

Table 4: Production Merit Awards for Bucks

Earned through:	ADGA	AGS	NDGA³	MDGA
Ancestry	*B	*S	*DS; *DG	*B
• Both parents star animals	*B ¹	*S ⁷		*B
• Both his dam and sire's dam are star animals	*B ¹	*S ⁷	*DS	*B
• Dam has earned AR or one day award and sire has a progeny award	*B	*S ⁷	*DS	
• His dam has earned star through progeny			*DG	
Progeny ⁴	+B; ++B	+S; ++S	+DS; +DAR	+B; ++B
A. 3 daughters from 3 different dams who have earned AR star	+B (AR)	AR +S	+DAR	+B
B. 2 sons that have earned AR plus	+B (AR)	AR +S		+B
C. A and B above	++B (AR)	AR ++S		++B
D. 3 daughters from 3 different dams who have earned star	+B (ST)	+S (ST)	+DS	+B
E. 2 sons that have earned plus (ST)	+B (ST)	+S (ST)	+DS ²	+B
F. Has one AR son and one plus (ST) son	+B (ST)	+S (ST)		+B
G. 2 daughters that have star, and 1 son that has earned plus (AR)	+B (ST)	+S (ST)	+DS ⁵	+B
H. 2 daughters that have star, and 1 son that has earned plus (ST)	+B (ST)	+S (ST)	+DS ⁵	+B
I. Combined 2 different qualifications (D, E, F, G &/or H)	++B (ST)	++S (ST)	2+DS ⁶	++B

¹Dam must have earned *M AR on milk volume and butterfat or a *M ST doe (milk volume and butterfat both for if O/S ST).

²sons from 2 different dams

³Over height bucks (>23.0") at the time they become eligible for the award will not receive the award. NDGA recommends having bucks Height Certified at the age of 3 years and recorded on their Registration papers.

⁴With NDGA, multiple +DS awards can be earned through additional progeny with different dams (eg 2+DS for 6 daughters who earn *DD(*DAR or *DLT) of 6 different dams.

⁵Daughters from 2 different dams

⁶Bucks may receive several Progeny Award (+DS) certificates, but there may be no doubling of offspring or their dams.

⁷AR*D must meet both milk and butterfat requirements.