

# HOW TO MEASURE



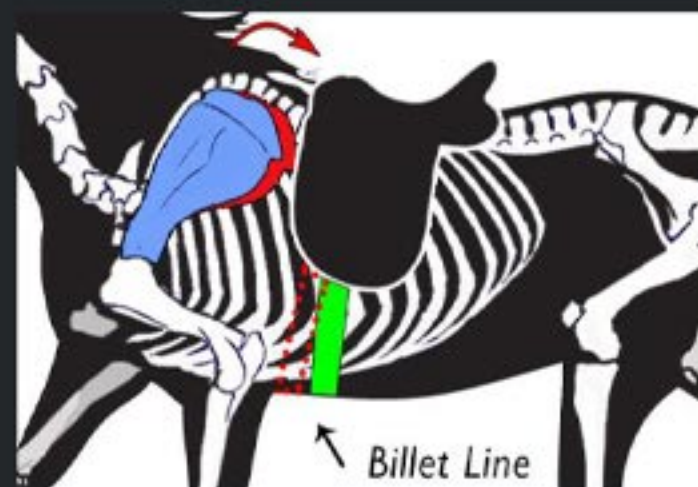
## How It Works



### Traditional Girth Saddle Placement

When you walk next to your horse you will see his shoulder moving as he reaches his leg forward. His scapula actually rotates backward as the front leg moves forward. This is because of the point of connection where the soft tissue attaches to the scapula. Traditional girths bring the saddle too far forward causing the saddle to block the natural movement of the shoulder.

This is due to a basic physics problem: the girth pulls the billets forward, which then pulls the whole saddle into the shoulders (even on properly fitting saddles).



### Shoulder Relief Girth™ Saddle Placement

Due to the natural movement of the horse, he actually needs an additional 1-2 inches of clearance. The Shoulder Relief Girth™ is designed with a 2 inch offset to allow maximum shoulder clearance. It fixes the physics problem by utilizing the offset in the girth to redirect the billet line and prevent the saddle from being pulled forward.

In addition to the offset design, there is also additional elbow clearance with the cutback feature.