

Chinchilla Giganta

Ring Size L		Points
1)	Length & Quality of Fur	30
2)	Colour	30
3)	Feet, Head and Ears	10
4)	Type & Size	30
	Total	100

1. **Length and Quality of fur** - The fur must be uniformly dense and silky in texture but with resilience. Desired length not less than 3.175cm (1.1/4in) but density to count more than mere length.
2. **Colour: Body** - The undercolour shall be a deep blue slate as dark as possible from the skin to at least half the length of the fur (excluding black guard hairs). This to be followed by a clear band of pearl (off white) clearly defined, which shall not exceed a quarter of the length of the fur (excluding black guard hairs) The pearl band to be followed by a distinct black line, finishing upon the surface in alternating blue/grey and silver/white tippings heavily intermixed with longer black-tipped guard hairs to give a well mixed 'mackerel'. Desired top colour considerably darker grey than the Chinchilla rabbit. The colour must be carried well down the sides of the belly, upon which the surface of the fur shall be white, except for the grey/blue groin streaks.
3. **Feet, Head and Ears** - To be the same uniform shade of colour as the body. Eyes to be blue, grey or brown. Feet to be as free from barring as possible (badly barred feet to be penalised by not more than 5 points). White toenails shall NOT be penalised. Ears to have black lacing.
4. **Type and Size** - Long graceful body, finely boned with head, ears and limbs all in due proportion to the size of the body. Dewlap to be permissible in adult does. Adult bucks to be heavier boned with bold head.

WEIGHT:

Maximum Weights

Adults - 5.44kg (12lb).

Youngsters up to 6 months - Does 3.85kg (8.1/2lb) Bucks 3.62kg (8lb).

Youngsters up to 5 months - Does 3.62kg (8lb) Bucks 3.402kg (7.1/2lb).

Minimum Weights

Adult Doe 4.07kg (9lb).

Adult Buck 3.855kg (8.1/2lb).

FAULTS TO BE PENALISED - Bagginess, moulty coat, bad condition, partially lopped ears, short body, large triangle at neck, wide pearling, short coat on shoulders. 'Rusty' or excessively wide black line. Fly back or woolly coat.

DISQUALIFICATIONS - Failure to comply with any of the above standard weights. Odd eyes. Completely lopped ears. White feet. Ill health.