

- WALK/TROT -

INTRODUCTORY LEVEL - TEST B

(United States Pony Club D-2 Test)

2007

1.	A	Enter working trot rising.	Coefficient
	X	Halt through medium walk. Salute - Proceed working trot rising.	
2.	C	Track left medium trot rising.	
3.	E	Circle left 20 meters working trot rising.	x 2
	E	Straight ahead.	
4.	FXH	Change rein working trot rising.	
5.	Between C & M	Medium walk.	
6.	MXF	Free walk on two diagonals.	x 2
	F	Medium walk.	
7.	A	Working trot rising.	x 2
	E	Circle right 20 meters.	
	E	Straight ahead.	
8.	MXK	Change rein working trot rising.	
9.	A	Down Centerline.	
	X	Halt through medium walk. Salute.	

Instruction:

All trot work to be ridden rising. Transitions from walk to trot and trot to walk may be performed through sitting trot with the objective of performing a smooth transition.

Turns from center line to long side and long side to center line should be ridden as a half circle, touching the track at a point midway between the center line and the corner, and vice versa.

Comment:

Horses should be ridden on a light but steady contact, with the exception of the free walk in which the horse is allowed complete freedom to lower and stretch out the head and neck.

Collective Marks:

Gaits - Freedom and regularity.

Impulsion - Desire to move forward, relaxation of the back.

Submission - Attention and confidence; harmony, lightness and ease of movements; acceptance of the bit with nose slightly in front of the vertical.

Rider - Position and seat; correctness and effect of the aids.

Maximum Points: 200

Average Time:

5 min - small arena

(20m x 40m)

6 min - standard arena

(20m x 60m)

Key To Directional

Arena Diagrams:

Walk -----

Trot - - - - -

Canter _____

