

BREED LYKOI

GENERAL The Lykoi is a natural mutation from the wild domestic cat population. The breed has a unique color pattern which makes the hair coat roan. It is also partially hairless. The combination of the color pattern and partial hairlessness gives the Lykoi a werewolf-like appearance.

HEAD	SHAPE	Modified wedge with rounded contours from nose to cheeks to ears. Slightly rounded forehead. Slightly longer than wide.
	EYES	Medium, oval in shape to almost round. Bias inside corner points to the nose, outside corner points to the outside ear edge. Waxing moon. The rims are hairless giving the appearance of white eye liner. Gold color preferred.
	EARS	Large, wide at the base and pointed on the tips. Set high on the head, vertical and erect. Hairless with some sparse hair on outer surface allowed.
	PROFILE	A concave curve from brow to bridge. No Stop.
	NECK	Medium length. Neither thin nor overly muscular.
	MUZZLE/ CHIN	Muzzle is medium in length, fleshy with gently rounded hairless whisker pads and a definite whisker break. Muzzle ends with a well-developed chin aligned vertically with the nose, having a rounded appearance, full but neither projecting nor receding.
	NOSE	Nose is hairless and leathery to the touch, slightly rounded down at the end, and gives the appearance of a mask when connecting with the hairless areas around or surrounding the eyes.
	BODY	TORSO
LEGS AND FEET		Legs and feet are sparsely haired. Medium boning; medium length. Feet are medium in size and oval shaped. Toes are long in appearance.

	TAIL	Tail is shorter than body and tapers to a point.
	BONING	Medium.
	MUSCULATURE	Lithe, slender. Having solid weight, without excessive bulk.
COAT COLOR PATTERN	TEXTURE	Partially hairless. Undercoat is minimal; longer guard hairs cover body. Amount of coat will vary depending on cycle of hair, but more coat is desirable over less coat. Coat resembles the look of an opossum coat. Soft to the touch.
	MASK	There is a hairless mask that connects the nose, muzzle, chin, eyes and ears giving the classic werewolf face.
	COLOR/ PATTERN	Colored hairs and amelanistic white hairs are intermixed throughout the coat, with each hair either colored or white, from root to tip. The accepted range of colored hair percent- age is 30 to 70%, with 50% being ideal.
	COLOR VARETIES	Solid colors (including white) and Roan(amelanistic hair). Solid colors with mink/point/sepia and Roan(amelanistic hair).
	PENALIZE	More than sparse undercoat Less than sparse guard hairs.
DISQUALIFY	Any evidence of illness or poor health. Visible tail kink. Absence of hairless face mask. No Roan(amelanistic hair).	

SCORE

Head
40 points

Shape 10
Ears 8
Eyes 8
Muzzle 5
Chin 4
Profile 5

Body
30 points

Torso 10
Legs and feet 5
Tail 5
Boning 5
Musculature 5

Coat/Color/Pattern
20 points

Texture Length 4
Pattern 4
Mask 10
Color 2

Others
10 points

Condition 3
Grooming 2
Balance 2
Temperament 3

OUTCROSS

Domestic Shorthair.

