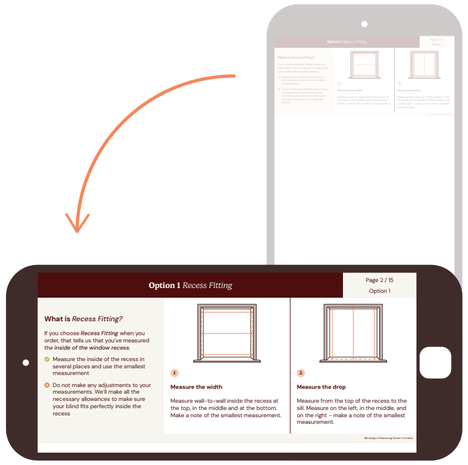


Turn your phone or tablet

Our guides are best viewed in landscape if you're viewing on your phone or tablet.

Our Top Tips for Measuring

Even if you have no DIY or measuring experience, don't worry - measuring is easy! The following pages will guide you through how to measure for your beautiful new blinds, but here are some general tips to keep in mind as you measure:

- Always use a metal tape measure - cloth or plastic ones can stretch, giving you inaccurate measurements
- Double check everything! If you're even slightly unsure about a measurement you've taken, measure again until you're certain
- Measure to the nearest millimetre, or to the nearest fraction if you're measuring in inches

Don't worry! Even if your measurements aren't quite right, our SureSize measuring guarantee has you covered.

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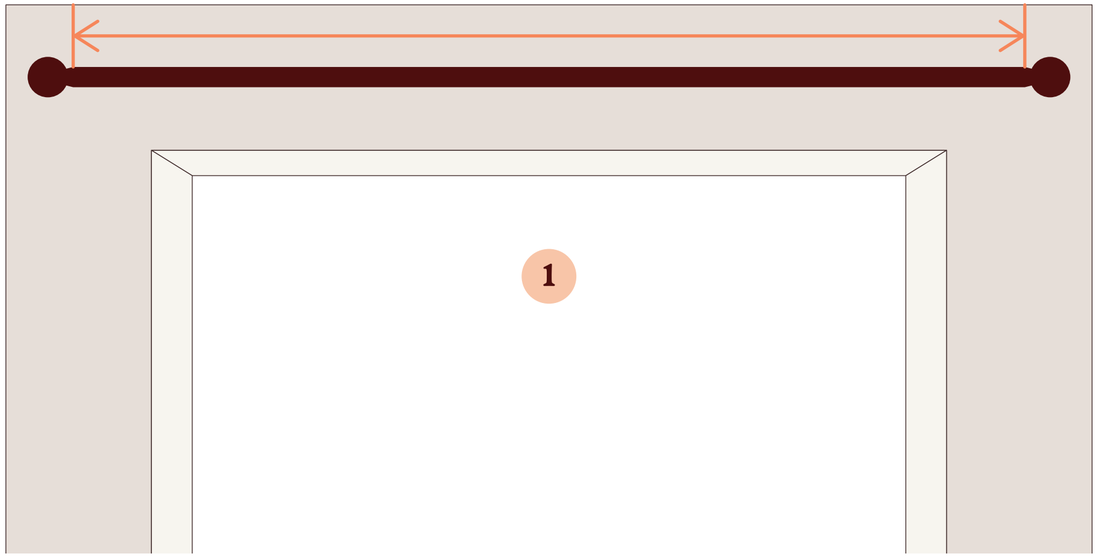
Our curtains have lots of heading options and hanging styles to choose from and the measuring for each can be a little different, so to make it easier to follow this guide, we've broken things down into distinct sections so you can find your way around.

Just use the index on this page to see which part of the guide you need, and head to that page to get started.

Happy measuring!

If you already have a pole or track fitted	*If you're ordering a free track or pole*
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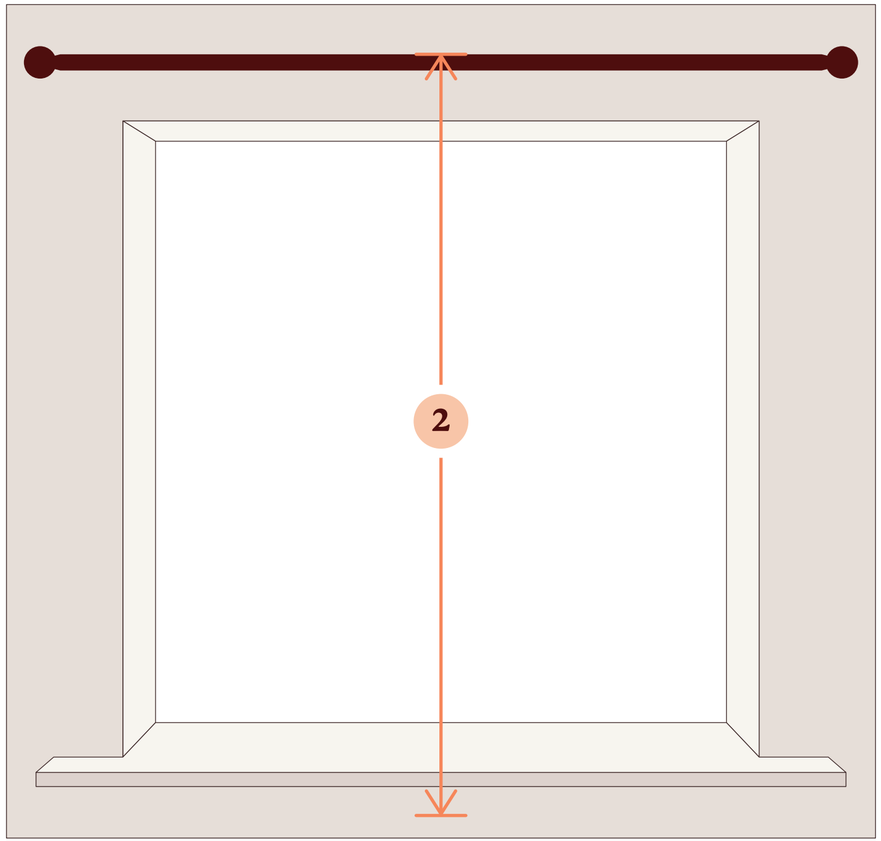


Measure the width

Simply measure the width of the pole, between the end caps or finials, and enter this as your width measurement.

We'll use the width of your pole to calculate the overall width of the fabric you'll need for the curtains.

- Our eyelet curtains are suitable for poles up to 30mm diameter
- The overall width of the fabric used for eyelet curtains is 1.5x your pole width. ***Again, when measuring you only need to give us the pole width, we'll calculate the fabric size.***



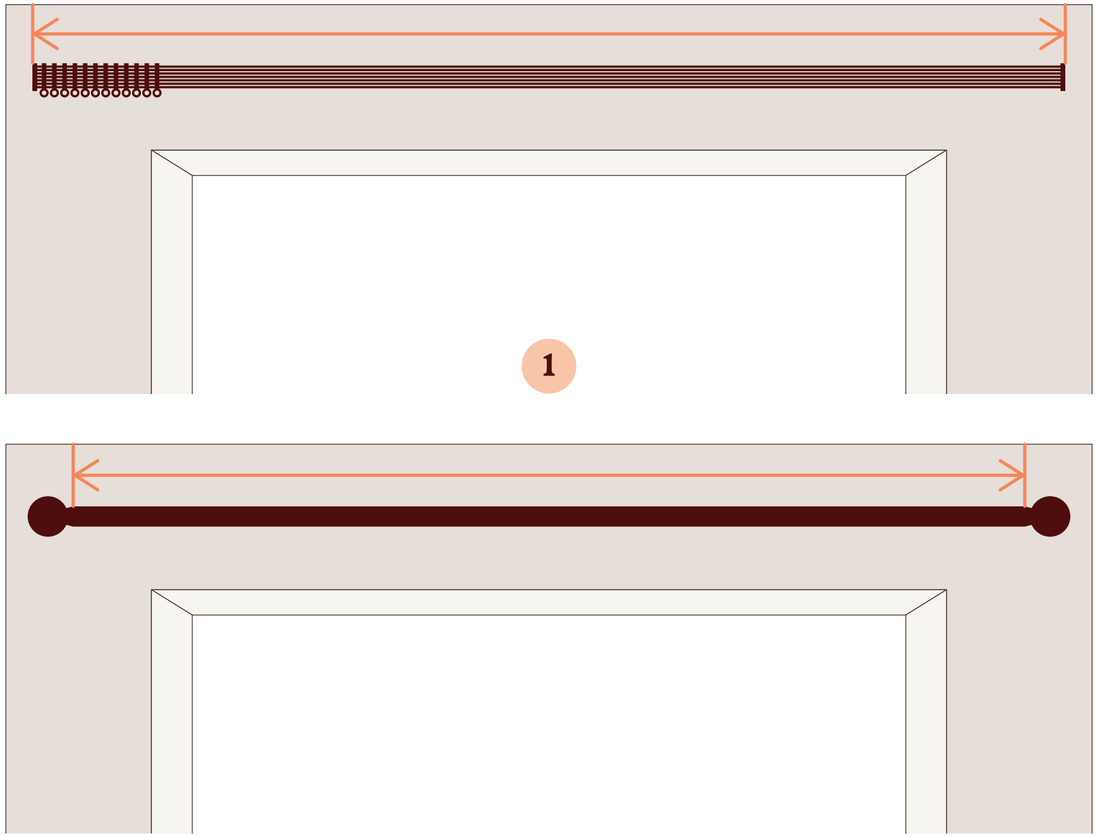
Measure the drop

Measure from the top of the pole, down to where you want your curtains to finish at the bottom.

It's up to you where the curtains finish, but consider whether you need clearance below them. Generally speaking we'd recommend leaving a 15mm space between the bottom of the curtains and anything they could brush against.

If you'd like you curtains to 'puddle' on the floor, measure down to the floor and add around 50 - 100mm.

ⓘ Eyelet curtains have around 30mm of fabric above the eyelets - you don't need to factor this into your measurement. ***Again, you just need to measure from the top of the pole.***

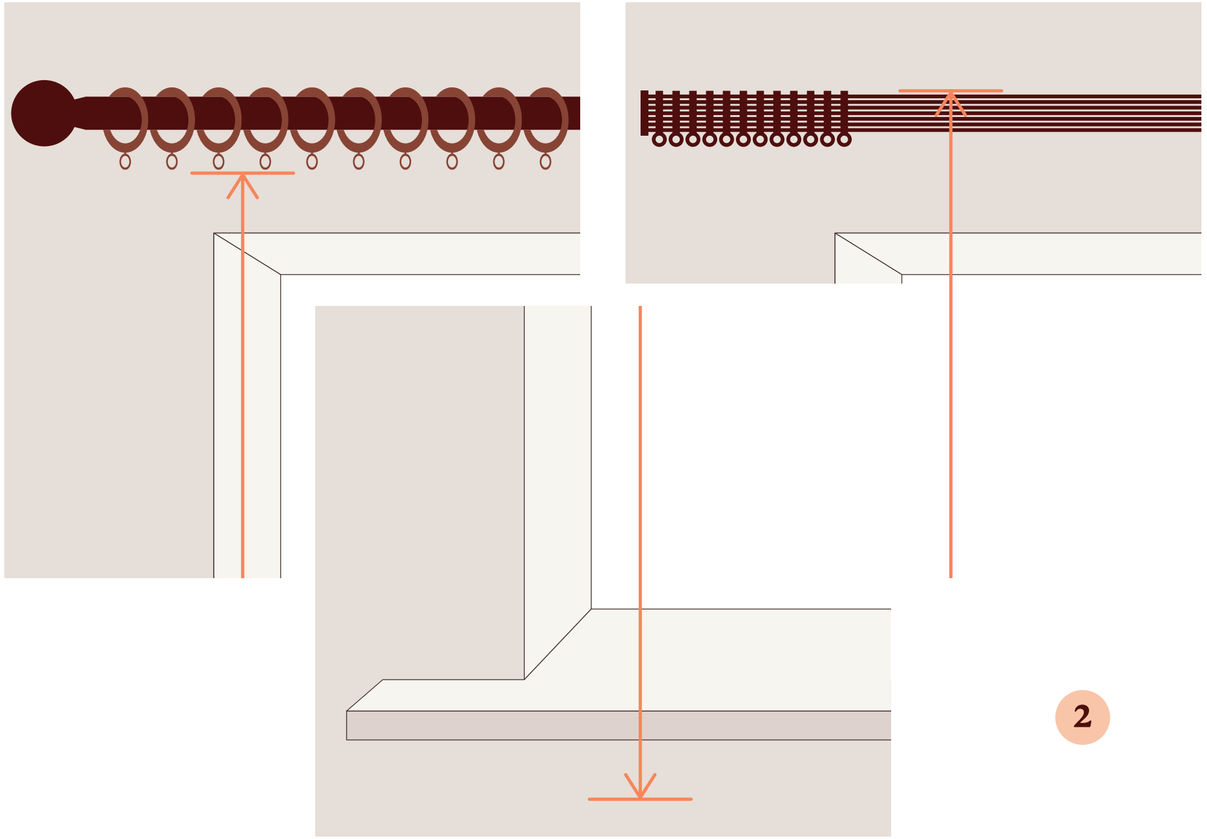


Measure the width

Simply measure the width of the pole, between the end caps or finials, or the full width of your track, and enter this as your width measurement.

We'll use the width of your pole or track to calculate the overall width of the fabric you'll need for the curtains.

The overall width of the fabric used for pencil pleat and double pinch pleat curtains is 2x your pole width. ***Again, when measuring you only need to give us the pole or track width, we'll calculate the fabric size.***



2

Measure the drop

Poles: Measure from the bottom of your eyelet rings, down to where you want your curtains to finish at the bottom. If you want your curtains to cover the pole, simply measure from the top of the pole instead.

Tracks: Measure from the top of the track, down to where you want your curtains to finish at the bottom.

It's up to you where the curtains finish, but consider whether you need clearance below them. Generally speaking, we'd recommend leaving a 15mm space between the bottom of the curtains and anything they could brush against.

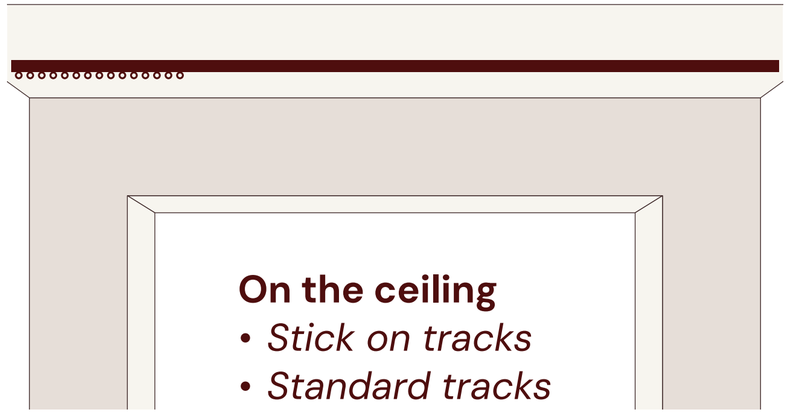
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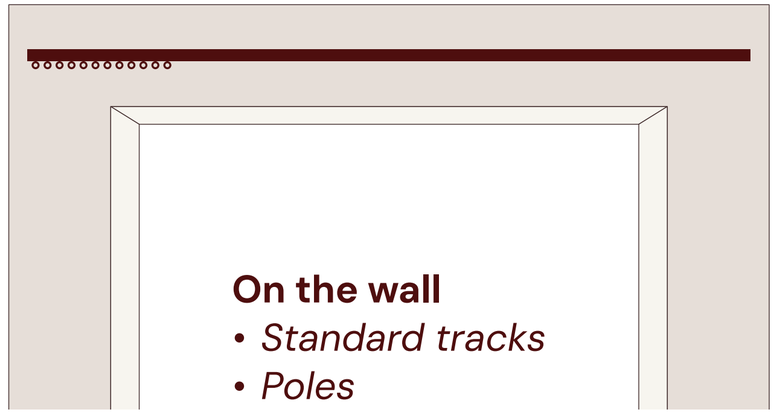
Decide where *your track or pole will fit*

If you're ordering one of our free tracks or poles with your curtains, then it's entirely up to you where you install it.

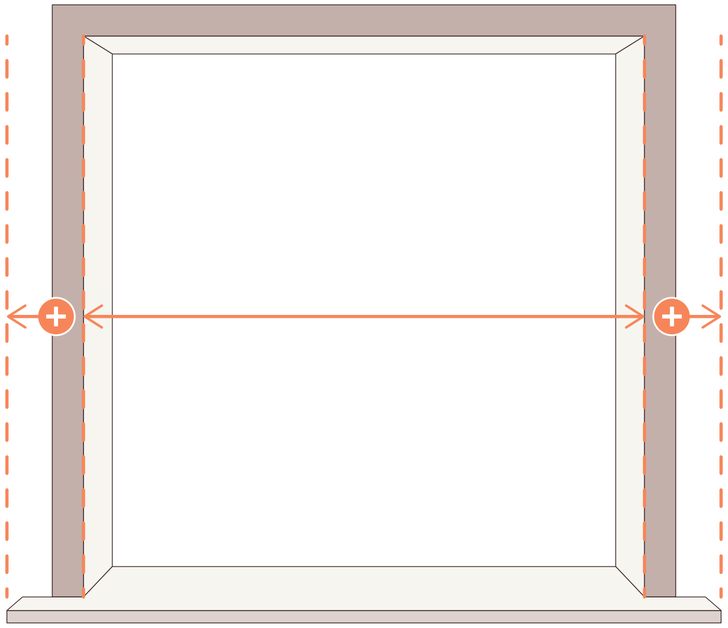
Our stick on tracks can be mounted on the ceiling.

Our standard tracks can be fitted to the ceiling or to the wall above the window, whereas **our poles** can only be fitted to the wall.



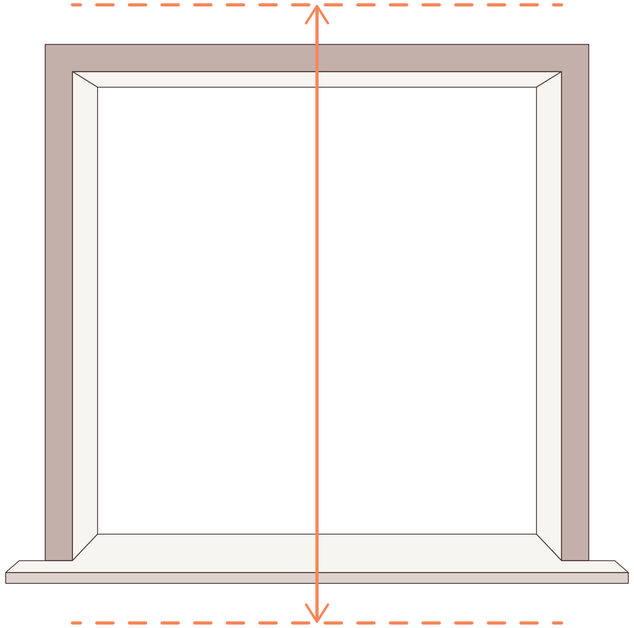


1 Measure the width



Use the window you want to cover as a guide - measure the full width of the window, then **add** around 150 - 200mm on each side.

2 Measure the drop



Measure from the top of where you'd like the track or pole to be, down to where you want the curtains to finish.

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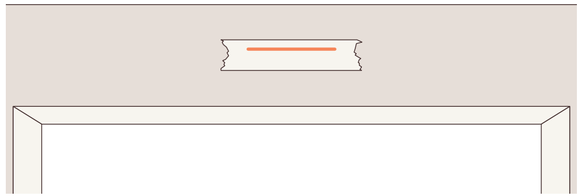
Measuring the drop - general

It's up to you where the curtains finish, but consider whether you need clearance below them. Generally speaking, we'd recommend leaving a 15mm space between the bottom of the curtains and anything they could brush against.

If you'd like you curtains to 'puddle' on the floor, measure down to the floor and add around 50 - 100mm.

Measuring the drop - fitting the track or pole on the wall

Stick a piece of masking tape to the wall where you'll be mounting the track or pole, and make a little mark where the top of the track is going to be. Leave it there until your curtains have arrived, and you can use it when installing the track or pole to make sure it's not installed higher or lower than intended.



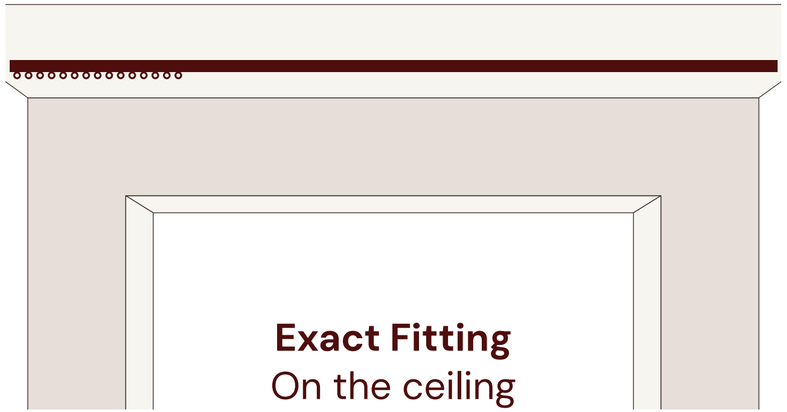
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Decide where *your track will fit*

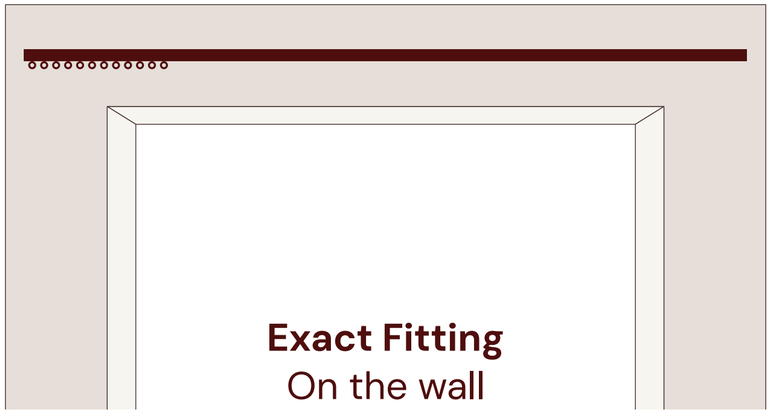
You'll receive one of our free tracks with your curtains, and it's entirely up to you where you install that track.

The track can be fitted to the ceiling or to the wall above the window ("Exact Fitting"), or to the lintel inside the recess ("Recess Fitting").

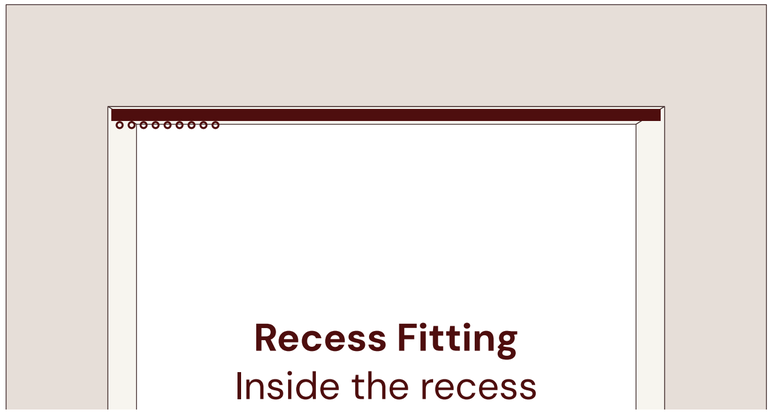
It's your choice, but we would generally recommend Exact Fitting for wave curtains.



Exact Fitting
On the ceiling



Exact Fitting
On the wall



Recess Fitting
Inside the recess

Section 4 *Measuring for Wave Curtains* - **Exact Fitting**

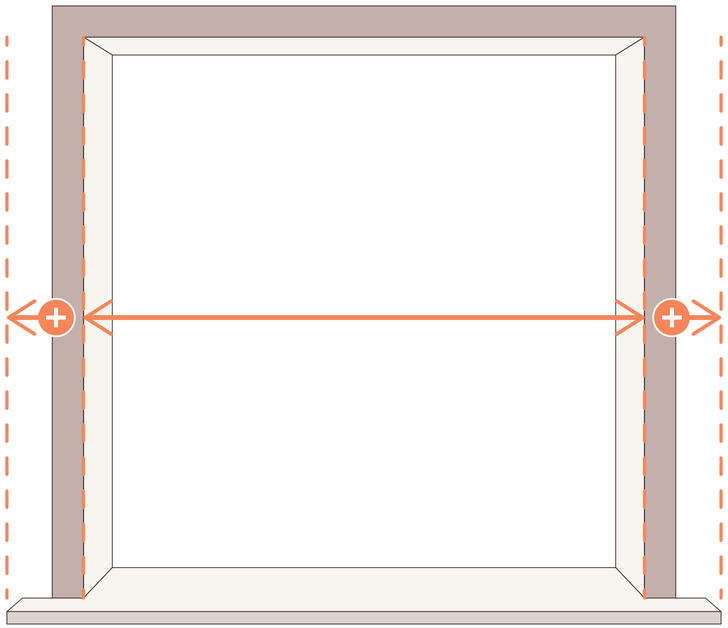
What is *Exact Fitting?*

Choosing *Exact Fitting* tells us that wherever you're fitting your curtains, your measurements are the total size of the area you want your curtains to cover.

Exact Fitting is usually the correct choice when ***the curtains are being installed outside of a window recess.***

- Measure the size of the recess and add a certain amount to the width and the drop so that the curtains overlap on all sides

1 **Measure the width**

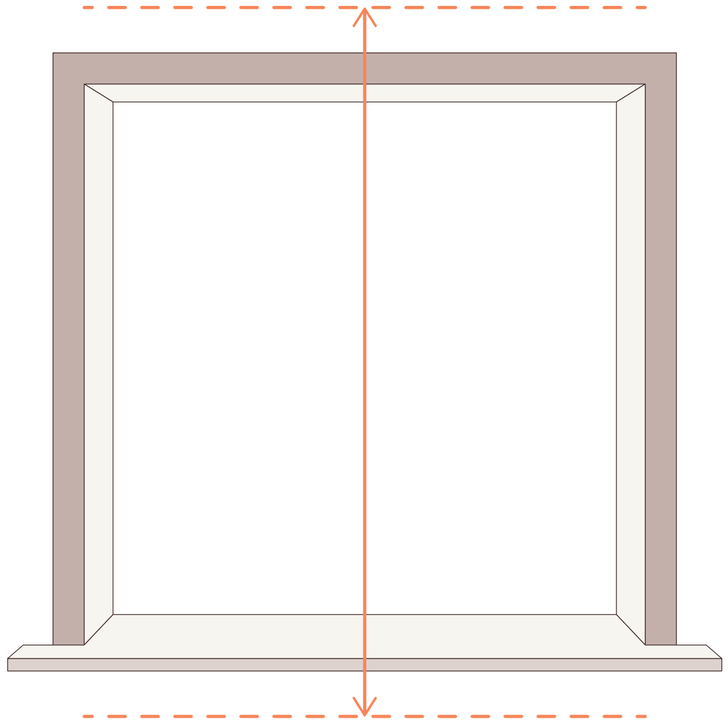


Simply measure the width you want the finished curtains to cover. It's often helpful to use the window recess you want to cover as a guide - measure the full width of the recess, then **add** around 150 - 200mm **on each side**. Enter this total as your width measurement.

The overall width of the fabric used for wave curtains is 1.5x the width you enter. ***Again, when measuring you only need to give us the final width, we'll calculate the fabric size.***

Section 4 *Measuring for Wave Curtains* **- Exact Fitting**

2 Measure the drop



Measure from the top of where you'd like the track to be (or from the ceiling, if that's where it's being installed), down to where you want the curtains to finish.

It's up to you where the curtains finish, but consider whether you need clearance below them. Generally speaking, we'd recommend leaving a 15mm space between the bottom of the curtains and anything they could brush against.

If you'd like you curtains to 'puddle' on the floor, measure down to the floor and add around 50 - 100mm.

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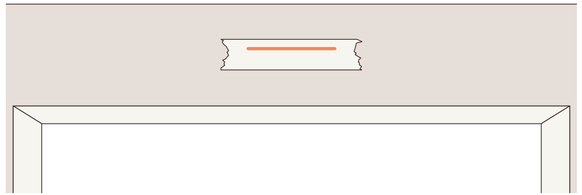
Replacing existing curtains

If you are replacing existing curtains with wave curtains and you want the same size, simply measure the width of the pole or track, and the drop from the top of the pole or track to the bottom of the curtains, and specify exact fitting.

We will make your curtains the same size overall (we will send the track with your curtains, so the track will be included in the size).

Measuring the drop – fitting the track on the wall

Stick a piece of masking tape to the wall where you'll be mounting the track, and make a little mark where the top of the track is going to be. Leave it there until your curtains have arrived, and you can use it when installing the track to make sure it's not installed higher or lower than intended.

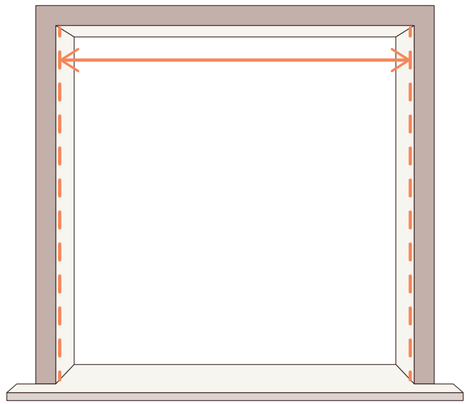


Section 4 *Measuring for Wave Curtains* **- Recess Fitting**

What is *Recess Fitting?*

If you choose ***Recess Fitting*** when you order, that tells us that you've measured the ***inside of the window recess***.

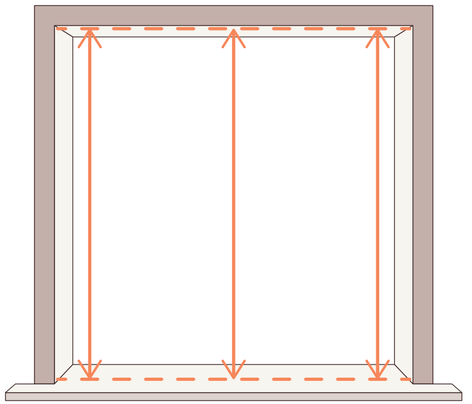
- Measure the inside of the recess. The width should be measured at the top where the track will be installed
- Do not make any adjustments to your measurements. We'll make all the necessary allowances to make sure your curtains fit perfectly inside the recess



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Measure the width

Measure wall-to-wall inside the recess at the top, where the track will be installed.

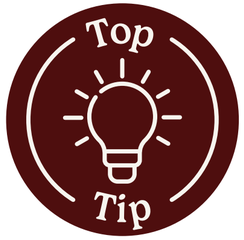


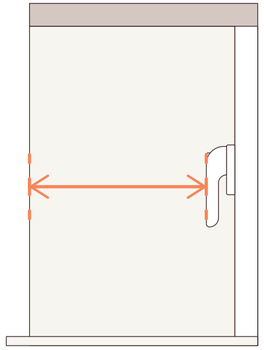
2

Measure the drop

Measure from the top of the recess to the sill. Measure on the left, in the middle, and on the right - make a note of the smallest measurement.

Section 4 *Measuring for Wave Curtains* **- Recess Fitting**





Window handles

Always make sure there's enough space inside the recess so that your curtains will clear any window handles.

You'll need at least 80mm between the handle and the front of the recess to ensure your curtains don't protrude from the recess.