EXTENDED HEEL MODIFICATION: PART 2

We recently posted step by step images for making an extended heel modification. We have a few images of extended heels on the foot to give you a better sense of a typical fit for the shoes. These images are of rope horse hind feet shod by Mike Chance, CJF. He used Kerckhaert SX-8 unclipped shoes for the modification. The same modification is also typical for reining horses using various widths of sliding plates in the Kerckhaert Pride range. But it's not exclusive to the western disciplines as you'll see in the image of a jumper shoe.





Bottom of foot, SX-8 unclipped shoe.



Lateral view.



Lateral heel fit a bit wider for this horse, medial tighter to avoid interference potential.



Nice view looking down the limb to see the support the modification can give.



This SX-8 clipped shoe on a jumper is a slightly different look but can be considered an extended heel.



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