

PRELIMINARY STANDARD OF POINTS CAMEO AND WHITE BI- AND TRI-COLOUR PERSIANS

Head and Ears: head round and massive with great breadth of skull; well balanced. Small, round tipped ears set wide apart and low on the head, fitting into the rounded contour of the skull, with full ear furnishings, but not unduly open at the base. Full cheeks, round forehead. Short broad nose of even width with stop (break). Nose leather fully formed. Strong chin and full muzzle with broad powerful jaws, without a "pinch". Short thick neck.

Eyes: large, full round eyes; deep orange or copper, brilliant in colour and set well apart. Bold and not deep set.

Body: Large or medium in size. Of cobby type; low on the legs. Broad deep chest, massive shoulders and rump; well muscled.

Legs and Paws: Short thick strong legs. Large round firm paws, preferably well tufted. Toes carried close; five in front, four behind.

Tail: Short and bushy but in proportion to body length.

Coat: Long and thick. Fine in texture, not excessively woolly. Soft and full of life. Full frill covering the shoulders and continuing into a deep frill between the front legs. In all varieties the pigmentation of the nose leather, eye rims and paw pads should compliment the adjacent fur colour. Cats should be shown in good general condition and well presented.

SCALE OF POINTS:

For

TORTIE CAMEO AND WHITE AND CAMEO BI COLOUR PERSIANS

Head: including general shape of head, forehead, set of eyes, shape and set of ears, nose length, width and stop; width of cheeks and muzzle; chin, overall balance	30
Eyes: including size, shape and colour	15
Body: including shape, size and bone structure, tail and length of tail; height; Thickness of legs and paw	25
Coat: including colour, texture and quality, soundness of colour and clarity of pattern	30
Total	100

Withhold Certificates or First Prizes in Kitten Open Classes for:

1. Extremely pale eye colour (except in kittens) or incorrect eye colour
2. Flecks or traces of incorrect eye colour in either iris (except in kittens)
3. Almond or oriental eye shape and/or set
4. Definite tabby markings
5. A heavy mask
6. Incorrect proportion of white to colour or colour to white in Tortie Cameo and White and Cameo Bi Colour
7. A fully white tail in Tortie Cameo and White and Cameo Bi Colour
8. Any defect listed in the preface to this SOP booklet.

SHADED CAMEO & WHITE PERSIAN

The shaded cameo coat should show excellent contrasts with the undercoat of the coloured areas being as light as possible, with the tips of the coat shading to the appropriate colour(s) relevant to the breed number. The deepest intensity of colour should be most defined on the face, along the spine from the head to the tip of the tail and on the legs; the light points on frill, flanks and ear tufts. The colour of the guard hairs should extend between one-third and not more than one-half of the length of the hair measured from the tip when the cat is in full coat.

The minimum white permitted is some white to all four limbs, underbelly and chest with some colour allowed to these areas, the face to show both colour(s) and white. Some white on the tail is acceptable. The minimum colour permitted is to the facial area and a fully coloured tail plus sufficient colour on the body to enable a judge to determine the breed number. All pattern variations occurring in between minimum white and minimum colour descriptions are acceptable.

BLACK SHADED CAMEO & WHITE BI-COLOUR PERSIAN (12a 51) – Coloured areas on the Body, Face and legs – Undercoat as light as possible, evenly shaded with black; no tabby markings. Frill and Ear Tufts – Silver

BLUE SHADED CAMEO & WHITE BI-COLOUR PERSIAN (12a 51a) Coloured areas on the Body, Face and legs – Undercoat as light as possible, evenly shaded with blue; no tabby markings. Frill and Ear Tufts – Silver

CHOCOLATE SHADED CAMEO & WHITE BI-COLOUR PERSIAN (12a 51b) – Coloured areas on the Body, Face and legs – Undercoat as light as possible, evenly shaded with chocolate; no tabby markings. Frill and Ear Tufts – Silver

LILAC SHADED CAMEO & WHITE BI-COLOUR PERSIAN (12a 51c) – Coloured areas on the Body, Face and legs – Undercoat as light as possible, evenly shaded with lilac; no tabby markings. Frill and Ear Tufts – Silver

RED SHADED CAMEO & WHITE BI-COLOUR PERSIAN (12a 51d) – Coloured areas on the Body, Face and legs – Undercoat as light as possible, evenly shaded with red; no tabby markings. Frill and Ear Tufts – Silver

CREAM SHADED CAMEO & WHITE BI-COLOUR PERSIAN (12a 51f) – Coloured areas on the Body, Face and legs – Undercoat as light as possible, evenly shaded with pale to medium cream; no tabby markings. Frill and Ear Tufts – Silver

TORTIE SHADED CAMEO & WHITE PERSIAN (12 51e) – Coloured areas on the Body, Face and legs – Undercoat as light as possible, evenly shaded with black and shades of red broken in to patches; no tabby markings. Frill and Ear Tufts – Silver

BLUE TORTIE SHADED CAMEO & WHITE PERSIAN (12 51g) – Coloured areas on the Body, Face and legs – Undercoat as light as possible, evenly shaded with blue and shades of cream broken in to patches; no tabby markings. Frill and Ear Tufts – Silver

CHOCOLATE TORTIE SHADED CAMEO & WHITE PERSIAN (12 51h) – Coloured areas on the Body, Face and legs – Undercoat as light as possible, evenly shaded with chocolate and shades of red broken in to patches; no tabby markings. Frill and Ear Tufts – Silver

LILAC TORTIE SHADED CAMEO & WHITE PERSIAN (12 51j) – Coloured areas on the Body, Face and legs – Undercoat as light as possible, evenly shaded with lilac and shades of cream broken in to patches; no tabby markings. Frill and Ear Tufts – Silver

TIPPED CAMEO & WHITE PERSIANS

The Tipped Cameo should show maximum contrasts with the undercoat so light as to appear white, lightly dusted with the appropriate colour(s) as defined in the breed number. The colour should not exceed one-eighth of the length of the hair, measured from the tip on areas where colour is permitted. The frill, chest, chin and ear tufts to be so pale as to appear almost white in the cameo areas. The minimum white permitted is some white to all four limbs, underbelly and chest with some colour allowed to these areas, the face to show both colour(s) and white. Some white on the tail is acceptable. The minimum colour permitted is to the facial area and a fully coloured tail plus sufficient colour on the body to enable a judge to determine the breed number.

All pattern variations occurring in between minimum white and minimum colour descriptions are acceptable.

BLACK TIPPED CAMEO & WHITE BI-COLOUR PERSIAN (12a 52) – Coloured areas on the Body, Face and legs – Undercoat as light as possible, evenly dusted with black; no tabby markings. Frill and Ear Tufts – Silvery white

BLUE TIPPED CAMEO & WHITE BI-COLOUR PERSIAN (12a 52a) - Coloured areas on the Body, Face and legs – Undercoat as light as possible, lightly dusted with blue; no tabby markings. Frill and Ear Tufts – Silvery white

CHOCOLATE TIPPED CAMEO & WHITE BI-COLOUR PERSIAN (12a 52b) – Coloured areas on the Body, Face and legs – Undercoat as light as possible, lightly dusted with chocolate; no tabby markings. Frill and Ear Tufts – Silvery white

LILAC TIPPED CAMEO & WHITE BI-COLOUR PERSIAN (12a 52c) – Coloured areas on the body, Face and legs – Undercoat as light as possible, lightly dusted with lilac; no tabby markings. Frill and Ear Tufts – Silvery white

RED TIPPED CAMEO & WHITE BI-COLOUR PERSIAN (12a 52d) – Coloured areas on the Body, Face and legs – Undercoat as light as possible, lightly dusted with red; no tabby markings. Frill and Ear Tufts – Silvery white

CREAM TIPPED CAMEO & WHITE BI-COLOUR PERSIAN (12a 52f) – Coloured areas on the Body, Face and legs – Undercoat as light as possible, lightly dusted with pale to medium cream; no tabby markings. Frill and Ear Tufts – Silvery white .

TORTIE TIPPED CAMEO & WHITE PERSIAN (12 52e) – Coloured areas on the Body, Face and legs – Undercoat as light as possible, lightly dusted with black and shades of red broken in to patches; no tabby markings. Frill and Ear Tufts – Silvery white

BLUE TORTIE TIPPED CAMEO & WHITE PERSIAN (12 52g) – Coloured areas on the Body, Face and legs – Undercoat as light as possible, lightly dusted with blue and shades of cream broken in to patches; no tabby markings. Frill and Ear Tufts – Silvery white

CHOCOLATE TORTIE TIPPED CAMEO & WHITE PERSIAN (12 52h) – Coloured areas on the Body, Face and legs – Undercoat as light as possible, lightly dusted with chocolate and shades of red broken in to patches; no tabby markings. Frill and Ear Tufts – Silvery white

LILAC TORTIE TIPPED CAMEO & WHITE PERSIAN (12 52j) – Coloured areas on the Body, Face and legs – Undercoat as light as possible, lightly dusted with lilac and shades of cream broken in to patches; no tabby markings. Frill and Ear Tufts – Silvery white

REGISTRATION POLICY FOR SHADED & TIPPED CAMEO BI- AND TRI-COLOUR PERSIANS

Colour of Shaded or Tipped Bi or Tri-Colour	Approved breeds for Full Register	Approved breeds for Supplementary Register	Reference Register I	Reference Register II
12a51 Black Shaded & White 12a51a Blue Shaded & White 12a51b Chocolate Shaded & White 12a51c Lilac Shaded & White 12a51d Red Shaded & White 12a51e Tortie Shaded & White 12a51f Cream Shaded & white 12a51g Blue Tortie Shaded & White 12a51h Chocolate Tortie Shaded & White 12a51j Lilac Tortie Shaded & White 12a52 Black Tipped & White 12a52a Blue Tipped & White 12a52b Chocolate Tipped & White 12a52c Lilac Tipped & White 12a52d Red Tipped & White 12a52e Tortie Tipped & White 12a52f Cream Tipped & white 12a52g Blue Tortie Tipped & White 12a52h Chocolate Tortie Tipped & White 12a52j Lilac Tortie Tipped & White	Shaded Cameo: 51, 51a-j Tipped Cameo: 52, 52a-j Bi-Colours: 12a1 – 12a10 Tricolours: 12 1 – 12 4	Matings to breeds approved For the Full Register, plus Self Persians: 1, 3, 4, 5, 50b, 50c Smoke: 6, 6a-j Tortoiseshell breeds: 11, 11b, 11c, 13 Pewter: 53, 53a and to cats in these approved colours where White 2, 2a, 2b is in the 2 nd , 3 rd , 4 th or 5 th generation.	Matings to breeds approved for Full or Supplementary Register where there is Colourpoint 13b1 – 13b20 within the preceding five generations	All other breeds, colours or patterns

Full Register: Shaded and Tipped Bi- & Tri-Colour offspring of Persian Long hairs in the approved column for Full Register except those cats whose pedigrees include within three generations a cat registered on the Experimental or Reference Register.

Supplementary Register: Shaded and Tipped Bi- & Tri-Colour offspring of two Persian Longhairs in the approved column for Supplementary Register and those whose pedigrees contain in the first three generations a cat registered on the Experimental or Reference Register or where a White cat 2, 2a or 2b appears in the preceding 2nd, 3rd, 4th or 5th generation. (The white may not be the parent)

Experimental Register: Shaded and Tipped Bi- & Tri-Colour offspring with Preliminary Recognition from two Persian Longhairs in approved columns for Full and Supplementary Register.

Reference Register I: Shaded and Tipped Bi- & Tri-Colours of two Persian Longhairs in approved Full or Supplementary columns whose pedigrees contain Colourpoint within five generations unless proved by test mating or DNA testing not to carry Colourpoint. If not cleared suitable offspring shall be eligible to progress to the Supplementary or Experimental Register as appropriate when the required number of generations free of Colourpoint has been achieved.

Shaded and Tipped cats of Persian Bi- or Tri-Colour appearance which have within the preceding five generations only the breeds shown in the Full or Supplementary Register plus White Persian (2, 2a, 2b) where at least one parent is White. The suitable offspring shall be eligible for registration on the Experimental or Supplementary Register as appropriate.

Reference Register II: Shaded and Tipped bi- or tri-colour cats of Persian appearance containing cats other than those listed above in their pedigrees shall be registered as "no recognised breed".

General Registration Restrictions

- 1 In order to register a Tabby at least one parent must be registered as a tabby or agouti breed (Breeds 7, 8, 9, 10, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55). If a cat is without a tabby or agouti parent it may not be registered as a Tabby.
- 2 Any Red or Cream Bi-Colour with an agouti parent listed in 1 above must be registered as a Red or Cream Tabby Bi-Colour on the relevant register until proven otherwise by either test mating or DNA testing.