

# Alger 522

## Stallion information

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**Studbook name:** Aizo fan Twillens Ster AAA (201602890) **Lineage:** Haise 482 x Ster\*I AA  
Wylster 463 x Ster\*I Jasper 366 x Ster Pref\*4 Oege 267 x Model Pref Prest\*6 Tamme 276 x Ster  
Pref Prest\*7 Hearke 254 **Date of birth:** 30 juni 2016 **Height at withers:** 1.70 meter  
**Pedigree:** 8 **Kinship:** 17,4% (average in 2021: 17,8%)

### Exterior:

**Breeding type:** Alger 522 is a stallion with good breed expression. He has a vertical neck that lacks a bit of length. The head-neck connection is a little heavy because the poll is small.

**Conformation:** Alger 522's topline has satisfactory strength. Length in the foreleg is satisfactory and he has favourable croup conformation with satisfactory length.

**Legwork:** Alger 522's legwork is a bit coarse but dry quality is satisfactory. Stance of the legwork is correct, the stallion has somewhat sloping pasterns and generous feet.

### DNA-tests:

**Hydrocephaly:** non carrier

**Dwarfism:** carrier

**Chestnutfactor:** non carrier

**Veterinary:** fetlock off fore osteochondrosis C1

**Roaring:** acceptable

### Performance Test:

### Estimated breeding value

#### Exterior:

Reliability .....	38-43%
Breeding type.....	103
Conformation.....	100
Legwork .....	100
Walk .....	104
Trot .....	110
Canter .....	105

### Character/personality::

#### Stable manners

	a	b	c	d	e	
difficult				x		pleasant
Energetic				x		calm
frightened		x				inquisitive
submissive		x				dominant
hesitant		x				cheeky
anxious		x				relaxed

### Behavior in training:

	a	b	c	d	e	
reliability	unreliable			x		Reliability
sensitivity	little	x				much
anxious	quickly		x			slowly
trainability	difficult		x			easy
responsiveness to aids	little		x			much
willingness to work	little		x			much
work ethics	disagreeable			x		happy
perseverance	little		x			much**
stamina	little			x		much***
response to stress	freezes	x				flighty
concentration	distracted		x			focused
learning capacity	little	x				much

\*during tacking up, hitching up, taking temperature etc. \*\* mental \*\*\* physical

Alger 522 completed an ABFP Test at the age of three for which he was rewarded with the AAA predicate and 88 points under saddle. As a 5-year-old, so as a slightly older stallion, he joined the Central Examination. Considering his age he should demonstrate a bit more elevation and self-carriage. This did however, clearly improve during training in the course of the Central Examination. Alger 522 has more than satisfactory aptitude for driving horse.

#### **Training report:**

Alger 522 is a calm and cooperative stallion. He showed clear progress in his training during the Central Examination. Overall he should display more suppleness.

**Walk:** Alger 522's walk is roomy and rhythmic.

**Trot:** His trot is roomy but he should develop more rise in the front. His hind leg shows satisfactory bend but should step forward under the body with more alacrity.

**Canter:** In canter Alger 522 demonstrates ground-covering strides with satisfactory impulsion.

#### **In-harness aptitude:**

Alger 522 has gone through a positive development in the in-harness part of the Central Examination. He is an uncomplicated stallion with more than satisfactory activity in the legs. His walk is roomy but needs to be a little more direct. In trot he displays good scope in use of the foreleg but he should maintain more of a closed outline and demonstrate a bit more use of the body. Alger 522 has good aptitude for driven work, but less so for showdriving work.

#### **Test results riding test:**

Walk .....	8.0
Trot.....	7.0
Canter .....	7.5
Balance & Posture .....	6.5
Suppleness .....	7.0
Transitions.....	6.5
Impulsion .....	7.0
Total .....	78.5

#### **Test results driving test:**

Walk .....	8.5
Trot.....	7
Balance & Posture .....	6.5
Suppleness .....	7
Transitions.....	6.5
Impulsion .....	7
Total .....	78.5

#### **Test results showdriving test:**

Use foreleg .....	7.5
Use hind leg.....	6.5
Moment of suspension .....	7.0
Posture.....	7.0
Front.....	6.5
Suppleness .....	6.5
Impulsion .....	7
Total .....	76

#### **Findings Performance Test:**

Alger 522 has a roomy, rhythmic walk. In trot his movement is a little downhill but leg technique is roomy and rhythmic. He has satisfactory aptitude for riding horse and driving horse. In showdriving he should move with more elevation and front.

#### **Dam report:**

Alger 522's dam is Matsje fan de Pikestjelp Star AA (Wylster 463), born in 2012. Alger 522 is the first of her five foals. Matsje is an alert mare with lots of breeding type thanks

to abundant feathers and an expressive, slightly longish head. She had good length in the neck, and a bit of an under neck. The mare has a downhill, slightly longish frame and should present a more closed topline. The croup lacks a bit of length. The legwork is delicate and dry and the mare has correct stance in the hind leg. Her walk is active with good impulsion, she should develop a bit more length of stride and place the foreleg more forward. Her trot displays satisfactory posture, lots of impulsion and bend, but needs to develop more self-carriage from the hind leg. The mare has a somewhat restless character and a lot of forward go. In 2015 Matsje scored 81.5 points for her ABFP Driving Test. Further down in Alger 522's dam line we find fertile and successful broodmares. Such as 3rd dam and Model mare Oelkjen, who is Preferent and Performance thanks to two Sport mares (one who is Model), two Preferent mares and a mare who is Crown and Performance with an AAA score.

#### **Final conclusion:**

Alger 522 is a stallion with three satisfactory basic gaits in which his walk positively catches the eye with roominess of strides. His trot is also roomy, with a slightly slow hind leg. On the basis of the above data the stallion Aizo fan Twillens Star AAA is registered in the Studbook for stallions under the name of Alger 522.

#### **Advice:**

Alger 522 is a low-kinship stallion and that means he contributes to outcrossing. He can improve scope in walk and he has a calm and cooperative character.