

Measuring Guidelines

Panel Glides

It is very important to show your client where the panels will sit on the window and how much of the glass area they will cover. This factor may influence how many panels you decide on, as increasing the number of panels will decrease the width of each individual panel. When there is more than one blind in the same room area, it is advised to keep the panel widths (rather than the number of panels) as similar as possible to maintain consistency in product appearance. To determine an approximate width of the panel, divide the blind width by the number of panels.

Single Opening Panel Glides

Inside Mount

It is industry standard for a blind fitting into a window reveal to sit flush with the front of the reveal. The factory will make the appropriate deductions for the product type and fixing position.

Check that the reveal is deep enough for the track to fit into. Refer to the projection notes in the specifications. The depth required will vary with each different track size. Ensure there are no protruding window handles/locks etc that will interfere with the sliding action of the panels.

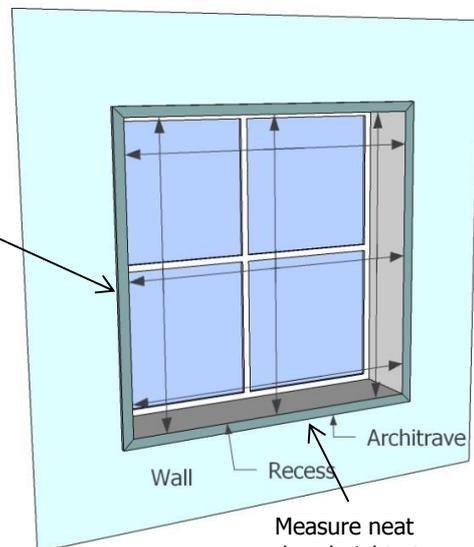
Width

- Measure neat internal width of reveal
- Measure at three width points – top, middle and base of reveal. Use the smallest width measurement

Drop

- Measure neat internal drop of reveal
- Measure at three drop points – left, middle and right of reveal. Use the shortest drop measurement. Advise client if window is out of square

Measure neat reveal width at three points



Outside Mount

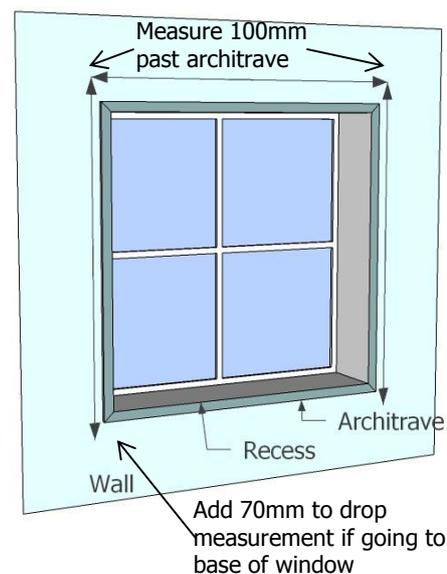
Blind Fitting onto Architrave

Width

- Measure from outside edge of architrave to outside edge of opposite architrave
- Add a minimum of 100mm to each side. This provides better light block and privacy and ensures that no architrave is visible down sides of blind

Drop

- If going to floor, measure from top of architrave to floor. Measure at three drop points – left, middle and right of area. Use the shortest drop measurement. Advise client if the drop height varies across the area as this will result in an irregular light gap along base of blind
- If going to base of window, measure from top of architrave to the base of lower architrave. Add minimum of 70mm to drop to provide better light and sun block



Note – Ensure that there are no furnishings etc sitting under the window that will obstruct the sliding operation of the panels.

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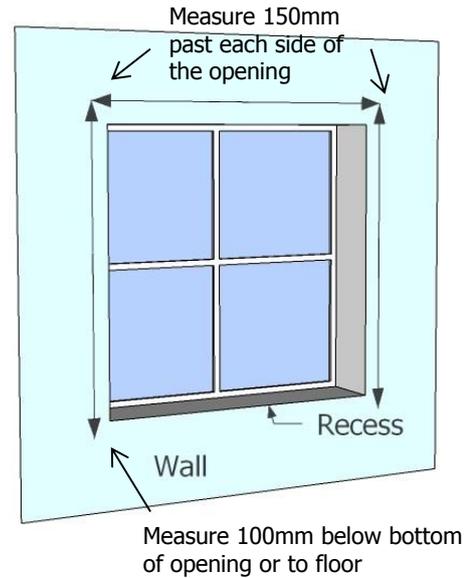
Blind Fitting onto Wall

Width

- Measure a minimum of 150mm past each side of the opening

Drop

- If fitting the blind into plaster or concrete – measure a minimum of 70mm above the window opening to a minimum of 100mm below the window opening or to floor
- If fitting blind into brick – measure from the top of the first brick to a minimum of 100mm below the window opening or to floor



Note – Outside mount Panel Glides can be extended past the window opening to have panels sitting in front of wall and not obstructing the window area. This is achieved by increasing the width of the Panel Glide to extend past the window on one side, or if centre opening, to extend past on both sides. Check for any obstructions e.g. light fittings.

Corner Window

Refer to the Corner Window measuring for Roller Blinds as a guide. Refer to the Easy Reference Guide for the product projection that will need to be deducted from the “butting” blind.

Bay Window

Refer to the Bay Window measuring for Roller Blinds as a guide.

It is recommended to use brackets to determine measurements for outside mount applications.