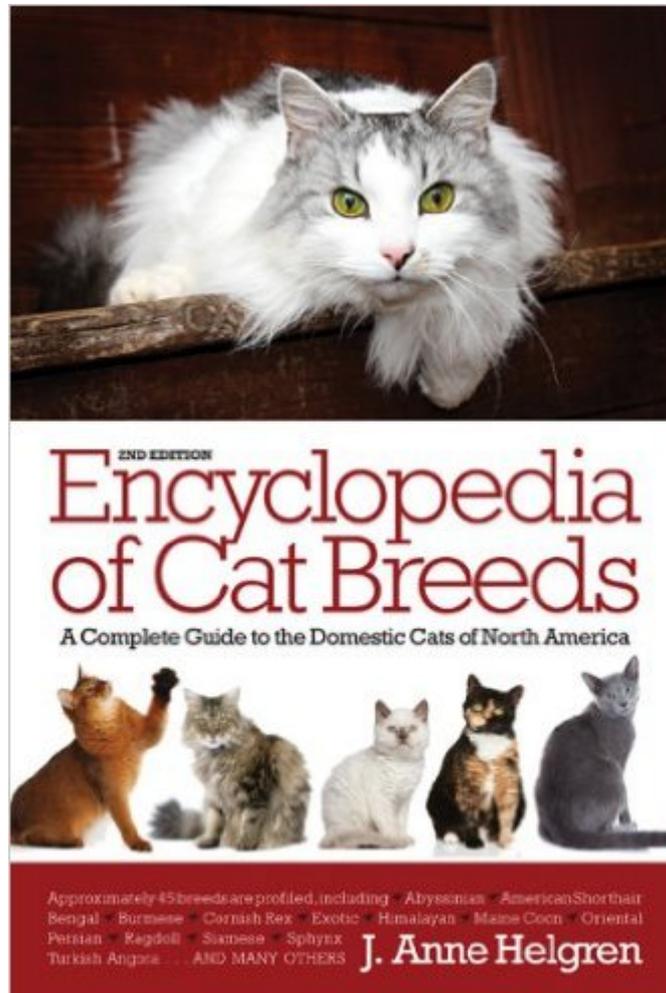


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# Encyclopedia Of Cat Breeds



## Synopsis

Updated with the latest information on all recognized feline breeds, this valuable reference source includes a survey of feline history and evolution, a detailed description of the attributes that make a purebred cat, a summary of feline genetics, and an in-depth discussion of conformation, color, and coat. The breed profiles follow, with each profile accompanied by color photos and a bar graph-style at-a-glance summary of the breed's characteristics. Approximately 45 breeds are profiled, including: Abyssinian, American Shorthair, Bengal, Burmese, Cornish Rex, Himalayan, Maine Coon, Oriental, Persian, Ragdoll, Siamese, Sphynx, Turkish Angora . . . and many others. Added features that will be of interest to all cat fanciers include-- Descriptions of new or experimental breeds Extensive information on the American domestic cat A discussion titled "Which Breed is Right for You?" Advice on choosing a purebred cat Information on entering a cat in shows The book features more than 100 color photos plus handsome line art.

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## Customer Reviews

WOW! As a cat lover this book is the ultimate resource for any and all breeds of cats found within the United States. Filled with amazing facts this was a book that grabbed hold of my interest from page one and held me throughout. What I loved about this book was that it is definitely made to be a resource and there are a number of sections within the book that were written specifically just for the individual just trying to identify the right cat breed for themselves. On top of this the facts and figures shared within this book are so much more in-depth and each breed within the book is thoroughly examined. I learned so much about so many different breeds of cats, it actually makes me want to go out and find a new fluffy friend to bring home! One of the most important parts of the different

reports on each of the cat breeds was the section on personality (in my humble opinion) as this section is well written and opened my eyes to the breeds that would potentially be a better fit within our own home. All-in-all this was an amazing book that I would highly recommend to all!\*I received a copy of this for review - all opinions are my own\*

I'm more than happy with my purchase. This book catalogs all different breeds of kitties & also talks about their origins, personalities, and much much more helpful information. The book is well put together, and full of illustrations. I can't say enough good things about it. Great gift for cat lovers!

This is a large volume with much information. If you are a cat breeder this is the book for you or if you want to know about the different breeds of cats. I am not a cat breeder so I did not find this book as useful to a simple cat owner.

This book is wonderful for the every day cat owner who is hoping to maybe figure out what breed your critter may be or just to learn about all the breeds available and which one is best for you and your lifestyle! There's also info on how to begin showing cats and the requirements for each breed. My favorite part was the in depth descriptions of the personality and characteristics of cat breeds, they were really helpful!

Wow, what a lot of information for a new feline owner. My mature cat is a domestic shorthair, loving, affectionate, and sometimes noisy. I learned so much about the history and breeds of cats from this book, and I enjoyed reading this book immensely. You, too, will be enthralled with the history of cats and the different breeds and personality characteristics of feline friends. Growing up, my family had dogs, but now I have a cuddly cat to stroke and clean up his room. No longer is my PC room mine: various necessities such as a litter box, food and water bowls, a cat camper and a carrier use the space that used to house my handbags on a coat rack and other items. I had to declutter the room to include room for my Rocky's necessities and am rewarded by his mostly friendly, affectionate, and caring kneading into the soft underbelly of the owner. Rocky is the boss of the house now as I only pretend to be the principle Chief. This book is a fantastic compilation of information. Please buy it just for the knowledge it contains and broaden your horizons about animals.

Very good book on cats.beautiful pictures as well.highly recommended for cat lovers.

I bought this book to learn more about each cat breed and to be able to recognize certain traits in shelter cats that I work with to help boost adoptions. This book is a keeper in my library.

This was a great gift purchase and perfect coffee table book. Has a ton of pictures and facts that make it fun to both skim for cat breeds or look up specific info.

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