

- a. If prevailing conditions such as wet weather or the nature of the terrain make it extremely difficult or impossible for competitors to complete the course/s in the time allowed, the times should be extended. (See rule C.10.19.)

C.10.3. Table for Cross Country Heights, Spreads, Efforts & Speeds

HORSE TRIALS & SUPERCROSS	Grade 6	Grade 5	Grade 4	Grade 3	Grade 2	Grade 1	PCV 110
NOTE: These are MAXIMUM dimensions. There is no compulsion for all fences to be at the maximum height or spread.							
Fixed	0.35m	0.50m	0.65m	0.80m	0.95m	1.05m	1.10m
Brush *see note below	Not allowed	Not allowed	0.80m	0.95m	1.15m	1.25m	1.30m
Top Spread	0.35m	0.50m	0.65m	0.80m	1.00m	1.20m	1.40m
Base Spread	0.35m	0.65m	0.80m	1.20m	1.50m	1.80m	2.10m
Spread Without Height	Not allowed	0.65m	0.95m	1.40m	2.00m	2.40m	2.80m
Height of obstacle into water							
With Drop	Not allowed	Not allowed	Not allowed	0.50m	0.65m	0.80m	1.10m
Without drop	Not allowed	Not allowed	ramp into water	0.50m	0.65m	0.80m	1.10m
Maximum drop into water (incl obstacle)	Not allowed	Not allowed	Not allowed	1.00m	1.20m	1.40m	1.60m
Water depth- entry to exit	Not allowed	Not allowed	0.30m	0.30m	0.30m	0.30m	0.30m
Minimum width of water crossing (See Rule C.10.6.c.)	Not allowed	Not allowed	6.00m	6.00m	6.00m	6.00m	6.00m
Speed (metres per minute)	200	275	320	360	420	480	480
Distance	750-1200m	1000 - 1600m	1200-2000m	1600-2400m	2000-2800m	2000-3000m	2000-3000m
Number of EFFORTS	Max 10, incl 1 AB, no bounces.	Min 14- Max 18	Min 14- Max 18	Min 15- Max 25	Min 18- Max 25	Min 20- Max 25	Min 20- Max 30
Minimum Age - rider must be age 8 or older to be eligible to compete in Horse Trials							
<p>Brush fences must be regularly maintained and allow horses to pass readily through the brush and not present a 'solid' element to the fence.</p> <p>The material used must be such that the risk of injury to horses is as small as possible. Thick stems and sharp ends after trimming/cutting must be avoided.</p> <p>It is recommended that the back of the brush box be 5cms lower than the front</p>							

- a. Any roof or other fixed and solid barrier over an obstacle must not be less than 3.50m above ground level.
- b. There is no tolerance for Cross Country fences to exceed the dimensions laid down in the table above. However, for fences such as a scalloped brush or similar it is not required that the whole face of the fence is within the