

**How to alter the size of the ShoeSecures.
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David (Varini) current European Champion has come up with a modifications to the ShoeSecure small and medium to enable them to be fitted to horses with smaller and/or larger feet. The modification to the medium size will allow for more flexibility to fit some of the larger size horseshoes and horses with broader flatter heels. The modification to the small will enable it to fit the smaller horse/pony. These modifications also allow for a greater variation in fitting and securing the ShoeSecure in that it allows for greater flexibility in lining up the holes in the ShoeSecure to the horseshoes stud holes.

- 1) To judge the size required push the heels of the horse shoe as far back into the ShoeSecure as possible. If required make the adjustments below to allow the horse shoe heels to go right to the back of the ShoeSecure
- 2) (Fig 1) Drill a hole about 1cm back from the point at the centre of the inside back of the ShoeSecure, through the thickest part of the material. See Photographs.
- 3) (Fig.2) Cut a slit from the centre inside back of the sole to the newly drilled hole.
- 4) (Fig.3) In addition if required the inside back curve, where the shoe heels fit into, can also be trimmed back. This modification also accommodates remedial shoes.
- 5) (Fig 4) the larger the hole drilled the more flexibility you have in altering the size of the ShoeSecure. The blue example an 8 mm drill was used. The turquoise example a 12mm drill was used.

To make the small ShoeSecure smaller Follow the above instructions then:-

4a) Make another cut from the centre back to the newly drilled hole and remove the small wedge of material this allow for the sole and sides to be pushed together to fit the smaller foot.

5) (Fig 5 & 6) A well fitted ShoeSecure

(fig. 1)



(fig. 2)



(fig. 5)



(fig.3)



(fig 4)



(fig.5)

**Kind regards and many thanks for your custom and support.
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