

2024 WSDAC LEVEL 2 TEST A

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PURPOSE

In addition to the requirements of the Level 1, the horse at Level 2 now demonstrates increased engagement, especially in the lengthened jog and lope. Transitions between collected, and lengthened gaits should be well defined. The horse should show a greater degree of straightness, bending, suppleness, throughness, balance and self-carriage than at Level 1.

INTRODUCE

Collected jog; Collected lope; Shoulder-in; Shortened walk; Rein-back sequence; Half turn on haunches

ENTRY NUMBER:				
ARENA SIZE: Small or Standard				
RIDE TIME: 5:00 (Small) Approximately 6:00				

(Standard) (from entry at A to final halt)

MAXIMUM POINTS: 320

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

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		TEST	DIRECTIVES	POINTS		TOTAL	REMARKS
1	A X	Enter collected jog Halt, Salute Proceed collected jog	Engagement, uphill balance; quality of jog; clear balanced transitions; straight attentive halt; immobile (min. 4 seconds).				
2	C M	Track right Circle right 10 m	Bend and balance in turn; shape and size of circle; quality of jog.				
3	M-B	Shoulder-in right	Angle bend and balance; engagement and quality of jog.		2		
4	В	Half-circle right 10m to X	Shape and size of half circles; bend quality of jog; balance.				
	^	Half-circle left 10m to E					
5	E-K	Shoulder-in left	Angle bend and balance; engagement and quality of jog.		2		
6	К	Circle left 10 m	Shape and size of circle; bend quality				
	K-A-F	Collected jog	of jog; balance.				
7	F-X-H	Change rein lengthened stride	Moderate lengthening of frame and stride with engagement, straightness and uphill balance; consistent tempo; clear transitions; quality of jog.				
	H-C	Collected jog					
8	C-M	Halt, Back 4 steps, Advance 4 steps, Back 4 steps Proceed working walk	Straight immobile halt; willing straight steps with correct count; clear transitions.				
9	M	Turn right	Bend and balance in turn; regularity				
	Before G	Shorten the walk	and quality of shortened walk strides; activity of hind legs; bend and fluency				
	Between G&H	Half turn on haunches	in turn; quality of walk.				
		right Proceed shortened walk					
10	Between G&M	Half turn on haunches left. Proceed at working walk	Regularity and quality of shortened walk strides; activity of hind legs; bend and fluency in turn; quality of walk.				
	Н	Track right					
11	С-М-В	Collected lope right lead	Clear balanced transition; shape and size of circle; bend quality of lope; balance				
	В	Circle right 10m					
12	B-F-A-K	Collected lope	Quality of lope;bend and balance through corners				
13	K-H H-C-M	Lengthen stride Collected lope	Moderate lengthening of frame and stride with engagement, straightness and uphill balance; consistent tempo; clear transitions; quality of lope.				
14	M-E E-K	Change rein Counter lope	Balance; quality of lope on diagonal line; balance & quality of counter lope.				
15	К	Simple change of lead through walk	Quality of lope and walk; willing clear transitions; balance and accuracy		2		
16	K-A-F-B	Collected lope	Quality of lope; bend and balance through corners.				



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17	B B-M-C-H	Circle left 10m Collected lope	Shape and size of circle; bend and balance quality of lope; Quality of lope; bend and balance through corners.			
18	H-K K-A-F	Lengthened stride Collected lope	Moderate lengthening of frame and stride with engagement, straightness and uphill balance; consistent tempo; clear transitions; quality of lope.			
19	F-E E-H	Change rein Counter lope	Quality of lope on diagonal line; balance & quality of counter lope.			
20	Н	Simple change of lead through walk	Quality of lope and walk; willing clear transitions; balance and accuracy		2	
21	H-M M	Collected lope Collected jog	Quality of lope;bend and balance through corners. Willing transitions			
22	B X G	Turn right Turn right Halt. Salute	Quality of turns, bend and balance clear balanced transitions; straight attentive halt; 4 seconds			
Leave arena at A in walk on a long rein						

COLLECTIVE MARKS			
GAITS (Freedom and regularity)	1	1	
IMPULSION AND ENERGY (Desire to move forward, clarity of the steps, suppleness of the back, engagement of the hindquarters)	2	2	
RIDER POSITION AND COMMUNICATION (Alignment and posture, weight placement, correct use of aids)	1	1	
COMPLIANCE (Willing cooperation, acceptance of the bridle, lightness of forehand, ease of movements, harmony between horse and rider)	2	2	
SUBTOTAL	FURTHER RE	EMARKS:	
ERRORS: (-)			
TOTAL POINTS (Max points: 320)			

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Name of Competition	FINAL SCORE Maximum Points: 320				
Nume of competition					
Date of Competition	Points	Percent			
Name and Number of Horse	Name of Judge				
Name of Rider	Signature of Judge				