



# A Helping Hand with Measuring

We are happy to provide a fitting service if you require.

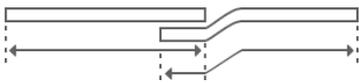
We recommend using a metal tape measure to obtain the most accurate dimensions of your window.

## CURTAINS

To measure the width, the first thing to decide is whether your curtains will hang on a pole or a track. Both should be positioned so the top is 5" - 6" (12-15cm) above the window, and extend between 6" - 8" (15 - 20cm) either side of the window.

To measure the **pole**: measure the length of the pole (excluding finials).

To measure the **track**: measure the length of the track. If the track overlaps in the centre, include the overlap in the track length like the example below.



You need to decide upon the finished length of the curtains, below the sill or floor length, taking into account whether there is a radiator under the window.

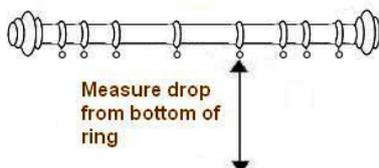
Floor length curtains usually sit 1.25cm (1/2") above the floor surface - although a softer more romantic look can be obtained by allowing a little extra which will give you a pooled look.

Below sill length curtains usually sit around 12.5cm (6") below the sill.

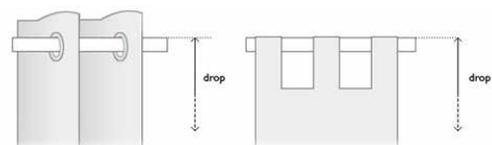
\* Please note we will allow for hems & turnings when working out from your measurements.

### TO MEASURE THE DROP OF THE CURTAINS:

**Pencil Pleat & Pinch Pleat on a pole** - take your measurement from the eye on the ring (the hook drop) to where you would like your curtains to finish, add 1cm so the curtain hangs just below your pole.



**Eyelet or tab top** - The measurements for this style needs to be taken from the top of the pole to where you would like your curtains to finish - we will add on the 2.5cm (1") upstand if you choose eyelet curtains.



### MEASURING CURTAINS ON A TRACK

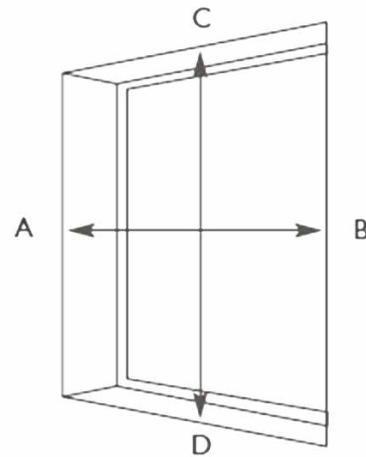
Take your measurement from then top of the track to where you would like your curtains to finish.



## BLINDS

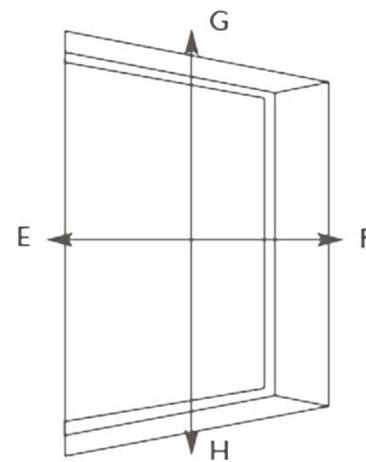
**If the blind is being fit into the recess:** take your measurement for the total width from A - B and for the length from C - D. We would advise you to take these measurements from several places on the window to allow for any irregularities. Ensure that when your blind is closed there are no obstructions, allowing it to hang freely.

Inside recess fitting



**The blind is being fit outside the recess:** Take your measurement for the total width of the blind inside the recess and add 10cm (4") to this width, E - F. To measure for the length, measure the inside height of the window & add 15cm (6") G - H.

Outside recess fitting



This guide is applicable to Roman, Verticals, Rollers, Venetian & Pleated Blinds.