

AKC Obedience Titles in Order

Tick each title as your dog earns it. A Q is 170 or more out of 200, with more than half of each exercise.



The main ladder

- ☐ **BN**, Beginner Novice (optional): Qs at 3 trials in Beginner Novice
- ☐ **CD**, Companion Dog: Qs at 3 trials in Novice A or B
- ☐ **CDX**, Companion Dog Excellent: Qs at 3 trials in Open A or B
- ☐ **UD**, Utility Dog: Qs at 3 trials in Utility A or B
- ☐ **UDX**, Utility Dog Excellent: after UD, a Q in Open B and Utility B at the same trial, at 10 trials
- ☐ **OM**, Obedience Master: after UD, 200 points from scores of 190 or more (60 from each class)
- ☐ **OGM**, Obedience Grand Master: the 10th level of OM points, 2,000 in all
- ☐ **OTCH**, Obedience Trial Champion: after UD, 100 points and 3 firsts (Utility B, Open B, one more) under 3 judges

Preferred and optional titles

- ☐ **PCD**, Preferred Companion Dog: Qs at 3 trials in Preferred Novice
- ☐ **PCDX**, Preferred Companion Dog Excellent: Qs at 3 trials in Preferred Open
- ☐ **PUTD**, Preferred Utility Dog: Qs at 3 trials in Preferred Utility
- ☐ **PUDX**, Preferred Utility Dog Excellent: after PUTD, a Q in both Preferred classes at the same trial, at 10 trials
- ☐ **POC**, Preferred Obedience Champion: after PCDX and PUTD, 750 points and a Q in both Preferred classes at 20 trials
- ☐ **GN**, Graduate Novice: Qs at 3 trials in Graduate Novice
- ☐ **GO**, Graduate Open: Qs at 3 trials in Graduate Open
- ☐ **VER**, Versatility: Qs at 3 trials in Versatility

Dog Title Tracker

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OTCH and OM Points

OTCH points (after the UD) go by placement and dogs in competition. Leave out dogs excused or disqualified.



Open B

Dogs in competition	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
5 to 9	2	1	1	0
10 to 14	4	1	1	0
15 to 19	6	2	1	0
20 to 24	10	3	1	1
25 to 29	14	4	2	1
30 to 34	18	5	2	1
35 to 39	22	7	3	1
40 to 44	26	9	4	2
45 to 49	30	11	5	2
50 to 64	34	13	6	3

Utility B

Dogs in competition	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
3 to 4	2	0	0	0
5 to 7	4	1	0	0
8 to 10	6	2	0	0
11 to 13	10	3	1	0
14 to 16	14	4	1	0
17 to 19	17	5	2	0
20 to 23	20	7	2	1
24 to 26	24	9	3	1
27 to 29	27	11	4	1
30 to 32	30	13	4	2
33 to 36	33	14	5	2
37 to 40	37	15	6	3
41 to 56	40	17	7	3

No points from the table? A qualifying score of 197 or more earns 1 OTCH point.

The 3 firsts: one in Utility B with 3 or more dogs, one in Open B with 5 or more, and one more, under 3 different judges.

Hawaii, Alaska and Puerto Rico have their own Utility B scale for small classes.

OM points (after the UD)

Score	190 to 191.5	192 to 194.5	195 to 196.5	197 to 200
OM points	6	9	12	15

An OM level is 200 points with at least 60 from Open B and 60 from Utility B. OM1 to OM9, then the OGM at the 10th level.