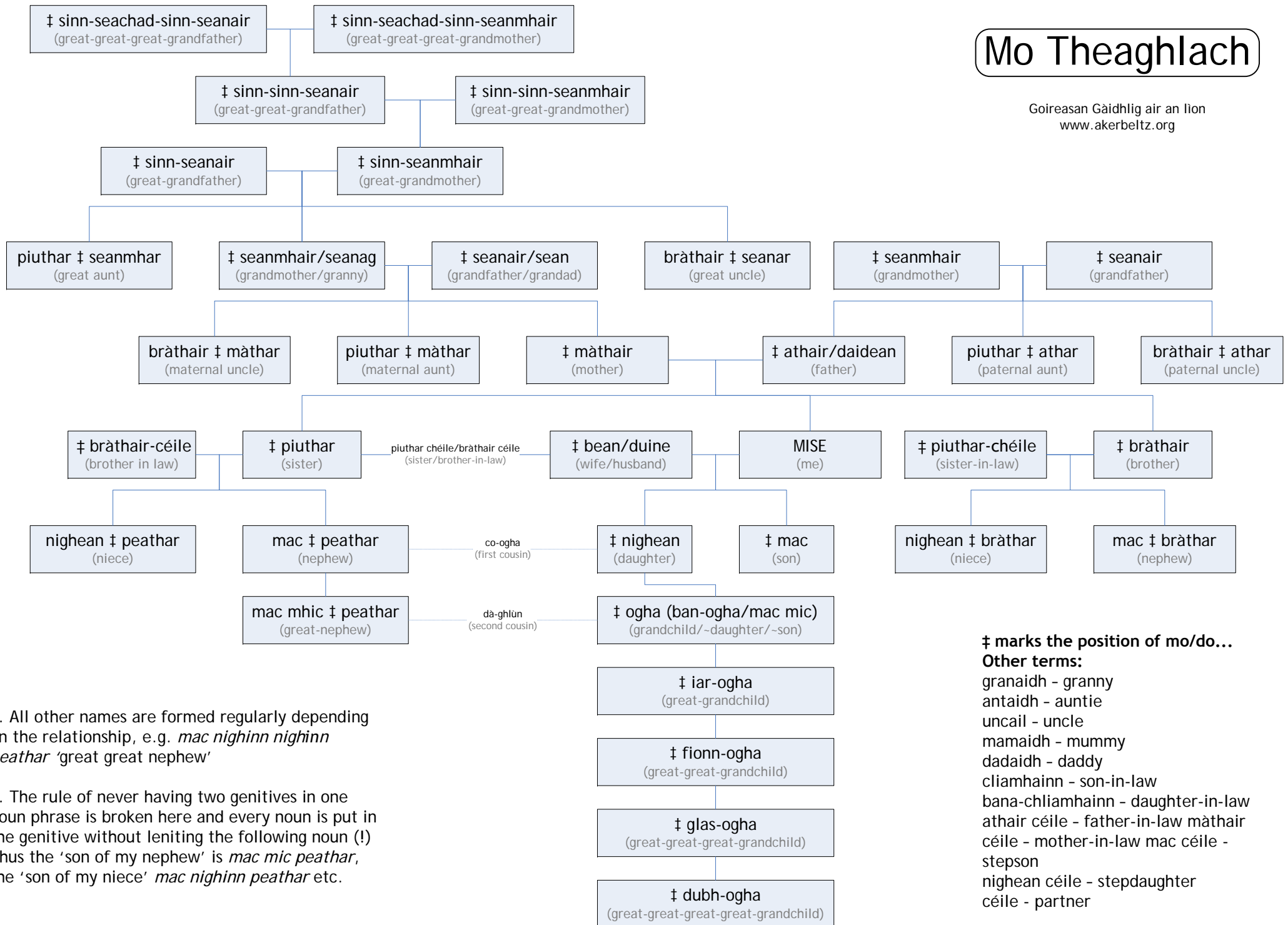


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1. All other names are formed regularly depending on the relationship, e.g. *mac nighinn nighinn peathar* 'great great nephew'

2. The rule of never having two genitives in one noun phrase is broken here and every noun is put in the genitive without leniting the following noun (!) Thus the 'son of my nephew' is *mac mic peathar*, the 'son of my niece' *mac nighinn peathar* etc.

† marks the position of mo/do...

Other terms:

granaidh - granny
antaidh - auntie
uncail - uncle
mamaidh - mummy
dadaidh - daddy
cliamhainn - son-in-law
bana-chliamhainn - daughter-in-law
athair céile - father-in-law màthair céile - mother-in-law mac céile - stepson
nighean céile - stepdaughter
céile - partner