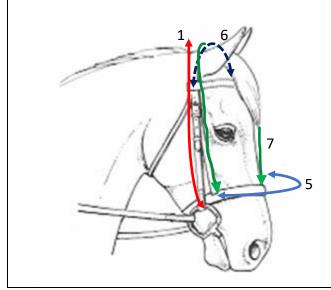


- **1 Overall** Corner of mouth on one side, up over the top of head behind ears to corner of mouth on the other side. Diameter of usual bit ring also needed.
- **2 Nose circumference** at position where noseband will lie, and at required tightness, allowing for 2 fingers to fit underneath when fastened.
- 3 Throat circumference measure following the line where throat-lash will lie, and at required tightness
- **4 Brow** measure from back of ear base, across brow front to other back of ear base i.e. where the back edge of the headpiece will be.
- **5** Nose front measure from where the noseband headstrap will sit, across nose front at position where noseband will lie, to other side where the noseband cheek strap will sit.
- **6 Noseband** position measure from where the top edge of the noseband will sit (approx. 1" below cheek bones), up the cheek and over the top of head to same point on the other side.
- **7** Over top of head measure from outer base of one ear, over top of head to outer base of the other ear. For comfort bridles, also measure the distance between the inner base of the ears over the poll.

If it's not easy or possible to measure the actual head, the measurements can be taken from a bridle that has been adjusted to fit, just measure the parts required as above. It does not matter what it looks like as the correct adjustment on the straps will be calculated from these measurements. See below:



- **1** Measure from top of bit ring, up over head to top of bit ring at other side, following the cheeks & headstrap.
- **2 and 3** For the **noseband & throat circumferences** measure from the buckle along the noseband and throat-lash, laid flat, to the hole that it is usually fastened on.
- **4 Browband** measure the end-to-end length (then + or if necessary for required length)
- **5** Measure the distance across the **noseband front** between the noseband cheek straps (then + or if necessary for the required length, so the straps will lie in correct position)
- **6 Top of head** either measure the distance between the splits of the headpiece (adjust + or if necessary) or from the bottom edge of the browband when in correct position, up over the top of head to bottom edge of browband on the other side.
- **7 Noseband position** with noseband sitting in correct position, measure the length of the fastened strap from the top edge of the noseband on one side to same point on the other side.

For **comfort bridles**, also measure the distance between the inner base of the ears over the poll.