

# Risorius muscle

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## 1 OIAN

Muscle	Origin	Insertion	Nerve	Action
<a href="#">Risorius</a>	Fascia over <a href="#">masseter</a>	Skin of corner of the mouth	<a href="#">Facial Nerve CN VII</a>	Retracts corner of mouth as in grimacing

## 2 Origin

Fascia over [masseter](#)<sup>1</sup>

## 3 Insertion

Skin of corner of the mouth<sup>1</sup>

## 4 Innervation

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

## 5 Action

Retracts corner of mouth as in grimacing<sup>1</sup>

## Clinical Significance

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