




AKC
Obedience
Charts & Tables

Jump Chart
Group Exercise Sheets
Excusal Chart
Placement Sheet
Judge's Book Score Conversion Table
Principal Parts of the Exercises
(Good to laminate & have on your clipboard for quick reference)
Judging Call Phone Inquire Sheet
(to have by your phone(s))
Judging Expense Sheet
(an invoice to turn into the club after judging)



Jump Chart

(Chapter 4, Section 11)

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Breeds That Jump Once the Height of Dog at the Withers

Measured height nearest multiple of 2" to the height of the dog's withers.



Chart For Once the Height at the Withers

Height to be Jumped	Broad Jump Hurdles	High Jump Chart Board Combinations
4"	(8) 1	4" = 4
8"	(16) 2	8" = 8
10"	(20) 2	10" = 8 + 2
12"	(24) 2	12" = 8 + 4
14"	(28) 3	14" = 8 + 4 + 2
16"	(32) 3	16" = 8 + 8
18"	(36) 3	18" = 8 + 8 + 2
20"	(40) 3	20" = 8 + 8 + 4
22"	(44) 3	22" = 8 + 8 + 4 + 2
24"	(48) 4	24" = 8 + 8 + 8
26"	(52) 4	26" = 8 + 8 + 8 + 2
28"	(56) 4	28" = 8 + 8 + 8 + 4
30"	(60) 4	30" = 8 + 8 + 8 + 4 + 2
32"	(64) 4	32" = 8 + 8 + 8 + 8
34"	(68) 4	34" = 8 + 8 + 8 + 8 + 2
36"	(72) 4	36" = 8 + 8 + 8 + 8 + 4

Chart For 3/4 the Height at the Withers

Measured Height	Height to Jump	Broad Jump
Less than 10"	4"	(8) 1
10 to less than 12 1/2"	8"	(16) 2
12 1/2 to less than 15"	10"	(20) 2
15 to less than 17 1/2"	12"	(24) 2
17 1/2 to less than 20"	14"	(28) 3
20 to less than 23"	16"	(32) 3
23 to less than 25 1/2"	18"	(36) 3
25 1/2 to less than 28"	20"	(40) 3
28 to less than 31"	22"	(44) 3
31 to less than 33 1/2"	24"	(48) 4
33 1/2 to less than 36"	26"	(52) 4
36 to less than 39"	28"	(56) 4



Broad Jump: To cover a distance equal to TWICE the height of the High Jump

4 hurdles shall be used for a jump of 48" to 72"
 3 hurdles shall be used for a jump of 28" to 44"
 2 hurdles shall be used for a jump of 16" to 24"
 1 hurdle shall be used for a jump of 8"

When decreasing the number of hurdles in the Jump, the highest hurdle(s) shall be removed first.

Breeds Jumping 3/4 Their Height at the Withers (50) --- Effective January 1, 2012

Akita	Dandie Dinmount Terrier	Norwich Terrier
Argentine Dogo	Dogue De Bordeaux	Otterhound
Basset Hound	Estrela Mountain Dog	Pekingese
Bergamasco	French Bulldog	Pembroke Welsh Corgi
Bernese Mountain Dog	Grand Basset Griffon Vendéen	Petit Basset Griffon Vendéen
Black Russian Terrier	Great Dane	Portuguese Podengo
Bloodhound	Great Pyrenees	Pugs
Bolognese	Greater Swiss Mountain Dog	Saint Bernard
Borzoi	Irish Wolfhound	Scottish Terriers
Bulldog	Kishu Ken	Sealyham Terrier
Bullmastiff	Kooikerhondje	Shih Tzu
Cardigan Welsh Corgi	Kuvaszok	Skye Terrier
Caucasian Mountain Dog	Lagotto Romagnolo	Sussex Spaniel
Chinese Shar-Pei	Leonberger	Swedish Vallhunds
Chow Chow	Mastiff	Thai Ridgeback
Clumber Spaniel	Neopolitan Mastiff	West Highland White Terrier
Dachshund	Newfoundland	

Print and trim for a pocket-size guide to fit in your regulations.

Breeds Jumping
 $\frac{3}{4}$ Height at Withers:

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Below are a few suggested items for a stewarding kit. Be prepared and enjoy the day!

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|----|-----------------------------------|
| 1. | Calculator (check batteries) |
| 2. | Pens & pencils (for Group sheets) |
| 3. | 20' Tape measure (Broad/Bar Jump) |
| 4. | Dress for the weather |
| 5. | Folding chair |

AKC OBEDIENCE TRIAL EXCUSAL REFERENCE CHART

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JUDGE'S OBSERVATION	DISQUALIFY	EXCUSE	OPTION TO REJUDGE		CHAPTER	SECTION
			YES	NO		
Identification		X	X		1	10
Dog blind - W/O USEFUL vision	X			X	1	17
Dog deaf - W/O USEFUL hearing	X			X	1	17
Dog changed for <u>cosmetic</u> reasons	X			X	1	17
Dog <u>attempts</u> to attack a person in the ring	X			X	1 2	17 25
Dog attacks a person in the ring	X			X	1 2	17 25
Dog <u>attempts</u> to attack a dog in the ring		X		X	1 2	17 25
Dog attacks a dog in the ring		X		X	1 2	17 25
Dog <u>appears</u> dangerous in the ring		X		X	1 2	17 25
Lame - Irregularity of locomotion		X		X	1	17
Dog Taped/bandaged/medical attachments		X		X	1	17
Hair - Permitted: eyes, ears or beard... May be tied back with elastic bands or small plain barrettes as in breed ring		X	X		1	17
Hair - Not permitted: dyed/chalk/powder/protection/adornment		X	X		1	17
Bitches in season		X		X	1	18
Bitches attractive to males		X		X	1	18
Dog out of control		X		X	1 2	18 25
Handler willfully interferes		X		X	1	18
Handler abuses dog		X		X	1 2 2	18 3 28
Dog unfit to compete		X		X	1	18
Vet excusal in writing		X		X	1	25
Bench/trial committee excusal		X		X	1	25
Leash - fabric/leather/adequate length		X	X		2 2	16 26
Collars - properly fitted and approved by the judge. No special training collars.		X	X		2 2	17 26
Fear/nervousness - <u>may</u> be excused depending on the extent		X		X	2 2	3 25
Uncontrolled behavior - <u>may</u> be excused depending on the extent		X		X	2	25
Barking/snapping - <u>may</u> be excused depending on the extent		X		X	2	25
Running from handler - <u>may</u> be excused depending on the extent		X		X	2	25
Foul ring - Judge's OPTION TO EXCUSE		X		X	2 2	3 25
Training in ring - Judge's OPTION TO EXCUSE		X		X	2	27
Practicing in the ring - Judge's OPTION TO EXCUSE		X		X	2	27
Excessive verbal commands - Judge's OPTION TO EXCUSE		X		X	2	27

Disciplining in the ring		X		X	2 2	3 27
Abuse - report immediately.		X		X	2 2	3 28
Suspend for conduct prejudicial to the best interest of purebred dogs.		X		X	2	28
NQ score for carrying or offering food in the ring. Judge may excuse if he/she considers food being used as training.		X		X	2 2	3 22
Dog relieves itself while in the ring for judging. Judge's OPTION TO EXCUSE		X		X	2 2	3 25
Performance not meeting minimum requirements				X	2	3
Equipment that Does not meet the requirements of the Obedience Regulations						
		X	X			
Novice Equipment for the Ring						
Identification					1	10
Leash					2	16
Collar					2	17
Open Equipment for the Ring						
Identification, leash, collar same as in the Novice classes						
Dumbbell					4	9
Utility Equipment for the Ring						
Identification, leash, collar same as in the Novice classes						
Scent articles					5	8
Gloves					5	10

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Class Placements

Pertaining to circled class below:

Novice A Novice B Open A Open B Utility A Utility B

Beginners Novice Graduate Novice Graduate Open Versatility

Pre-Novice Veterans Brace Team Advanced Team Work

Wild Card N O U

The maximum number of points for a perfect score is 200 Points
(Team 800 Points)

Judge: _____

Stewards: _____

Dogs in competition _____

1st Score _____ Catalog # _____

2nd Score _____ Catalog # _____

3rd Score _____ Catalog # _____

4th Score _____ Catalog# _____

All other scores will be posted at the Superintendent's Table

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Points Off	Final Score	Judge's Book Conversion Chart For AKC Obedience			
0.0	200.0				
0.5	199.5	10.5	189.5	20.5	179.5
1.0	199.0	11.0	189.0	21.0	179.0
1.5	198.5	11.5	188.5	21.5	178.5
2.0	198.0	12.0	188.0	22.0	178.0
2.5	197.5	12.5	187.5	22.5	177.5
3.0	197.0	13.0	187.0	23.0	177.0
3.5	196.5	13.5	186.5	23.5	176.5
4.0	196.0	14.0	186.0	24.0	176.0
4.5	195.5	14.5	185.5	24.5	175.5
5.0	195.0	15.0	185.0	25.0	175.0
5.5	194.5	15.5	184.5	25.5	174.5
6.0	194.0	16.0	184.0	26.0	174.0
6.5	193.5	16.5	183.5	26.5	173.5
7.0	193.0	17.0	183.0	27.0	173.0
7.5	192.5	17.5	182.5	27.5	172.5
8.0	192.0	18.0	182.0	28.0	172.0
8.5	191.5	18.5	181.5	28.5	171.5
9.0	191.0	19.0	181.0	29.0	171.0
9.5	190.5	19.5	180.5	29.5	170.5
10.0	190.0	20.0	180.0	30.0	170.0

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Points Off	Final Score	Judge's Book Conversion Chart For AKC Obedience			
30.5	169.5	40.5	159.5	50.5	149.5
31.0	169.0	41.0	159.0	51.0	149.0
31.5	168.5	41.5	158.5	51.5	148.5
32.0	168.0	42.0	158.0	52.0	148.0
32.5	167.5	42.5	157.5	52.5	147.5
33.0	167.0	43.0	157.0	53.0	147.0
33.5	166.5	43.5	156.5	53.5	146.5
34.0	166.0	44.0	156.0	54.0	146.0
34.5	165.5	44.5	155.5	54.5	145.5
35.0	165.0	45.0	155.0	55.0	145.0
35.5	164.5	45.5	154.5	55.5	144.5
36.0	164.0	46.0	154.0	56.0	144.0
36.5	163.5	46.5	153.5	56.5	143.5
37.0	163.0	47.0	153.0	57.0	143.0
37.5	162.5	47.5	152.5	57.5	142.5
38.0	162.0	48.0	152.0	58.0	142.0
38.5	161.5	48.5	151.5	58.5	141.5
39.0	161.0	49.0	151.0	59.0	141.0
39.5	160.5	49.5	150.5	59.5	140.5
40.0	160.0	50.0	150.0	60.0	140.0

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Principal Features of Exercises

Novice:

HEEL ON LEASH AND FIGURE EIGHT:

The ability of the dog and handler to work as a team.

STAND FOR EXAMINATION:

The dog stands in position before and during the examination without displaying resentment.

HEEL FREE:

Refer to Heel On Leash And Figure Eight.

RECALL:

The dog stay where left until called by the handler, and that the dog responds promptly to the handler's command or signal to come.

GROUP EXERCISES:

The dog remain in the sitting or down position, whichever is required by the particular exercise.

Open:

HEEL AND FREE AND FIGURE EIGHT:

Refer to Novice Heel On Leash And Figure Eight.

DROP ON RECALL:

The principal features of this exercise, in addition to those listed under the Novice Recall, are the dog's prompt response to command or signal to drop, and the dog remaining in the down position until again called or signaled to come.

RETRIEVE ON FLAT:

The dog retrieve promptly.

RETRIEVE OVER HIGH JUMP:

The dog go out over the jump, picks up the dumbbell and promptly returns with it over the jump.

BROAD JUMP:

The dog stay where left until directed to jump and that the dog clear the jump on a single command or signal and that the dog return to its handler after it has jumped.

GROUP EXERCISES:

Refer to Novice Group Exercises.

Utility:

SIGNAL EXERCISES:

The ability of dog and handler to work as a team while heeling, and the dog's correct responses to the signals to Stand, Stay, Drop, Sit and Come.

SCENT DISCRIMINATION:

The selection of the handler's article from among the other articles by scent alone, and the prompt delivery of the right article to the handler.

DIRECTED RETRIEVE:

The dog stay until directed to retrieve, that it go directly to the designated glove, and retrieves it promptly.

MOVING STAND AND EXAMINATION:

The dog heel, stand and stay as the handler moves away, accept the examination without shyness or resentment, and return to the handler on command.

DIRECTED JUMPING:

The dog goes away from the handler to the opposite end of the ring, stops, jumps as directed and returns as in the Novice Recall.

Judging Inquiry

John Sue Both

Contact Date _____ Trial Date _____

By _____ Phone () _____

Club _____

IF breed specialty, is it for the breed or an all-breed trial

Location _____

Airport _____

Class(es) NA NB BNA BNB GN OA OB GO UA UB VER
Non-Regular _____

Restrictions _____

Dinner(s): Pre-Show _____ Post-Show _____

Agreed Expenses:

Roundtrip Airfare _____ Meals _____

Lodging _____ # of Nights _____

Ground Transportation _____ @ _____ @ _____ per mile

Airport Parking _____ Car Rental/Shuttle _____

Dog Boarding _____ Other _____

Fee: \$ _____ Flat _____ Plus Expenses _____

Definite _____ Expect contact by _____

Availability Inquiry _____ Hold until _____

Other Information _____

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Other Information _____

Name

Street Address
City State Zip
Phone number
e-mail address

Expense Sheet For Judging

Expenses shared with another club: Yes _____ No _____

Club: _____

Date: _____

Airfare.....\$ _____

Lodging.....\$ _____

Breakfast _____

Lunch _____

Dinner _____

Meals Total.....\$ _____

Mileage _____ **Miles @ 50.0 cents per mile** \$ _____

Airport Parking _____ **@** _____ **per day**.....\$ _____

Other Expenses..... \$ _____

Judging Fee.....\$ _____

Total Expenses..... \$ _____

Thank You,

Name

Street Address
City State Zip
Phone number
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Thank You,