



How to measure for a door

Measure twice. Order once. Start by working out what you are replacing, then turn to that page.

FIRST — WHAT ARE YOU REPLACING?

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E Sliding closet doors — bypass Measure the whole closet opening. Page 6.	? Not sure which one you have? Photograph the whole opening from both sides and bring the photos to A-1. We will help you identify it.

HOW TO WRITE YOUR MEASUREMENTS

WIDTH × HEIGHT Always in that order, in inches. For example 30" × 80".	THREE PLACES Openings are rarely square. Measure top, middle and bottom, and give us the smallest.	UNSURE BEATS WRONG Write "unsure" and take a photo rather than guessing a number.
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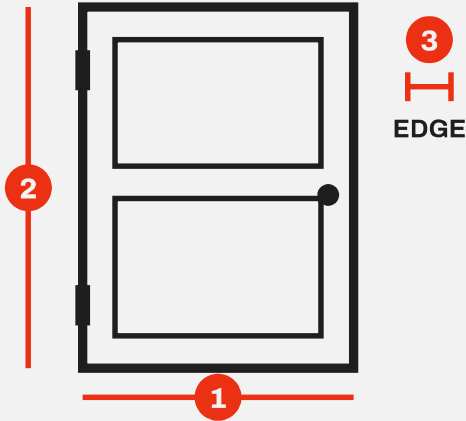
BEFORE YOU ORDER

- ☐ Measured more than once
 ☐ Written width × height
 ☐ Photos of the opening
 ☐ Noted anything unusual
 ☐ Marked unsure, not guessed

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Replacing the door only

Keeping the existing frame? Measure the door itself, not the opening.



1 WIDTH

Measure the door edge to edge, in inches only.

Width _____ "

2 HEIGHT

Measure the door top to bottom.

Height _____ "

3 THICKNESS

Measure the thickness at the door edge.

Thickness _____ "

DON'T FORGET THE DETAILS

HINGES

Number _____

Size _____

Finish _____

BORE / HARDWARE

☐ Existing knob or lever hole

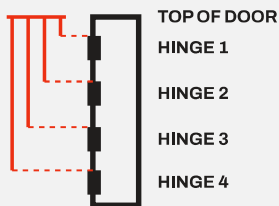
☐ No hole, or unsure

DOOR SWING

☐ Left ☐ Right ☐ Unsure

See our door swing guide — and if you are unsure, don't guess.

HINGE LOCATIONS



Measure from the **top of the door** to the **top of each hinge**, in inches — older and renovated homes rarely use standard hinge positions, and 8'0" doors usually have four hinges. **Backset** is knob-hole centre to the door edge; **face bore** is top of door to the centre of that hole.

Hinge 1 _____ " Hinge 2 _____ " Hinge 3 _____ "

Hinge 4 _____ " Backset _____ " Face bore _____ "

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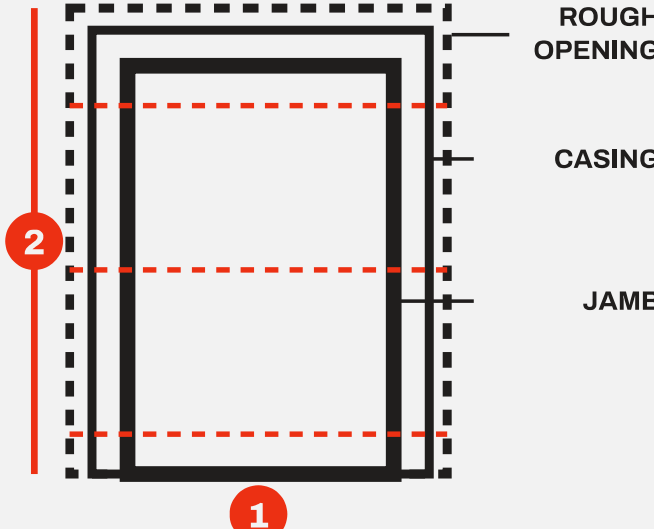
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Replacing door and frame

We need information about the opening and the wall.

	1 OPENING WIDTH If the door and frame are already out, measure framing to framing, in inches. Width _____ inches 2 OPENING HEIGHT From the floor of the opening up to the framing above, in inches. Height _____ inches 3 WALL / JAMB DEPTH The wall thickness where the jamb sits. Do not include the casing or trim. If you are at the framing stage, include the drywall that is still to go on. Depth _____ "
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EXISTING FRAME STILL INSTALLED?

Don't start pulling off trim just to fill out this sheet. Bring us what you can measure safely:

A-1 can work out which additional measurements are needed before anything is ordered.

- ☐ Door slab width and height
- ☐ Photos of the whole doorway, both sides
- ☐ A photo showing the hinges
- ☐ Wall thickness or jamb depth, if known

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Exterior and front doors

These need a few extra measurements, and a closer look before ordering.

1 WIDTH

Measure the opening width, in inches.

Width _____ inches

2 HEIGHT

Measure the opening height, in inches.

Height _____ inches

3 JAMB / WALL DEPTH

Wall thickness where the jamb sits, without the casing. Include the drywall when you measure.

Depth _____ "

4 DOOR SWING

Does the door open:

- ☐ Into the house — **inswing**
☐ Toward the outside — **outswing**
☐ Unsure

Hinges are on:

- ☐ Left ☐ Right ☐ Unsure

5 TAKE THESE PHOTOS

- ☐ Full door, outside ☐ Full door, inside
☐ Threshold or sill ☐ Hinges
☐ Door edge and lock ☐ Surrounding opening



Exterior doors: don't guess. Correct sizing can depend on the existing frame, sill, wall construction and installation conditions. Measurements on this sheet are for planning and quoting, and should be verified before the door is ordered.

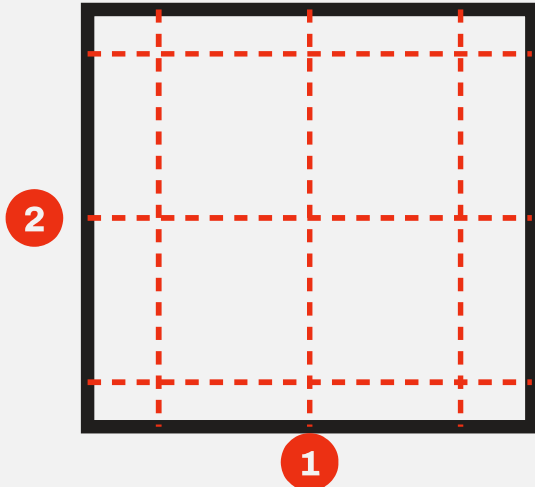
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Folding closet doors

For bifolds, measure the **finished opening** — the drywall-encased opening, not the old doors.



1 OPENING WIDTH

Measure inside the finished opening, in inches.

Width _____ inches

2 OPENING HEIGHT

Floor to the top of the opening, in inches.

Height _____ inches

3 HOW MANY PANELS?

If you are replacing existing bifolds.

Panels _____

THE OPENING HAS

- | | |
|---|--|
| ☐ Jamb or frame | ☐ Drywall opening |
| ☐ Existing track | ☐ Unsure |

TAKE A PHOTO

Photograph the whole closet opening, including the floor and the top track area.

! Measure the opening — don't simply copy the dimensions printed on an old bifold door.

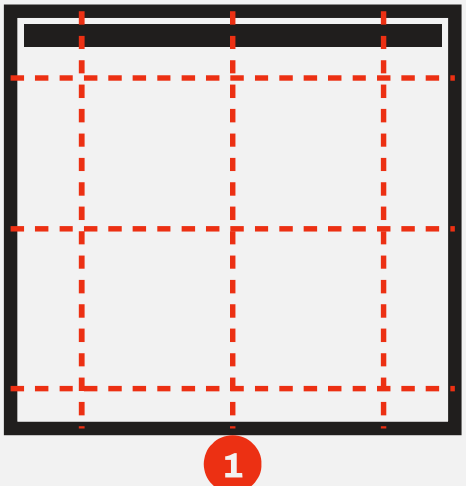
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Sliding closet doors

Measure the entire finished closet opening.



1 WIDTH
Width _____ inches

2 HEIGHT
Height _____ inches

3 EXISTING SYSTEM

☐ Track stays
☐ No existing track

☐ Track replaced
☐ Unsure

Existing panels _____

THE OPENING HAS

☐ Jamb or frame
☐ Existing track

☐ Drywall opening
☐ Unsure

TAKE THESE PHOTOS

☐ Entire opening
☐ Bottom and floor

☐ Top track
☐ Existing doors



Don't divide the opening width yourself to work out your door size. Bypass doors overlap, and the correct panel size depends on the system being used.

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