

**RULES OF REGISTRATION  
(Updated 2/19)**

**BREED NAME:**

PERSIAN

**ALLOWABLE OUTCROSS BREEDS:**

NONE

**BREED CODES:**

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**BCS CODE SERIES:**

0100, 1000, 1100, 1300, 1400 – no colorpointed background

3000, 3100, 3200, 3300, 3400 – colorpointed and CPC

**PEDIGREE REQUIREMENTS (last date showing is current):**

Date: 5/19

8 generations. Exception: 4 generations are acceptable for cats with ALL CFA registered Persians in the 4th generation (CFA registration numbers of all 16 cats in the 4th generation must be on the pedigree and validated by either the BCS or Central Office). Allowances can be made if a 4<sup>th</sup> generation cat is not a CFA registered Persian, but both parents are CFA registered Persians and CFA registration numbers are on the pedigree and validated.

Date:

**FOREIGN-CAT REQUIREMENTS (if different from above):**

Date:

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**DO NOT REGISTER AS PERSIAN: Any cat with a parent having an Exotic prefix.**

(02/12) Register as LH Exotic:  
LH Exotic X LH Exotic offspring

(02/12) Register as LH Exotic:  
LH Exotic X Persian offspring

**REGISTER AS AOV:**

Colors not accepted for championship status

**DO NOT ACCEPT (cat to be registered or cats in background):**

Spotted tabby

Ticked tabby

Cinnamon

Fawn

Shorthair

**SIGNIFICANT ACCEPTANCE DATES:**

Registration:

Effective: 1906 Persian  
Effective: 12/57 Himalayan

Provisional:

Effective:

Championship:

Effective:

LH Exotics:

Effective: 05/09 LH Exotics in recognized Persian

	<b>colors only accepted in competition in Persian color classes.</b>
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## **BREED NOTES**

### **BREED: PERSIAN**

**Himalayan combined with Persian 2/84. Prior to 1976, Himalayan allowed to outcross to Siamese.**

**(02/09) Effective 5/09: Longhair Exotics that meet Persian color descriptions may be shown for championship status in Persian color classes. A Longhair Division of Exotics will be created for scoring purposes only. Regional and national points accumulated by Longhair Exotics shown in Persian color classes will count towards Longhair Exotic Breed wins, not towards Persian Breed wins. Furthermore, offspring of Longhair Exotic to Longhair Exotic matings and offspring of Longhair Exotic to Persian matings will not be eligible for registration.**

- 1. LH Exotic x LH Exotic offspring would NOT be registerable in CFA.**
- 2. LH Exotic x Persian offspring would NOT be registerable in CFA**

**(02/12): REVERSE two points above; LH Exotic x LH Exotic and LH Exotic x Persian offspring are now registerable in CFA. Still shown in Persian classes as dictated by 2009 action.**