



THAI

Taking up the characteristics of the Siamese known until the 1960s, Thai is also known as “Traditional Siamese”. He is the ancestor of the current Siamese Group cats, which he must not resemble in any way.

With a strong personality, he is lively and talkative.

I - BODY/CONFORMATION (40)

(20) BODY – Foreign, the body is of medium size, very muscular but not heavy. The chest is well open and slightly rounded.

(5) LEGS – The legs are rather slender, but well proportioned to the body.

(5) FEET – The feet are well defined, oval and of medium size.

(5) NECK – Medium length, the neck is well muscled, especially in males.

(5) TAIL – Medium in length, thick at the base tapering to a slightly rounded tip.

II - HEAD (35)

20) HEAD – FRONT VIEW – Equilateral triangular shape with smooth outline. The cheeks are quite round in females, but can be more developed in males, in a reasonable proportion compared to the size of the cat. PROFILE – consisting of two parallel straight lines joined at eye level by a slight curve. The head is longer than wide.

(5) MUZZLE – Medium length, neither pointed nor excessively rounded, the muzzle gently extends the triangle of the head. The chin is firm.

(5) EARS – Broad at base and rounded at tips. Medium in size and set quite high on the head.

(5) EYES – Oval, slightly slanted. The axis of the eyes extends towards the base of the ears.

III - COAT TEXTURE/LENGTH (10)

The fur is short and tight, lying on the body. The texture is fine and silky.

IV - COLOUR/PATTERN (10)

(5) POINTED PATTERN (Cs/Cs) – There must be a clear contrast between the color of the tips, which is as homogeneous as possible, and that of the body, which is also uniform.

The absence of phantom marks is desired, with however tolerance in agouti cats.

Age must be taken into account for the evaluation of the pointed pattern. Points are often incomplete in kittens, especially in dilute colors, while darker shadows on a mature cat's body are normal.

(5) EYE COLOR – The color is the most intense blue possible. Eye color varying between pale blue and dark blue are tolerated.

IV - CONDITION & BALANCE (5)

The breed must show strong muscular development.

OBJECTIONS

	DEDUCT
Long, thick or woolly coat	1-3
Round eyes	1-3
Extreme oriental eyes	2-5
Dark spots on belly or flanks	1-5
Lack of pigmentation	1-5
Presence of white hairs in tips	1-3
Mask extended to full head	1-5
Short tail	1-5
Small ears or very large ears	2-5
Ears more on the sides than on the head	2-5

WITHHOLDS

Locket or white spots
 Depigmented nose pads or nose
 Pronounced stop
 Appearance too close to the cats of the Siamese Group
 Strabismus
 All grounds for withholding awards as listed in the General Preface

RECOGNIZED COLOURS

To know the complete list, refer to the List of Colors and Patterns.

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BREED ORIGIN: Natural

REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS: F1 permit if it is proven that the cat comes from the country of origin. Foundation possible with derogation – contact the registrar

SHOWING REQUIREMENTS: F1 allowed
 Genetic test can be required

ALLOWED ANCESTRY: Thai, Siamese, Oriental

ALLOWED MATINGS: Thai x Thai