

# CINCH FITTING TIPS

The cinch is the lifeline that holds your saddle in place, which in turn keeps you in a stable position during competition. Choose a cinch that is specifically designed with your horse's comfort in mind. Here are some helpful tips that will benefit you and your horse.



## TIP 1

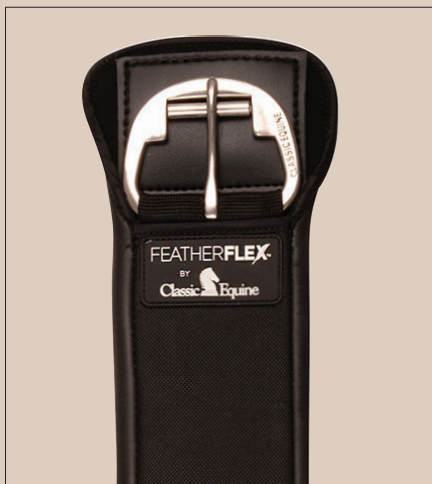
Choose a cinch by measuring the distance from one heart girth / sweet spot (as shown above) under the belly to the opposing side.

When the cinch is tight, the D's should lay flat against the horse's "sweet spot". If it rides above or below, it can cause soreness and discomfort.



## TIP 2

To allow flexibility or "give" as your horse moves, use a cinch / latigo combination. Leather is a natural fiber that has "give". Leather latigos slightly expand and move with the horse as you ride.



## TIP 3

Use a cinch with stainless steel hardware, which is long lasting and will not rust, corrode, or bind up. Classic Equine® cinches are made with stainless steel hardware to ensure you're getting the highest quality product possible.

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