Rug Size Guide

When it comes to rugs - size definitely matters!

A well proportioned rug can tie a room together, but getting the size and placement right can often be tricky.

We've put together these tried and tested layouts to help guide you to find the perfect size rug for your space.

Cheatsheet

- A living room rug should extend at least 20cm past the sides of your sofa.
- Your dining room rug should be a minimum of 60cm wider than all sides of your dining table.
- Place a rug under the lower two thirds of your bed with at least 50cm of rugs visible on all sides.
- Pro Tip Create a border on the floor with masking tape to help you visualise how a rug will look.
- If in doubt, go bigger! A rug that is too small can cause a room to appear smaller and make furniture feel disconnected.





Living Room

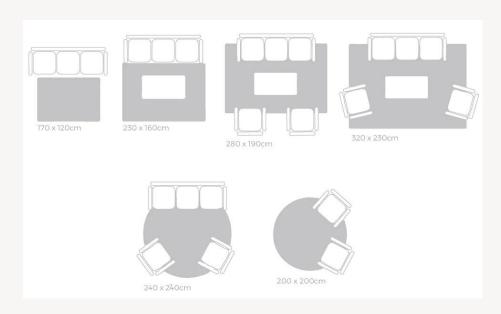
In your living room, ideally you want a rug that is large enough to fit all your furniture with around 20cm of rug visible on all sides.

Alternatively, place the front legs of your furniture on the rug.

A round rug is a great way to give your room a cosy, intimate feel while making a beautiful focal point.

If you prefer a smaller rug, arrange setting at an even distance around the outside of the rug.

While it may be tempting to play it safe with a small rug this can potentially make a room appear smaller or make furniture feel disconnected.

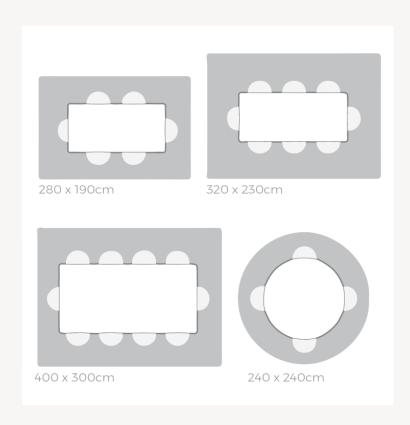


Dining Room

A dining room rug should be a minimum of 60cm wider than all sides of your dining table so that the dining chairs are always on the rug, even when being used.

This will ensure that the rug does not get caught on the back of the rug or become a tripping hazard.

For a cohesive look, we suggest matching the shape of your rug to the shape of your dining table.





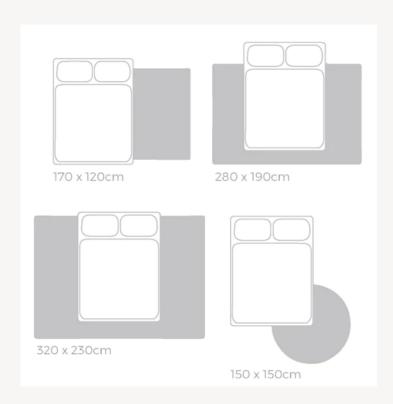


Bedroom

One of the most popular layouts we see in the bedroom is to place a large rug under the bed and extending around 60cm beyond the foot of the bed. The bedside tables sit completely off the rug.

For a luxurious look (and if space permits), have your bed and bedside tables sit completely on a large rug with around 70-90cm of the rug showing around the edges.

Place a round rug off-centre at the foot of the bed or add a runner to each side of the bed to create symmetry.



Need help finding the perfect rug?

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