



WDAA 2017 WESTERN DRESSAGE LEVEL 2 TEST 1

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PURPOSE	NEW REQUIREMENTS	ENTRY NO:
<p>Level 2 tests confirm that the horse, having achieved the impulsion required in Level 1, now accepts more weight on the hindquarters (collection); moves with an uphill tendency especially in the lengthened paces; and is reliably and lightly on the bit. A greater degree of straightness, bending, suppleness, balance and self-carriage is required than at Level 1.</p>	<p>Collected jog Collected lope 10m circle at the collected lope Shoulder-in</p>	<p>ARENA SIZE: Large (60m x 20m) AVERAGE RIDE TIME: 5:00 (Large)</p>

The collected jog must be ridden sitting.

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		TEST	DIRECTIVES	POINTS	*	TOTAL	REMARKS
1	A	Enter collected jog	Straightness; regularity and quality of the jog; willing, smooth transitions in and out of square, straight halt; immobility; willingness.				
	X	Halt, salute, Proceed collected jog					
2	I - R	Half circle right 10m, collected jog	Balance and bend on the half circle; angle, bend and balance; engagement; regularity and quality of the jog.				
	R - P	Shoulder-in right			2		
3	F	Collected lope, right lead	Willing, smooth transition; balance and bend in the corner; regularity and quality of the lope.				
4	A	Circle right 10m, collected lope	Balance and bend on the circle and in the corner; regularity and quality of lope.				
5	K - X - H	One loop maintaining the right lead (counter lope)	Balance and bend on loop and in corner; accuracy; regularity and quality of lope.				
6	C	Circle right 20m, lengthened lope	Moderate lengthening of stride and frame with consistent tempo; balance and bend on the circle and in the corner; clear transitions; regularity and quality of the lope.				
	Before C	Collect the lope					
7	M	Working walk	Willing, smooth transition; regularity and quality of the walk.				
8	R - V	Free walk	Horse willing to freely stretch the neck forward and down; relaxation; swing through the back; ground cover; regularity and quality of the walk; willing, smooth transition.				
	V	Working walk			2		
9	K	Collected jog	Willing, smooth transition; balance and bend in the turn; regularity and quality of the jog.				
	A	Turn down center line					
10	I - S	Half circle left 10m, collected jog	Balance and bend on the half circle; angle, bend and balance; engagement; regularity and quality of the jog.				
	S - V	Shoulder-in left			2		
11	K	Collected lope, left lead	Willing, smooth transition; balance and bend in the corner; regularity and quality of the lope.				
12	A	Circle left 10m, collected lope	Balance and bend on the circle and in the corner; regularity and quality of the lope.				
13	F - X - M	One loop maintaining the left lead (counter lope)	Balance and bend on loop and in corners; accuracy; regularity and quality of the lope.				
14	C	Circle left 20m, lengthened lope	Moderate lengthening of stride and frame with consistent tempo; balance and bend on the circle and in corner; clear transitions; regularity and quality of the lope.				
	Before C	Collect the lope					
15	H - X - F	Change rein, collected lope	Straightness on diagonal; balance and bend in the corner; regularity and quality of the lope; willing, smooth transition; regularity and quality of the jog.				
	X	Working jog					
16	A	Down centerline	Balance and bend in the turn; straightness; regularity and quality of the jog; balance in transition to square, straight halt; immobility.				
	X	Halt, salute					

Leave arena at A in a walk with looped or long reins.



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COLLECTIVE MARKS	POINTS	*	TOTAL	ERRORS (deduct)
GAITS: freedom and regularity; elasticity of the steps.		1		
IMPULSION: engagement - transmission of an eager and energetic, yet controlled positive forward energy generated from the hindquarters into the athletic movement of the horse; suppleness of the back.		2		
RIDER'S POSITION, SEAT AND HANDS: well-balanced elastic seat demonstrating vertical, centered alignment, with light independent contact from hand(s)		1		
RIDER'S CORRECT AND EFFECTIVE USE OF THE AIDS: evidenced by the horse's responsiveness; steady elastic connection cultivating athletic expression. Accuracy - precise placement of the figures and transitions, the effectiveness of the rider's aids determines the accurate fulfillment of the required movements of the tests		1		
HARMONY: The horse accepts the aids and influence of the rider with attention, relaxation and confidence; and demonstrates a willing partnership between horse and rider resulting in a free flowing performance		2		
SUBTOTAL:	total of points and coefficients above			
ERRORS:	subtract from subtotal			
TOTAL PONTS: (max points 260)	subtotal minus any errors			

REMARKS:

Attention competitors submitting points to WDAA for the Horse Lifetime Points & Awards Program: Only this bottom portion needs to be submitted along with the Test/Rail Submission Form to verify your points. Please go to www.westerndressageassociation.org for more information.

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Name of Competition

Date of Competition

Name and Number of Horse

Name of Rider

**Final Score
Maximum Points: 260**

Points / Percent

Name of Judge

Signature of Judge