



**French Angora**

The French Angora does not have any wool furnishings on its head, face, ears, or front feet. The ears may be plain or tufted, with the tufting restricted to the tips of the ears. The head should be oval shaped and balanced with the size and shape of the body. The head also has some side trimmings. A profile view of the French Angora will give the appearance of an oval shape. In viewing down on the animal it should present an oblong shape.

The wool on the French Angora will have an abundance of guard hair that should protrude above the underwool. There should be a good balance of guard hair and underwool with the underwool being heavily crimped. The wool should be full of life, strong, and fall free.

The junior buck and doe are not to weigh over 7 ½ pounds with a minimum weight of 3 ¾ pounds. The senior buck and doe may weigh from 7 ½ pounds to 10 ½ pounds. The ideal weigh is 8 ½ pounds.

In judging the French Angoras the majority of the points are based on the wool, which includes density, texture, and length. The points for 'General Type' include the body type, head, ears, eyes, feet, legs and tail.

Additional information may be found in the ARBA Standard of Perfection.

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