howto Measure for Roller blinds

INSIDE A WINDOW RECESS



INSIDE RECESS MEASUREMENT

To measure, take three measurements across the inside of the window recess, at the top, the middle and the bottom of the window and three measurements down, at the left, the right and in the centre, as shown above. Use the spaces provided in the diagram to record your measurements.

Select 'Recess Size' in the measurement option box when ordering and supply us with the narrowest measurement across and the shortest measurement down. **Please do not make any allowance yourself**.

IMPORTANT NOTE Please be aware when ordering Recess Fit Roller Blinds that :

The fabric width is approximately 30 mm less than the finished width of the blind

The finished width of the blind – 'actual blind size' - refers to the total width between the pins at each end of the roller cylinder, including the brackets.

Example – For a recess width given as 100cm – the Roller blind supplied will be 100cm wide Pin to Pin (within a few mm tolerance) and the fabric width will be 3cm narrower (1.5cm each side) at approximately 97cms.

TIPS FOR MEASURING

Use a metal tape measure - fabric ones can stretch and give an inaccurate reading

Measure at the position where your blind will be fitted to clear all window catches etc.

Measure within any tiles or other limitations inside the recess which may affect the finished working width of the blind.

Measure in centimetres and round each measurement to the nearest 0.1cm

Measure all windows individually even if they look the same size



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OUTSIDE A WINDOW RECESS



OUTSIDE RECESS MEASUREMENT

When fitting a Roller Blind outside a window recess, we recommend that the blind extends at least 7–10 cm to each side of the window recess and approximately 7 to 10cm (where possible) above and below, to ensure that the blind gives adequate coverage of the window when closed. If the window sill protrudes more than 5cms from the recess, the blind may have to stop at sill level rather than dropping below it, as this will obstruct the smooth operation of the blind.

Make a note of the new calculated measurement in the spaces provided on the diagram and select 'Actual Blind Size' in the measurement option box when ordering. This will be the exact size that your finished blind will be made to.

IMPORTANT NOTE Please be aware when ordering Outside Recess Fit Roman Blinds that : The fabric width is approximately 30 mm less than the finished width of the blind

The finished width of the blind – 'actual blind size' - refers to the total width between the pins at each end of the roller cylinder, including the brackets.

Example – For an 'actual blind size' width given as 100cm – the Roller blind supplied will be 100cm wide Pin to Pin (within a few mm tolerance) and the fabric width will be 3cm narrower (1.5cm each side) at approximately 97cms.



TIPS FOR MEASURING

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