

Anatomy & Physiology: Muscles—Zygomaticus Major.

STRUCTURE.

- Origin: zygomatic bone.
- Insertion: skin at angle of mouth and orbicularis oris.
- Superficial.

FUNCTION.

- Concentric action: draws angle of mouth superiorly and laterally (smiling).
- Eccentric action:
- Isometric action:
- Innervation: facial VII nerve.
- Arterial supply: facial artery.
- "Smile".

CLINICAL SIGNIFICANCE.

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