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Bay Window Measuring Guide



IS YOUR BAY WINDOW DRIVING YOU ROUND THE BEND?

Measuring for a Bay Window Curtain Pole or Track to the average person can seem daunting..... However it is not difficult if you follow these simple instructions:

Tool List:

- Steel tape measure.
- Masking tape
- Protractor
- Ladder.
- A copy of our Bay Window Measuring Sheet.
- Pencil
-another pair of hands.

Ensure your old fitting has been taken down first for best accuracy.

Measure at exactly the point your bay window pole will be fitted.

Write the measurements and angles in the correct boxes on our Bay Window Measuring Sheet

Repeat the process for all the measurements required.

Measure right into the corners of the bay

If you have a rounded corner, mark a point near the edge and use that for measuring.

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Simply start your measurements from where you would like the pole or finial to end and measure accurately between each angle with your tape measure. If you are measuring on your own use masking tape to secure the end of the tape measure if you cannot hold both ends at once. Take the long measurement from one side of the bay to the other. This is important as it will act as a double check for the other measurements.

If possible take cross measurements between opposite angles although this is not absolutely necessary if you have used the protractor.

Remember to look closely at radiators and windowsills as you will want your curtains to hang in front if possible. Take a note of your preferred projection for your bay window pole.

E mail us with your Bay Window Sheet. If none of the shapes on the sheet apply to your window make a sketch. Once we receive this we have software which can check your angles and measurements thus minimising any risk of error so your Bay Window Pole or Track will fit perfectly.

GOLDEN RULES FOR MEASURING

- Measure the window frame exactly where the track is to be fitted.
- Measure each leg of the bay separately.
- State how far from the wall you wish the front of the track to be. From 37mm – 219mm (depending on track).
- When using the protractor provided read the angle at the point of the arrow.
- State if you require a wall fitted track or ceiling fitted track.
- On corded tracks state the length of the cord drop and whether you require the cords on the left or right hand side.
- Corded tracks or poles over 4m may require cording both ends.