



WSDAC BASIC LEVEL TEST C

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PURPOSE
In addition to the requirements of the Introductory Level, the horse at Basic Level has developed increased balance and activity of the hindquarters to achieve improved connection and softness with the rider.

INTRODUCE
No new requirements

ENTRY NUMBER:	
ARENA SIZE: Small or Standard RIDE TIME: Approximately 4:00 (Small) or 5:00 (Standard) (from entry at A to final halt)	
MAXIMUM POINTS:	210

All jog work may be ridden sitting or rising unless stated.

Halts may be through the walk.

READER PLEASE NOTE: *(Anything in parentheses should not be read)*

COEFFICIENT

		TEST	DIRECTIVES	POINTS		TOTAL	REMARKS
1	A X	Enter working jog Halt, Salute Proceed working jog	Regularity and quality of gait; willing, calm transition; straight, attentive halt; immobile (min. 4 seconds).				
2	C C-M-B	Track right Working jog	Bend and balance in turn and corner; quality of jog; straightness; willingness.				
3	B B-F	Circle right 20m Working jog	Regularity and quality of jog; shape and size of circle; bend and balance.				
4	Between F&A	Develop working lope right lead	Willing calm transition, quality of jog and lope; bend and balance through corners				
5	A A-E	Circle right 20m Working lope	Regularity and quality of lope; shape and size of circle; bend and balance through corner. .				
6	Between E&H H-C	Develop working jog Working jog	Quality of transition to jog; balance and straightness; quality of jog				
7	C-M	Working walk	Willing calm transition; quality of walk.				
8	M-X-K K-A	Change rein free walk Working walk	Regularity of walks; reach and ground cover allowing complete freedom to stretch forward and downward; straightness and willing calm transitions.	2			
9	A-B	Working jog	Bend and balance in corner; regularity and quality of jog.				
10	B B-M	Circle left 20m Working jog	Regularity and quality of jog; size and shape of circle; bend and balance.				
11	Between M&C	Develop working lope left lead	Willing calm transitions; bend and balance in corners; quality of lope.				
12	C C-E	Circle left 20m Working lope	Regularity and quality of lope; shape and size of circle; bend and balance through corner. .				
13	Between E&K K-A	Develop working jog Working jog	Quality of transition to jog; balance and straightness; quality of jog. Bend and balance in corner				
14	A X	Turn down centreline Halt. Salute.	Bend and balance in turn; regularity and quality of jog willing calm transition; straight attentive halt (min. 4 seconds)				

Leave arena at A in walk on a long rein



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COLLECTIVE MARKS				
GAITS (Freedom and regularity)		1		
IMPULSION AND ENERGY (Desire to move forward, clarity of the steps, suppleness of the back, engagement of the hindquarters)		2		
RIDER POSITION AND COMMUNICATION (Alignment and posture, weight placement, correct use of aids)		1		
COMPLIANCE (Willing cooperation, acceptance of the bridle, lightness of forehand, ease of movements, harmony between horse and rider)		2		
SUBTOTAL	FURTHER REMARKS:			
ERRORS: (-)				
TOTAL POINTS (Max points: 210)				

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		FINAL SCORE
_____		Maximum Points: 210
<i>Name of Competition</i>		
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<i>Date of Competition</i>	<i>Points</i>	<i>Percent</i>
_____	_____	
<i>Name and Number of Horse</i>	<i>Name of Judge</i>	
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<i>Name of Rider</i>	<i>Signature of Judge</i>	