

MEASURING GUIDELINE

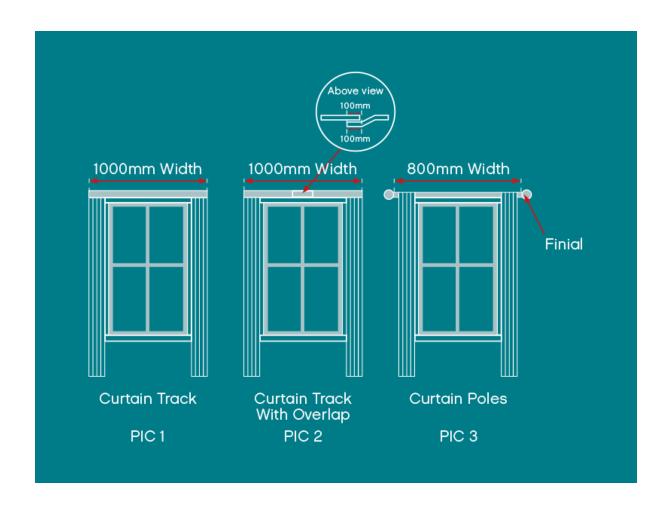
TOOLS REQUIRED

Metal measuring tape, pen & paper

HOW TO MEASURE

- 1. To achieve the best fit, first decide whether you would like to have a track or pole.
- 2. Only use a metal measuring tape and record your measurements in mm.
- 3. Fit the pole or the track before measuring to get accurate Curtain length.
- 4. Measurements must be exact for an accurate result. We will make the necessary allowances to your measurements to ensure a correct fit.
- 5. Always measure the width first (across the window) and then the drop (top to bottom)
- 6. Record your measurements in the same order.
- 7. Check for any obstructions your Curtains need to go around or over (e.g. a door handle). You will need to take their position into account to ensure a perfect fit.
- 8. Finally, re-check your width and drop measurements to ensure accuracy.

WHEN A POLE OR TRACK IS ALREADY IN POSITION



CURTAIN TRACK & WAVE

Measure from end to end and record this as your width (e.g. 1000mm).

As shown in PIC 1.

CURTAIN TRACKS WITH AN OVERLAP

Measure the full width of both tracks together (PIC 2)

Then measure the distance where the two tracks overlap each other in the middle (PIC 2)

Do this part twice, once for each track (it will be the same measurement on both)

Add these two and the full width of both tracks together to give a final measurement. (E.g. 1000mm + 100mm + 100mm = 1200mm)

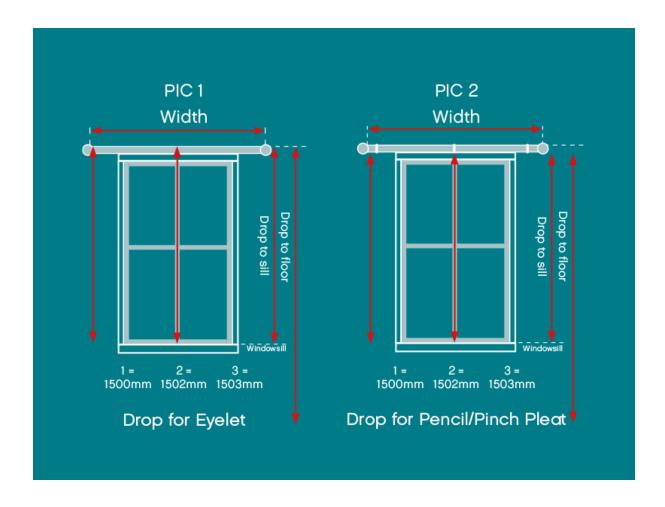
As shown in PIC 2.

CURTAIN POLES

Measure between the two finials and record this as your width measurement (E.g. 800mm).

As shown in PIC 3.

MEASURING DROP FOR EYELET HEADING CURTAINS



Measure from the top side of the pole to the desired length and record as your drop measurement

Measure in three places (left, middle and right) and record the shortest measurement. (E.g. *PIC 1* your measurement will be 1500mm).

Note:

Eyelet Curtains will fit poles up to 35mm in diameter.

The overall drop will be made 30mm longer to allow the Curtain to stand off the pole.

There will always be an even number of eyelets per Curtain.

MEASURING DROP FOR PENCIL/PINCH PLEAT HEADING CURTAINS

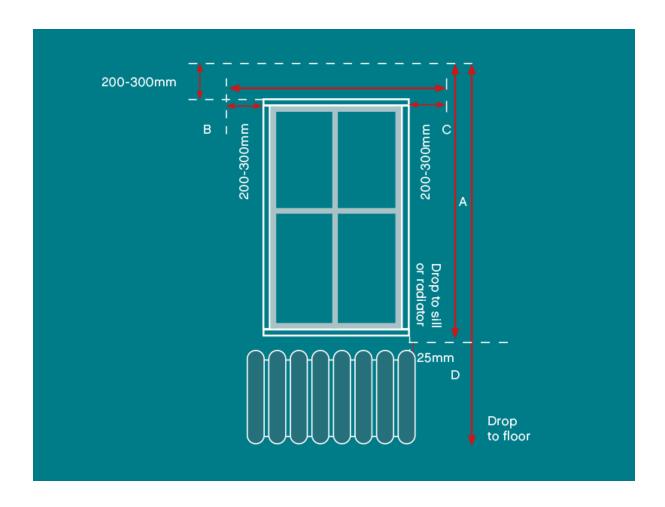
Measure from the underside of the ring fitting of the Curtain pole/track to your desired drop.

Measure in three places (left, middle and right) and record the shortest measurement. (E.g. *PIC 2* your measurement will be 1500mm).

Note:

If you would like your Curtains to cover the track, measure from the top of the Curtain track down to your desired drop.

WITHOUT A POLE OR TRACK IN POSITION

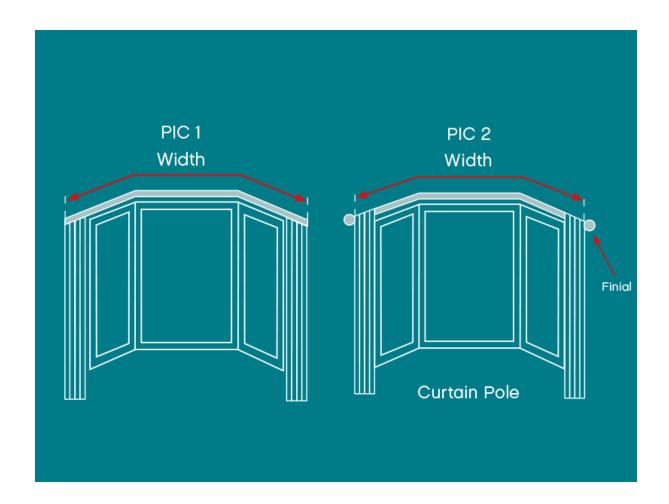


When measuring a window with no pole or track in position we recommend an overlap of 200mm - 300mm at each side and above the window (e.g. *A, B, C measurements*).

If you have an obstruction that prevents you from doing this e.g. a radiator below the window, measure up to 25mm above the radiator to the bottom of the Curtains. (E.g. **D** *measurements*).

If the pole or track is recessed, measure the actual width of the pole / track.

BAY WINDOWS



If a pole or track needs to be fitted, follow the manufacturer recommendations on how to measure and fit. Each manufacturer will have slightly different instructions on measuring and fitting the track or pole

Note:

If you select our installation service our team will be able to measure and fit your pole or track.

Charges are applicable

Once the track or pole is fitted, or if you already have one in position, follow the instructions below

CURTAIN TRACK

Measure from end to end (**PIC 1**) and record this as your width measurement (please record your measurements in mm).

CURTAIN POLE

Measure between the two finials (*PIC 2*) and record this as your width measurement (please record your measurements in mm).

Note:

Not all poles for bay windows are suitable to have eyelet heading Curtains. This is due to the way the pole is fixed to the wall. Please check corners/joins to ensure eyelets can be fed along the pole.

MEASURING DROP FOR EYELET HEADING CURTAINS

Measure from the top side of the pole to the desired length and record as your drop measurement. Measure in three places (left, middle and right window) and record the shortest measurement. (E.g. **PIC 1** your measurement will be 1500mm).

Note: Eyelet Curtains will fit poles up to 35mm in diameter. The overall drop will be made up 30mm longer to allow the Curtain to stand off the pole. There will always be an even number of eyelets per Curtain.

MEASURING DROP FOR PENCIL/PINCH PLEAT HEADING CURTAINS

Measure from the underside of the ring supplied with the Curtain pole/track to your desired drop. Measure in three places (left, middle and right window) and record the shortest measurement. (E.g. *PIC 2* your measurement will be 1500mm).

GENERAL TIPS FOR MADE TO MEASURE CURTAINS

- All lined made to measure Curtains should be dry cleaned as standard.
- If you have ordered a pair, always clean them together and remove any hooks before cleaning.
- We recommend that you hang your Curtains and allow them to settle over a few days, the transit creases and folds should drop out.
- Some eyelet Curtains may have eyelet impression marks on the fabric. If necessary, use a steamer or warm iron to remove them. Do not use excessive pressure or heat as this can distort the fabric.
- Due to the packing methods on Curtains, velvets and pile fabrics may have creasing and pressure marks which should disappear over a short time.
- We pride ourselves on excellent quality. All Curtains are inspected and photographed prior to packing and dispatching to ensure your order arrives perfectly.
- All Curtains will have 10mm deducted from the drop measurement provided to allow the fabric to stretch and settle.
- All Curtains are custom made to the dimensions provided at the time of ordering. Refunds and
 exchanges cannot be given on made to measure Curtains that have been incorrectly ordered,
 unless they are faulty.

NOT CONFIDENT TO MEASURE AND FIT YOURSELF?

Sew Chic Interiors offer a free measurement service, an installation service and a dressing service to take away all the hassles, so please contact us to book an appointment