



## Australian Red Dairy Breed Awards Standards

May 2017

### 1. Star Brood Cow Award

*To be advised*

### 2. Lifetime Production Award

*Production recognition:*

Butterfat and Protein in excess of:

Level	Fat (kg)	Protein (kg)
Bronze	2525	2160
Silver	3250	2780
Gold	3690	3060

### 3. Production Achievement:

*Production recognition:*

Single 305 day lactation with minimum 3.1% P and minimum 3.4% F AND/OR one of the following:

1. Fat 410 kg
2. Protein 340 kg

### 4. Supreme Production:

*Production recognition:*

Single 305 day lactation with minimum 3.3% P and minimum 3.9% F AND a combination of 410kg Fat and 340kg Protein

### 5. Superior Total Performance

*Longevity Recognition:*

Lactation	Fat (kg)	Protein (kg)	Level
Six (Minimum)	1780	1520	Standard STP
Seven (Exactly)	2080	1775	Gold
Eight (Exactly)	2375	2025	Elite

**Lactations:** animal must have calved in consecutive calendar years

**Type:** VG85 or Higher

**Longevity:** at least SIX lactations;

**Mammary:** to be classified during normal tour with each category in the Mammary System to be classified as 85 or higher

**NOTE:** The Superior Total Performance (STP) Award is applied for individually at classification.

### **Award Search Fees (GST included):**

*Note: The Award Search is an Opt Out service and members will be charged unless they advise Holstein Australia if they **do not** want to be included in the Awards service.*

When a member subscribes to the Awards service a search is carried out to find the members animals that have qualified for one or more of the Star Brood Cow, Production Achievement and Lifetime Production awards. These searches are done a minimum of 4 times each year and after lactations are loaded.

At the end of the financial year, an Honour Roll is printed, listing animals which attained an award that year.

There will be a charge of **\$9.90** for each award certificate and certificates will be mailed out automatically. For members receiving more than 12 awards in a 12 month period, the charges will be capped at **\$118.80**.

There is no charge for the search and members will incur no cost if no awards are found.

Superior Total Performance (STP) Awards are individually applied for at classification. The fee is incorporated into the cost of classification. If an animal is assessed but not upgraded in classification score, an assessment fee of **\$13.20** is applied if she gains an STP award.