

LIST OF AWARD ABBREVIATIONS IN NDAWS

AWARD ABBREVIATION	AWARD LONG NAME	SERVICE
AA	Army Achievement Medal	USA
AB	Combat Action Badge	USA
AC	Army Commendation Medal	USA
AD	Army Distinguished Service Medal	USA
AE	Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal	ALL
AF	Air Medal-Individual Action	USN/USMC
AH	Air Medal-Individual Action (with Combat V)	USN/USMC
AM	Air Force Aerial Achievement Medal	USAF
AO	Air Force Organizational Excellence Award	USAF
AR	Antarctica Service Medal	ALL
AS	Air Medal-Strike/Flight	USN/USMC
AT	Navy Arctic Service Ribbon	ALL
AU	Army Superior Unit Award	USA
AV	Army Commendation Medal (with Combat V)	USA
AX	Army Distinguished Service Cross	USA
BS	Bronze Star Medal	ALL
BV	Bronze Star Medal (with Combat V)	ALL
CA	Secretary of Transportation Commendation for Achievement	DOT
CC	Coast Guard Commendation Medal	USCG
CD	Coast Guard Distinguished Service Medal	USCG
CG	Coast Guard Achievement Medal	USCG
CL	Chief of Naval Operations Letter of Commendation	USN/USMC
CM	Coast Guard Medal	USCG
CR	Combat Action Ribbon	ALL
CT	Commandant of the Marine Corps Certificate of Commendation	USMC
CU	Coast Guard Unit Commendation	USCG
CV	Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medal (with Combat V)	USN/USMC
DD	Defense Distinguished Service Medal	ALL
DM	Distinguished Service Medal	USN/USMC
DS	Defense Superior Service Medal	ALL
DV	Distinguished Flying Cross (with Combat V)	USN/USMC
DX	Distinguished Flying Cross	USN/USMC
EM	Navy Expeditionary Service Medal	USN/USMC
FA	Air Force Achievement Medal	USAF
FC	Air Force Commendation Medal	USAF
FD	Air Force Distinguished Service Medal	USAF
FF	Award from Foreign Nation	USN
FL	Flag Letter of Commendation	ALL
FM	Airman's Medal	USAF
FS	Armed Forces Service Medal	ALL
FU	Air Force Outstanding Unit Award	USAF
FV	Air Force Commendation Medal (with Combat V)	USAF
FX	Air Force Cross	USAF
GE	Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal	USN
GL	Gold Life Saving Medal	USCG
GV	Coast Guard Commendation Medal (with Combat V)	USCG
HC	Afghanistan Campaign Medal	USN
HS	Humanitarian Service Medal	ALL
IC	Iraq Campaign Medal	USN
IB	Combat Infantryman Badge	USA
JA	Joint Service Achievement Medal	ALL
JC	Joint Service Commendation Medal	ALL
JU	Joint Meritorious Unit Award	ALL
JV	Joint Service Commendation Medal (with Combat V)	ALL

LM	Legion of Merit	ALL
LV	Legion of Merit (with Combat V)	ALL
MA	Combat Action Medal	USAF
MB	Combat Medical Badge	USA
ME	Marine Corps Expeditionary Medal	USMC
MH	Medal of Honor	ALL
MM	Meritorious Service Medal	ALL
MR	Defense Meritorious Service Medal	ALL
MU	Meritorious Unit Commendation	USN/USMC
NA	Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal	USN/USMC
NB	NASA Medal for Exceptional Bravery	NASA
NC	Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medal	USN/USMC
ND	NASA Distinguished Service Medal	NASA
NE	Navy E Ribbon	USN/USMC
NF	NASA Flight Medal	NASA
NM	Navy and Marine Corps Medal	USN/USMC
NS	NASA Medal for Exceptional Service	NASA
NU	Navy Unit Commendation	USN/USMC
NV	Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal (with Combat V)	USN/USMC
NX	Navy Cross	USN/USMC
OT (Remarks Code)	Other	ALL
A	USPS Outstanding Unit Citation	USPS
B	Coast Guard Meritorious Unit Commendation	USMG
C	Air Force Meritorious Unit Commendation	USAF
D	Republic of Philippine Presidential Unit Citation	
E	Army Meritorious Unit Commendation	USA
F	Army Presidential Unit Citation	USA
G	Army Valorous Unit Award	USA
OV	Military Outstanding Volunteer Service Medal	ALL
PH	Purple Heart	ALL
PL	Pulled (See Comments)	ALL
PU	Presidential Unit Citation	ALL
RC	Republic of Vietnam Meritorious Unit Citation	ALL
RG	Republic of Vietnam Meritorious Unit Citation - Gallantry	ALL
RT	Return End of Tour	ALL
SA	Southwest Asia Service Medal	ALL
SC	Secretary of the Navy Letter of Commendation	USN/USMC
SD	Sea Service Deployment Ribbon	USN/USMC
SL	Silver Life Saving Medal	USCG
SM	Soldiers Medal	USA
SO	Coast Guard SOS Ribbon	USCG
SS	Silver Star Medal	ALL
TA	Secretary of Treasury Commendation for Achievement	TREAS
TV	Secretary of Transportation Commendation for Achievement (with Combat V)	DOT
UC	Coast Guard Meritorious Team Commendation	USCG
VS	Vietnam Service Medal	ALL
ZZ	No Award	ALL