GEM SYSTEM – GCCF SECTIONS & BREEDS

SECTION 1
EXO Exotic
PER Persian

SECTION 2
MCO Maine Coon
NEB Nebelung
NFO Norwegian Forest Cat
RAG Ragdoll
RGM RagaMuffin
SBI (Sacred) Birman
SIB Siberian
SOL Somali Longhair
SOS Somali Shorthair
TUV Turkish Van

SECTION 3
BLH British Longhair
BSH British Shorthair
CHA Chartreux
MAN Manx
SRL Selkirk Rex Longhair
SRS Selkirk Rex Shorthair

SECTION 4
ABY Abyssinian
AZT Aztec (was Ocicat Classic)
BEN Bengal
CRX Cornish Rex
DRX Devon Rex
KOR Korat
LPL LaPerm Longhair
LPS LaPerm Shorthair
LYL Lykoi Longhair
LYS Lykoi Shorthair
MAU Egyptian Mau
OCI Ocicat
RUS Russian
SIN Singapura
SNO Snowshoe
SOK Sokoke
SPH Sphynx
TAI Thai
TOY Toyger

SECTION 5
ALH Asian Longhair
ASH Asian Shorthair
AUM Australian Mist
BUR Burmese
SUF Suffolk
TOS Tonkinese Shorthair

SECTION 6
BAL Balinese
OLH Oriental Longhair
OSH Oriental Shorthair
SIA Siamese

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HOUSEHOLD PET SECTION
NPL Non Pedigree LH/SLH
NPS Non Pedigree Shorthaired
PPL Pedigree Pet LH/SLH
PPS Pedigree Pet Shorthaired

Household pet GEMS codes are just one of the above regardless of colour(s) or pattern. So for example all shorthaired pedigree pets have the same GEMS code; PPS.

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

g blue tortie
h chocolate tortie
j lilac tortie
k caramel tortie
m caramel
n black
o cinnamon
p fawn
q cinnamon 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)
et (e) cream based on amber (NFO only)
ft amber tortie (NFO only)
gt light amber tortie (NFO only)

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

SHARED & TIPPED
11 shaded
12 tipped
14 with mantle

TABBY PATTERNS
21 unspecified tabby
22 classic/marble/blotched tabby
23 mackerel tabby
24 spotted tabby
25 ticked tabby
28 karpati

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

SPECIFICS

An eye colour code must be included for:
a) all White cats.
b) “High White” cats (01 or 02) unless colourpointed (when Siamese eye colour is inferred).
c) Where the GEMS code for a cat makes a difference to its class e.g. Chinchilla vs Cameo in the Persian section.

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

*may be bred from but may not be shown.