

# Procerus muscle

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## 1 OIAN

Muscle	Origin	Insertion	Nerve	Action
<a href="#">Procerus</a>	Nasal bone, Lateral nasal cartilage (upper part)	Skin of lower forehead between eyebrows	<a href="#">Facial Nerve CN VII</a>	Pulls medial angle of eyebrows inferiorly, producing transverse wrinkles over bridge of nose

## 2 Origin

Nasal bone, Lateral nasal cartilage (upper part)<sup>1</sup>

### **3 Insertion**

Skin of lower forehead between eyebrows<sup>1</sup>

### **4 Innervation**

Facial Nerve CN VII<sup>1</sup>

### **5 Action**

Pulls medial angle of eyebrows inferiorly, producing transverse wrinkles over bridge of nose<sup>1</sup>

### **Clinical Significance**

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