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## Russian Blue

- Body:** Medium sized cat, medium strong and muscular build, slightly elongated, graceful in outline and appearance; neck slender and long; long legs, paws narrow and oval. Long tail, slightly rounded tip.
- Head:** Skull medium long and flat shaped; in profile forehead and straight nose meet at a convex angle level with the eyebrows. Prominent whisker pads; strong chin.
- Ears:** Large and slightly pointed; slightly tilted forward, set wide apart. Inside ear with little furnishing, giving the skin of the ears a thin and translucent appearance.
- Eyes:** Large and oval in shape; set wide apart; eye colour vivid green.
- Coat:** Short and standing up soft and silky; the coat is double (same length in underwool and guard hairs), thus appearing extremely dense.
- Coat Colour:** Clear blue and even through with a distinct silvery sheen ( hair tipped with silver). Medium blue is preferred.
- Nose Leather:** Blue-grey
- Paw pads:** Lavender pink.
- Faults:** A close-lying coat is considered a severe fault.

### Scale of Points

<b>Body:</b>	25 Points
<b>Head:</b>	30 Points
<b>Eyes:</b>	10 Points
<b>Coat Texture:</b>	20 Points
<b>Coat Colour and Tipping:</b>	10 Points
<b>Condition:</b>	5 Points