

THE NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS OF GB

OPEN Dressage



Using OPEN TEST no.2 (Caller not allowed- test must be LEARNT)

Class 3 OPEN IN HAND TEST

	Marker	TEST	Maximum Marks
1.	A	Enter in medium walk. Proceed down the centre line at C Track right	10
2.	M	Transition to working trot.	10
3	B	Circle right 10m diameter	10
4	A	Circle left 10 meters diameter, (20m if driven) returning to A	10
5	F	Transition to Medium Walk	10
6	A	Halt and rein back four strides, proceed in medium walk	10
7	K	Transition to working trot.	10
8	E	Circle right 10 meters diameter, (20m if driven) returning to A	10
9	H	Transition to medium walk	10
10	C	Halt, immobility four seconds and proceed in working trot	10
11	M X K	Change the rein show lengthened stride over 'X'	10
12	A	3 loop serpentine to each side of the track at C on the right rein.	10
13	C	Medium walk.	10
14	M E	Change rein in free walk on a long rein	10
15	E F	Change rein in free walk on a long rein	10
16	F	Medium walk	10

17	A	Turn up the centre line	10
18	X	Halt and salute	10
19		Leave the arena on a long rein	

COLLECTIVE MARKS also awarded OPEN IN HAND Test 2	
Presentation (smartness of turnout of horse/pony and handler)	10
Impulsion (desire to move forward with a steady tempo)	10
Harmony (acceptance, lightness, and obedience of the horse/ pony to the handler's commands) Acceptance of bridle.	10
Skill and accuracy of handler.	10
Geometry and accuracy (correct size and shape of circles, loops, and turns).	10
Correct & effective use of voice & hand aids.	10
TOTAL Available MARKS	190

Have a go, just enjoy yourself!

The scale of the marks awarded are as follows.

10	Excellent	4	Insufficient
9	Very good	3	Fairly poor
8	Good	2	Poor
7	Fairly good	1	Very poor
6	Satisfactory	0	Not performed
5	Sufficient		

Penalties for errors of course.

First error	2 marks
Second error	4 marks
Third and subsequent errors	5 marks

