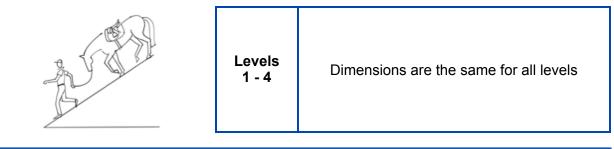


INCLINE DOWN / IN-HAND



Description

A smooth sloped incline to descend with marked obstacle route 2 to 4 m wide. Stirrups without fenders must be secured. Must be negotiated at the walk.

Objective

To demonstrate the horse's correct balance and willingness. Horse to follow on a loose rein, maintaining a respectful distance from the rider.

Features

- ➢ Slope: approx. 30° to 45°
- ➤ Length: minimum 10 m

Style Evaluation

- Regular forward motion
- > Correct rider position, looking ahead
- Horse and rider maintain balance
- Horse moving straight

Effectiveness Faults

- > Break of gait
- > Running out
- > Error of course corrected

Penalties

Zero Overall Score

 Foot outside obstacle boundaries

\succ Discreet and correct rider aids

- > Progression on loose reins
- Horse's nose stays behind rider's shoulder
- Stepping back
- > Refusal
- > Circling

Points Subtracted

- ➤ -1 Flapping stirrups
- ➤ -5 Brutality
- ➤ -5 Dangerous handling



Obstacle #:

INCLINE DOWN / IN-HAND

Judge:

	Rider #				
Effectiveness					
Correct	7				
1 Fault	4				
2 Faults	1				
3 Faults	Х				
	Total E				
Style		1	I	l	I
Very good	3				
Quite good	2				
Good	1				
Average	-				
Mediocre	-1				
Bad	-2				
	Total S				
Penalties		1			
Flapping stirrups	-1				
Brutality	-5				
Dangerous riding	-5				
Foot outside	Х				
Fall of rider/horse	Excused				
	Total P				
Score	E + S + P =				

Observations (Rider #, Comment):