

SINGAPURA

General Appearance. The appearance is that of an alert, healthy, small-sized, medium-proportioned, muscular cat with noticeably large eyes and ears. Cat is to have the illusion of refined, delicate coloring.

Scale of points (see also General Preface)

- Head 25 Skull: rounded with rounded width at the outer eye narrowing to a definite whisker break and a medium-short broad muzzle with a blunt nose. In profile, a rounded skull with a very slight break well below eye level. Straight line from nose to chin. Chin: well-developed.
Profile -3; muzzle shape - 4; head shape - 4; width at eyes - 4.
- Ears 10 Ears large, slightly pointed, wide open at the base, and possessing a deep cup. Medium set Outer lines of the ear to start just outside the jowl line and extend upward at an angle slightly wide of parallel. **SMALL EARS A SERIOUS FAULT.**
- Eyes 10 Eyes: large, almond-shaped, held wide open, but showing slant. Neither protruding nor receding. Eyes set not less than an eye width apart. Color: hazel, green, or yellow, with no other color allowed. Brilliant shades preferred. **SMALL EYES A SERIOUS FAULT**
Size & placement - 6; shape - 3; color -1.
- Body 20 Smaller than average cat Adult female weighing 4 pounds, males 6 pounds, **MORE OR LESS.** Moderately stocky and muscular. Body, legs, and floor to form a square. Midsection not tucked, but firm.

Neck: short and thick. Proportion -10; Neck - 3;

Legs: heavy and muscular at the body, tapering to small, short oval feet. Legs & feet 5.

Tail: Tail length to be short of the shoulder when laid along the torso. Tending toward slender, but not whippy. Blunt end. Tail - 2.
- Coat 15 Fine, very short, lying very close to the body. Allowance for longer coat in kittens.
- Color 15 Color to be dark brown ticking on a warm, old ivory ground color. Muzzle, chin, chest, and stomach to be the color of unbleached muslin. **Nose leather:** pale to dark brick red. Eyeliner, nose outline, lips, hair around whisker apertures, and hair between the toes to be brown. **Paw pads:** a rosy brown. Ruddier tones to ears and nose bridge **NOT** a fault
- Markings 5 Each hair to have at least two bands of dark ticking separated by light bands, with light next to the skin and a dark tip. Dark tail tip with color extending back toward the body on the upper side. Cat to show some barring on the inner front legs and at the back knees. Allowance to be made for undeveloped ticking in kittens. Spine line **NOT** a fault
- PENALIZE:** Dark coat coloring next to skin. Definite gray tones, barring on outer front legs, springy coat, and non-visible tail fault
- WITHHOLD WINS** Very small eyes and ears; white lockets, tabby barring on tail; top of head unticked; unbroken necklace or leg bracelets; visible tail fault