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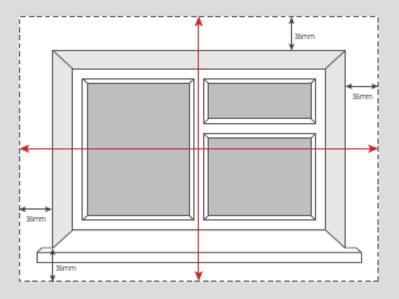


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There are two fitting options for your new window blind. You can choose to have your blind manufactured to either fit inside the window recess ("Recess Size") or to hang outside your window recess ("Exact Size");

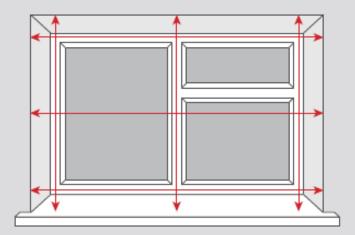
- Measure the installation height of the blind, this should be taken by measuring the distance from the floor to the point the blind head rail will be installed - this measurement is essential to ensure your blind complies to child safety legislation.
- Please check for window handles, tilting windows, window vents, tiles, cables, etc when measuring your blinds as these might obstruct the blind when fitted.
- Please check and specify when ordering whether your measurements are "Exact Size" or "Recess Size".



Measuring Outside Recess ("Exact Size")

When measuring outside the window recess, measure the width and drop desired to cover your window fully. We recommend an overlap of 70mm on the width and drop.

Please note that with Roller Blinds the actual fabric width size will be 35mm narrower than the overall measurements you have given us; please ensure that this still gives sufficient coverage. When manufacturing your blind, we will make the blind to the measurements you have given us.



Measuring Inside Recess ("Recess Size")

When measuring inside the window recess, measure the width and drop in several places to allow for any variation or irregularity in your windows. The size quoted should be the smallest width and drop measurement.

For Roller Blinds we make the actual fabric size 35mm narrower than the measurements you give us. When making all other blind types, we will take 10mm off your recess measurements to ensure that the blind fits snugly inside the window recess.

For Roller Blinds with cassette headrails or back bars, including Duo Fabric Roller and Duo Rollers, the actual fabric size will be 45mm narrower than the recess width that you give us.



Specific Blind Deductions

As all blinds work differently, we make the specific deductions or recommendations below depending on which blind you have chosen.

Aluminium Venetian: For 16mm and 25mm, ensure you are comfortable with the 10mm deduction for blind drop when specifying recess size - order as "Exact Size" if you would like to make your own deductions.

Duette® Shades: We make a 10mm allowance on your width and drop, however no deduction is made on the drop for Skylight blinds as the blind needs to be the exact drop of the recess in order to remain taught.

Duo Roller: Recommend specifying finished sizes, to ensure the blind is in the closed position when fully lowered - if specifying recess size, we will make a 10mm deduction on width and drop.

Allusion: Recommend specifying finished sizes, to ensure that you are happy with the clearance from the floor - if specifying recess size, we will make a 10mm deduction on width and drop.

Roller: The fabric is always 35mm narrower than either the exact size or recess width specified, this is to accommodate the mechanism and allow flexibility during installation. If specifying fabric width, your finished system with be 35mm wider and priced as such.

Vertical: We make a 10mm allowance on your width and drop, order as exact size if you would like to make your own deductions.

Panel: Please bear in mind the stack depth when specifying your width. Panel systems are not recommended for fitting into a recess, as the stack depth is the size of a panel. It is recommended that panel systems are fitted outside the recess, therefore we request the exact size that you would like to cover. The drop is measured from top of the headrail to bottom of panel.