



# Abyssinian Cat

**Place of origin:** [India](#) via Ethiopia (uncertain)

**Date of origin:** 1860s (first show 1871 - UK)

**Ancestry:** Ethiopian house and street cats

**Weight:** 4 - 7.5 kg (9 -16 lbs)

**Temperament:** Active, not lapcat

**Registration:** CFA, FIFe, TICA, GCCF

**Coat type:** [Ticked tabby](#) coat

**Coat colours UK (GCCF):** Tawny (the foundation color), Cinnamon (Sorel), Blue (dilute Tawny), Fawn (dilute Cinnamon - dark, cream and copper) and Silver. *Non-championship:* chocolate, lilac, red, cream and tortoiseshell

**Coat colors USA (CFA):** ruddy (ruddy brown, burnt sienna), red, blue

**Grooming:** Low demand

**Body Type:** [Foreign](#)

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Cinnamon Abyssinian cat



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Black Silver (Silver)