, Tortie Smoke Points, Tortie Shaded Points, Tortie Golden Shaded Points, Tortie Lynx Points, Silver Tortie Lynx Points, Golden Tortie Lynx Points.

**Pointed with White** should conform to the pointed pattern with the addition of white overlaid. The face and the body should exhibit substantial white (a minimum of one-third is preferred). There must be some white on the face with enough white to indicate an inverted 'V' being preferred. Small to medium spots of colour are allowed within the white, both on the face and on the body. Blue eye colour. Disqualify no white on face.

#### **POINTED VAN**

**BLUE POINT VAN** 

CHOCOLATE POINT VAN

CINNAMON POINT VAN

CREAM POINT VAN

**FAWN POINT VAN** 

LILAC POINT VAN

**RED POINT VAN** 

**SEAL POINT VAN** 

All established POINT colours and patterns distributed as described for the Pointed Van pattern.

Solid Points, Smoke Points, Shaded Points, Golden Shaded Points, Lynx Points, Silver Lynx Points, Golden Lynx Points, Tortie Points, Tortie Smoke Points, Tortie Shaded Points, Tortie Golden Shaded Points, Tortie Lynx Points, Silver Tortie Lynx Points, Golden Tortie Lynx Points. Eye colour for the Pointed Van patterns is BLUE.

**Pointed Van** should conform to the pointed pattern with the face and the body exhibiting substantial white (a minimum of one-third is preferred). Point colour is confined to the head and tail with some allowance of point colour on the legs. There must be enough white on the face to differentiate the Van pattern from an inverted 'V' of a bi-colour. One or two small spots of colour are allowed within the white, both on the face and on the body. Blue eye colour. Disqualify no white on face.

#### **OTHER CORNISH REX COLOURS**

Other rare colours or patterns are recognized but are not listed here. Contact CCA-AFC office for further information.



Traditional eye colour is copper, gold, green, or hazel. Eye colour may differ from the norm, please refer to the individual breed standard for additional guidance.

# **SOLID COLOURS**

#### **BLACK**

Coat: Clear lustrous jet black, sound from root to tip.

Nose Leather: Black. Paw Pads: Black.

Objections: Smokey undercoat or rust tinge.

#### **BLUE**

Coat: Even shade of blue sound from root to tip. Lighter

shades preferred.

Nose Leather: Blue.

Paw Pads: Blue.

Objections: Shading. Tabby markings. Rust tinge.

Lighter undercoat. Drab lifeless colour.

#### CHOCOLATE

Coat: Clear chocolate brown sound from root to tip.

Nose Leather: Brown with pinkish tinge.
Paw Pads: Brown with pinkish tinge.
Objections: Tabby markings.

#### CINNAMON

Coat: Light reddish brown like a cinnamon stick(lighter

than Chocolate).

Nose Leather: Pinkish tan. Paw Pads: Pinkish tan. Objections: Tabby markings.

#### CREAM

Coat: Clear buff cream sound from root to tip. Lighter

shades preferred.

Nose Leather: Pink.

Paw Pads: Pink.

Objections: Tabby markings. Lighter colour around eyes,

nose, lips, chin and upper throat.

#### <u>FAWN</u>

Coat: Light lavender with pale cocoa overtones, sound

from root to tip.

**Nose Leather**: Light dusty rose. **Paw Pads**: Light dusty rose.

Objections: Whiskers different than coat colour. Blue or

lavender tones on nose or paw leathers.

#### LILAC

Coat: Clear warm lavender-pink from root to tip.

Nose Leather: lavender.

Paw Pads: Pink.

**Objections**: Tabby markings.

#### **RED**

Coat: Clear brilliant red sound from root to tip.

Nose Leather: Pink. Paw Pads: Pink.

**Objections**: Shading. Barring. Ticking or tabby markings. Lighter colour around eyes, nose, lips, chin, and upper

throat.

#### WHITE

Coat: Pure white sound from root to tip.

Nose Leather: Pink. Paw Pads: Pink.

Eye Colour: Blue, copper, gold, green, aqua, odd eyed

Objections: Staining or off-white tinges.

**Allowances**: A dark cap (patch) of another colour on the head is not to be considered a fault in young cats (under one year of age). Deafness although undesirable is not

penalized.

Traditional eye colour is copper, gold, green, or hazel. Eye colour may differ from the norm, please refer to the individual breed standard for additional guidance.

# SHADED

## **GENERAL DESCRIPTION**

Coat: White undercoat (Goldens have a rich warm honey cream undercoat.). Coat on back, flanks, head, and tail sufficiently tipped with an established colour or pattern from dark on the ridge to white (or cream for Goldens) on the chin, chest, stomach, and under the tail. Shaded cats are darker (greater amount of pigment on tips/hair shaft) than Chinchillas (or Shells). Legs to be the same tone as face. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Conform to the established colour standards.

**Paw Pads**: Conform to the established colour standards. **Eye Colour:** Silver Shaded and Golden Shaded have green or blue-green eyes.

#### **BLUE SHADED**

Coat: White undercoat. The coat on the back, flanks, head, and tail sufficiently tipped with blue, from dark on the ridge to white on the chin, stomach and chest, and under the tail. Legs to be the same tone as face. Shaded cats are darker than Chinchillas or Shells. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Rose.
Paw Pads: Blue or rose

Eye Colour: Green or blue-green.

#### **BLUE SHADED GOLDEN**

Coat: Ivory to pale honey undercoat. The coat on the back, flanks, head, and tail sufficiently tipped with blue to enhance golden colour. Ivory to pale honey colour on the chin, stomach and chest, and under the tail. Legs to be the same tone as face. Rims of eyes, lips, and nose outlined with blue. Shaded cats are darker than Chinchillas or Shells. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Rose outlined with blue.

Paw Pads: Blue or rose.

Eye Colour: Green, Blue-Green.

#### **CAMEO SHADED**

**Coat**: White undercoat. The coat on the back, flanks, head, and tail sufficiently tipped with red, from dark on the ridge to white on the chin, stomach and chest, and under the tail. Legs to be the same tone as face. Shaded cats

are darker than Chinchillas or Shells. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Rose pink. Paw Pads: Rose pink.

#### **CHOCOLATE SHADED**

Coat: White undercoat. The coat on the back, flanks, head, and tail sufficiently tipped with chocolate. White on the chin, stomach and chest, and under the tail. Legs to be same tone as face. Shaded cats are darker than Chinchillas or Shells. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Brown.
Paw Pads: Cinnamon-pink.

#### **CINNAMON SHADED**

**Coat**: White undercoat. The coat on the back, flanks, head, and tail sufficiently tipped with cinnamon. White on the chin, stomach and chest, and under the tail. Legs to be the same tone as face. Shaded cats are darker than Chinchillas or Shells. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

**Nose Leather**: Tan to Pinkish Beige. **Paw Pads:** Tan to Pinkish Beige.

#### **CREAM CAMEO SHADED**

**Coat**: White undercoat. The coat on the back, flanks, head, and tail sufficiently tipped with cream. White on the chin, stomach and chest, and under the tail. Legs to be the same tone as face. Shaded cats are darker than Chinchillas or Shells. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Pink. Paw Pads: Pink.

#### **GOLDEN SHADED**

Coat: Warm pale honey to bright apricot undercoat. The coat on the back, flanks, head, and tail sufficiently tipped with black (darker than a Chinchilla). Dilute colour (much lighter than undercoat) on the chin, stomach and chest, and under the tail. Legs to be the same tone as face. Shaded cats are darker than Chinchillas or Shells. Rims of eyes, lips, and nose outlined with black. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Deep rose outlined with black.

Paw Pads: Black.

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#### **FAWN SHADED**

Coat: White undercoat. The coat on the back, flanks, head, and tail sufficiently tipped with light lavender with pale cocoa overtones. White on the chin, stomach and chest, and under the tail. Legs to be the same tone as face. Shaded cats are darker than Chinchillas or Shells. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Pink.
Paw Pads: Pink.

#### **LILAC SHADED**

Coat: White undercoat. The coat on the back, flanks, head, and tail sufficiently tipped with lilac. White on the chin, stomach and chest, and under the tail. Legs to be same tone as face. Shaded cats are darker than Chinchillas or Shells. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Lavender.

Paw Pads: Pink.

#### SILVER SHADED

Coat: White undercoat. The coat on the back, flanks, head, and tail sufficiently tipped with black, from dark on the ridge to white on the chin, stomach and chest, and under the tail. Legs to be the same tone as face. Rims of eyes, lips, and nose outlined with black. Shaded cats are darker than Chinchillas or Shells. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Brick red outlined with black.

Paw Pads: Black.

Eye Colour: Green or blue-green.

# **SHELL & CHINCHILLA**

#### **GENERAL DESCRIPTION**

Coat: White undercoat (Goldens have a rich warm cream undercoat). Coat on back, flanks, head, and tail sufficiently tipped with an established colour or pattern to give the sparkling appearance necessary. Legs may be slightly shaded with tipping. Chin, stomach and chest are white (cream for Goldens). Chinchillas (or Shells) are lighter than Shadeds (significantly less pigment on hair tips and shaft). Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

**Nose leather:** Conform to the established colour standards.

**Paw Pads**: Conform to the established colour standards. **Eye Colour**: Golden Chinchilla have green or blue-green eyes.

#### **BLUE CHINCHILLA**

**Coat**: White undercoat. The coat on the back, flanks, head, and tail sufficiently tipped with blue. Legs may be slightly shaded with blue tipping. Chin, stomach and chest are white. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Rose outlined with blue.

Paw Pads: Blue or rose.

#### **BLUE GOLDEN CHINCHILLA**

Coat: Pale ivory to creamed honey undercoat. The coat on the back, flanks, head, and tail sufficiently tipped with blue to enhance the golden colour. Legs may be shaded with blue tipping. Rims of eyes, lips, and nose outlined with blue. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Rose outlined with blue.

Paw Pads: Blue or rose.

Eye Colour: Green, Blue-Green.

#### **CAMEO SHELL**

**Coat**: White undercoat. The coat on the back, flanks, head, and tail sufficiently tipped with red. Legs may be slightly shaded with red tipping. Chin, stomach and chest are white. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Rose pink. Paw Pads: Rose pink.

#### **CHINCHILLA GOLDEN**

Coat: Warm pale honey to light apricot undercoat. The coat on the back, flanks, head, and tail sufficiently tipped with black to enhance golden appearance. Legs and end of tail may be slightly shaded with black tipping. Rims of eyes, lips, and nose outlined with black. Chin, stomach and chest are dilute in colour (lighter than undercoat colour). Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Deep rose outlined with black..

Paw Pads: Black.

**Eye Colour**: Green or blue-green.

#### CHOCOLATE CHINCHILLA

Coat: White undercoat. The coat on the back, flanks, head, and tail lightly tipped with chocolate. White on the chin, stomach and chest, and under the tail. Legs to be same tone as faceChinchilla cats are lighter than Shadeds. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Brown.
Paw Pads: Cinnamon-pink.

#### **CINNAMON CHINCHILLA**

Coat: White undercoat. The coat on the back, flanks, head, and tail lighty tipped with cinnamon. White on the chin, stomach and chest, and under the tail. Legs to be the same tone as face. Shaded cats are darker than Chinchillas or Shells. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

**Nose Leather**: Tan to Pinkish Beige. **Paw Pads:** Tan to Pinkish Beige.

#### **CREAM CAMEO SHELL**

**Coat**: White undercoat. The coat on the back, flanks, head, and tail sufficiently tipped with cream. Legs and face may be slightly shaded with cream tipping. Chin, stomach and chest are white. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Pink. Paw Pads: Pink.

#### **FAWN CHINCHILLA**

Coat: White undercoat. The coat on the back, flanks, head, and tail lightly tipped with light lavender with pale cocoa overtones. White on the chin, stomach and chest, and under the tail. Legs to be the same tone as face. Shaded cats are darker than Chinchillas or Shells. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Pink. Paw Pads: Pink.

#### LILAC CHINCHILLA

**Coat:** White undercoat. The coat on the back, flanks, head, and tail lightly tipped with lilac. White on the chin, stomach and chest, and under the tail. Legs to be same tone as face. Shell cats are lighter than Shadeds. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Lavender.

Paw Pads: Pink.

#### SILVER CHINCHILLA

Coat: White undercoat. The coat on the back, flanks, head, and tail sufficiently tipped with black to give sparkling appearance. Legs may be slightly shaded with black tipping. Rims of eyes, lips, and nose outlined with black. Chin, stomach and chest are white. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Brick red outlined with black..

Paw Pads: Black.

Eye Colour: Green or blue-green.

# **SMOKE**

#### **GENERAL DESCRIPTION**

Coat: Deeply tipped with an established colour or pattern. In repose the cat looks like the established colour or pattern, In motion the white undercoat is clearly apparent. The face, ears, legs, and tail are the established colour or pattern with a narrow band of white at the base of the hairs next to the skin which may be seen only when fur is parted. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

**Nose leather**: Conform to the established colour standards.

Paw Pads: Conform to the established colour standards.

NOTE: During seasonal coat colour changes on both kittens and adults, the "reverse" colour of the coat is to be considered a NORMAL coat colour change. At the root it may appear that the primary smoke colour turns white a short distance up the hair shaft and then reverts back to the primary colour. The tipping during this coat colour phase may consume most of the hair shaft with only minimal white colour deep in the coat.

#### **BLACK SMOKE**

Coat: White undercoat, deeply tipped with black. Cat in repose appears black. In motion the white undercoat is apparent. Face, legs and tail, black with a narrow band of white at the base of hairs next to skin which may be seen only when fur is parted. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Black. Paw Pads: Black.

#### **BLUE SMOKE**

**Coat**: White undercoat, deeply tipped with blue. Cat in repose appears blue. In motion the white undercoat is apparent. Face, legs and tail, black with a narrow band of white at the base of hairs next to skin which may be seen only when fur is parted. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Blue or rose.

Paw Pads: Blue.

#### CAMEO SMOKE (RED SILVER)

**Coat**: White undercoat, deeply tipped with red. Cat in repose appears red. In motion the white undercoat is apparent. Face, legs and tail, red with a narrow band of white at the base of hairs next to skin which may be seen only when fur is parted. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Rose. Paw Pads: Rose.

#### **CHOCOLATE SMOKE**

Coat: White undercoat, deeply tipped with chocolate. Cat in repose appears chocolate. In motion the white undercoat is apparent. Face, legs and tail, chocolate with a narrow band of white at the base of hairs next to skin which may be seen only when fur is parted. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Brown.

Paw Pads: Cinnamon-Pink.

#### **CINNAMON SMOKE**

**Coat**: White undercoat, deeply tipped with cinnamon. Cat in repose appears cinnamon. White on the chin, stomach and chest, and under the tail. Legs to be the same tone as face. Shaded cats are darker than Chinchillas or Shells. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

**Nose Leather**: Tan to Pinkish Beige. **Paw Pads:** Tan to Pinkish Beige.

#### CREAM CAMEO SMOKE (CREAM SILVER)

Coat: White undercoat, deeply tipped with cream. Cat in repose appears cream. In motion the white undercoat is apparent. Face, legs and tail, cream with a narrow band of white at the base of hairs next to skin which may be seen only when fur is parted. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Pink. Paw Pads: Pink.

#### **FAWN SMOKE**

**Coat**: White undercoat, deeply tipped with lavender. Cat in repose appears lavender with pale cocoa overtones. White on the chin, stomach and chest, and under the tail. Legs to be the same tone as face. Shaded cats are darker than Chinchillas or Shells. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Pink. Paw Pads: Pink.

#### LILAC SMOKE

Coat: White undercoat, deeply tipped with lilac. Cat in repose appears lilac. In motion the white undercoat is apparent. Face, legs and tail, lilac with a narrow band of white at the base of hairs next to skin which may be seen only when fur is parted. Preference should be given to the cat whose coat lacks tabby markings.

Nose Leather: Lavender.

Paw Pads: Pink.

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Traditional eye colour is copper, gold, green, or hazel. Eye colour may differ from the norm, please refer to the individual breed standard for additional guidance.

# SHADED, CHINCHILLA, SMOKE TORTOISESHELL COLOURS

#### **BLUE CREAM SHADED**

Coat: Ground colour white. The hair should be tipped blue with patches of cream tipping—shading gradually down the sides, face and tail to white on the chin, chest, stomach area, and under the tail. Shading on the face and legs is the same tone as the ridge, albeit lighter. Coat should be darker than a shell, but not so dark as to lose the sparkling effect. A "blaze" is desirable.

**Nose Leather**: Blue, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Blue, may be mottled with pink.

Objections: Tabby markings.

#### **BLUE CREAM CHINCHILLA**

Coat: Ground colour white. The hair should be tipped blue with patches of cream tipping—shading gradually down the sides, face and tail. White on the chin, chest, stomach area, and under the tail. Shading on the face and legs is the same tone as the ridge, albeit lighter. Coat should be lighter than a shaded. A "blaze" is desirable.

**Nose Leather**: Blue, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Blue, may be mottled with pink.

Objections: Tabby markings.

#### **BLUE CREAM SMOKE**

**Coat**: Ground colour white. The cat in repose should appear blue with clearly defined, patches of cream. In motion, the white undercoat becomes apparent. Face and ears have a narrow band of white at the base of the hairs next to the skin that may be seen only when the fur is parted. A "blaze" is desirable.

**Nose Leather**: Blue, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Blue, may be mottled with pink.

Objections: Tabby markings.

#### **BLUE CREAM GOLDEN SHADED**

Coat: Ground colour pale ivory to creamed honey. The hair should be tipped blue with patches of red/cream tipping—shading gradually down the sides, face and tail. Pale honey on the chin, chest, stomach area, and under the tail. Shading on the face and legs is the same tone as the ridge, albeit lighter. Coat should be darker than a shell, but not so dark as to lose the sparkling effect. A "blaze" is desirable.

**Nose Leather**: Blue, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Blue, may be mottled with pink.

**Objections**: Tabby markings.

#### **BLUE CREAM GOLDEN CHINCHILLA**

Coat: Ground colour pale ivory to creamed honey. The hair should be tipped blue with patches of red/cream tipping—shading gradually down the sides, face and tail. Pale honey on the chin, chest, stomach area, and under the tail. Shading on the face and legs is the same tone as the ridge, albeit lighter. Coat should be lighter than a shaded. A "blaze" is desirable.

**Nose Leather**: Blue, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Blue, may be mottled with pink.

**Objections**: Tabby markings.

#### **CHOCOLATE TORTOISESHELL SHADED**

Coat: Ground colour white. The hair should be tipped chocolate with patches of red/cream tipping—shading gradually down the sides, face and tail to white on the chin, chest, stomach area, and under the tail. Shading on the face and legs is the same tone as the ridge, albeit lighter. Coat should be darker than a shell, but not so dark as to lose the sparkling effect. A "blaze" is desirable.

**Nose Leather**: Cinnamon, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Cinnamon, may be mottled with pink.

**Objections**: Tabby markings.

# CHOCOLATE TORTOISESHELL CHINCHILLA

Coat: Ground colour white. The hair should be tipped chocolate with patches of red/cream tipping—shading gradually down the sides, face and tail to white on the chin, chest, stomach area, and under the tail. Shading on the face and legs is the same tone as the ridge, albeit lighter. Coat should be lighter than a shaded. A "blaze" is desirable.

**Nose Leather**: Cinnamon, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Cinnamon, may be mottled with pink.

**Objections**: Tabby markings.

#### CHOCOLATE TORTOISESHELL SMOKE

**Coat**: Ground colour white. The cat in repose should appear chocolate with clearly defined, patches of red/cream. In motion, the white undercoat becomes apparent. Face and ears have a narrow band of white at the base of the hairs next to the skin that may be seen only when the fur is parted. A "blaze" is desirable.

**Nose Leather**: Chocolate, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Chocolate, may be mottled with pink.

Objections: Tabby markings.

#### CINNAMON TORTOISESHELL SHADED

Coat: Ground colour white. The hair should be tipped cinnamon and patches of cream tipping—shading gradually down the sides, face and tail. White on the chin, chest, stomach area, and under the tail. Shading on the face and legs is the same tone as the ridge, albeit lighter. Coat should be darker than a shell, but not so dark as to lose the sparkling effect. A "blaze" is desirable.

**Nose Leather**: Cinnamon, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Cinnamon, may be mottled with pink.

Objections: Tabby markings.

## <u>CINNAMON TORTOISESHELL</u> CHINCHILLA

Coat: Ground colour white. The hair should be tipped cinnamon and patches of cream tipping—shading gradually down the sides, face and tail. White on the chin, chest, stomach area, and under the tail. Shading on the face and legs is the same tone as the ridge, albeit lighter. Coat should be lighter than a shaded.. A "blaze" is desirable.

**Nose Leather**: Cinnamon, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Cinnamon, may be mottled with pink.

Objections: Tabby markings.

#### **CINNAMON TORTOISESHELL SMOKE**

**Coat**: Ground colour white. The cat in repose should appear cinnamon with clearly defined, patches of red/cream. In motion, the white undercoat becomes apparent. Face and ears have a narrow band of white at the base of the hairs next to the skin that may be seen only when the fur is parted. A "blaze" is desirable.

**Nose Leather**: Cinnamon, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Cinnamon, may be mottled with pink.

Objections: Tabby markings.

#### FAWN TORTOISESHELL SHADED

Coat: Ground colour white. The hair should be tipped lavender and patches of cream tipping—shading gradually down the sides, face and tail. White on the chin, chest, stomach area, and under the tail. Shading on the face and legs is the same tone as the ridge, albeit lighter. Coat should be darker than a shell, but not so dark as to lose the sparkling effect. A "blaze" is desirable.

**Nose Leather**: Lavender, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Lavender, may be mottled with pink.

Objections: Tabby markings.

#### FAWN TORTOISESHELL CHINCHILLA

**Coat:** Ground colour white. The hair should be tipped lavender and patches of cream tipping—shading gradually down the sides, face and tail. White on the chin, chest, stomach area, and under the tail. Shading on the

face and legs is the same tone as the ridge, albeit lighter. Coat should be lighter than a shaded.. A "blaze" is desirable.

**Nose Leather**: Lavender, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Lavender, may be mottled with pink.

**Objections**: Tabby markings.

#### **FAWN TORTOISESHELL SMOKE**

Coat: Ground colour white. The cat in repose should appear light lavender with warm cocoa overtone with clearly defined patches of cream. In motion, the white undercoat becomes apparent. Face and ears have a narrow band of white at the base of the hairs next to the skin that may be seen only when the fur is parted. A "blaze" is desirable.

**Nose Leather**: Lavender, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Lavender, may be mottled with pink.

Objections: Tabby markings.

#### **GOLDEN TORTOISESHELL SHADED**

Coat: Ground colour cinnamon gold to warm honey. The hair should be tipped black with patches of red/cream tipping—shading gradually down the sides, face and tail. Pale honey on the chin, chest, stomach area, and under the tail. Shading on the face and legs is the same tone as the ridge, albeit lighter. Coat should be darker than a shell, but not so dark as to lose the sparkling effect. A "blaze" is desirable.

**Nose Leather**: Brown or black, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Brown or black, may be mottled with pink.

Objections: Tabby markings.

## **GOLDEN TORTOISESHELL CHINCHILLA**

Coat: Ground colour cinnamon gold to pale warm honey. The hair should be tipped black with patches of red/cream tipping—shading gradually down the sides, face and tail. Pale warm honey on the chin, chest, stomach area, and under the tail. Shading on the face and legs is the same tone as the ridge, albeit lighter. Coat should be lighter than a shaded. A "blaze" is desirable.

**Nose Leather**: Brown or black, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Brown or black, may be mottled with pink.

**Objections**: Tabby markings.

#### LILAC CREAM SHADED

Coat: Ground colour white. The hair should be tipped lilac with patches of red/cream tipping—shading gradually down the sides, face and tail. Pale honey on the chin, chest, stomach area, and under the tail. Shading on the face and legs is the same tone as the ridge, albeit lighter. Coat should be darker than a shell, but not so dark as to lose the sparkling effect. A "blaze" is desirable.

**Nose Leather**: Lavender, may be mottled with pink.



Paw Pads: Lavender, may be mottled with pink.

**Objections**: Tabby markings.

#### LILAC CREAM CHINCHILLA

Coat: Ground colour white. The hair should be tipped lilac with patches of red/cream tipping—shading gradually down the sides, face and tail. Pale honey on the chin, chest, stomach area, and under the tail. Shading on the face and legs is the same tone as the ridge, albeit lighter. Coat should be lighter than a shell. A "blaze" is desirable.

Nose Leather: Lavender, may be mottled with pink.

Paw Pads: Lavender, may be mottled with pink.

**Objections**: Tabby markings.

#### LILAC CREAM SMOKE

**Coat**: Ground colour white. The cat in repose should appear lilac with clearly defined, patches of cream. In motion, the white undercoat becomes apparent. Face and ears have a narrow band of white at the base of the hairs next to the skin that may be seen only when the fur is parted. A "blaze" is desirable.

**Nose Leather**: Lavender, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Lavender, may be mottled with pink.

Objections: Tabby markings.

#### TORTOISESHELL SHADED

Coat: Ground colour white. The hair should be tipped black with patches of red tipping—shading gradually down the sides, face and tail. White on the chin, chest, stomach area, and under the tail. Shading on the face and legs is the same tone as the ridge, albeit lighter. Coat should be darker than a shell, but not so dark as to lose the sparkling effect. A "blaze" is desirable.

**Nose Leather**: Black or dark brown, may be mottled with pink.

 $\textbf{Paw Pads} \colon \textbf{Black} \, / \, \, \textbf{dark brown, may be mottled with pink.}$ 

Objections: Tabby markings.

#### TORTOISESHELL CHINCHILLA

**Coat**: Ground colour white. The hair should be tipped black with patches of red tipping—shading gradually down the sides, face and tail. White on the chin, chest, stomach area, and under the tail. Shading on the face and legs is the same tone as the ridge, albeit lighter. Coat should be lighter than a shaded. A "blaze" is desirable.

**Nose Leather**: Black or dark brown, may be mottled with pink.

Paw Pads: Black / dark brown, may be mottled with pink.

Objections: Tabby markings.

#### TORTOISESHELL SMOKE

**Coat**: Ground colour white. The cat in repose should appear black with clearly defined, patches of red. In motion, the white undercoat becomes apparent. Face and ears have a narrow band of white at the base of the hairs next to the skin that may be seen only when the fur is parted. A "blaze" is desirable.

Nose Leather: Black or dark brown, may be mottled with

**Paw Pads**: Black / dark brown, may be mottled with pink. **Objections**: Tabby markings.

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Traditional eye colour is copper, gold, green, or hazel. Eye colour may differ from the norm, please refer to the individual breed standard for additional guidance.

# **TABBY PATTERNS**

#### **CLASSIC TABBY PATTERN**

Markings dense, clearly defined and broad. Legs barred with bracelets. Tail evenly ringed ending in a dark tip. Necklaces on neck and upper chest are to be unbroken. Frown marks on forehead form a letter "M". Unbroken line runs back from outer corner of eye. Swirls on cheeks. Vertical lines over back of head extend to shoulder markings which are in the shape of a butterfly with both upper and lower wings distinctly outlined and marked with dots inside the outline. Back markings consist of a vertical line down the spine from butterfly to tail with a vertical stripe paralleling it on each side. Large solid blotch on each side to be encircled by one or more unbroken rings. Side markings should be the same on both sides. Double vertical rows of buttons on chest and stomach. Hocks to be same colour as markings.

#### **MACKEREL TABBY PATTERN**

Markings dense, clearly defined. Legs barred with bracelets. Tail evenly ringed ending with a dark tip Necklaces on neck and upper chest, are to be unbroken. Frown marks on forehead form an "M". Unbroken line runs back from outer corner of eye. Lines run down the head to meet the shoulders. Spine lines run together to form a narrow saddle. Unbroken lines run around the body vertically. Buttons on chest and stomach. Hocks to be same colour as markings.

#### SPOTTED TABBY PATTERN

Markings dense, clearly defined. Legs barred with bracelets. Tail spotted or broken rings ending with a dark tip. Necklaces on neck and upper chest, are to be broken. Frown marks on forehead form an "M". Line runs back from outer corner of eye. Broken lines run down the head to meet the shoulders. Spine lines consist of broken vertical lines preferably composed of spots. Spots on body may vary in size and shape but should not run together (i.e. a broken Mackerel pattern). Buttons on chest and stomach. Hocks to be same colour as markings.

#### TICKED TABBY PATTERN

Body hair to be ticked with shades of the marking colour and ground colour. Legs barred with bracelets. Tail evenly ringed. Must have at least one necklace. Frown marks on forehead form an "M". Line runs back from outer corner of eye. Spine line consists of darker dorsal shading. Body colour should be free of noticeable spots, stripes, or

blotches. Lighter underside may show buttons on chest and stomach.

#### PATCHED TABBY PATTERN

An established Classic, Mackerel, Spotted or Ticked Tabby with patches of red or cream.

# **TABBY COLOURS**

#### **BLUE TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour pale bluish ivory. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings blue.

Nose Leather: Blue or old rose.

Paw Pads: Old rose.

#### **BLUE SILVER TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour bluish silver. Undercoat white. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings blue.

Nose Leather: Blue or old rose rimmed with blue.

Paw Pads: Blue, old rose or pink

#### **BLUE GOLDEN TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour creamed honey. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings blue.

Nose Leather: Blue or old rose rimmed with blue.

Paw Pads: Blue, old rose or pink

#### **BROWN TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour coppery brown. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings black.

Nose Leather: Brick red.
Paw Pads: Black or brown.

#### **CAMEO TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour off white. Undercoat white. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings red.

Nose Leather: Pink.
Paw Pads: Pink.

#### CHOCOLATE TABBY

**Coat**: Ground colour milk chocolate. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings a deep, dark chocolate.

**Nose Leather**: Brown or brick red. **Paw Pads**: Brick red to cinnamon pink.



#### **CHOCOLATE SILVER TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour milk chocolate. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings a deep, dark chocolate. Undercoat is white.

Nose Leather: Brown or brick red.

Paw Pads: Brick red to cinnamon pink.

#### **CINNAMON TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour a pale warm honey. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings a light reddish brown like a cinnamon stick (lighter than Chocolate).

Nose Leather: Pinkish tan. Paw Pads: Pinkish tan.

#### **CINNAMON SILVER TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour pale silver with white undercoat. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings a light reddish brown like a cinnamon stick (lighter than Chocolate).

Nose Leather: Pinkish tan. Paw Pads: Pinkish tan.

#### **CREAM TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour pale cream. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings buff or cream.

Nose Leather: Pink. Paw Pads: Pink.

#### **CREAM CAMEO TABBY**

Coat: Ground colour off white. Under coat white.

Markings cream.

Nose Leather: Pink.

Paw Pads: Pink.

#### **FAWN TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour pale pale ivory. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings lavender with pale chocolate overtone.

**Nose Leather**: Lavender pink. **Paw Pads**: Lavender pink.

#### **FAWN SILVER TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour pale lavender with a white undercoat. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings dark lavender with pale chocolate overtone.

Nose Leather: Lavender pink. Paw Pads: Lavender pink.

#### **GOLDEN TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour cinnamon gold to warm honey. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings black.

Nose Leather: Brick red.

Paw Pads: Black.

#### **LILAC TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour frosty lavender with a pinkish patina. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings dark lavender.

Nose Leather: Lavender.

Paw Pads: Pink.

#### **LILAC SILVER TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour frosty lavender with a pinkish patina. White undercoat. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings dark lavender.

Nose Leather: Lavender.

Paw Pads: Pink.

#### **RED TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour cream to dark cream. Lips and chin the same shade as rings around the eyes. Markings red.

Nose Leather: Flesh or coral pink. Paw Pads: Flesh or coral pink.

#### SILVER TABBY

**Coat**: Ground colour pale silver. White undercoat. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings black.

Nose Leather: Brick red.

Paw Pads: Black.

# PATCHED TABBY COLOURS

#### **BLUE PATCHED TABBY**

**Coat:** Ground colour bluish ivory. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings blue with patches of cream.

**Nose Leather**: Blue, old rose, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Blue, old rose, may be mottled with pink.



#### **BLUE SILVER PATCHED TABBY**

**Coat:** Ground colour bluish ivory. White undercoat. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings blue with patches of cream. Fawn patina overcast.

**Nose Leather**: Blue, old rose, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Blue, old rose, may be mottled with pink.

#### **BLUE GOLDEN PATCHED TABBY**

**Coat:** Ground colour creamed honey. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings blue with patches of cream.

**Nose Leather**: Blue, old rose, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Blue, old rose, may be mottled with pink.

#### **BROWN PATCHED TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour copper brown. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings black patched with red.

**Nose Leather**: Brick red, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Black or brown, may be mottled with pink.

#### CHOCOLATE PATCHED TABBY

**Coat**: Ground colour milk chocolate. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings dark chocolate patched with red.

**Nose Leather**: Brown, brick red, or cinnamon may be mottled with pink.

Paw Pads: Brick red or cinnamon may be mottled with pink.

#### CHOCOLATE SILVER PATCHED TABBY

**Coat**: Ground colour milk chocolate with markings of dark chocolate patched with red. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. White undercoat.

**Nose Leather**: Brown, brick red, or cinnamon may be mottled with pink.

Paw Pads: Brick red or cinnamon may be mottled with pink.

#### CHOCOLATE GOLDEN PATCHED TABBY

**Coat**: Ground colour milk chocolate with markings of dark chocolate patched with red. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Pale honey undercoat.

**Nose Leather**: Brown, brick red, or cinnamon may be mottled with pink.

Paw Pads: Brick red or cinnamon may be mottled with pink.

#### **CINNAMON PATCHED TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour pale warm honey. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings reddish brown patched with red.

**Nose Leather**: Cinnamon may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Cinnamon may be mottled with pink.

#### **CINNAMON SILVER PATCHED TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour pale warm honey. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings reddish brown patched with red. White undercoat.

**Nose Leather**: Cinnamon may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Cinnamon may be mottled with pink.

#### **CINNAMON GOLDEN PATCHED TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour pale warm honey with lighter undercoat. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings reddish brown patched with red.

**Nose Leather**: Cinnamon may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Cinnamon may be mottled with pink.

#### **FAWN PATCHED TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour pale lavender with cocoa cast. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings warm lavender patched with cream.

**Nose Leather**: Lavender, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Lavender, may be mottled with pink.

#### **FAWN SILVER PATCHED TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour pale warm lavender with white undercoat. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings warm lavender patched with cream. White undercoat.

**Nose Leather**: Lavender, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: lavender, may be mottled with pink.

#### **FAWN GOLDEN PATCHED TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour pale warm lavender with pale honey undercoat. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings warm lavender patched with cream.

**Nose Leather**: Lavender, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Lavender, may be mottled with pink.



#### **GOLDEN PATCHED TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour warm honey. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings black patched with red.

**Nose Leather**: Brick red, may be mottled with pink.

Paw Pads: Black, may be mottled with pink.

#### **LILAC PATCHED TABBY**

**Coat**: Ground colour pale frosty lavender with pinkish patina. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings darker lavender patched with cream.

**Nose Leather**: Lavender, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: lavender, may be mottled with pink.

#### LILAC SILVER PATCHED TABBY

**Coat**: Ground colour pale frosty lavender with pinkish patina. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings darker lavender patched with cream. White undercoat.

**Nose Leather**: Lavender, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: lavender, may be mottled with pink.

#### LILAC GOLDEN PATCHED TABBY

**Coat**: Ground colour pale warm honey with lighter undercoat. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings darker lavender patched with cream.

**Nose Leather**: Lavender, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: lavender, may be mottled with pink.

#### SILVER PATCHED TABBY

**Coat**: Ground colour pale silver. Undercoat white. Lips and chin the same shade as the rings around the eyes. Markings black patched with red.

Nose Leather : Brick red, may be mottled with pink.

Paw Pads: Black, may be mottled with pink.

Traditional eye colour is copper, gold, green, or hazel. Eye colour may differ from the norm, please refer to the individual breed standard for additional guidance.

# TORTOISESHELL COLOURS

#### **BLUE CREAM**

**Coat**: Blue with clearly defined, patches of cream on face, body and extremities. On the undersides and extremities the colours may fade. A "blaze" which is comprised of the two colours, appears to divide the face down the nose, is desirable.

**Nose Leather**: Blue, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Blue, may be mottled with pink.

**Objections**: Solid colour face, legs and tail. Tabby or brindle markings. Excessive amount of dark cream.

#### **CHOCOLATE TORTOISESHELL**

**Coat**: Chocolate with clearly defined, patches of cream on face, body and extremities. On the undersides and extremities the colours may fade. A "blaze" which is comprised of the two colours, appears to divide the face down the nose, is desirable.

**Nose Leather**: Cinnamon, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Cinnamon, may be mottled with pink.

**Objections**: Solid colour face, legs and tail. Tabby or brindle markings.

#### **CINNAMON TORTOISESHELL**

**Coat**: Cinnamon (reddish brown) with clearly defined, patches of cream on face, body and extremities. On the undersides and extremities the colours may fade. A "blaze" which is comprised of the two colours, appears to divide the face down the nose, is desirable.

Nose Leather: Cinnamon, may be mottled with pink.

Paw Pads: Cinnamon, may be mottled with pink.

Objections: Solid colour face, legs and tail. Tabby or

brindle markings.

#### **FAWN TORTOISESHELL**

**Coat**: Warm lavender with clearly defined, patches of cream on face, body and extremities. On the undersides and extremities the colours may fade. A "blaze" which is comprised of the two colours, appears to divide the face down the nose, is desirable.

Nose Leather: Lavender, may be mottled with pink.

Paw Pads: Lavender, may be mottled with pink.

Objections: Solid colour face, legs and tail. Tabby or

brindle markings.

#### **LILAC CREAM**

**Coat**: Lilac with clearly defined, patches of cream on face, body and extremities. On the undersides and extremities the colours may fade. A "blaze" which is comprised of the two colours, appears to divide the face down the nose, is desirable.

**Nose Leather**: Lavender, may be mottled with pink.

Paw Pads: Lavender, may be mottled with pink.

**Objections**: Solid colour face, legs and tail. Tabby or brindle markings.

#### **TORTOISESHELL**

**Coat**: Black with clearly defined, patches of red on face, body and extremities. On the undersides and extremities the red may fade and appear as cream. A "blaze" which is comprised of the two colours, appears to divide the face down the nose, is desirable.

Nose Leather: Black or dark brown, may be mottled with pink

Paw Pads: Black or dark brown, may be mottled with pink.

**Objections**: Solid colour face, legs and tail. Tabby or brindle markings.

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Traditional eye colour is copper, gold, green, or hazel. Eye colour may differ from the norm, please refer to the individual breed standard for additional guidance.

# ANY COLOUR WITH WHITE

Coat conforms to the established colours and patterns with the addition of white. As a preferred minimum (unless otherwise stated in the breed standard), the cat should have white feet, legs, underside, chest and muzzle. An inverted 'V' on the face is desirable. Nose leather and paw pads conform to the established colour standards. Eye colour is gold to copper, blue, green, hazel, or oddeyed (one blue and one gold/copper eye with equal colour depth). Shaded silver and white, chinchilla silver and white, shaded golden and white, chinchilla golden and white may also have green, blue-green, or odd-eyed where one eye is green or blue-green and the other is blue with equal colour depth.

# CALICO / DILUTE CALICO

All established colours and patterns distributed as described for the Calico pattern (a tri-colour cat with un-brindled medium to large patches of DENSE colour and red, or DILUTE colour and cream on a white background). All eye colours are allowed including Odd-eyed (one eye must be blue).

# **PATTERNED CALICO**

#### PATTERNED CALICO

**Coat**: A white cat with TABBY patterned patches of established colours with patches of RED (which may or may not be tabby). As a preferred minimum (unless otherwise stated in the breed standard) the cat should have white feet, legs, underside, chest and muzzle.

**Nose Leather**: Pink or the established colour. **Paw Pads**: Pink, or the established colour.

#### **DILUTE PATTERNED CALICO**

**Coat**: A white cat with TABBY patterned patches of established colours with patches of CREAM (which may or may not be tabby). As a preferred minimum (unless otherwise stated in the breed standard), the cat should have white feet, legs, underside, chest and muzzle.

**Nose Leather**: Pink or the established colour. **Paw Pads**: Pink, or the established colour.

# Van Combinations:

All established colours and patterns distributed as described for the Van pattern (face and body predominantly white with colour restricted to the head and tail. One or two small spots of colour on the body are allowed): All eye colours are allowed including Odd-eyed (one eye must be blue).

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# **CARAMEL**

Caramel is a 'dilute modifier' that affects diluted colours (Blue, Lilac, Fawn, Cream):
Blue (based) Caramel, Lilac (based) Caramel, Fawn (based) Caramel. Apricot is the name used for Cream (based) Caramel. The dilute modifying gene does not affect the coat colour of Red cats.

Carmelized colours are recognized in all dilute colours and patterns including with white.

**Blue Caramel** is medium to dark brownish blue with a purplish cast. Paw pads and nose leather are any shade of taupe with purplish over tone. Should display a metallic sheen especially on the head, up the hocks and around the paw pads. Less evident in kittens.

Lilac Caramel is a cool toned lilac with rich honey brown overtones. Paw pads and nose leather are any shade of taupe with purplish over tone. Should display a metallic sheen especially on the head, up the hocks and around the paw pads. Less evident in kittens.

**Fawn Caramel** is a warm pale cinnamon with soft blue overtones. Paw pads and nose leather are any shade of taupe with purplish over tone. Should display a metallic sheen especially on the head, up the hocks and around the paw pads. Less evident in kittens.

**Apricot** (Cream Caramel) is an intense hot pinkish cream. Paw pads and nose leather are pink. Should display a metallic sheen especially on the head, up the hocks and around the paw pads. Less evident in kittens.

# **SEPIA** and MINK

Sepia and Mink colours are recognized in all established colours and patterns (except Pointed); including with white (bi-colour, calico, van).

The Sepia and Mink equivalent of Black is Seal.

**Sepia:** eye colour is gold or greenish-gold, and odd-eyed (one blue eye and one gold or greenish-gold eye). Sepia coat colour is paler and warmer than the equivalent of traditional colour. The coat colour darkens with age. A slight intensification of colour at the ears, tail, feet and face is noticeable especially in kittens.

**Mink**: eye colour is blue-green to aqua, and odd-eyed (one blue eye and one blue-green / aqua eye). Mink coat colour is much lighter than the corresponding sepia colours and develops more intense colour at the ears, tail, feet and face; than on the body.

Please refer to the individual breed standard for description of markings.

# **SOLID POINT COLOURS**

#### **BLUE POINT**

Point Colour: Deep grayish-blue. All points should be the same even shade.

Coat: Even bluish-white. Shadings if any are the shade of

the points.

Nose Leather: Slate gray. Paw Pads: Slate gray.

Eye Colour: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred. Objections: Improper colour nose or paw leathers. Fawn

or cream shadings.

#### **CHOCOLATE POINT**

Point Colour: Warm milk chocolate. All points should be the same even shade.

Coat: Ivory without lilac or blue tones. Shadings if any are

the shade of the points.

**Nose Leather**: Burnt rose or cinnamon pink. Paw Pads: Cinnamon pink to tan-pink.

Eye Colour: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred. **Objections**: Improper colour nose or paw leathers.

#### CINNAMON POINT

Point Colour: Light reddish brown distinctly warmer and lighter than chocolate. All points should be the same even shade.

Coat: Ivory. Shadings if any are the shade of the points.

Nose Leather: Tan to pinkish beige. Paw Pads: Tan to pinkish beige.

**Eye Colour**: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred. **Objections**: Improper colour nose or paw leathers.

#### CREAM POINT

Point Colour: Pale cream. All points should be the same even shade.

Coat: White without toning. Shading if any are the shade of the points.

Nose Leather: Pink.

Paw Pads: Pink.

**Eye Colour**: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred. Objections: Improper colour nose or paw leather.

#### **FAWN POINT**

Point Colour: Light lavender with pale cocoa overtones.

All points should be the same even shade.

Coat: Glacial white. Shadings if any are the shade of the points.

Nose Leather: Pink to light dusty-rose Paw Pads: Pink to light dusty-rose.

**Eye Colour**: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred. **Objections**: Improper colour nose or paw leathers.

#### LILAC POINT

Point Colour: Light silvery blue with definite warm tones. There may be a slight pink cast. All points should be the same even shade.

Coat: Even glacial white without tan, brown, or blue tones.

Nose Leather: Lavender pink.

Eye Colour: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred. **Objections**: Improper colour nose or paw leather. Tan,

brown, or blue shadings.

#### RED (FLAME) POINT

Point Colour: Deep orange-red. Kittens may have a lighter shade (hot cream to orange). All points should be the same even shade.

Coat: Warm even creamy white. Shadings if any are the

shade of the points.

**Nose Leather**: Flesh or coral pink. Paw Pads: Flesh or coral pink.

Eye Colour: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred.

**Objections**: Improper colour nose or paw leathers. Pale point colour (overall impression of point colour must be

hot). Strong tabby markings.

Withhold Awards: Black or blue patches in nose or paw leathers. Any sign of tortoiseshell pattern.

#### **SEAL POINT**

Point Colour: Dense, deep seal -brown. All points should be the same even shade.

Coat: Even pale cream or ivory. Shadings if any are a

warm fawn colour.

Nose Leather: Dark seal-brown to black. Paw Pads: Dark seal-brown to black.

Eye Colour: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred. **Objections**: Improper colour nose or paw leathers. Black

or gray shadings.



# **TORTIE POINT COLOURS**

#### **BLUE CREAM POINT**

**Point Colour:** Well defined patches of blue and cream. It is desirable that blue and cream be evident on all point areas.

**Coat**: Even bluish white. Shadings if any are the shade of the points.

**Nose Leather**: Slate gray, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Slate gray, may be mottled with pink.

#### **CHOCOLATE TORTIE POINT**

**Point Colour**: Milk chocolate with patches of cream. All points should be the same shade. It is desirable that chocolate and cream be evident on all point areas.

**Coat**: Even ivory. Shadings if any are the shade of the points.

Nose Leather: Cinnamon, may be mottled with pink.

Paw Pads: Cinnamon, may be mottled with pink.

Eye Colour: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred.

Objections: Improper colour nose or paw leathers.

Tabby markings. Lack of two colours on points. Brindled colours instead of patches of colour.

#### **CINNAMON TORTIE POINT**

**Point Colour**: Light reddish-brown with patches of cream. All points should be the same shade. It is desirable that cinnamon and cream be evident on all point areas.

**Coat**: Even ivory. Shadings if any are the shade of the points.

**Nose Leather**: Tan to pinkish-beige, may be mottled with pink.

Paw Pads: Tan to pinkish-beige, may be mottled with pink.

**Eye Colour**: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred.

**Objections**: Improper colour nose or paw leathers. Tabby markings. Lack of two colours on points. Brindled colours instead of patches of colour.

#### **FAWN TORTIE POINT**

**Point Colour**: Light lavender with pale cocoa overtones patched with cream. All points should be the same shade. It is desirable that lavender and cream be evident on all point areas.

**Coat**: Glacial white. Shadings if any are the shade of the points.

Nose Leather: Dusty rose, may be mottled with pink.

Paw Pads: Dusty rose, may be mottled with pink.

Eye Colour: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred.

Objections: Improper colour nose or paw leathers.

Tabby markings. Lack of two colours on points. Brindled colours instead of patches of colour.

#### LILAC CREAM POINT

**Point Colour**: Warm silver blue with pink overtones patched with cream. All points should be the same shade. It is desirable that lilac and cream be evident on all point areas

**Coat**: Glacial white. Shadings if any are the shade of the points.

Nose Leather: Lavender, may be mottled with pink.

Paw Pads: Lavender, may be mottled with pink.

Eye Colour: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred.

**Objections**: Improper colour nose or paw leathers. Tabby markings. Lack of two colours on points. Brindled colours instead of patches of colour.

#### **SEAL TORTIE POINT**

**Point Colour:** Dark seal brown with well defined patches of red/cream. All points should be the same shade. It is desirable that seal and cream be evident on all point areas.

**Coat**: Even pale creamy white to pale cream. Shadings if any are the shade of the points.

Nose Leather: Seal brown, may be mottled with pink.

Paw Pads: Seal brown, may be mottled with pink.

Eye Colour: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred.

Objections: Improper colour nose or paw leathers.

Tabby markings. Lack of two colours on points. Brindled colours instead of patches of colour.



# LYNX POINT COLOURS

#### **BLUE LYNX POINT**

**Point Colour**: Silvery blue with deep grayish-blue tabby markings. All points should be the same shade.

**Coat**: Even bluish-white. Shadings if any are the shade of the points.

**Pattern**: The mask must be clearly marked with typical tabby markings including a classic "M" on the forehead. Eyes are outlined in dark pigment. Inner ear is light and a thumb print appears on the outer ear. Stripes on the legs and tail.

**Nose Leather**: Slate gray or brick red.

Paw Pads: Slate gray.

**Eye Colour**: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred.

**Objections**: Improper colour nose or paw leathers. Stripes or mottling on body, but consideration is to be

given to shading in older cats.

#### CHOCOLATE LYNX POINT

**Point Colour:** Warm milk chocolate with darker chocolate tabby markings. All points should be the same shade.

**Coat**: Even ivory without lilac or blue tones. Shadings if any are the shade of the points.

**Pattern**: The mask must be clearly marked with typical tabby markings including a classic "M" on the forehead. Eyes are outlined in dark pigment. Inner ear is light and a thumb print appears on the outer ear. Stripes on the legs and tail.

Nose Leather: Cinnamon or pink edged with cinnamon.

Paw Pads: Cinnamon.

**Eye Colour**: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred.

**Objections**: Improper colour nose or paw leathers. Stripes or mottling on body, but consideration is to be given to shading in older cats. Blue or lilac tones.

#### **CINNAMON LYNX POINT**

**Point Colour**: Light reddish brown distinctly warmer and lighter than chocolate with darker cinnamon tabby markings. All points should be the same shade.

**Coat**: Even ivory without lilac or blue tones. Shadings if any are the shade of the points.

**Pattern**: The mask must be clearly marked with typical tabby markings including a classic "M" on the forehead. Eyes are outlined in dark pigment. Inner ear is light and a thumb print appears on the outer ear. Stripes on the legs and tail.

**Nose Leather**: Tan to pinkish-beige. **Paw Pads**: Tan to pinkish-beige.

**Eye Colour**: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred.

**Objections**: Improper colour nose or paw leathers. Stripes or mottling on body, but consideration is to be

given to shading in older cats. Blue or lilac tones.

#### **REAM LYNX POINT**

**Point Colour**: Delicate cream with darker cream tabby markings. All points should be the same shade.

**Coat**: Cream white. Shadings if any are the shade of the points.

**Pattern**: The mask must be clearly marked with typical tabby markings including a classic "M" on the forehead. Eyes are outlined in dark pigment. Inner ear is light and a thumb print appears on the outer ear. Stripes on the legs and tail

**Nose Leather**: Flesh or coral pink. **Paw Pads**: Flesh or coral pink.

**Eye Colour**: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred. **Objections**: Improper colour nose or paw leathers. Stripes or mottling on body, but consideration is to be given to shading in older cats.

#### **FAWN LYNX POINT**

<u>Point Colour</u>: Light lavender with pale cocoa overtones with darker lavender tabby markings. All points should be the same shade.

**Coat**: Glacial white. Shadings if any are the shade of the points.

**Pattern**: The mask must be clearly marked with typical tabby markings including a classic "M" on the forehead. Eyes are outlined in dark pigment. Inner ear is light and a thumb print appears on the outer ear. Stripes on the legs and tail.

Nose Leather: Dusty rose, may be mottled with pink.

Paw Pads: Dusty rose, may be mottled with pink.

Eye Colour: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred.

Objections: Improper colour nose or paw leathers.

Stripes or mottling on body, but consideration is to be given to shading in older cats.

#### LILAC LYNX POINT

**Point Colour**: Warm silver blue with pink overtones, tabby markings a darker shade of lilac blue. All points should be the same shade.

**Coat**: Glacial white. Shadings if any are the shade of the points.

**Pattern**: The mask must be clearly marked with typical tabby markings including a classic "M" on the forehead. Eyes are outlined in dark pigment. Inner ear is light and a thumb print appears on the outer ear. Stripes on the legs and tail.

**Nose Leather**: Lavender or pink edged with lavender.

Paw Pads: Lavender.

**Eye Colour**: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred. **Objections**: Improper colour nose or paw leathers. Stripes or mottling on body, but consideration is to be given to shading in older cats.

## **RED (FLAME) LYNX POINT**

**Point Colour**: Deep red with darker -red tabby markings. All points should be the same shade.

**Coat**: Cream white. Shadings if any are the shade of the points.

**Pattern**: The mask must be clearly marked with typical tabby markings including a classic "M" on the forehead. Eyes are outlined in dark pigment. Inner ear is light and a thumb print appears on the outer ear. Stripes on the legs and tail.

**Nose Leather**: Flesh or coral pink. **Paw Pads**: Flesh or coral pink.

**Eye Colour**: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred.

**Objections**: Improper colour nose or paw leathers. Stripes or mottling on body, but consideration is to be

given to shading in older cats.

#### **SEAL LYNX POINT**

**Point Colour**: Brown with darker seal brown tabby markings. All points should be the same shade.

**Coat**: Pale cream to fawn. Shadings if any are the shade of the points.

**Pattern**: The mask must be clearly marked with typical tabby markings including a classic "M" on the forehead. Eyes are outlined in dark pigment. Inner ear is light and a thumb print appears on the outer ear. Stripes on the legs and tail.

Nose Leather: Seal brown or brick red.

Paw Pads: Seal brown.

**Eye Colour**: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred.

**Objections**: Improper colour nose or paw leathers. Stripes or mottling on body, but consideration is to be

given to shading in older cats.

# TORTIE LYNX POINT COLOURS

#### **BLUE CREAM LYNX POINT**

**Point Colour:** Blue with darker blue tabby markings patched with cream. Ears have paler thumbprint in center. Coat: Even bluish or creamish white. Shadings if any are the shade of the points.

**Pattern**: The mask must be clearly marked with typical tabby markings including a classic "M" on the forehead. Eyes are outlined in dark pigment. Inner ear is light and a thumb print appears on the outer ear. Stripes on the legs and tail.

Nose Leather: Slate gray, may be mottled with pink.

Paw Pads: Slate gray, may be mottled with pink.

Eye Colour: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred.

Objections: Improper colour nose or paw leathers.

Stripes or mottling on body, but consideration is to be given to shading in older cats.

#### CHOCOLATE TORTIE LYNX POINT

**Point Colour**: Milk chocolate with darker chocolate tabby markings patched with cream. All points should be the same shade. Ears have paler thumbprint in center.

**Coat**: Even ivory. Shadings if any are the shade of the points.

**Pattern**: The mask must be clearly marked with typical tabby markings including a classic "M" on the forehead. Eyes are outlined in dark pigment. Inner ear is light and a thumb print appears on the outer ear. Stripes on the legs and tail

Nose Leather: Cinnamon, may be mottled with pink.

Paw Pads: Cinnamon, may be mottled with pink.

Eye Colour: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred.

Objections: Improper colour nose or paw leathers.

Stripes or mottling on body, but consideration is to be given to shading in older cats.

#### **CINNAMON TORTIE LYNX POINT**

**Point Colour**: Light reddish-brown tabby markings patched with cream. All points should be the same shade. Ears have paler thumbprint in center.

**Coat**: Even ivory. Shadings if any are the shade of the points.

**Pattern**: The mask must be clearly marked with typical tabby markings including a classic "M" on the forehead. Eyes are outlined in dark pigment. Inner ear is light and a thumb print appears on the outer ear. Stripes on the legs and tail.

**Nose Leather**: Tan to pinkish-beige, may be mottled with pink.

Paw Pads: Tan to pinkish-beige, may be mottled with pink.

Eye Colour: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred.

**Objections**: Improper colour nose or paw leathers. Stripes or mottling on body, but consideration is to be given to shading in older cats.

#### **FAWN TORTIE LYNX POINT**

**Point Colour**: Light lavender tabby markings with pale cocoa overtones patched with cream. All points should be the same shade. Ears have paler thumbprint in center.

**Coat**: Glacial white. Shadings if any are the shade of the points.

**Pattern**: The mask must be clearly marked with typical tabby markings including a classic "M" on the forehead. Eyes are outlined in dark pigment. Inner ear is light and a thumb print appears on the outer ear. Stripes on the legs and tail.



**Nose Leather**: Lavender, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Lavender, may be mottled with pink.

Eye Colour: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred.

**Objections**: Improper colour nose or paw leathers. Stripes or mottling on body, but consideration is to be given to shading in older cats.

#### LILAC CREAM LYNX POINT

**Point Colour**: Warm silver blue with pink overtones, tabby markings a darker shade of lilac blue patched with cream. All points should be the same shade. Ears have paler thumbprint in center.

**Coat**: Glacial white. Shadings if any are the shade of the points.

**Pattern**: The mask must be clearly marked with typical tabby markings including a classic "M" on the forehead. Eyes are outlined in dark pigment. Inner ear is light and a thumb print appears on the outer ear. Stripes on the legs and tail.

**Nose Leather**: Lavender, may be mottled with pink. **Paw Pads**: Lavender, may be mottled with pink.

**Eye Colour**: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred.

**Objections**: Improper colour nose or paw leathers. Stripes or mottling on body, but consideration is to be given to shading in older cats.

#### SEAL TORTIE LYNX POINT

**Point Colour:** Brown with darker seal brown tabby markings patched with red. All points should be the same shade. Ears have paler thumbprint in center.

**Coat**: Even pale cream to fawn. Shadings if any are the shade of the points.

**Pattern**: The mask must be clearly marked with typical tabby markings including a classic "M" on the forehead. Eyes are outlined in dark pigment. Inner ear is light and a thumb print appears on the outer ear. Stripes on the legs and tail.

**Nose Leather**: Seal brown, may be mottled with pink.

**Paw Pads**: Seal brown, may be mottled with pink. **Eye Colour**: Clear brilliant blue. Deep blue preferred.

**Objections**: Improper colour nose or paw leathers. Stripes or mottling on body, but consideration is to be given to shading in older cats.

## **SMOKE POINT**

White undercoat, deeply tipped with colour consistent with the corresponding base colour (solid point, tortie point, pointed bi-colour, pointed van). Points and mask appear solidly coloured with narrow band of white at base of hairs next to skin, which may be seen only when fur is parted. Nose leather and paw pad colours appropriate to the base colour.

## SILVER LYNX POINT

White undercoat, deeply tipped with colour consistent with the corresponding base colour and tabby markings. (Silver lynx point, silver tortie lynx point, silver lynx point bicolour, silver tortie lynx point bi-colour, silver lynx point van, silver tortie lynx point van). Points and mask appear as a normal lynx point or tortie lynx point with narrow band of white at base of hairs next to skin, which may be seen only when fur is parted. Nose leather and paw pad colours appropriate to the base colour.

#### **GOLDEN LYNX POINT**

Pale warm honey undercoat, deeply tipped with colour consistent with the corresponding base colour and tabby markings. (golden lynx point, golden tortie lynx point, golden lynx point bi-colour, golden tortie lynx point bi-colour, golden lynx point van, golden tortie lynx point van). Points and mask appear as a normal lynx point or tortie lynx point with narrow band of warm honey at base of hairs next to skin, which may be seen only when fur is parted. Nose leather and paw pad colours appropriate to the base colour.

### POINTED WITH WHITE

**Pointed with White** should conform to the pointed pattern with the addition of white overlaid. The face and the body should exhibit substantial white (a minimum of one-third is preferred). There must be some white on the face with enough white to indicate an inverted 'V' being preferred. Small to medium spots of colour are allowed within the white, both on the face and on the body. Blue eye colour. Disqualify no white on face.

#### **POINTED VAN**

**Pointed Van** should conform to the pointed pattern with the face and the body exhibiting substantial white (a minimum of one-third is preferred). Point colour is confined to the head and tail with some allowance of point colour on the legs. There must be enough white on the face to differentiate the Van pattern from an inverted 'V' of a bi-colour. One or two small spots of colour are allowed within the white, both on the face and on the body. Blue eye colour. Disqualify no white on face.

# **GENERAL PREFACE**

The following shall apply to all breeds or as indicated:

#### WITHHOLD AWARDS FOR:

- More or fewer than five toes on each front paw and four toes on each back paw (Pixie-Bobs are exempt from this rule). Splayed toes are an objection.
- 2. White lockets, buttons or toes on any cat, except where part of the natural colour / pattern OR unless otherwise specified in the breed standard.
- 3. Any deformity or disfigurement hereditary, congenital or acquired.
- Entries which do not meet correct markings as stated. Entries must be properly and distinctly marked in accordance with the standard for all cats of the tabby variety.
- A cat showing evidence of intent to deceive (i.e., the presence of powder, or chalk remaining in the coat after normal grooming, the use of tints, colour rinses or other artificial colouring concealment media, sanding or shaving, or knowledge of cosmetic surgery).
- Any cat not amenable to handling by the judge, its owner or agent. All domestic breeds of cats covered in the standards are expected to be gentle and amenable to handling. Cats should be well-balanced physically and temperamentally.
- 7. Kinks, visible or invisible. Kink is defined as rigid deflection in the line of the tail, visible or otherwise. Small, invisible bumps shall be considered a fault.
- 8. Wrong eye colour (unless otherwise specified).
- 9. Crossed eyes in any breed.
- 10. Maloccluded jaws.
- Monorchidism (absence of one testicle) or Cryptorchidism (absence of both testicles) are grounds for withholding awards.
- 12. Any entry that scores less than 90 points.

#### **KEEP IN MIND THE FOLLOWING:**

- 1. weak, receding, or protruding chin is to be considered a serious fault. Deductions can be made for chin, profile and balance.
- 2. Allowance is to be made for stud jowls in males. Usually, males are proportionally larger than females.
- 3. Allowance is to be made for seasonal variations in coat.
- 4. Allowance is to be made for faint tabby markings, except where part of the normal colour pattern.
- 5. Allowance is to be made for undeveloped eye colour

- and undeveloped coat colour in kittens and young cats.
- A 'blaze' two colours on the face divided down the nose— is desirable (all other factors being equal) on the numerous tortoiseshell-like colours and patterns (i.e., tortoiseshell, lilac-cream, champagne-tortie, seal tortie point, etc.)
- 7. The greenish-yellow eye colour, generally referred to as 'hazel' (not brown) is allowed where stated.
- Excellence in one aspect of the standard shall not offset deficiency in another. Inasmuch as the standard specifically describes the various parts of the cat's appearance, all judges shall conduct their work in accordance with these specifications.
- 9. All entries should posses the appropriate weight, condition and balance for its respective breed. Balance is the overall physical picture of the cat. The cat must 'fit together' and any one particular quality must not be emphasized. Judges shall not penalize any fault by a greater amount than the cat would have earned if perfect in that detail.
- 10. Judges shall penalize for bad condition indicating illness or poor care.
- 11. Natural lighting should be used wherever possible. Allowances are to be made for (harsh) artificial lighting which may distort eye and coat colour.
- 12. An entry presented in the judging ring displaying noticeable effects of a sedative (i.e., third eyelids showing, overly glassy eyes, inability to stand or sit, lack of coordination or muscle control) shall not receive an award. The judge will record NFA (No Further Award) in their judge's book.