

# 2019 USEF TRAINING LEVEL TEST 1

## PURPOSE

To confirm that the horse demonstrates correct basics, is supple and moves freely forward in a clear rhythm with a steady tempo, accepting contact with the bit.

All trot work may be ridden sitting or rising, unless stated.

Halts may be through the walk.

*READER PLEASE NOTE: Anything in parentheses should not be read.*

### INTRODUCE

Working trot; working canter; medium walk; free walk; 20m circles in trot and canter

### ENTRY NO:

Conditions:

ARENA SIZE: Standard or Small

AVERAGE RIDE TIME: 5:00 (Std.) or 4:00 (Small)

(from entry at A to final halt)

*Suggested to add at least 2 min. for scheduling purposes*

**MAXIMUM PTS: 260**

TEST		DIRECTIVES	POINTS	COEFFICIENT	TOTAL	REMARKS
1.	A X	Enter working trot Halt, salute Proceed working trot				
2.	C E	Track left Circle left 20m		2		
3.	A	Circle left 20m developing left lead canter in first quarter of circle				
4.	A-F-B	Working canter				
5.	Between B & M	Working trot		2		
6.	C	Medium walk		2		
7.	E-F F	Change rein, free walk Medium walk		2		
8.	A	Working trot				
9.	E	Circle right 20m		2		
10.	C	Circle right 20m developing right lead canter in first quarter of circle				
11.	C-M-B	Working canter				
12.	Between B & F	Working trot		2		
13.	A X	Down centerline Halt, salute				
Leave arena at A in free walk.						



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COLLECTIVE MARKS				
GAITS (Freedom and regularity)		1		
IMPULSION (Desire to move forward; elasticity of the steps; suppleness of the back; engagement of the hindquarters)		2		
SUBMISSION (Willing cooperation; harmony; attention and confidence; acceptance of bit and aids; straightness; lightness of forehand and ease of movements)		2		
RIDER'S POSITION AND SEAT (Alignment; posture; stability; weight placement; following mechanics of the gaits)		1		
RIDER'S CORRECT AND EFFECTIVE USE OF AIDS (Clarity; subtlety; independence; accuracy of test)		1		
FURTHER REMARKS:				
<b>To be deducted</b> Errors of the course and omissions are penalized			<b>1st Time = 2 points</b> <b>2nd Time = 4 points</b> <b>3rd Time = Elimination</b>	
			<b>SUBTOTAL:</b>	
			<b>ERRORS:</b> (-                    )	
			<b>TOTAL POINTS:</b> (Max Points: 260)	

<b>Final Score</b> <b>Maximum Pts: 260</b>	<b>United States Equestrian Federation, Inc.</b> <b>2019 USEF TRAINING LEVEL TEST 1</b>
Points _____ Percent _____	
Name of Judge _____ Signature of Judge _____	Name of Rider _____ Name and Number of Horse _____ Date of Competition _____ Name of Competition _____