

How to measure your windows



Blind size or Recess size?

You can order your blind made to blind size or recess size or it can hang it on the outside the window recess.

The most common is inside the window recess

Blind size – Use this measurement if you want your blind to hang outside the window recess or if you want the blind exactly to the measurements provided.

We will make your blind exactly to these measurements.

Recess size – This is the most common method. Use this measurement if you want your blind to fit inside the window recess. We will take off the necessary deductions so your blind will fit into the recess perfectly.

You do not need to make any adjustments.

Equipment you will need to make an accurate measurement

- 1 A tape measure.
- 2 A pen and paper.

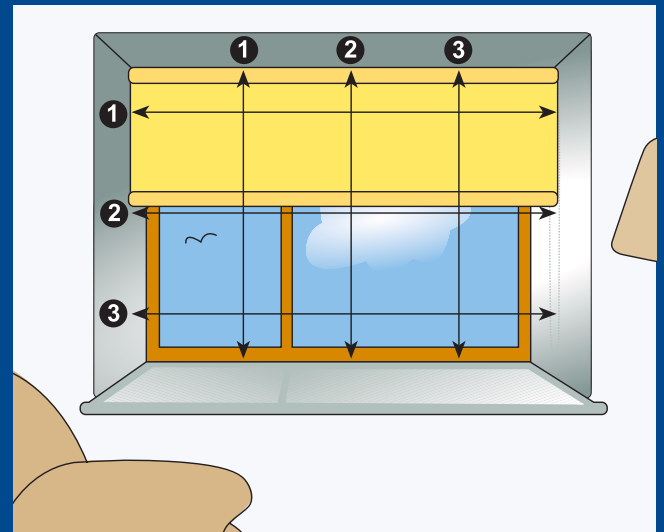
Handy Tips

Make your measurements in millimetres (mm) if your measurements are in inches we can convert them into millimetres for you.

Always look out for obstructions like window handles and tiles. You'll need to take these into consideration when you measure your blind to ensure a perfect fit.

All our blinds can be face fixed into the face of your window frame or wall or directly into the lintel, the choice is based on the availability of fixing point.

If you have any questions about measuring your window call 0800 0197730 or fill out the contact us section and we will be happy to help.



Three simple steps to a RECESS SIZE measurement

Follow these steps if you want your blind to hang **INSIDE** the window recess:

- 1 Measure the width of the recess from wall to wall in three places as shown. Make a note of the shortest measurement – we will use this one.
- 2 Measure the drop by taking the measurement from the top of the recess to the window sill in three places as shown. Make a note of the shortest measurement.
- 3 If you can make your measurements in mm that's fine, if not we can convert them for you.

Three simple steps to a BLIND SIZE measurement

Follow these steps if you want your blind to hang **OUTSIDE** the window recess or you want your blind made exactly to your measurements:

The measurements you give us will be the exact measurements the factory uses to make your blinds, so you must add inches for overlap. Follow the steps below to get accurate measurements.

- 1 Measure the **exact** width of where you'd like your blind to be. Make a note of this measurement.
- 2 Measure the **exact** drop from the top of where you want your blind to be to the bottom. Make a note of this measurement.
- 3 If you can make your measurements in mm that's fine, if not we can convert them for you.

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