

HORSE RIDING CLUBS ASSOCIATION OF VICTORIA INC

**LEVEL 5
TEST 5.3**

INSTRUCTIONS

All trot work rising
Transitions into and out of halt will be made through walk
Running martingales are allowed
Spurs are not allowed

Errors over the course are penalised:

1st error 2 points
2nd error 4 points
3rd error 8 points
4th error Elimination

Aim: Introducing inexperienced combinations to riding dressage tests. Horse showing basic paces. Developing ability to perform simple movements calmly and obediently

60m x 20m Arena
Suggested draw time: **8 minutes**

Event: _____

Date / /

No: _____ Rider: _____ Horse: _____ Club: _____

		TEST	DIRECTIVE IDEAS	Mark	Corr.	Coeff.	Total	COMMENTS
1	A X C	Enter in working trot Halt. Salute Proceed in working trot Track right	Straightness on centre line Steadiness of halt Transition and turn					
2	B	Circle right 20m diameter	Regularity of trot Shape and size of circle					
3	Between P & F A	Medium walk Working trot	Transitions Regularity of walk					
4	K X M	Change rein in working trot	Regularity of trot Straightness on diagonal					
5	Between C & H E - B	Working canter left Half circle 20m diameter	Transitions Shape and size of half circle Steadiness in canter			x 2		
6	Between R & M C	Working trot Medium walk	Transitions Regularity of paces					
7	H X K Before K	Free walk showing some longer rein Shorten the reins	Regularity of walk Activity and relaxation in free walk. Release and shortening of rein			x 2		
8	A	Working trot	Transition Regularity of trot					
9	B	Circle left 20m diameter	Regularity of trot Shape and size of circle					
10	H X F	Change rein in working trot	Straightness on diagonal Regularity of trot					
11	Between A & K E - B	Working canter right Half circle 20m diameter	Transitions Steadiness in canter. Shape and size of half circle			x 2		
12	Between P & F	Working trot	Transition Regularity of trot					
13	A	Turn down centre line	Turn Straightness on centreline					
14	X	Halt. Salute	Transition Steadiness of halt					

Leave arena in walk on long rein at A

COLLECTIVE MARKS

Obedience of the horse: Attentiveness & response to the aids			x 2		
Rider's seat and control of the horse			x 2		

Total Possible Marks: 210	60% = 126	Total Achieved	Less Errors	Penalty Points	x .6 Multiplier	FINAL TOTAL
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