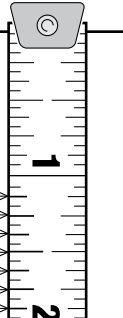


# Measuring Guide for Drapery

### Tools and Tips

- Steel tape measure — do not use cloth tape
- Pencil
- Round measurements to the nearest 1/8"

1/8"	→
1/4"	→
3/8"	→
1/2"	→
5/8"	→
3/4"	→
7/8"	→



## Measuring Guidelines

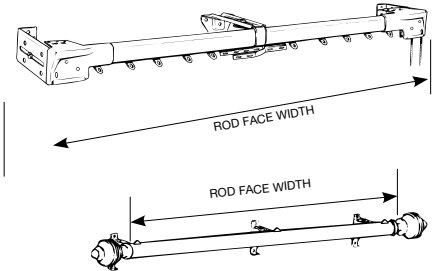
- 1 Determine your drapery style and the type of drapery hardware you will use (see Drapery Styles and Hardware Summary chart for pairing options).
- 2 Using a steel tape measure, measure the width to be covered to the nearest 1/8". Adjustments will be made automatically at the factory to achieve the perfect fullness.

## Rod and Drapery Width

Consider the look you want to create when determining the type of drapery hardware and its placement. Rod type and placement determine the width and length of the draperies needed. General guidelines follow.

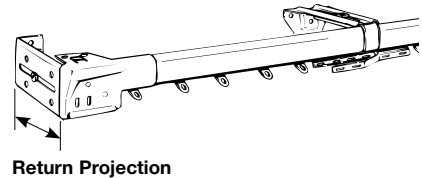
### Width

There are only two measurements you need to determine the width of the drapery: the **face width** of the rod and the **projection** of the rod.



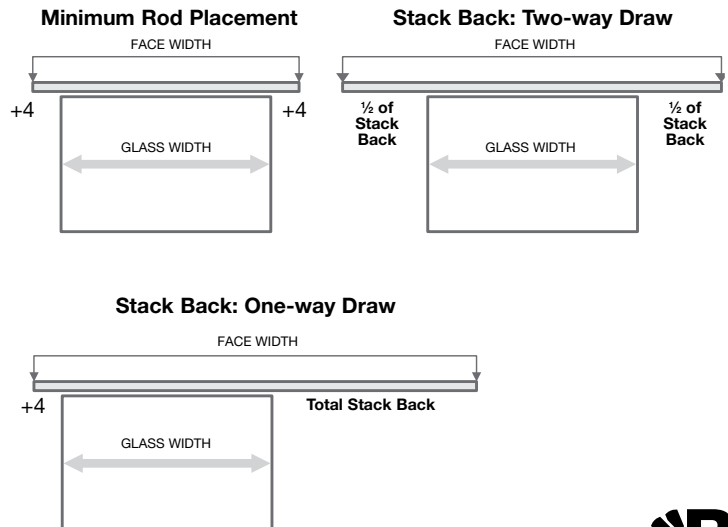
### Figuring Rod Face Width:

Always give the measurement from outside to outside of brackets. Face width does not include finials.



### Width Considerations:

Additional wall coverage may be needed for Stack Back. The general rule is that the total Stack Back needed for the drapery to clear the glass is approximately 1/3 the width of the window. Additional width may be needed for heavy or bulky fabrics.

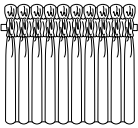


**Note: Face width = Glass width + total stack back**

# How to Measure for Drapery

## 1. Select Your Look

Use the chart below for drapery style and drapery hardware pairing options.

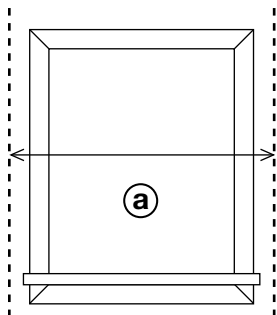
Drapery Hardware	Curtain Rod	Decorative Pole* 1½", 2" & 3" diameters	Decorative Traverse	Pole with Rings	Sash or Tension	Traverse
Pleated 	✓		✓			✓
Rod Mounted 	✓ **	✓ *		✓	✓ *	
Grommet 		✓				
Tab 		✓				
Pleated on Pole with Rings 				✓		

\*When ordering a Rod Pocket Drapery, the header is NOT included in the finished length

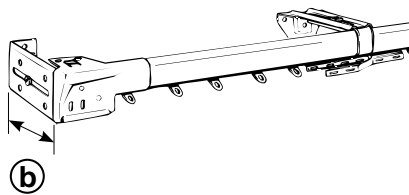
\*\*For decorating poles 1" or less in diameter, select a 2" curtain rod for pocket size

## 2. Measure Your Width

- Measure the width to be covered. Adjustments will be made automatically at the factory to achieve the perfect fullness.
- For Pleated and Rod Pocket styles, you will also need to measure your rod's projection. Projection is the distance from the wall to the front of the rod.






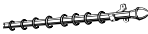


Width



Return Projection

### 3. Measure Your Length

a. Use the chart below to determine the appropriate starting location for the measurement.

<p>Curtain Rod</p> 	<p>Decorative Pole* 1 3/8", 2" &amp; 3" diameters</p> 	<p>Decorative Traverse</p> 	<p>Pole with Rings</p> 	<p>Sash or Tension</p> 	<p>Traverse</p> 
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Top of Rod</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Top of Pole</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• With rings: bottom of the ring</li> <li>• Without rings: bottom of the rod</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Using Eyelet: Bottom of the ring</li> <li>• Using Clips: Hinge of clip</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Top of top sash rod to bottom of bottom sash rod</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Top of Rod</li> </ul>

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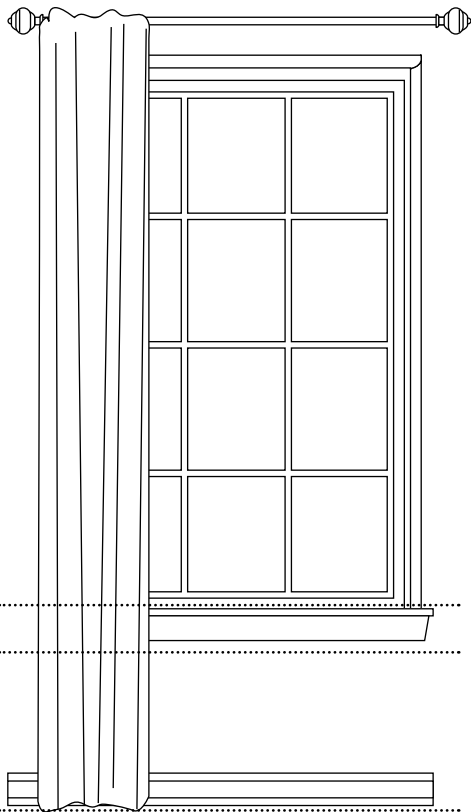
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b. Determine which of the following looks you want to achieve and measure to that length.

- i. **Sill** – measures to the window sill; typically used on an inside mount
- ii. **Apron** – measures to the bottom of the window apron; typically used on an outside mount
- iii. **Floor** – measures approximately 1/2" above the floor
- iv. **Trouser** – measures to the floor; recommend adding 2" to the length to create a break at the floor similar to how a trouser leg breaks on top of a shoe
- v. **Puddle** – measures to the floor; recommend adding 6-10" to the length to create a fabric pool on the floor

### 4. Record Your Measurements

Use the diagram to record your measurements.



Record your width measurement:

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Record your rod's projection measurement:

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Record your length measurement: (Select one length measurement)

i \_\_\_\_\_

ii \_\_\_\_\_

iii \_\_\_\_\_

iv \_\_\_\_\_

v \_\_\_\_\_