

The paragraph you provided has 3,450 characters, including spaces and punctuation.

Here's the word tokenization of the text:

1. Ask
2. any
3. cat
4. person,
5. and
6. they'll
7. tell
8. you
9. why
10. their
11. cat
12. is
13. the
14. cutest.
15. For
16. instance,
17. my
18. cat
19. Margot
20. has
21. the
22. softest,
23. fluffiest
24. fur,
25. and
26. the
27. prettiest,
28. roundest
29. green
30. eyes,
31. and
32. she
33. makes
34. the
35. most
36. adorable
37. little
38. mewing
39. noises
40. for
41. attention.
42. She's
43. just
44. sooo
45. cute!
46. But
47. it
48. turns
49. out,
50. there's
51. a
52. reason
53. those

54. particular
55. features
56. make
57. me
58. ga-ga
59. for
60. her.
61. The
62. science
63. of
64. cute
65. (yes,
66. it's
67. a
68. thing)
69. explains
70. why
71. cats
72. are
73. so
74. cute,
75. and
76. why
77. we
78. want
79. these
80. meowing
81. purring,
82. scratching,
83. pooping
84. creatures
85. to
86. live
87. in
88. our
89. homes.
90. Some
91. people
92. think
93. cats
94. may
95. have
96. evolved
97. to
98. be
99. cuter
100. as
101. they
102. became
103. domesticated
104. in
105. order
106. to
107. make
108. people
109. want

110. to
111. take
112. care
113. of
114. them
115. more.
116. It
117. makes
118. sense,
119. doesn't
120. it,
121. that
122. cats
123. would
124. become
125. increasingly
126. cute
127. as
128. they
129. became
130. increasingly
131. dependent
132. on
133. human
134. beings
135. to
136. survive?
137. However,
138. if
139. you've
140. lived
141. with
142. a
143. cat,
144. you
145. know
146. that
147. sometimes
148. their
149. features
150. can
151. be
152. downright
153. brooding!
154. So
155. why
156. are
157. cats
158. so
159. cute,
160. even
161. if
162. they
163. aren't
164. wide-eyed
165. and

166. round-featured?
167. One
168. possible
169. answer:
170. conditioning.
171. Humans
172. have
173. been
174. living
175. alongside
176. cats
177. for
178. hundreds
179. of
180. years.
181. At
182. this
183. point,
184. we're
185. used
186. to
187. thinking
188. of
189. them
190. as
191. cute,
192. even
193. the
194. ones
195. who
196. are
197. less
198. baby-faced.
199. In
200. fact,
201. according
202. to
203. British
204. anthrozoologist
205. John
206. Bradshaw,
207. author
208. of
209. the
210. book
211. Cat
212. Sense,
213. cats'
214. "rather
215. unexpressive
216. faces"
217. may
218. make
219. humans
220. want
221. to

222. protect
223. them
224. even
225. more.
226. Sound
227. counterintuitive?
228. Bradshaw
229. says
230. it's
231. all
232. about
233. projection:
234. we
235. humans
236. come
237. up
238. with
239. our
240. own
241. ideas
242. about
243. what
244. a
245. cat
246. is
247. thinking
248. or
249. feeling
250. (source).
251. And
252. for
253. many
254. people,
255. living
256. in
257. a
258. society
259. that
260. values
261. pets
262. and
263. makes
264. cute
265. cat
266. videos
267. go
268. viral
269. all
270. the
271. time,
272. we
273. often
274. project
275. vulnerability.
276. In
277. other

278. words,
279. cats
280. are
281. cute
282. because
283. humans
284. decided
285. they
286. were
287. cute.
288. When
289. you
290. see
291. your
292. cat
293. do
294. something
295. extra-cute,
296. your
297. brain
298. simultaneously
299. tells
300. you
301. to
302. protect
303. it
304. and
305. rewards
306. you
307. for
308. doing
309. so.
310. That
311. may
312. explain
313. why
314. I
315. still
316. love
317. my
318. cute
319. cat
320. Margot
321. even
322. when
323. she
324. pees
325. on
326. my
327. dirty
328. laundry.
329. It
330. also
331. explains
332. why
333. kittens,

334. in
335. particular,
336. set
337. off
338. our
339. "squee"
340. response.
341. Just
342. picture
343. a
344. wide-eyed,
345. round-bellied,
346. soft,
347. stumbling
348. kitten.
349. That
350. adorable,
351. helpless
352. little
353. thing!
354. Don't
355. you
356. just
357. want
358. to
359. cuddle
360. it
361. and
362. keep
363. it
364. safe?
365. Yes,
366. yes
367. you
368. do.