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Dressage (Pure) Tack Sheet

Equipment	Notes	P1	P2	P3	Ν	E	М
Riding Hat	PAS 015, ASTM F1163 2004a onwards with SEI mark, Snell E2001, AS/NZS 3838: 2003, VG1 01.040 2014-12 with BSI Kitemark or Inspec IC mark. Black or Navy covers only.	С	С	с	С	С	С
Body Protector		R	R	R	R	R	R
Whip		~	~	~	~	~	~
Rider Dress	Conservative colour or tweed coat with correctly tied stock, white American collar or shirt and tie. Only white/cream stock with conservative coloured coat or coloured stock with tweed coat is correct. Beige, cream or white jodphurs only. AO riders may wear top hat & tails if schedule permits.	С	С	С	С	С	С
Footwear	Boots must be black or brown. Half chaps are not permitted. Leather gaiters worn with matching boots are permitted.	С	С	С	С	с	С
Gloves		С	С	С	С	С	С
Spurs	Blunt spurs only of plain metal may be used and the tip must contain metal. Spurs that have a smooth rotating rubber or plastic ball on the shank are also permitted. AP riders may wear spurs, max 2cms.	×	~	~	~	~	~
Jewellery	Jewellery that is considered to be hazardous should not be worn. It is the riders responsibility if it is worn.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Snaffle Bridle	Three ring bits are not permitted.	С	с	с	с	~	~
Pelham Bridle		×	×	×	×	×	×
Double Bridle	Open and Advanced Open riders may use a double bridle when riding an Elementary test or higher or if the schedule permits.	×	×	×	×	~	~
Bitguards		×	×	×	×	×	×
Nosebands	Rope or sheepskin nosebands are not permitted. Grackle nosebands are now permitted.	С	С	С	С	С	С
Martingale		×	×	×	×	×	×
Boots / Bandages		×	×	×	×	×	×
Running Reins		×	×	×	×	×	×
Saddle Cloths		~	~	~	~	~	~
Fly Fringes	Ear cover/fly hoods must not cover the horse's eyes. The cover/hood should be discreet in colour & design. Ear hoods may not be attached to the noseband. Ear plugs are not permitted.	~	~	~	~	~	~

C = Compulsory

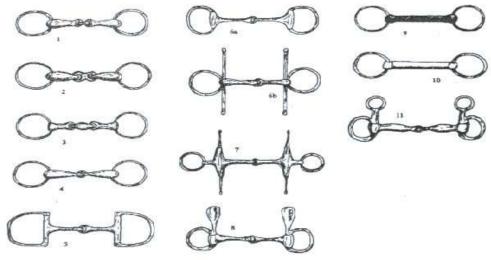
R = Recommended

× = Forbidden

✓ = Permitted

Permitted Bits

Bits should follow the configuration of those illustrated below. No variations other than those illustrated may be used. They may be used with any of the cheeks or rings illustrated.



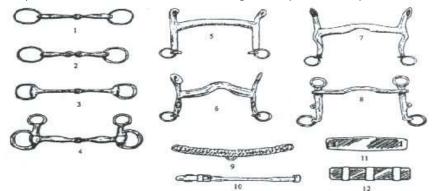
- 1. Ordinary snaffle with double-jointed mouthpiece
- 2. Ordinary snaffle with double-jointed mouthpiece (French Link)
- 3. Ordinary snaffle with jointed mouthpiece with Lozenge
- 4. Ordinary snaffle with jointed mouthpiece
- 5. Racing Snaffle (D ring)

- 6. Egg-butt snaffle (a, without cheeks; b, with cheeks)
- 7. Other type of snaffle with cheeks
- 8. Snaffle with upper cheeks only
- 9. Rubber, leather or plastic snaffle jointed or unjointed
- 10. Unjointed snaffle
- 11. Hanging cheeks egg butt snaffle or loose ring hanging snaffle

Snaffle bits with a rotating middle piece are permitted such as Myler bits MB01, MB02, MB09 and MB 32.

Double Bridle (Open & Advanced Open Riders only)

Bits should follow the configuration of those illustrated below. Rigid plastic bits are permissible in a double bridle, however, flexible rubber bits are not permissible. Bridoon bits with a rotating middle piece is now permitted.



Various Bridoon Bits

- I. Ordinary bridoon bit
- 2. Bridoon bit with two joints

Various Types of Curb Bits

- 5. Half-moon bit
- **6**. Curb bit with curved cheeks and port
- 7. Curb bit with loops for the lipstrap on the cheeks and with port
- 8. Curb bit with port and sliding mouthpiece (Weymouth)
- 9. Curb chain

- 3. Egg-butt bridoon bit
- 4. Bridoon bit with cheeks
- 10. Lipstrap
- II. Rubber cover for curb chain
- 12. Leather cover for curb chain
- 13. Leather curb chain, not shown above
- (not permitted under FEI rules)

Bridoon & Curb bits must be made of metal or rigid plastic and may be covered with plastic. Wrapping of bits and flexible rubber bits are not permitted.