Online Supplementary Material to:

Morphologic and morphometric features of the calcaneal insertions of the superficial digital flexor tendon in the horse
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**Figure S1:** A transverse section (D = dorsal, PL = plantar, LAT = lateral, MED = medial) of the superficial digital flexor tendon at the level of the mid fibrocartilaginous cap. The lateral and medial insertions have been removed along with the tarsal insertions of the biceps femoris and semitendinosus; note the asymmetry in its thickness, with the lateral aspect thicker than the medial aspect.

![Image of transverse section](image)

**Figure S2:**

A) Plantarolateral view of the calcaneal tuber. All skin and subcutaneous facia have been removed. Following transection of the medial SDFT insertion and biceps femoris insertion, the fibrocartilaginous cap has been reflected about the lateral insertion to allow visual examination of its dorsal surface at the point of insertion. The lateral insertion inserts onto a circular site on the calcaneal tuber with a fold as it inserts (arrow).

![Image of plantarolateral view](image)
B) Plantaromedial view of the calcaneal tuber. All skin subcutaneous facia and the insertion of the semitendinosus have been removed. The dorsal surface has been exposed following transection of the medial insertion (M.I) at the margin on the fibrocartilaginous cap, the medial insertion site is longer but thinner than the lateral insertion site and has a less distinct fold as it inserts (V).