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# Flex Hoof Boots



*Let your horse feel the difference*

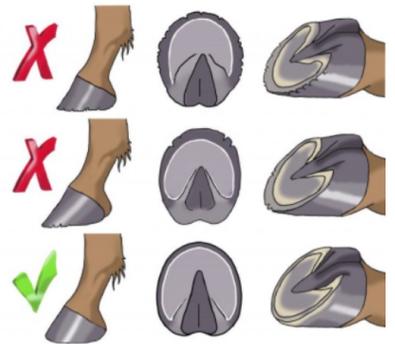
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# How to use Flex Boots correctly

Flex Boots are unique in their design and functionality. Follow this step-by-step guide to fit your boots correctly. You can view instructions with more images at [www.flexhoofboots.com/fit-size](http://www.flexhoofboots.com/fit-size) or by scanning the QR code.

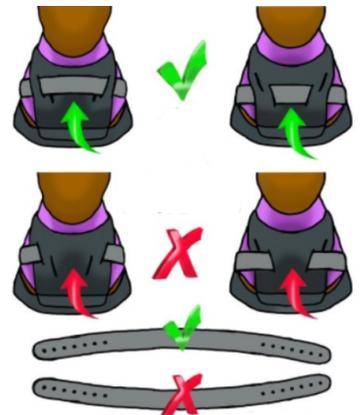


1. Maintaining a correct weekly trim and keeping your horse's body balanced benefits your horse and ensures Flex Boots last as long as possible. Our website and blog have information about what a correct trim is. Please visit [www.flexhoofboots.com](http://www.flexhoofboots.com) to read more.



2. Before putting the boots on, make sure that all ball rivets are tightly secured. Ball rivets should be regularly checked throughout the life of the boots.

4. The neoprene gaiter should be attached to the TPU gaiter with the elastic so that it covers the top half of the rivets at the back of the TPU gaiter.



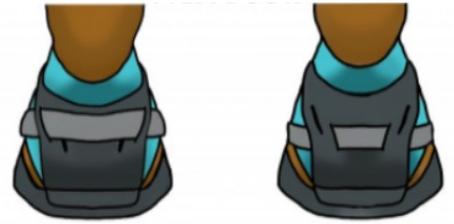
5. The back strap needs to be visible from the middle of the TPU gaiter. When putting it through the TPU gaiter, go from under the gaiter to top of the gaiter, then under it again.

When inserting the strap, make sure that it is arching upwards.

6. When putting the boots on and taking them off, hold and handle the boot shell, not the TPU gaiter. Wiggling the boot slightly will help the hoof go into the boot better. If the toe doesn't go all the way into the boot straight away, have your horse take a few steps to settle the hoof into the boot.

7. When the boot is on, first secure the pastern strap. Check that the neoprene gaiter is positioned evenly around the leg, and then secure the back strap.

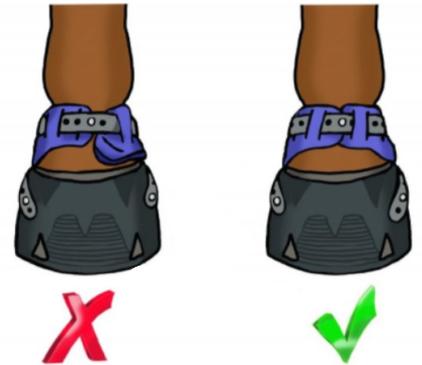
8. The TPU gaiter has lower and higher options for the back strap. The TPU gaiter should not gape at the back, if this happens move the back strap to the lower holes. If the back strap doesn't sit securely above the heel bulbs, move it to the higher holes.



9. Correct back strap tightness allows one finger between the strap and the horse's leg. The pastern strap is the correct tightness if you can comfortably fit two fingers between the horse's leg and the strap.



10. Adjust the neoprene gaiter so that it sits straight under the pastern strap. Do this by looping the strap through different holes on the neoprene gaiter, until you get a good fit. Make sure to put the tail of the strap through the neoprene gaiter loops, like you would put a belt through the loops of your trousers.



*Illustrations by Sanni Seppelin*

## **Cleaning and storage**

Rinse the boots with water after every use and hang to dry in a cool, well ventilated dry place. Do not use solvent based detergents as they can make the TPU material brittle.

Always store the boots away from direct sunlight. Do not store them in a hot or humid environment, i.e. in a box, in your car or in any enclosed space.



We offer 90 days replacement or repair warranty from purchase date for material failure. Warranty does not cover abuse or misuse of the product. In case of warranty, please contact your retailer with photos as advised on our website [www.flexhoofboots.com/warranty](http://www.flexhoofboots.com/warranty)

Horses and associated activities are inherently dangerous and serious injury or harm may occur to the horse, humans or property. By using Flex Boots you agree to accept the risks and their consequences. At times, the boots may come off partially or completely, and the horse may be frightened or stumble. It is the handler's responsibility to adequately desensitise the horse to such situations before using Flex Boots. If in doubt, please contact us for further information before using Flex Boots. In no event shall our company be liable for any direct, indirect, punitive, incidental, special consequential damages, to property or life, whatsoever arising out of or connected with the use or misuse of our products.

# Win neoprene gaiters and back straps!



If you have purchased Flex Boots, why not sign up to our newsletter now! Every month we do a prize draw and one new signup wins a pair of neoprene gaiters and back straps to go with their new Flex Boots.

By signing up, you'll be the first to hear about Flex Boots news, and are invited to take part in competitions to win our products!

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## Holistic hoof care is the key to success

Our passion for hoof care extends beyond hoof boots. We have created online hoof care courses that equip all horse owners to take a knowledgeable, proactive role in their horse's hoof care. Our courses are easy to understand and they are based on our own experience trimming tens of thousands of hooves.

### Choose a course that suits you best!

**Weekly Maintenance Trim** - learn how to maintain your horse's hooves between professional trims, by carrying out a small maintenance trim.

**Holistic Hoof Care for Horse Owners** - a comprehensive course that teaches you all key components relating to holistic hoof care and how to trim your horse's hooves from start to finish.



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