



## Russian Tsvetnaya Bolonka

Standard Provided by ABIDS

**Translation:** E. Romanenkova.

**GENERAL APPEARANCE:** Small, sturdy, balanced dog, slightly longer than height at withers. The breed appears smart due to the profuse hair.

**IMPORTANT PROPORTIONS:** Length of body slightly longer than height at withers. Muzzle a little shorter than skull.

**BEHAVIOR / TEMPERAMENT:** Balanced, lively, Friendly.

**HEAD:** In proportion with the dog, of medium size.

**CRANIAL REGION:**

**Skull:** Moderately broad, slightly rounded.

**Stop:** Pronounced.

**FACIAL REGION:**

**Nose:** Not protruding. Black or in harmony with the different colors of coat.

**Muzzle:** Lean, straight, a little shorter than the skull, slightly tapered to the nose.

**Lips:** Tight.

**Jaws / Teeth:** A Scissors bite is desirable. Level bite is admitted. Slight undershot is tolerated.

**Eyes:** Of medium size, roundish, dark brown or hazel colored, set a little obliquely. Eyelids are thin, lean, tight, eye rims black or in harmony with the different colors of coat.

**Ears:** Small, set on high, carried drooping or folded, the tips of the ear are closed to the skull.

**NECK:** Of medium length, lean, carried high.

**BODY:** Compact.

**Withers:** moderately developed.

**Back:** Straight, strong, broad, well muscled.

**Loins:** Short, slightly arched.

**Croup:** Broad, a little bit slanting.

**Chest:** Deep, moderately broad, oval shaped.

**Belly:** Slightly tucked up.

**Tail:** Of medium length, set on high, carried gaily with curve over back to either side.

**LIMBS:**

**FOREQUARTERS:** Seen from front, the front legs are straight, vertical and parallel, in good proportion and of good length in relation to the body

**Shoulders:** The angle at the shoulders joint varies between 90 degrees and 110 degrees.

**Elbows:** Turned neither in or out.

**Pasterns:** Strong almost upright.

**HINDQUARTERS:** Seen from the back, the hindlegs are straight and parallel, set a little bit wider than the forequarters. Angulation of the rear limb must be such as to produce a level back.

**FEET:** Small, arched, tight, slightly oval shaped.

**GAIT / MOVEMENT:** light, free.

**COAT: HAIR:** Dense, thick, prose, silky, soft and supple, forming large curls or very wavy. Large curls are referred. Undercoat well developed. Not forming a parting of the back. Head has well-developed beard and moustaches.

**COLOR:** Any colors overall except white: black, black and tan, brown, brown and tan, gray (wolf, silver), red, fawn, cream, saddle, brindle. A little white on the forechest and / or toes is tolerated.

**SIZE:** Desirable height at withers 24-26 cm.

**FAULTS:** Any departure from the forgoing point should be considered a fault and the Seriousness with which the fault should be regarded should in exact proportion to its degree.

**DISQUALIFYING FAULTS:** Overshot.

Highly pronounced undershot.

White markings more 20% of surface overall.

Lack of beard and moustaches.

Tailless, short tail.

**Note:** Male animals should have two apparently normal testicles fully descended into the scrotum.