

Corrections to Carolyn M. Vella, Lorraine M. Shelton, John J. McGonagle and Terry W. Stanglein, Robinson's Genetics for Cat Breeders & Veterinarians (4th Edition).
Updated as of September 22, 2008

p. 8 - next top last paragraph, change "Shorthair" to "shorthair".

p. 9 "telgony" in 2 places, should correctly be spelled as "telegony" later in the paragraph.

p.16 "myriads cells" --> "myriad cells"

p.17 "subtley" --> "subtly"

p. 36, replace last sentence of first paragraph with

"Table 10.5 shows the theoretical statistical distribution of colors for offspring from parents with identified colors. This does not reflect the errors introduced by small samples."

p. 37 mid-page "number of alleles established.....is four" It is "five" (as listed immediately below on the page)

p. 69 – in last sentence of the first paragraph, change "The more well thought out" to "The more carefully conceived".

p. 71, Table 5.1

There should be a vertical line separating the health column from the balance of the columns.

Column heading: change "Total score" to "Total score -- weight x grade"

Corrections to totals

Cat	Total Score – weight x grade
A	770
C	705
D	680
F	720

p. 71, para. 2, "730" should be "720".

p. 120, 2 lines from the bottom: "1/2 3 1/2 3 1/2" should be "1/2x1/2x1/2"

p 123. line 2 - the "3" in the equation should be "x".

p. 128, last para., 3rd sent., replace "The number of guard hairs vary", with "The number of awn hairs vary".

p. 129. 2nd para., replace "Not only are the awn hairs more well formed", with "Not only are the awn hairs better formed".

p. 129, 3rd para., replace “The awn hairs are just slightly more well formed” with “The awn hairs are just slightly better formed”.

p. 129, 3rd para., replace “however the awn hairs of the Oregon rex are even more well formed” with “however the awn hairs of the Oregon rex are even better formed”.

p. 136, last line, replace “*t^a*” with “*T^a*”.

p.139, 4th para., "four known" --> "five known"

p. 140, 3rd para. Down, in 1st and second sentence, replace “was been” with “was”.

p. 141., table in middle of page:

“Black *aaBBDD (DM- or dmdm)*” should be “Black *aaBBDD(Dm- or dmdm)*”

p. 146 Table 9.1 -- title, line2. change "female tortoiseshells males and" to "male and female tortoiseshells and".

p. 161, third full para., replace “(*mm*)” with “(*mcm*)”.

p. 173, Burmilla paragraph

In Line 8, “smoke (Burmoire)” for “smoke Burmoire”

In line 10 “*aa(b)c(b)I-*” instead of *aaI-c(b)c(b)*”

In line 15: “*aaB-C-D-*” instead of “*aaB-D-C-*”

p. 175, Egyptian Mau paragraph

In the second paragraph, line 6, after “lilac Mau” add “(*A-bbdd*)”

Same line, following “fawn”, insert “(*A-b(l)b(l)dd*)” for “(*A-b(l)b(l)D-*)”

p. 177 first full paragraph, line 3

Use “chocolate (*aabbc(s)c(s)D-*)” instead of “chocolate (*aabc(s)c(s)D-*)”

p. 180 - last paragraph, change ”this gene is an incomplete dominant” to “this is a dominant gene with incomplete penetrance.”.

p. 186 - next to last paragraph, change “heterozygous” to “homozygous”

p. 200 - under the heading *Polycystic Kidney Disease*,

First sentence, change “Kittens born with...have greatly...” to “In one form of polycystic kidney disease, kittens are born with greatly...”

Third sentence, change “In cats with polycystic kidney disease, renal...” to “In the most common form of polycystic kidney disease, renal...”

p. 201 - replace last two sentences in first paragraph, "If the cat...right away." With "False negatives are rare, but known to occur with ultrasound screening. Rescreening particularly influential cats may be prudent."