



# Ankara Kedi

**Specialclub of  
Felis Danica**

## TURKISH ANGORA

### **Bearing:**

A cheerful Angora carries its tail high with the outermost tip kinked and moving from side to side as it walks.

When playing and running the tail is U-shaped and slightly to one side- back arched. (They play as only kittens otherwise play). They are playful at any age.

### **Ears:**

Tend to "lie flat" when playing, hunting or "fighting"

### **Attention:**

Angoras will follow you around the house from room to room. Favourite spots include the kitchen and bathroom. They will throw themselves down anywhere - preferably in front of you - demanding attention many times a day - one wouldn't want to be overlooked! They tend to hang around near you in whatever room you

are in and favour sleeping spots that afford a view of you and whatever you're doing.

### **Food:**

Angoras love food and are prone to steal it in any unguarded moment. They will let you know if there is anything tasty around and try to persuade you into giving it to them.

### **In case of "accidents":**

They are quick to make a speedy departure - guilty or not.

They will wait faithfully at the door to greet you when you come home from work (Who knows, you may be carrying food!)

They prefer to sleep with you or in the same room, preferably at the radiator.. They don't want to get cold.

They will cry before you - perhaps- step on their tail, after all, that would hurt!

If faced with something unpleasant they shake their paws thoroughly. They tend to "bury" their food for later. One wouldn't want to go hungry.

### **Drinking habits:**

Some use their paws. They enjoy fresh tap water or water from things soaking in the sink (After all, there might be some taste left in it)

### **Training:**

They need to know what is allowed and what isn't. Being intelligent, they are well able to learn. You are in control of the cat, not vice versa. They can easily learn to walk on a leash.

### **Hunting:**

They chase anything that moves and can hear all sorts of things that we cannot. Mice, spiders, flies and other creepy-crawlies don't last for long if the cat can get at them.

### **Warning:**

Be careful when closing drawers, cupboards and doors. You never know where an Angora's tail might be and it is at great risk of being trapped since it is either pointing straight into the air or twisted round a corner. Angoras also love to hide in cupboards and drawers - and they are very good at opening them. Besides they love to hide in laundry - be it clean or dirty.

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