



Cavallo Boots

Measuring & Fitting Tips

Please note that Simple and Sport horse boots use the same measuring chart. If your horse has an equal width and length, Simple may be more suitable, while Sport may provide a better fit for a narrower hoof. Simple boots are made width and length equal while Sport is made ¼" narrower than Simple.

Cavallo Boots are Simple to Measure

Measure the hoof length carefully just after a FRESH TRIM. **DO NOT** include heel bulbs. Stay within the size range as room growth has already been allowed for between regular trims.

Measuring Tips

- The weight-bearing LENGTH indicates the SIMPLE size necessary. However it is a good idea to take width measurements as well since that helps to confirm you have chosen the correct size
- You may wish to measure each hoof as they may differ in size requiring two different pairs.

Important Notes on Fitting

- You should not have to force the boot on the horse's hoof in any way. If you are having to force the boot on it is too small.
- If the boot is rotating independently from the horse's hoof it is too big. A wiggle is okay because the hoof expands in weight bearing and even further in movement.
- Remember that there is a break-in period like your own boots would have when you first get them. The first day the boots shouldn't be worn for more than 20 minutes. You wouldn't put on brand new boots and go walking for hours; treat your horse's new boots as you would your own. You can speed up the break-in process by using leather softener or riding through water.
- **Pastern Wraps** may be used to assist in the breaking-in process to prevent chafing.