FOOT



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DEEP F&SCI& OF THE SOLE

fibrous flexor sheath :

Def. : thick deep fascia in planter aspect of toes **contents :**

- of big toe: flexor hallucis longus
- of other toes: flexor digitorum longus & brevis
- **functions:** hold tendons to bone preventing their bowing during flexion



DEEP FASCIA OF THE SOLE

Plantar aponeurosis :

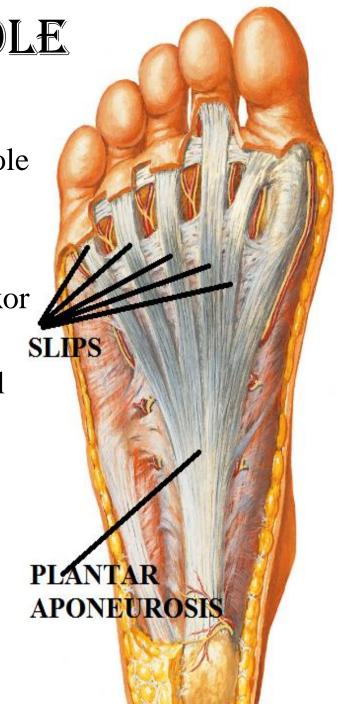
Def.: thick deep fascia in central part of the sole **Attachment:** Δ with

Apex: attach to tubercle of calcaneus

Base: give 5 slips that attach to fibrous flexor sheath of the toes.

-These slips give passage to the planter digital nerves & vessels and lumbrical muscles.

-the slips are interconnected by superficial transverse metatarsal lig.
Function: protect deep structures



MUSCLES OF THE SOLE

1st layer: 3 muscles:

Abductor hallucis:

forms the medial margin of the foot

Abduct the big toe

Abductor digiti minimi:

forms the lateral margin of the foot

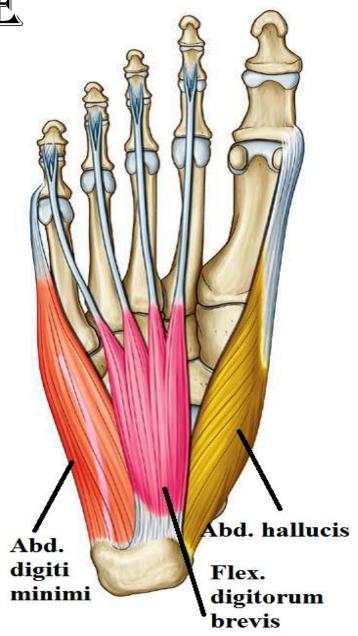
Abduct the little toe

Flexor digitorum brevis:

in the middle of foot,

just above plantar aponeurosis

Flex the lateral 4 toes



MUSCLES OF THE SOLE 2nd layer: 2 tendons & 2 muscles **1-tendon of flexor hallucis longus 2-tendon of flexor digitorum longus:** Cross superficial to flexor hallucis longus. Its lateral side receive the insertion of flexor digitorum accessorius at middle of sole, it gives 4 tendons that give origin to lumbricals then pass () the slips of tendons of flexor digit. brevis to insert in plantar surface of bases of distal phalanges **3-flexor digitorum accessorius**

It straighten the oblique line of pull of the tendon of flexor digitorum longus

4-lumbrical muscles

Flex the M/P joint& extend the I /p joint of the lateral 4 toes



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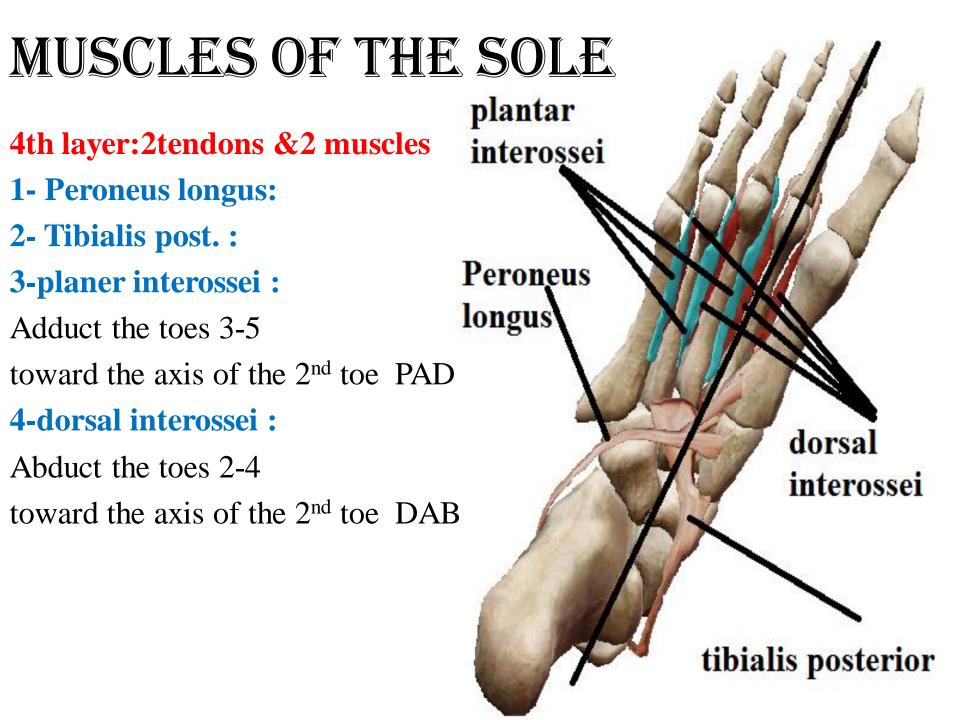
- **3rd layer: 3 muscles**
- **1-flexor hallucis brevis**
- Flex the M/P joint of the big toe
- **2-adductor hallucis**
- Adduct the big toes
- **3-flexor digiti minimi brevis:**
- Flex the M/P joint of the little toe



Flexor hallucis brevis

Layer 3

Adductor hallucis Flexor digiti minimi brevis



NERVES OF THE SOLE

MEDIAL PLANTAR NERVE

O.: - a terminal br. of post. tibial nerve. -deep to flexor retinaculum
C & r: (runs with the artery on its medial side - pass deep to abductor hallucis
-then () abductor hallucis & flexor digi. Brevis

Cutaneous:

Medial 2/3 of sole

plantar surface of medial 3 1/2 toes

N.B: medial plantar n.

has similar distribution as median n. in hand

Muscular

1-(1_{st} layer) abductor hallucis & flexor digitorum brevis

2-(2nd layer) 1st lumbrical3-(3rd layer) flexor hallucis brevis

flexor digitorum brevis 1st lumbrical

Abductor hallucis

> medial plantar nerve

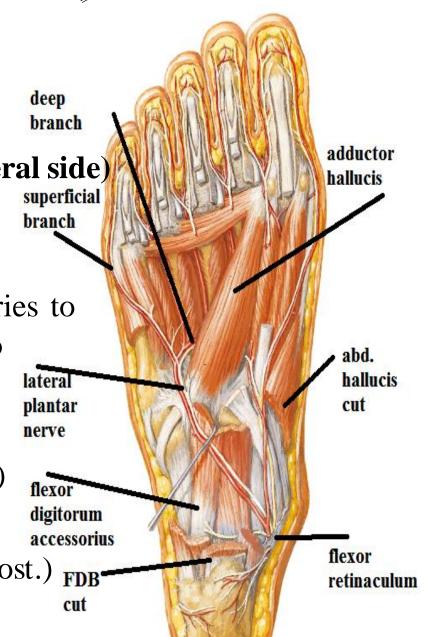
exor retinaculum cut

LATERAL PLANTAR NERVE O.:

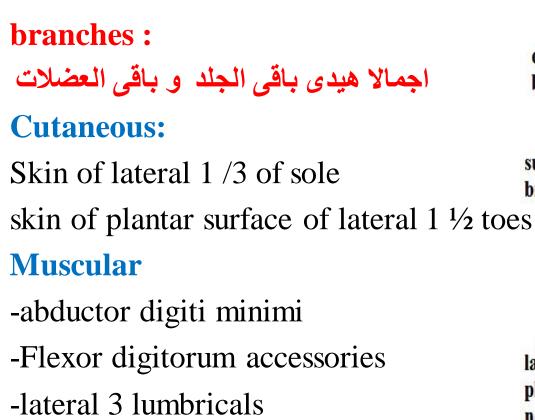
a terminal branch of post. tibial nerve deep to flexor retinaculum

C & r:(runs with the artery on its lateral side)

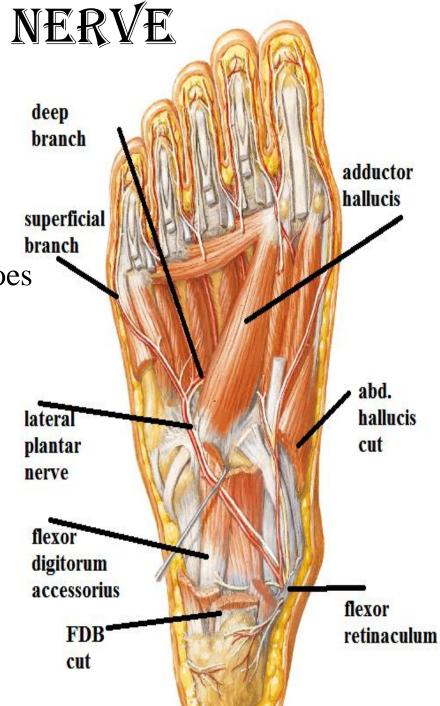
- -Pass deep to abductor hallucis.
- -then deep to flexor digitorum brevis
- i.e. () FDB & flexor digitorum accessories to base of 5th metatarsal where it divide into superficial & deep brs
- -the deep br. runs medially
- between the 3rd layer (adductor hallucis) and the 4th layer
- (tendons of peroneus longus & tibialis post.) $_{\rm F}$



LATERAL PLANTAR NERVE



- -flexor digiti minimi brevis
- adductor hallucis
- -all interossei



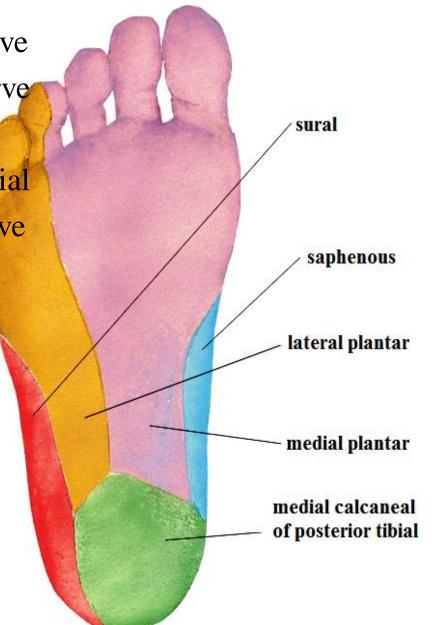
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1- lateral 1 /3 from lateral plantar nerve
2- medial 2 /3 from medial plantar nerve
3-medial side of heel

from medial calcaneal of posterior tibial

- 4- medial border from saphenous nerve
- 5- lateral border from sural nerve



CUTANOUS INNERVATION OF DORSUM

- all the dorsum of foot and toes is supplied by
 - Superficial peroneal nerve except
- 1-medial side of dorsum
- till head of 1st metatarsal (by saphenous)
- 2-adjacent side of 1st & 2nd toes
- (by deep peroneal)
- 3-lateral side of dorsum of foot & little toe
- (by sural)

