

# Top 10 Cat Breeds of 2016

## Fun fact:

This breed is a cross between a Persian and an American shorthair

## Exotic

**Common health conditions:** Upper respiratory infection, diarrhea, intestinal upset, ear infection

**Most popular names:** Chloe, Bella, Ginger

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## Ragdoll

**Common health conditions:** Dental disease, urinary tract disease, vomiting/upset stomach

**Most popular names:** Oliver, Coco, Bella

## Fun fact:

Named after their tendency to go limp when picked up

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## British shorthair

**Common health conditions:** Ear infection, dental disease, urinary tract disease

**Most popular names:** Winston, Oliver, Smokey

## Fun fact:

Most featured cat in movies, TV and books

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## Persian

**Common health conditions:** Urinary tract disease, kidney disease, vomiting/upset stomach

**Most popular names:** Bella, Chloe, Gizmo

## Fun fact:

Referenced in hieroglyphics dating back to 1684 B.C.

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## Maine coon

**Common health conditions:** Dental disease, urinary tract disease, diabetes Mellitus

**Most popular names:** Max, Leo, Lucy

## Fun fact:

One of the largest breeds, has dog-like behavior

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## American shorthair

**Common health conditions:** Hyperthyroidism, urinary tract disease, dental disease

**Most popular names:** Max, Luna, Bella

## Fun fact:

"America's breed," this cat was brought over by early settlers

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## Scottish fold

**Common health conditions:** Diarrhea, intestinal upset/vomiting, upset stomach, upper respiratory infection

**Most popular names:** Fiona, Sasha, Gizmo

## Fun fact:

Folded ears give them an owl-like appearance

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## Sphynx

**Common health conditions:** Upper respiratory infection, dental disease, diarrhea, intestinal upset

**Most popular names:** Oliver, Bella, Charlie

## Fun fact:

Has a higher metabolism than other breeds

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## Abyssinian

**Common health conditions:** Cancer of the lymph node, diarrhea, intestinal upset, kidney disease

**Most popular names:** Lucy, Sophie, Ramses

## Fun fact:

This breed comes in four different colors

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## Devon rex

**Common health conditions:** Skin allergies, urinary tract disease, eye infection

**Most popular names:** Lucy, Fiona, Echo

## Fun fact:

Mischievous breed, looks like an elf or a bat

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