




Performance Pony

How do I measure for a front cinch? 

1. Get a piece of string or twine
2. Locate your pony's elbow on one side (point on the back of the front leg)
3. Start about 3" above the elbow on one side and measure to the center line on their belly.
4. Mark or cut the string, measure and take it x2.
5. Order at www.performancepony.com!

SAFETY FIRST:

- 1) Test drive your saddle and cinches in a smaller, enclosed space before venturing to open areas at different speeds.
- 2) Safely secure the keeper (the piece that connects the front and back cinch) connected to your back cinch to the D-Ring on the front cinch D-Ring. If your front cinch doesn't have a D-Ring, you'll want a new front cinch. If your keeper isn't connected correctly, your back cinch can turn into a flank strap, causing your perfect pony to buck as we see in the picture!
- 3) Make sure that your back cinch keeper is adjusted so the back cinch lays straight down no matter what speed the horse is going.
- 4) Keep your back cinch is snug! When swatting at flies, going down hills, tripping or falling, if your back cinch is loose you risk your pony getting a hoof hung. The saddle can also bounce on the ponies back when loping making the cinch come up tight then loose repeatedly, which can be very irritating for them.
- 5) Cinches are aids in keeping the saddle in position, but CANNOT replace or fix a poor fitting saddle.
- 6) Check your tack regularly to prevent issues!



Pony Pro Alumni, Kenzie Ross learns the hard way! Good thing she's a cowgirl!