



2011 First Level Test 2

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Purpose: To confirm that the horse, in addition to the requirements of Training Level, has developed the thrust to achieve improved balance and throughness and to maintain a more consistent contact with the bit.

All trot work may be ridden sitting or rising, unless stated.

Introduce: Leg yield.

READER PLEASE NOTE: Anything in parentheses should not be read.

CONDITIONS:

Arena: Standard

Average Ride Time: 6:00
(from entry at A to final halt)

Maximum Possible Points: 370

		Coefficient				
	TEST	DIRECTIVE IDEAS	POINTS	↓	TOTAL	REMARKS
1	A X	Enter working trot Halt, Salute Proceed working trot	Straightness on centerline and in halt; immobility; quality of trot; willing, balanced transitions.			
2	C MXK K-R	Track right Lengthen stride in trot Working trot	Bend and balance in turn; moderate lengthening of frame and stride; quality and consistent tempo of trot; willing, balanced transitions; straightness.			
3	R-I	Half circle left 10m	Shape and size of half-circle; quality of trot; bend.			
4	X-K	Leg yield right	Quality and consistent tempo of trot; alignment of horse, balance and flow in leg yield.	2		
5	A	Working canter left lead	Willing, calm, balanced transition; quality of canter.			
6	P	Circle left 15m	Quality of canter; shape and size of circle; bend.	2		
7	P-M	Lengthen stride in canter	Moderate lengthening of frame and stride; quality and consistent tempo of canter; balance; straightness.			
8	Between M & C	Develop working canter	Willing, balanced transition; quality and consistent tempo of canter.	2		
9	HXF X	Change rein Working trot	Willing, balanced transition; quality of canter and trot; straightness.			
10	A	Medium walk	Willing, balanced transition; quality and regularity of walk.			
11	KXH H-C	Free walk Medium walk	Reach and ground cover of free walk allowing complete freedom to stretch the neck forward and downward; quality and regularity of medium walk; straightness; willing, balanced transitions.	2		
12	C	Working trot	Willing, balanced transition; quality of trot.			
13	R Before R R-P	Circle right 20m rising trot, allowing the horse to stretch forward and downward Shorten the reins Working trot	Forward and downward stretch over the back into a light contact maintaining balance and quality of trot; bend; shape and size of circle; smooth, balanced transitions.			
14	P-L	Half circle right 10m	Shape and size of half-circle; quality of trot; bend.			
15	X-H	Leg yield left	Quality and consistent tempo of trot; alignment of horse, balance and flow in leg yield.	2		
16	C	Working canter right lead	Willing, calm, balanced transition; quality of canter.			
17	R	Circle right 15m	Quality of canter; shape and size of circle; bend.	2		
18	R-F	Lengthen stride in canter	Moderate lengthening of frame and stride; quality and consistent tempo of canter; balance; straightness.			
19	Between F & A	Develop working canter	Willing, balanced transition; quality and consistent tempo of canter.	2		
20	KXM X	Change rein Working trot	Willing, balanced transition; quality of canter and trot; straightness.			
21	HXF F-A	Lengthen stride in trot Working trot	Moderate lengthening of frame and stride; quality and consistent tempo of trot; willing, balanced transitions; straightness.			
22	A X	Down centerline Halt, Salute	Bend and balance in turn; straightness on centerline; willing, balanced transition; immobility.			

Leave arena at A in walk on a long rein



2011 First Level Test 3

NO.

Purpose: To confirm that the horse, in addition to the requirements of Training Level, has developed the thrust to achieve improved balance and throughness and to maintain a more consistent contact with the bit.

All trot work may be ridden sitting or rising, unless stated.

Introduce: 10m circle at trot; change of lead through trot; and counter canter.

READER PLEASE NOTE: Anything in parentheses should not be read.

CONDITIONS:

Arena: Standard

Average Ride Time: 5:30
(from entry at A to final halt)

Maximum Possible Points: 310

		Coefficient				
	TEST	DIRECTIVE IDEAS	POINTS	↓	TOTAL	REMARKS
1	A X	Enter working trot Halt, Salute Proceed working trot				
2	C HXF F-K	Track left Lengthen stride in trot Working trot				
3	K-X	Leg yield right				
4	X X	Circle left 10m Circle right 10m		2		
5	X-H	Leg yield left				
6	C Before C C	Circle right 20m rising trot, allowing the horse to stretch forward and downward Shorten the reins Working trot		2		
7	Between C & M	Medium walk				
8	M-V V-K	Free walk Medium walk		2		
9	K A	Working trot Working canter left lead				
10	A	Circle left 15m				
11	F-M M-H	Lengthen stride in canter Working canter		2		
12	HXK	One loop maintaining the left lead				
13	FXH X	Change rein Change of lead through trot				
14	C	Circle right 15m				
15	M-F F-K	Lengthen stride in canter Working canter				
16	KXH	One loop maintaining the right lead				
17	C MXK K-A	Working trot Lengthen stride in trot Working trot		2		
18	A X	Down centerline Halt, Salute				

Leave arena at A in walk on a long rein