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Defining the Details

## How to choose the right lock for your door

Follow this guide to find the most suitable lock for your door.

Remember – if you are trying to replace an existing lock, simply remove it from your door, measure it and compare it with the sizes and types on our website to determine what you need.

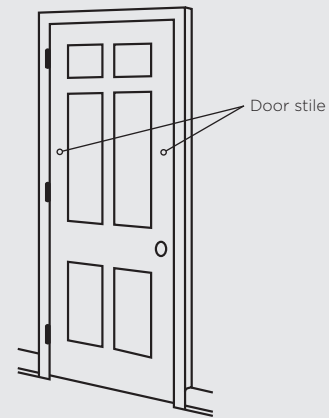
### External Doors

#### Key Type:

- If you're after a traditional 'old style' key, choose the **Skeleton Key**<sup>1</sup>. This key is used with a **5 Lever Lock**.
- If you'd prefer a modern looking key, choose the **Euro Key**<sup>2</sup>. These keys can be easily replicated, changed or keyed by a locksmith, and require a **Euro Cylinder**<sup>3</sup>.

#### Door Type:

- Regular single doors with a stile 110mm or greater require a 5 Lever/Euro Mortice Lock with standard 57mm backset.
- Regular single doors with a stile 90mm or less require a 5 Lever/Euro Mortice Lock with standard 46mm backset.
- If the measurements of the stile are between the above measurements you can use either lock, however, your lock will not be centered on the door stile.
- If your double or French doors are rebated, you will require a rebated lock. The above measurements also apply to **rebated locks**<sup>4</sup>.



### Internal Doors

#### Privacy:

- If your door needs a thumb turn privacy function (e.g. bathroom, bedroom, toilet, etc.), there are 2 options you can choose from:
  1. Long Back Plate Privacy Door Furniture: you will require a **privacy mortice lock**<sup>5</sup> with a **privacy adaptor**<sup>6</sup> (adaptor included with all privacy door furniture).
  2. Door Knob / Lever on rose: these products require a separate **privacy bolt**<sup>7</sup> and **privacy turn**<sup>8</sup>.

#### Lock Type:

- If your internal door needs to lock with a key, you'll need a **3 Lever Mortice Lock (Skeleton Key)**<sup>9</sup>.
- If you have rebated double doors, a **Rebated 3 Lever Mortice Lock**<sup>10</sup> is required.

