



EMS SYSTEM – GCCF SECTIONS & BREEDS

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PERSIAN SECTION

EXO	Exotic
PER	Persian

SEMI-LONGHAIR SECTION

MCO	Maine Coon
NEB	Nebelung
NFO	Norwegian Forest
RAG	Ragdoll
RMF	Ragamuffin
SBI	(Sacred) Birman
SIB	Siberian
SOL	Somali Longhaired
SOS	Somali Shorthaired
TUV	Turkish Van
TVK	Turkish Vankedisi

BRITISH SECTION

BRI	British
MAN	Manx
SRL	Selkirk Rex LH
SRS	Selkirk Rex SH

FOREIGN SECTION

ABY	Abyssinian
ASS	Asian Shorthair
ASL	Asian Longhair (Tiffanie)
AUM	Australian Mist
BEN	Bengal
CRX	Cornish Rex
DRX	Devon Rex
KOR	Korat
KMA	Khao Manee
LPL	LaPerm Longhair
LPS	LaPerm Shorthair
MAU	Egyptian Mau
OCI	Ocicat
RUS	Russian
SIN	Singapura
SNO	Snowshoe
SOK	Sokoke
SPH	Sphynx
TAI	GCCF Thai
TOS	Tonkinese SH
TOL	Tonkinese LH

BURMESE SECTION

BUR	Burmese
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ORIENTAL SECTION

OLH	Oriental Longhair
OSH	Oriental Shorthair

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SIAMESE SECTION

SIA	Siamese
BAL	Balinese

HOUSEHOLD PET SECTION

DSH	Domestic SH
DLH	Domestic LH

NON –RECOGNISED BREEDS

XSH	Non-Recognised SH
XLH	Non-Recognised LH

COLOURS

a	blue
b	chocolate
c	lilac
d	red
e	cream
em	apricot
f	black tortie ¹
g	blue tortie
h	chocolate tortie
j	lilac tortie
k	caramel tortie
m	caramel
n	black ¹
o	cinnamon ²
p	fawn
q	cinnamon ² tortie
r	fawn tortoiseshell
s	silver/smoke
w	white
x	any unrecognised colour
y	golden
nt	amber (NFO only)
at	light amber (NFO only)
dt (d)	red based on amber (NFO only) ³
et (e)	cream based on amber (NFO only) ³
ft	amber tortie (NFO only)
gt	light amber tortie (NFO only)

¹ Also seal in pointed cats; brown in BUR, TOS & TOL; usual in ABY, SOL & SOS; bronze in MAU & tawny in OCI as appropriate.

² Sorrel in ABY, SOL & SOS

³ These codes are used to register the genotype of the red/cream progeny from 2 amber cats, together with their phenotype in brackets.

PATTERNS

WITH WHITE

01	van
02	harlequin (high white)
03	bicolour
04	mitted (RAG only)
05	snowshoe (SNO only)
09	unspecified white/white spotting gene

SHADED & TIPPED

10	with mantle ¹
11	shaded
12	tipped

¹ As PER Pewters

TABBY PATTERNS

21	unspecified tabby
22	classic/marble/blotched tabby
23	mackerel tabby
24	spotted tabby
25	ticked tabby

OTHER PATTERNS

31	Burmese colour restriction
32	Tonkinese colour restriction
33	Himalayan (pointed)

EYE COLOURS*

61	blue eyed
62	orange eyed
63	odd eyed
64	green eyed
65	Burmese eye colour
66	Tonkinese eye colour
67	Siamese eye colour

* Only included in the EMS code for a cat where this makes a difference to its class e.g. White Persians & British SH always have the eye colour code included.

BREED SPECIFICS

TAIL CODES (MAN only)

51	rumpy – no tail
52*	rumpy riser – tiny rise in the bone at the end of the spine
53*	stumpy – short tail
54*	longie – a full or nearly full length tail

*can be bred from but not shown GCCF