

BRITISH CARRIAGE DRIVING



Driven Dressage Test

Pre-Novice

2025

**Arena size:
80 x 40 metres**

This document is designed for double-sided printing:

- Dressage test marking sheet - Print pages 3 & 4
- Movement diagram from A (competitors) - Print pages 5 & 6
- Movement diagram from C (judges) - Print pages 7 & 8



**PLEASE CONSIDER THE ENVIRONMENT
ONLY PRINT THE PAGES YOU ACTUALLY NEED**

This Dressage Test is Copyright © British Carriage Driving

This test and its associated diagrams is for personal use by British Carriagedriving members.
It may not be copied, reproduced or sold in any form without permission from
British Carriage Driving.

Please contact email@britishcarriagedriving.co.uk or telephone 07494 876 814

FILLER PAGE

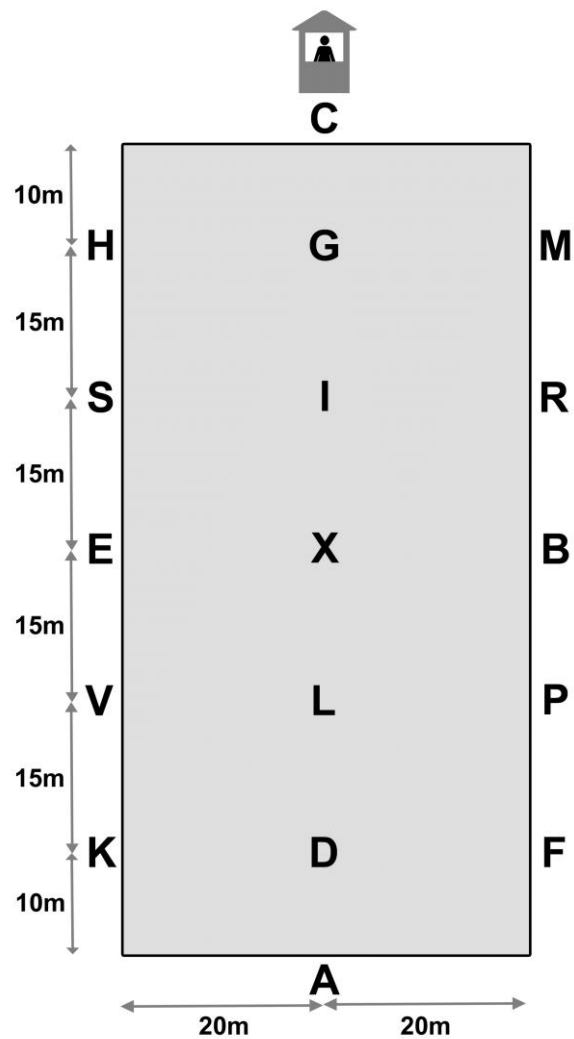
This page is the inside front cover.

It is here to ensure that test sheets and diagrams print on the correct sides of paper when using double-sided printing.



**PLEASE CONSIDER THE ENVIRONMENT
ONLY PRINT THE PAGES YOU ACTUALLY NEED**

80 x 40 m dressage arena



MOVEMENT		TO BE JUDGED	REMARKS	MARK
1	A AXCH	Enter at working trot Working Trot.	Driving in on a straight line. Transition to Working Trot, Rhythm, Bending.	
2	HXF FAK	Change rein and show a few lengthened strides over X. Working Trot.	Impulsion, Regularity, Balance, Transition.	
3	K KE	Circle right 20m diameter. Working Trot.	Accuracy, Rhythm, Balance, Bending.	
4	EX XB	Half circle right 20 m diameter. Half circle left 20m diameter.	Impulsion, Rhythm, accuracy of figure, bending.	
5	BM M	Working Trot. Circle left 20. diameter.	Accuracy, Rhythm, Balance, Bending.	
6	MCS	Working Trot.	Impulsion, Rhythm, Bending.	
7	SF	Free walk.	Relaxation, Freedom, Regularity, Lengthening of the frame and stride, Activity.	
8	FA AC	Working Trot. 3 Loop Serpentine.	Rhythm, Bend.	
9	CM MXK	Working Trot. Change the rein showing a few lengthened strides over X.	Impulsion, Regularity. Balance, Transitions.	
10	KADX	Working Trot.	Straightness, Rhythm.	
11	X	Halt 5 seconds.	Transition to Halt, Immobility. Square.	

MOVEMENT		TO BE JUDGED	REMARKS	MARK
12	X	Rein Back 2 to 4 steps.	Transition to Rein Back, Obedience,	
13	XG	Walk.	Transition to Walk. Relaxation and regularity.	
14	G	Halt and Salute. Leave Arena at Working Trot.	Immobility at G.	
15		Paces	Rhythm. Freedom.	
16		Impulsion	Free forward movement	
17		Obedience, lightness	Response to aids, Acceptance of the bit. Willing without resistance. Balance, Bend.	
18		Athlete	Use of aids, handling of reins and driving aid, position on the box, accuracy of figures and transitions.	
19		General impression and presentation	Appearance of athlete and grooms, correctness, cleanliness of harness and harmonizing with carriage. Fitness and condition of horse, balanced picture of the complete turnout. Harmony between horse and athlete.	

Maximum marks: **190** Co-efficient = **0.84**

TOTAL

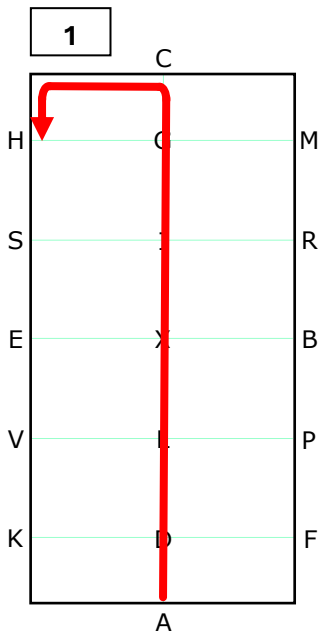
--

Errors of Course, Disobedience and Dismounting of Grooms
To be marked on the President of the Jury's sheet only

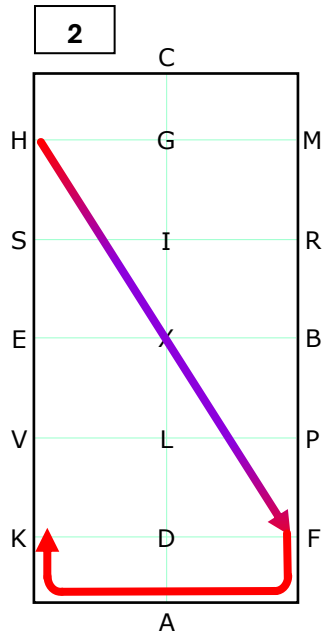
--	--

Signature of Judge

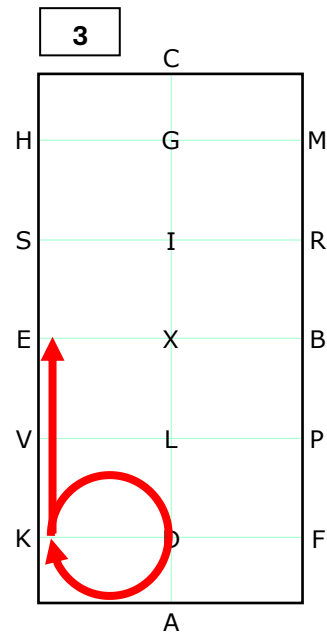
Signature of President of Jury



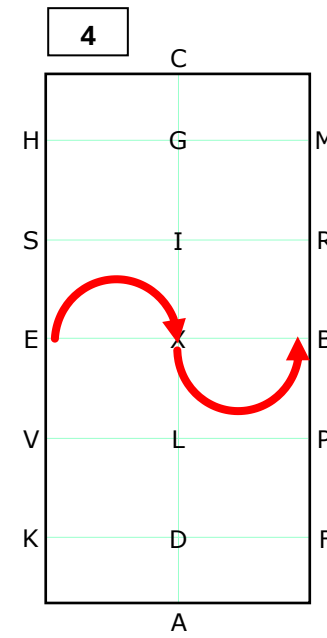
A Enter at working trot
AXCH Working trot



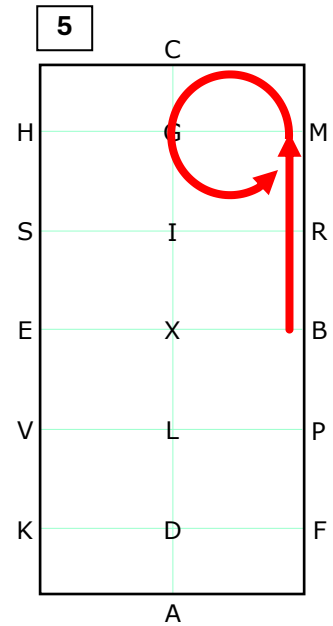
HXF Change rein and show a few lengthened strides over X
FAK Working trot



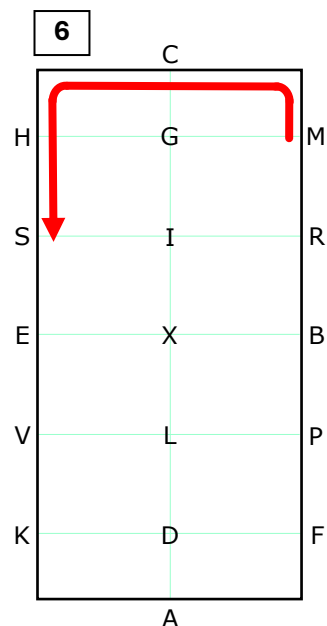
K Circle right 20m diameter
KE Working trot



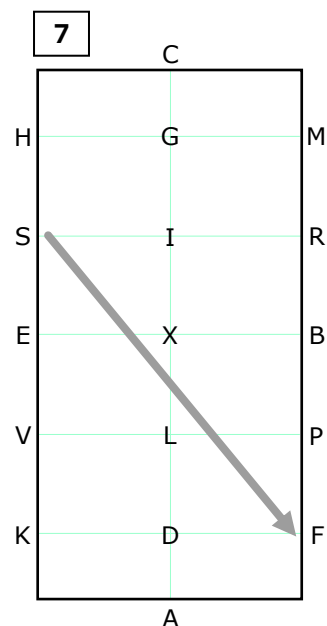
EX Half circle right 20m diameter
XB Half circle left 20m diameter



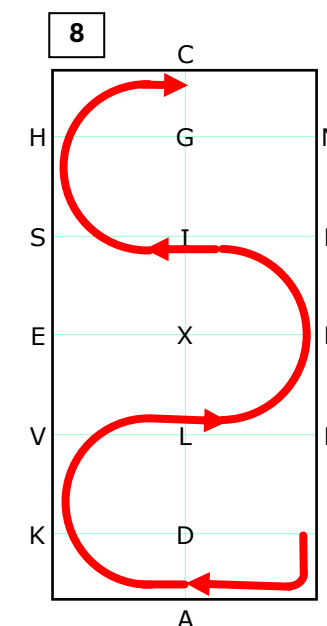
BM Working trot
M Circle left 20m diameter



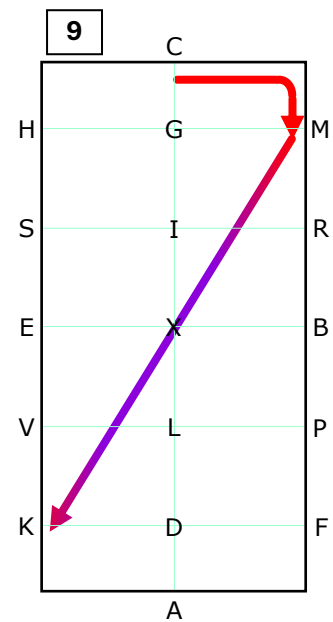
MCS Working trot



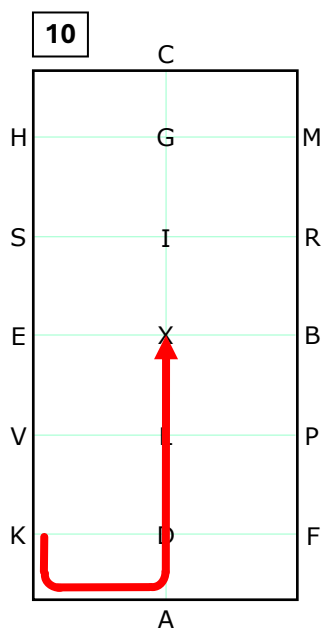
SF Free walk



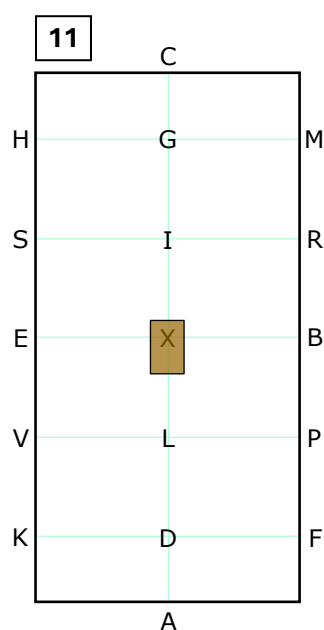
FA Working trot
AC 3 loop serpentine



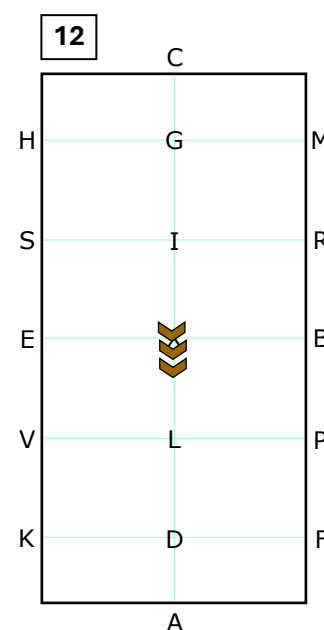
CM Working trot
MXK Change the rein showing a few lengthened strides over X



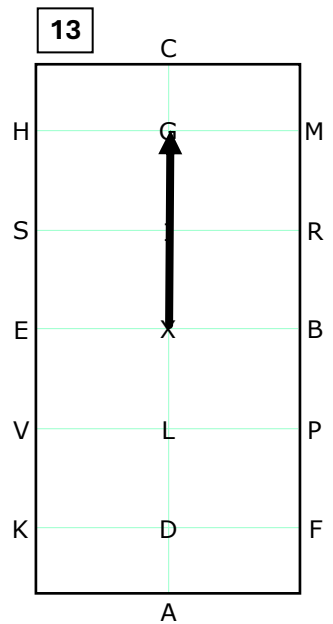
KADX Working trot



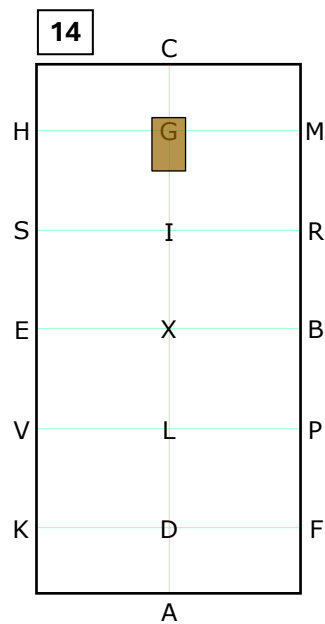
X Halt 5 seconds



X Rein back 2 to 4 steps



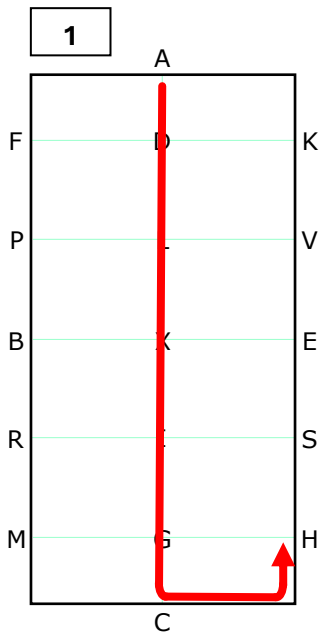
XG Walk



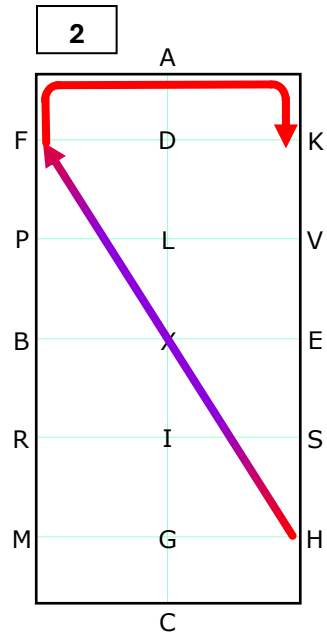
G Halt and salute
 Leave arena at working trot

COLOUR CODE

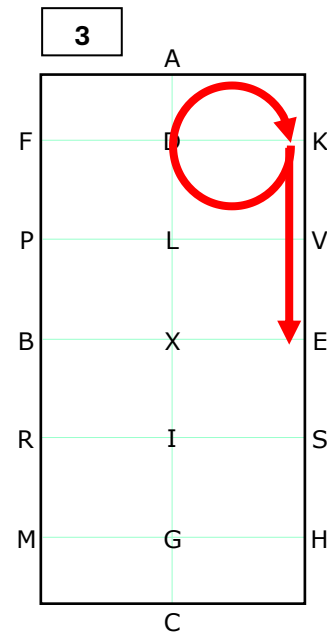
- WALK
- FREE WALK
- WORKING TROT
- LENGTHEN STRIDE
- HALT



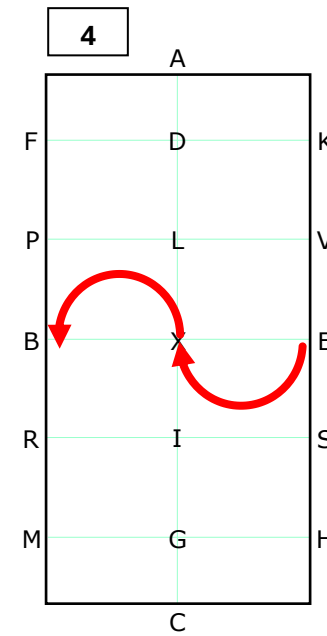
A Enter at working trot
AXCH Working trot



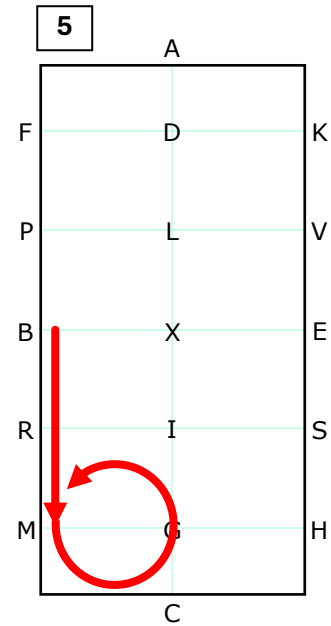
HXF Change rein and show a few lengthened strides over X
FAK Working trot



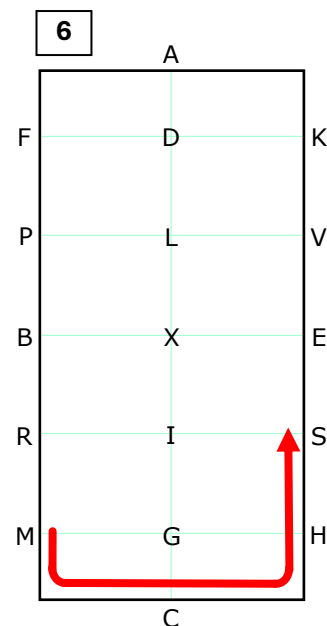
K Circle right 20m diameter
KE Working trot



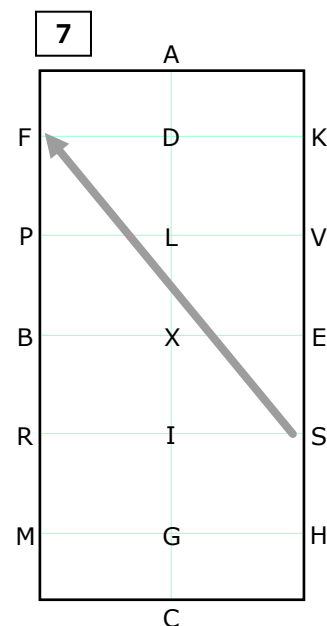
EX Half circle right 20m diameter
XB Half circle left 20m diameter



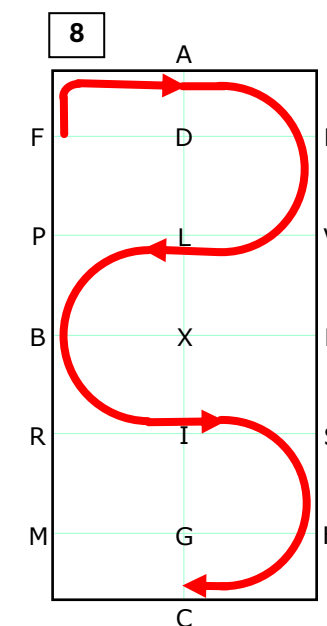
BM Working trot
M Circle left 20m diameter



MCS Working trot

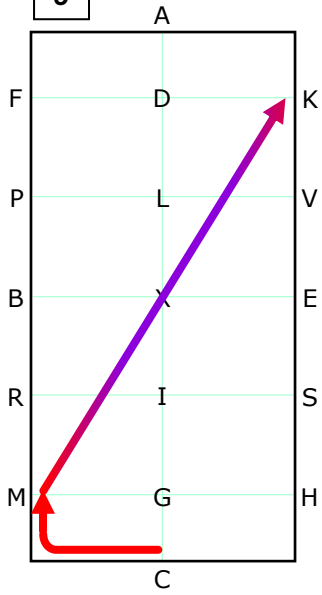


SF Free walk



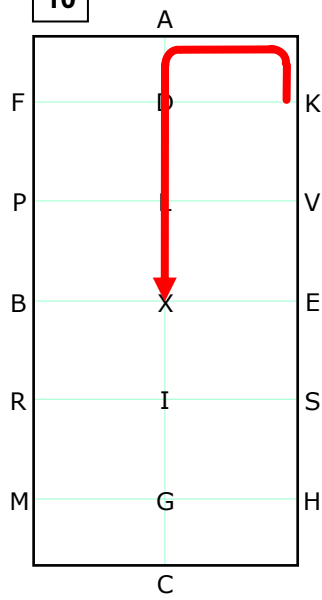
FA Working trot
AC 3 loop serpentine

9



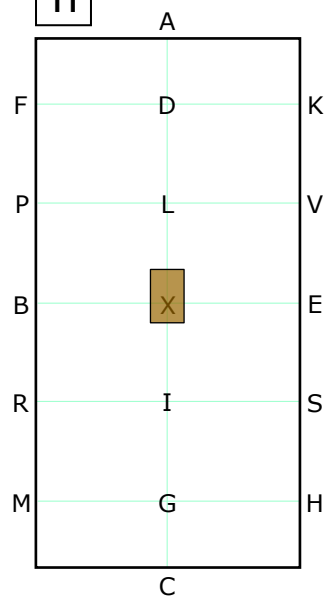
CM Working trot
MXK Change the rein showing a few lengthened strides over X

10



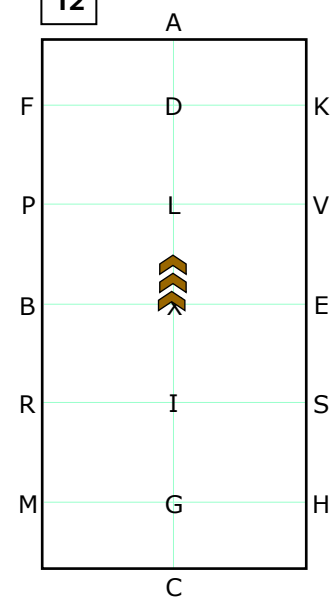
KADX Working trot

11



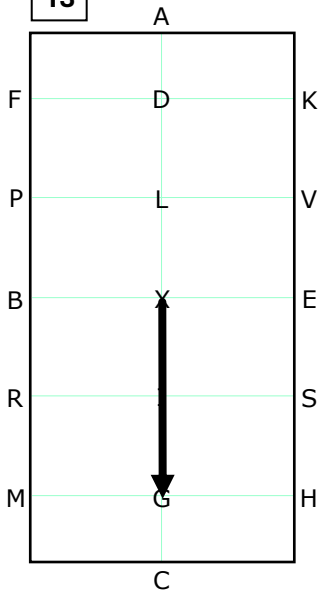
X Halt 5 seconds

12



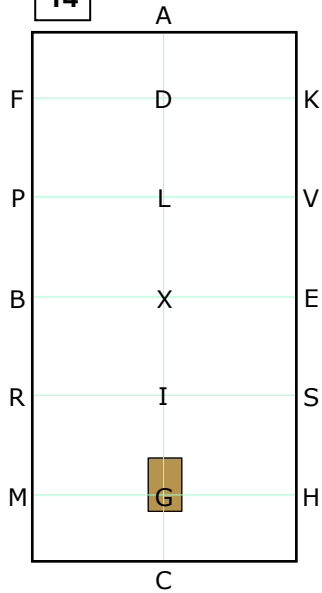
X Rein back 2 to 4 steps

13



XG Walk

14



G Halt and salute
 Leave arena at working trot

COLOUR CODE

— WALK

— FREE WALK

— WORKING TROT

— LENGTHEN STRIDE

— HALT