

GERMAN WIREHAISED POINTER CLUB OF AMERICA

VERSATILITY RATING SYSTEM

TITLE SCORING REQUIREMENTS

Requirements for award of the title Versatility "V"

- Twelve (12) points minimum
- The twelve points must be obtained from at least three areas
- A minimum of two (2) points must be obtained in the field/hunt areas
- A minimum of seven (7) points must be obtained from primary areas

Requirements for award of the title Versatility Excellent "VX"

- Eighteen (18) points minimum
- The eighteen points must be obtained from at least three areas
- Max points (10) must be held in any primary area
- A minimum of six (6) points must be obtained in the field/hunt areas
- A minimum of twelve (12) points must be obtained from primary areas

Requirements for award of the title Versatility Superior "VS"

- Twenty four (24) points minimum
- The twenty four points must be obtained from at least four areas
- Max points (10) must be held in the field/hunt areas
- Eight (8) points must also be held in an additional primary area

Requirements for award of the title Champion of Versatility "VCH"

- Thirty (30) points minimum
- Max points (10) earned in at least two primary areas
- Max points (10) must be held in the field/hunt areas
- A minimum of eighteen (18) points must be held in champion titles from different primary areas

The 30 points for Champion of Versatility may be earned in one of two ways:

- By obtaining maximum points (10) in three different primary areas
- By obtaining max points (10) in two different primary areas, at least six (6) points in an additional primary area, and the remaining points earned in at least one additional area.

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- To qualify for any versatility title, dogs must have one of the following certificates:
 - OFA Hips evaluated at Fair or better.
 - PENN Hip evaluated equal or tighter than current breed distraction index (DI).
 - Proof of sterilization on a veterinarian's letterhead.
- All owners of record must be in good standing with the American Kennel Club
- At least one owner of record must be a member in good standing with the German Wirehaired Pointer Club of America
- Dogs living at the time of the introduction of this system are eligible for recognition.

GENERAL SCORING REQUIREMENTS

- Points in any one area are not cumulative. e.g. A Tracking Dog Excellent (TDX) title entitles the dog to 6 points, the Tracking Dog (TD) is not added for an additional 3 points.
- When preferred and non-preferred titles are available, they will count equally. For any given level may not be added. e.g. a dog with a Novice Agility title gets 2 points, that dog may not receive an additional two points for a Novice Agility Preferred title. The dog with the Novice Agility title can however receive a total of 3 points if it finishes an Open Agility Preferred title.
- When points come from a combined area (such as field/hunt, obedience/rally, tracking/scent work) the points for titles within the levels may not be added. e.g. a dog with a Companion Dog (CD) title gets 3 points but does not get an additional 3 points for earning a Rally Advanced (RA) title. If the dog earns a Rally Excellent (RE) it will have earned 4 points from the obedience/rally area.

PRIMARY AREAS include Conformation, Field/Hunt (AKC and NAVHDA), Tracking/Scent Work, Agility, and Obedience/Rally.

ANCILLARY AREAS include Dock Diving, Barn Hunt, Lure Coursing, etc.

Primary Areas

Ancillary Areas

Pts	Primary Areas				Ancillary Areas										
	Conformation	Field Trial	Hunt Test	NAVHDA	Obedience	Rally	Agility	Tracking	Scent Work	Barn Hunt	Dock Diving	Lure Coursing (CAT/Fast CAT)	Flyball	Disc Dog	Trick Dog
10	GCH	FC or AFC	MH or MHR	UT	OTCH or POC	RACH	MACH or PACH	CT	SWD						
9					UDX or PUDX										
8	CH				UD or PUD	RM	MX or MXJ or MXP or MJP	VST	Any two: SIM or SEM or SBM or SCM or SHDM						
7					CDX or PCDX										
6			SH or SHR	UPT		RAE	AX or AXJ or AXP or AJP	TDX	Any two: SIE or SEE or SBE or SCE or SHDE						
5										RATCH	Any Division Excellent Title (Distance or Air Retrieve or Hydro Dash)	CAX or FCAT	ONYX	DDU	TKE
4						RE	OA or OAJ or OAP or OJP		Any two: SIA or SEA or SBA or SCA or SHDA	RATM				DDP	TKP
3		Broke Major (Gun Dog or All Age stakes)			CD or PCD	RA		TD or TDU		RATS	Any Division Advanced Title (Distance or Air Retrieve or Hydro Dash)	CAA or DCAT	FM	DDG	TKA
2			JH + Water Test or JHR	NA		RI	NA or NAJ or NAP or NJP		Any two: SIN or SEN or SBN or SCN or SHDN	RATO				DDS	TKI
1					BN	RN				RATN	Any Division Title (Distance or Air Retrieve or Hydro Dash)	CA or BCAT	FDCH	DDB	TKN