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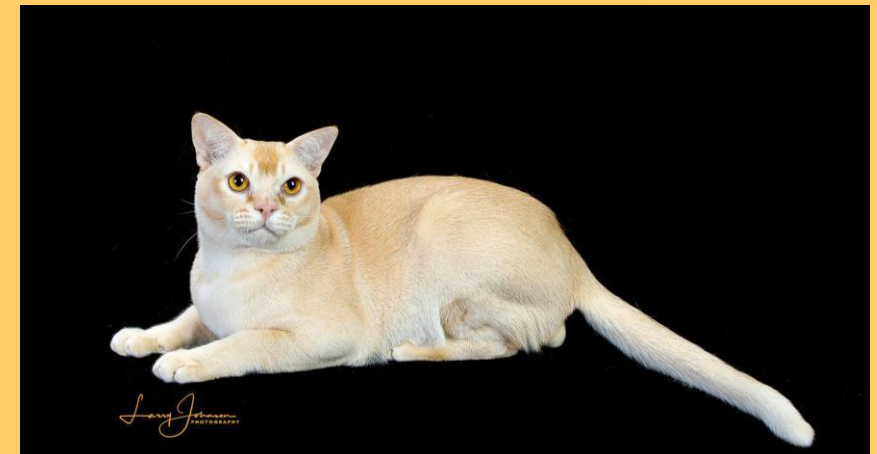
An elegant, unique breed of far eastern origin



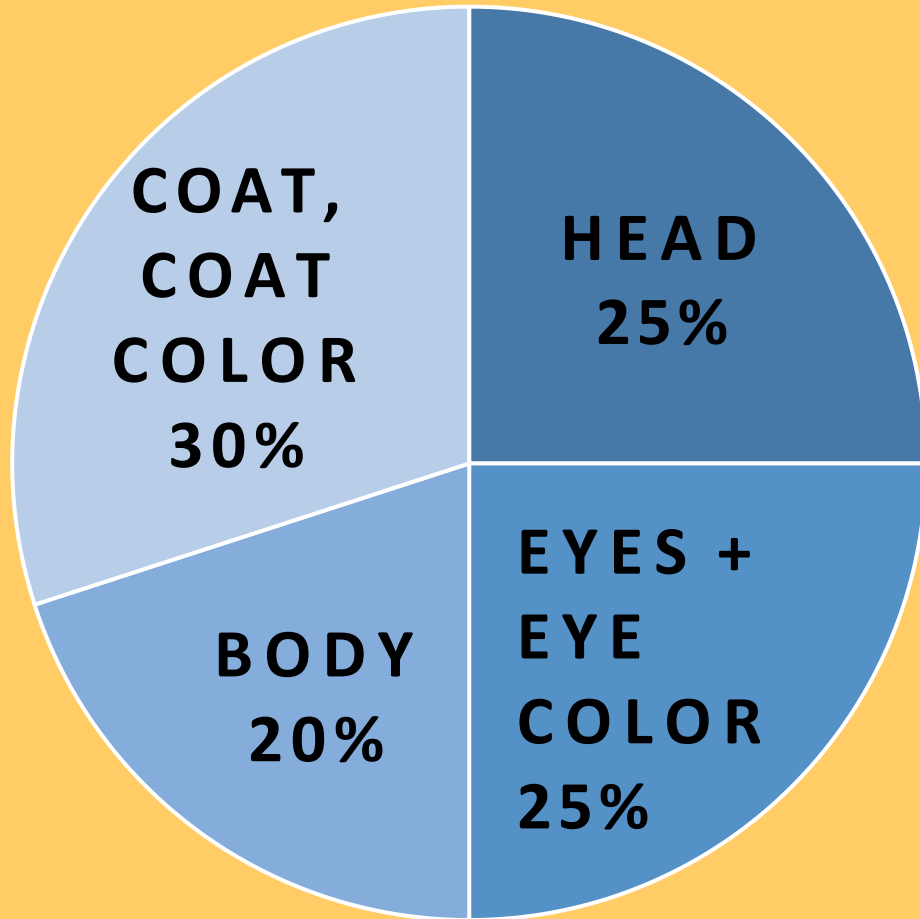
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- People-oriented, affectionate, inquisitive and fun-loving.
- Elegant cat of moderate body type
- Medium size; hard, muscular with strong, rounded chest
- Not slinky or cobby
- Ten recognized colors



POINT BREAKDOWN



HEAD (25) EYES (25)

- Slightly rounded. Breadth between ears. Wide cheekbones taper to short blunt wedge
- Medium size ears set well apart, slight forward tilt, broad at base
- Muzzle is jaw-wide at base, strong lower jaw, strong chin
- Visible nose stop
- Large eyes, alert, set well apart. Top slightly curved, oriental slant toward nose. Lower line rounded
- Eyes: yellow gold to amber; lustrous and bright



BODY (20)

- Medium length and size; hard and muscular. Heavier than it looks.
- Strong, rounded chest. Back straight - shoulder to rump
- Slender legs, but in proportion. Hind legs slightly longer.
- Medium length tail, not thick at base. Tapers slightly to rounded tip



COAT & COLOR (30)

- Short, glossy, satiny in texture; lies close to body
- Coat shades gradually to roots; no smoke or ticking
- Underparts slightly paler than back
- Kittens and adolescents allowed faint tabby markings, lighter color



SOLIDS

Red, Blue, and ...



Cream



Chocolate



Lilac



Brown

PARTI-COLORS



Chocolate Tortoiseshell



Brown Tortoiseshell



Lilac-Cream



Blue-Cream

PENALIZE/DISQUALIFY



Penalize

- **Pronounced muzzle pinch (top view)**
- **Oriental eye shape**
- **Round eyes**
- **Green eyes**

Disqualify

- **White patches**
- **Noticeable numbers of white hair**
- **Visible tail kink**
- **Excessive tabby markings**

HANDLING

Use a toy to interact with the cat while judging to help show off its attributes and engage the audience.



Evaluate eye shape when cat is at rest. When a toy is brought out to play, correctly shaped eyes can become more round with excitement. Do not penalize for this.