

2023 WDA-AUS Level Three Test C

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Date	Event		Class			
Rider		Horse				
Total Points		Percentage	Place			

Arena: 60m x 20m Average ride time: 6.20 mins

	1			* COEFFICIENT				
		MOVEMENT	DIRECTIVES	PONTS	*	TOTAL	COMMENTS	
1	A X	Enter collected jog Halt. Salute Proceed collected jog	Quality of jog; self-carriage; straightness; square, attentive halt; willingness & balance Smooth jog transitions					
2	C M- X - K	Track right Lengthening of stride at the jog	Quality of jog; lightness; balance; clear transition; moderate lengthening in stride					
	К	Collected jog	Self-carriage, willingness to move forward, tracking up					
3	Α	Down centre line	Bend & balance in the turn					
	D - X	Shoulder-in left	Consistent angle, bend and balance, regularity, length & smoothness of steps					
4	X – G	Renvers	Consistent frame, self-carriage; regularity, cadence, length & smoothness of the steps; bend and flexion maintained					
5	С	Track right	Balance & bend in corner;					
	M - X	Half-pass right	Reach & crossing of legs, self- carriage; regularity, cadence, length & smoothness of the steps					
6	X - F	Half- pass left	Reach & crossing of legs, self- carriage; regularity, cadence, length & smoothness of the steps					
7	А	Down centre line	Bend & balance in the turn					
	D - X	Shoulder-in right	Consistent angle, bend and balance, regularity, length & smoothness of steps					
8	X – G	Renvers	Consistent frame, self-carriage; regularity, cadence, length & smoothness of the steps; bend					
	С	Track left	and flexion maintained; balance and bend in the corner					
9	Н	Working walk	Willing, smooth transition; balance & bend in corner;					
	S	Turn left	quality of walk					
10	Between S & I	Halt 4 seconds Turn on the haunches left 360 degrees Proceed working walk	Balance in transition to square straight halt; immobility; Regularity & cadence of steps; smoothness; self-carriage; maintains same cadence, frame, straightness as for the walk		x2			



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		MOVEMENT	DIRECTIVES	PONTS	*	TOTAL	COMMENTS
11	Between I & R	Halt 4 seconds Turn on the haunches right 360 degrees	Balance in transition to square straight halt; immobility; Regularity & cadence of steps; smoothness; self-carriage;				
	R	Proceed working walk. Turn right	maintains same cadence, frame, straightness as for the walk		x2		
12	B - V	Free walk	Willing to stretch the neck freely, forward & down;				
	V	Working walk	relaxation; swing through the back; ground cover; overtrack; cadence, smooth transitions, quality of walk		x2		
13	К	Collected lope left lead	Self-carriage, willingness to move forward				
	A - C	Serpentine 3 equal loops width of the arena, maintaining left lead	Correct and even placement of loops; consistent tempo, fluent through change of directions				
14	H-L L	Half-pass left Straight ahead	Reach & crossing of legs, self- carriage; regularity, cadence, length & smoothness of the				
45	_		steps				
15	Α	Track left	Balance and bend in corner				
	P-S X	Change rein, collected lope Simple change of lead through the walk (3-5 steps)	Changes of gait smooth & clearly shown, light in hand, calm and balanced				
16	С	Circle right 15m, collected lope with clear release of reins across the centre line, 4-5 strides.	Quality of lope; accuracy of circle; cadence, suppleness, lightness, clear release of contact of both reins. self-carriage		x2		
17	C - A	Serpentine 3 equal loops width of the arena, maintaining right lead	Correct and even placement of loops; consistent tempo, fluent through change of directions				
18	K – I	Half-pass right Straight ahead	Reach & crossing of legs, self- carriage; regularity, cadence, length & smoothness of the				
	·		steps; quality of lope				
19	С	Track right	Balance and bend in corner				
	R – V X	Change rein Simple change of lead through the walk (3-5 steps)	Changes of gait smooth & clearly shown, light in hand, calm and balanced				
20	А	Down centre line	Balance and bend in corner and turn; self-carriage, willingness				
	L	Collected jog	to move forward, tracking up				
21	Х	Halt. Back 4 steps. Proceed working walk	Square, straight halt; willingness; diagonal pairs in back, light in hands				
	Х	Halt. Salute	Calm transition into square, straight halt, stillness				
		SU	JB-TOTAL MOVEMENT POINTS				

Leave arena at a Free Walk at A



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Collective Marks	Points	*	Total	Comments
Attitude - The ideal Western Dressage horse is willingly guided, responsive, attentive, light, smooth and confident		x2		
Rideability - The horse's self-carriage and ease of movement developed through its cadence, drive, balance, suppleness and straightness		x2		
Finesse - The rider is confident, graceful and proficient. The rider's effectiveness and connection with the horse is established and maintained through a balanced position, feel, timing and correct use of aids		x2		
Fluency - The quality of the test making it pleasing to watch and that flows through correct execution of movements and accurate pattern placement		x2		
SUB-TOTAL COLLECTIVE POINTS				

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SUB-TOTAL MOVEMENT POINTS			
DEDUCT ERRORS	_		JUDGE
FINAL MOVEMENT POINTS	=		JODGE
ADD SUBTOTAL COLLECTIVE POINTS	+		SIGNATUR
FINAL TOTAL POINTS			
DIVIDE BY MAXIMUM POINTS POSSIBLE	÷	330	
MULTIPLY BY 100	×	100	
PERCENTAGE SCORE TO 3 DECIMAL PLACES			

JUDGE SIGNATURE

Level Three						
Expectations	Additional Movements					
Horse demonstrates a high degree of suppleness, balance, straightness, cadence and	Collected lope					
self-carriage; clearly defined transitions between collected and lengthened gaits; changes of bend and direction are fluent. The horse is willingly guided, attentive, and confident.	Minimum 4 strides release of reins at the collected lope					
The rider is confident and proficient, demonstrating a balanced position, feel, timing &	Half-pass at collected jog and collected lope					
correct use of aids. The horse and rider perform in unison and harmony.	Counter lope circles					
Free jog may be ridden rising; all other jog is sitting.	Change of lead through the walk					