



The Toybob was first documented in the Rostov region of Russia when a stray male cat found outside a Thai Bob (Mekong) breeder's home was adopted in 1983. By the breeder's account, this cat looked very much like a seal-point Traditional Siamese cat, except for its kinked bobbed tail. It bred to a short-tailed seal-pointed female (said to have been a nonstandard Thai cat), and in 1988, the breeding of these two cats produced an unusually small bobbed tail cat, named "Kutciy." This petite feline became the foundation cat to the Toybob breed.

However, there the mutation first recorded with Kutciy does spontaneously appear in other colors (coat lengths) and is not necessarily associated only with the seal-point color pattern.

Breeds began to work with these cats to produce the Toybob we see today,



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The Toybob is a natural breed of small and compact cats with short kinked tails that were first documented in Russia in the late 1980's.

The Toybob is often considered to be "the smallest breed of cat" due to a spontaneous mutation.

The Toybob comes in two coat lengths; They can be shorthair or longhair.

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International Toybob Cat Club
<https://toybob.org/>

Standard

Head:

Shape and Profile: Medium sized modified wedge with rounded contours and flat plane above the eyebrows. Head is slightly longer than broader with rounded cheekbones curved inward from face to mid muzzle, to create a slight to no whisker pinch and ending in a rounded square shaped muzzle.

Distinctly curved profile with a dip from the forehead to the nose at the eye-middle level. Definite stop is not allowed.

Allowances must be made for jowls in adult males, do not penalize.

Ears: Medium tall, high on head, one ear width apart and at base. Ears must be as tall as wide in length, with slightly rounded tips and tilted forward.

Eyes: Eyes must be large, expressive, oval shape with a slight upward slant. The line across the corners of the eye leads to the outer base of the ear. The big-eyed look is what gives the Toybob its sweet-faced expression.

Eye color related to coat color.
VERY SMALL EYES IS A FAULT.

Chin: Strong. Chin neither receding nor protruding.

Muzzle & Nose: Short, rounded, modified square shape in proportion to the face. Nose is Roman.

Neck: Short and thick. Allowances must be made for longer necks in kittens.

Body and Tail:

Torso: Small and compact with solid chest, broad rib cage and slight depth of flank add to the Torso solidness of the overall body balance. Back is almost straight when viewed from the side when is in its natural walking position.

Legs: Strong, medium in proportion to body. Hind legs slightly longer than front legs.

Feet: Rounded, with elongated toes on hind legs.

Tail: Bobbed with kinks and curves in any combination. The tail minimum length is 1 inch to maximum length (without stretching) down to the hock. The last bone may gently be felt to be pointed, not blunt.

NOTE: THE TOYBOB TAIL SHOULD BE HANDLED VERY GENTLY. NO ATTEMPT SHOULD BE MADE TO STRAIGHTEN OUT THE TAIL.

Boning: Strong, moderately refined and proportional to the body. Neither heavy nor delicate.

Musculature: Firm, solid and well developed with clean lines and no bulging appearance.

Coat:

Shorthair

Length and Texture:

Coat is short, soft and plush to touch, dense and resilient but not close lying to the body. The coat has developed undercoat where the top coat is almost the same length as the undercoat. Stomach hair is shorter and softer, while fur texture on spine area is thicker and slightly coarser. Kitten can have a slightly woolly coat.

Coat:

Longhair

Texture: Dense, elastic, semi-adherent, well developed by spine. Overall hair soft, silky to the touch, on the back the hair is somewhat coarser than on the body, undercoat is poorly defined, feathering are also observed.

Length: Long Hair.

Color:

Coat Color: Any ACFA recognized color.

Objections:

Head

Eyes:

Bulging eyes or crossed eyed.

Body

Legs:

Short "Munchkin" like legs.

Tail:

No tail or absence of kinks.

Musculature:

Too fat or undernourished or frail.

Penalize:

Small eyes. Longer necks in adults. Too foreign body type or overly too oversized cat. Tail length past hock.

