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Short Saphenous Vein

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A superficial vein originating from the dorsal vein at the fifth toe and the dorsal venous arch of the foot and extends up the back of the leg to empty into the popliteal vein at the knee joint.