

How to Measure Inside Mount Blinds

Inside mount window treatments are installed inside the window jamb or casing - they can showcase your window and moldings. Follow these steps when measuring for an inside mount DeVenco Wood Blind: As always, record your measurements down to the nearest 1/8 inch.

1. Measure the depth of your window frame. You'll need 3/8" to 1/2" flat surface for an inside mount.
2. Measure the width inside of your window jamb at the top, middle, and bottom of your window opening. If the width varies select the narrowest dimension, this will be the dimension you submit for your window's width.
3. Measure the height inside of your window jamb at the left, center, and right. If the height varies select the longest dimension, this will be the dimension you submit for your window's height.
4. Furnish the exact opening size with no deductions. The factory will take 1/2" deduction from the width for clearance.
5. Assure that your measurements follow the width by height format {W x H} Write the Width first X Height second. {Example: 36" w x 60" h}
6. As always, record your measurements down to the nearest 1/8 inch.

How to Measure Outside Mount Blinds

Outside mount window treatments are mounted on the window casing, wall, or ceiling above your window. If your windows do not have sufficient mounting depth you may be required to install your blinds outside the casing. An outside mount will also be necessary for door installations. Follow these simple steps to measure your windows for an outside mount DeVenco Blind:

1. Measure above the window first to make sure you have at least 3 1/2" of flat space on the casing or wall.
2. Measure the width you want covered. Typically, this will be the width of your casing. If you have no casing measure 1.5" of overlap on each side of the window. The extra width provides more privacy and light blockage.
3. Measure the height of each window from the top of the casing or where the headrail will be mounted to the window stool.
4. Be aware of obstructions such as doorknobs or molding. For door installations measure 3 1/2" above the glass and 1 1/2" below and on each side of the glass.
5. Do not take deductions from your measurements.
6. As always, record your measurements down to the nearest 1/8 inch.