

| Rule Change Type | Effective Date | Draft Received | Board Action |
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Rule Change Intent

To increase the maximum length of toe (including shoe) to 4 3/4 inches to accommodate larger horses that may need a slight more length. This proposal is to be accommodating to the welfare of both the small and larger Morgan horses.

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| Linked Rules | Comments |
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Committee Actions

## MO103 Shoeing Regulations

1. [...]
4. In Classic Pleasure classes the length of toe must not exceed 4 ¼ 3/4" including pads and shoes.
5. In English Pleasure, Western Pleasure, Hunter Pleasure, Pleasure Driving, and Natural Park classes the length of toe must not exceed 5" including pad and shoe.
6. In all In-Hand classes, Parade, Park Saddle, Park Harness, Hunter, Jumper, Eventing, Cutting, Reining, Working Western, Carriage, Morgan Heritage, Equitation and all other Morgan Classes (exception: English Pleasure, Pleasure Driving, Western Pleasure, Hunter Pleasure, Natural Park, and Classic Pleasure Sections) the length of toe must not exceed 5 3/4" including pads and shoe.
7. [...]

## MO162 Morgan Saddle Seat Classic Equitation

1. Open to all Junior riders who are less than eighteen (18) years old (GR128).
2. Riders must be mounted on a Morgan horse eligible to compete as a Classic horse (**length of toe must not exceed 4 ¼" including pads and shoes**). (~~4 1/2" toe and shoe with or without rim pads. Rim pads must follow the inner and outer edge of the shoe and the connection at the heel must not be wider than any aspect of the shoe.~~)
3. Riders in these classes must not show in any other class in the Saddle Seat Section at said competition, except the AMHA Medal, USEF Medal, UPHA and NHS (Good Hands) classes. Riders are eligible to compete in the open Saddle Seat Equitation Championship if there is no Classic Equitation Championship.
4. [...]