

## EasyShoe Versa Grip Octo Frequently Asked Questions

### **Q How is the Versa Grip Octo sized?**

**A** The Versa Grip Octo comes in sizes that correspond to the widest part of the horse's hoof. Each shoe is 4mm different in size. Measure a horse's hoof at the widest point.

### **Q Are the shoes Front and Hind Pattern specific?**

**A** Yes. The Versa Grip Octo comes in front and hind patterns. The front and hind patterns allow for a better fit without modification. Hind patterns can also be used on narrow front hooves.

### **Q How long can the Versa Grip Octo stay on?**

**A** The Versa Grip Octo can stay on for a full trim cycle. (6-8 weeks)

### **Q Can the Versa Grip Octo be reset?**

**A** Yes. It is typical to get 1-2 resets per pair. New 11 Finger Tabs can be welded on for a reset.

### **Q What kind of glue is used?**

**A** EasyShoe Quick Set Super Glue.

### **Q What tools do I need to apply the Versa Grip Octo?**

**A** To apply the Versa Grip Octo, you will need EasyShoe Quick Set Super Glue and Plastic Wrap. Additional tools may be needed for hoof preparation including a rasp, hoof buffy, butane torch, etc.

### **Q Can I add a wedge to the shoe?**

**A** Yes. We recommend trying the EasyShoe Versa Grip Wedge.

### **Q Can studs be used on the Versa Grip Octo?**

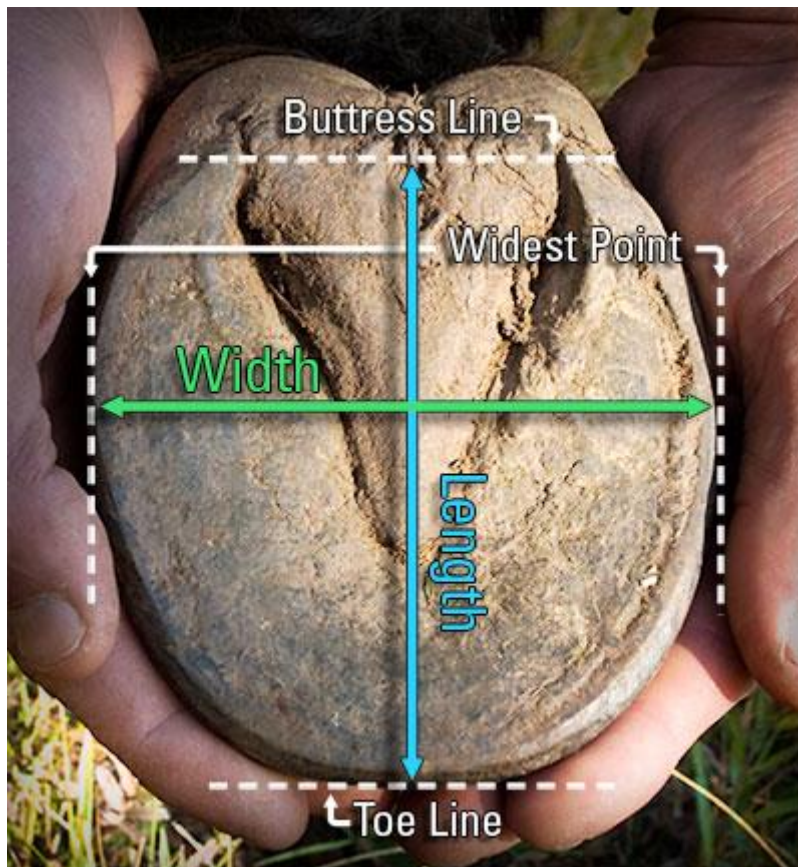
**A** Yes. EasyCare Quick Studs can be applied for added traction.

### **Q Can I adjust the breakover?**

**A** Yes. It's easy to rasp or grind away material for a custom breakover.

## How to Properly Measure Your Horse's Hoof

We cannot over stress the importance of resizing! You wouldn't go for a jog in ill-fitting sneakers, so why would you expect your horse to do the same?



1. After a fresh trim, measure the width of the hoof across the bottom at the widest point.
  2. Measure the length of the hoof from the toe to the buttress line of the heel. The buttress line is the farthest weight bearing point of the heel where the hoof wall ends. Do not include the heel bulbs in the measurement.
  3. Compare your measurement with the appropriate size chart. Please note that each boot style has its own unique size chart.
  4. Ideally, the length and width measurement will fit into the same size. If the length and width measurements indicate different sizes, select the larger size. If the hoof measurements fall closely to the maximum length or width, we recommend choosing the next size up. If the width and length measurements are different by more than one size, your selected boot style is not recommended. \* Be sure to check your measurements against an alternative boot in the EasyCare line—another style may accommodate your horse's hoof shape better.
- \*Note: If you are fitting an Easyboot Glue-On or Glove, width and length must fall into the same size category.