

ERRATUM: Body fat evaluation in Colombian Paso horses: body condition score and morphometric and ultrasound measurements

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Body length [cm]	154.2 ± 10.9	138	216
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Weight [kg]	350.7 ± 36.2	268	486
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SFT-lumbar region [mm]	7.0 ± 2.2	3.2	13.2
SFT-gluteal region [mm]	7.1 ± 2.1	3.4	14
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3/9	90 ± 11	3.7 ± 2.2	4.0 ± 1.1	4.7 ± 1.8	5.0 ± 1.0	157 ± 0.0	2
5/9	87 ± 27	6.1 ± 1.5	5.1 ± 0.1	5.7 ± 0.1	5.6 ± 0.0	171 ± 0.0	2
6/9	93 ± 14	6.6 ± 1.7	6.3 ± 2.0	5.6 ± 1.3	5.5 ± 0.7	172 ± 11	8
7/9	99 ± 7.3	7.5 ± 2.2	7.2 ± 2.2	7.1 ± 1.8	6.3 ± 1.0	178 ± 13	32
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	GC:HW	NC:HW	BF%
Trot			
Female	1.21	0.71	6.2
Male	1.16	0.74	6.8
Trocha			
Female	1.19	0.69	6.5
Male	1.16	0.73	6.1
Paso Fino			
Female	1.18	0.69	6.2
Male	1.18	0.76	6.3

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Table 7 – Mean and standard deviation ($SD \pm$) of the body fat percentage (BF%) according to the age group in the study population of Colombian Paso horses (n = 69)

Age [years]	BF% mean	Minimum value	Maximum value	n
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Weight [kg]	BF% mean	Minimum value	Maximum value	n
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301-350	6.0 ± 0.9	21	66	38
≥ 351	6.9 ± 1.3	27	79	27

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	Females (n=39)	Males (n=30)	p-value*
SFT-75% of neck length	6.83 ± 1.93	8.29 ± 2.41	0.164
SFT-lumbar region	7.16 ± 2.27	6.84 ± 2.13	0.481
SFT-gluteal muscle	7.03 ± 2.16	7.21 ± 1.94	0.221
Gluteus muscle thickness	74.53 ± 12.51	80.94 ± 11.06	0.409
BF%	6.32 ± 1.18	6.41 ± 1.06	0.541

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