

HOW TO MEASURE A NON RECESS WINDOW - OUTSIDE MOUNT FIXING



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Before you start you will need:

- · A good quality steel tape measure
- · A spirit level
- · Paper and pen
- To print out your chosen frame templates (at the end of this guide)

What is a Non-Recess window?

A Non-Recess window is not set back from the interior wall, for example a traditional Sash window. If there is no recess then you must choose an Outside Mount Frame. The frame can be mounted onto window frame, architrave or the surrounding walls.

Why should I order an Outside-Mount Frame?

Outside Mount Frames are supplied with pre-drilled fixing holes. Holes are pre-drilled on the OUTSIDE of the frame. This means screws will go directly through the frame allowing the shutter to be mounted onto the window or wall. The Vintage L frame needs a flat window surface or wall onto which it can be mounted.

NOTE: Our frames are supplied with cover strips which hide all screws after installation!

How many Frame Sides?



Shutters for Windows

Frame Sides: All



Cafe Style Shutters for

Frame Sides: Left Right Bottom

Windows



Full Height Shutters for Doors

Frame Sides: Left Right Top

Important to Note:

If your windows opens Inwards contact us before measuring. You may need an alternative fitting for your window.

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3. You may wish to upload a clear photo of your window with your order. This helps our team have a full understanding of your needs.







Step 1: Choose Your Frame Position

Option 1 - Mounting onto the Window Frame or Architrave



The Vintage L Frame can be mounted directly onto the window frame or architrave.

It should be fitted onto a flat surface, which can also accommodate the screw fixings . Please note that the Vintage L frames are 39mm or 45mm wide at the back, depending on the range you choose.

Important: If your window opens or tilts inwards, it may be obstructed by the shutter frame. If this applies to your window please contact us for advice before measuring.

Option 2 - Mounting onto the Surrounding Walls



The Vintage L frame can also be fitted onto a surrounding wall. This is a good option if your window opens inwards or if there is not enough space on the window frame.

Important: The frame (39mm or 45mm) must be included in your shutter width and height sizes. We do not add this on for you.

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Step 2: Measure Your Window

Mounting onto the Window Frame or Architrave

Measure the Width and Height in at least 3 different places.
Remember to include the flat space required for the shutter frame, as highlighted in yellow.

Note the <u>smallest</u> dimensions you find.

2. To measure for a Midrail measure from the bottom up to the point you'd like the midrail to be centred*

3. To measure the height of Café Style shutter or a Tier on Tier Split, measure from the bottom up to where you'd like the finished height of the lower panels.

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Note: Dimensions are to be inclusive of the frame. Ensure you are measuring from outside edge to outside edge of the templates.

*Please note that manufactures may move the midrail up or down by half a louvre size from the point specified. Please contact us for further information if required.

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Step 3: Choose Your Frame Depth

Choosing the correct depth of frame is very important, it will ensure that your slats have clearance to tilt without fouling the window or any obstructions.

- 1. Decide which slat size you would like to order (64mm, 76mm, 89mm or 114mm)
- 2. Measure any handles or obstructions which project from the window.
- 3. Refer to the table of recommended frame depths below to choose the right depth of L Frame.

Wood & Essential Shutters

We offer four depths of Vintage L frame in the above ranges.

| Handle Projection | No Handles | 10-20mm | 20-30mm | 30-40mm | 40-50mm | 50mm+ |
|----------------------|------------|---------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| 64mm Slats | 57mm L | 67mm L | 87mm L | 87mm L | 97mm L | Contact Us |
| 76mm Slats | 57mm L | 87mm L | 97mm L | Contact Us | Contact Us | Contact Us |
| 89mm Slats | 67mm L | 87mm L | 97mm L | Contact Us | Contact Us | Contact Us |
| 114mm Slats | 87mm L | 97mm L | Contact Us | Contact Us | Contact Us | Contact Us |

Waterproof Shutters

There is only one depth of Vintage L frame available in our waterproof range (70mm).

| Handle Projection | No Handles | 10-20mm | 20-25mm | 25mm + |
|----------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| 64mm Slats | 70mm L | 70mm L | 70mm L | Contact Us |
| 76mm Slats | 70mm L | 70mm L | Contact Us | Contact Us |
| 89mm Slats | 70mm L | Contact Us | Contact Us | Contact Us |
| 114mm Slats | 70mm L | Contact Us | Contact Us | Contact Us |

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Frame Templates - Wood & Essential

Once printed, please make sure that your templates are to scale. If not, you may need to adjust your printer settings and re-print.



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Frame Templates - Waterproof

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