WDAA 2022 WESTERN DRESSAGE INTRODUCTORY LEVEL TEST 4
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## PURPOSE

Tests provide an introduction to the discipline of Western Dressage; the horse performs only at the walk and jog. The rider should demonstrate correct basic position, use of basic aids, and understanding of the figures. The horse should show relaxation; harmony between horse and rider is important. The horse accepts the aids and influence of the rider. The jog should be a natural gait within the horse's scope and should demonstrate a swinging back.
All jog work may be ridden sitting or rising.

NEW REQUIREMENTS
One loop 5 meters off the track

## ENTRY NO:

ARENA SIZE:
Small ( $40 \mathrm{~m} \times 20 \mathrm{~m}$ ) or Large ( $60 \mathrm{~m} \times 20 \mathrm{~m}$ )
AVERAGE RIDE TIME:
4:00 (Small) or 5:00 (Large)

MAXIMUM PTS: 200

|  |  | TEST | DIRECTIVES | POINTS | * | TOTAL | REMARKS |
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| 1 | A $X$ | Enter Flat Walk <br> Halt through working walk, salute Develop Flat Walk through the walk Proceed working jog | Straightness; regularity and quality of the jog and walk; straight, balanced, immobile halt with smooth transitions. |  |  |  |  |
| 2 | $\begin{gathered} C \\ M-F \end{gathered}$ | Track right, Flat Walk <br> One loop 5 meters off the track | Balance and bend in the turn and corners; balance and correct changes of bend on loop; regularity and quality of the jog. |  |  |  |  |
| 3 | A | Circle right 20 meters, Flat Walk | Size and shape of circle with inside bend; regularity and quality of the jog; straightness; balance and bend in the corner. |  |  |  |  |
| 4 | E <br> B | Turn right, Flat Walk Turn right, Flat Walk | Balance and bend in the turns; straightness; regularity and quality of the jog. |  | 2 |  |  |
| 5 | F-A-K | Continue on the track, Flat Walk | Balance and bend in the corners; regularity and quality of the jog. |  |  |  |  |
| 6 | K | Working walk | Willing, smooth transition; straightness; regularity and quality of the walk. |  |  |  |  |
| 7 | $E-M$ <br> M | Free walk <br> Working walk | Horse willing to freely stretch the neck forward and down; relaxation; swing through the back; ground cover; straightness; willing, smooth transition; regularity and quality of the walks; balance and bend in the corner. |  | 2 |  |  |
| 8 | Between C \& H H-K | Develop Flat Walk <br> One loop 5 meters off the track | Willing, smooth transition; balance and correct changes of bend on loop; regularity and quality of the jog; balance and bend in the corners. |  |  |  |  |
| 9 | A | Circle left 20 meters, Flat Walk | Size and shape of circle with inside bend; regularity and quality of the jog; straightness; balance and bend in the corners. |  |  |  |  |
| 10 | B <br> E | Turn left Turn left | Balance and bend in the turns; straightness; balance and bend in the corner; regularity and quality of the jog. |  | 2 |  |  |
| 11 | A <br> X | Down centerline <br> Halt through the walk, salute | Balance and bend in the turn; straightness; regularity and quality of the jog and walk; balance in downward transition to square, straight halt, immobility. |  |  |  |  |

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

