

# Bridle Measurement Guide

A How-To Guide to Measuring Your Horse for a New Bridle from Riding Warehouse!

**Use a soft and flexible measuring tape to measure the following:**

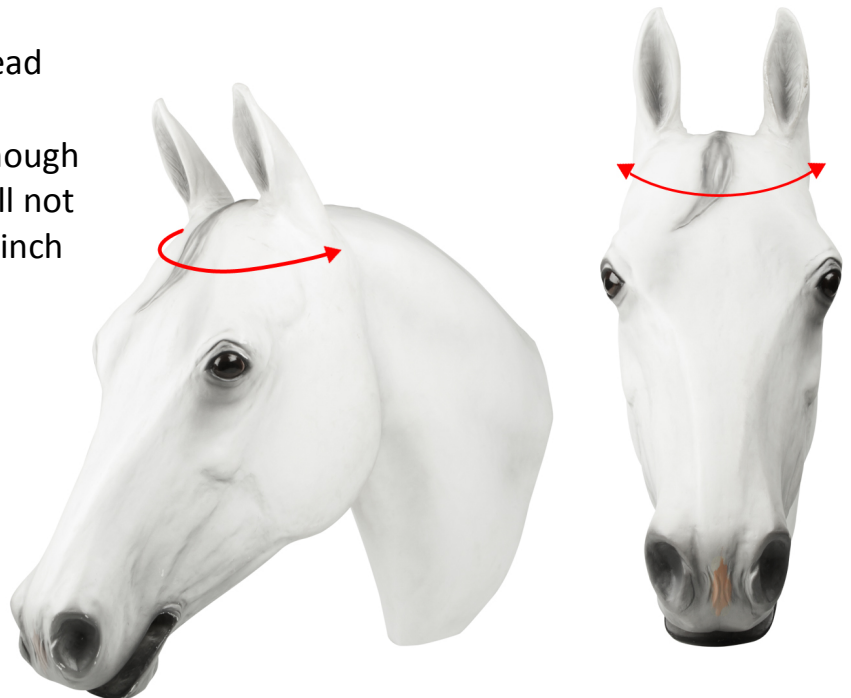
## “Bit to Bit”

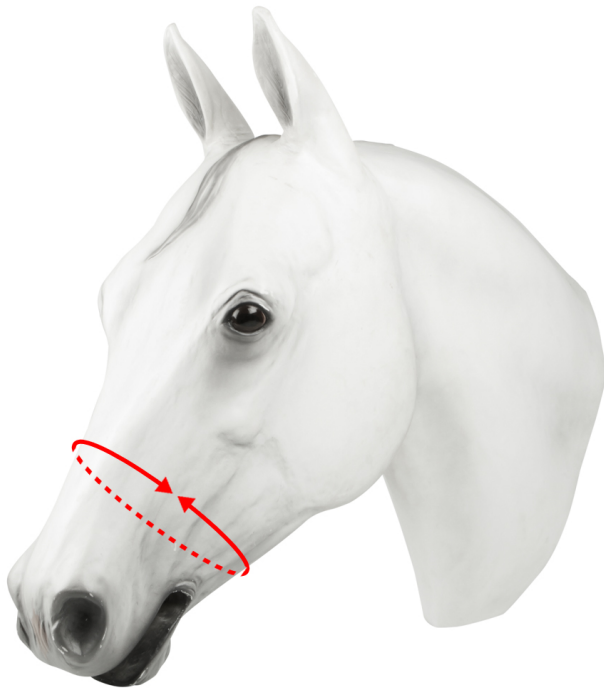
- Combination of the crown & cheek pieces
- Measured from where the bridle connects to the **bit cheek piece**, up around the **poll** and back down to the **bit cheek piece** on the other side.
- Measure the inside of your horse’s current bridle as an alternative!



## “Browband”

- Measured across the forehead
- Make sure you measure far enough back so that the browband will not pull the crown forward and pinch the base of the ears



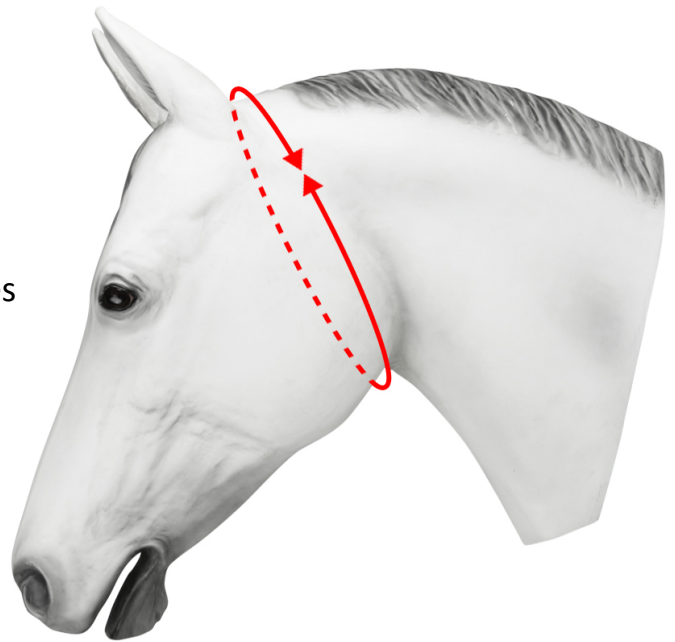


## “Noseband”

- Measured around the nose
- Traditionally measured two finger widths below the cheekbone
- Should be positioned far enough up the nose to prevent interference with the sensitive end of the nasal bone
- Bridle your horse with his current bridle to get a better idea of ideal noseband placement

## “Throatlatch”

- Combination of crown and throatlatch
- Measured over the poll behind the horses ears around the neck at the base of the cheek and beginning of the throat



## “Crown”

On our bridle measurement charts, you’ll see that we provide the crown measurement, which references the thicker strap that sits across the poll behind the ears. Our measurement usually coincides with the length of padding across that area and/or where the browband meets the crown on either side.