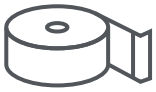
# GE Smart Shades Measuring Guide

## Overview

GE Smart Shades bring convenience and style to your home with automated window shades that you control with a remote or smart assistant. This guide helps you understand what you need to measure the right shades for you..

### What You'll Need



- Steel tape measure (Cloth can stretch)



- Pencil & paper to record measurements



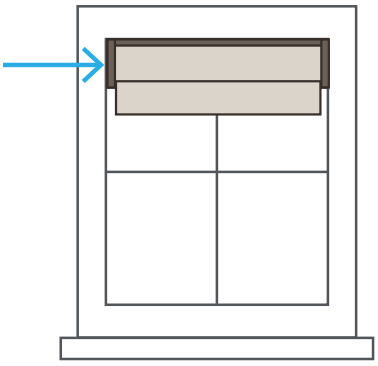
- Helper (Optional, for easy measuring)

## Installation Options

The first decision to make when measuring shades is where to mount the shade: inside the window frame or above it on the wall. Both options work beautifully, and the right choice depends on the window and goals.

### Inside the Window Frame

The shade installs within your window frame, creating a clean, built-in look with a small gap between shade and frame.



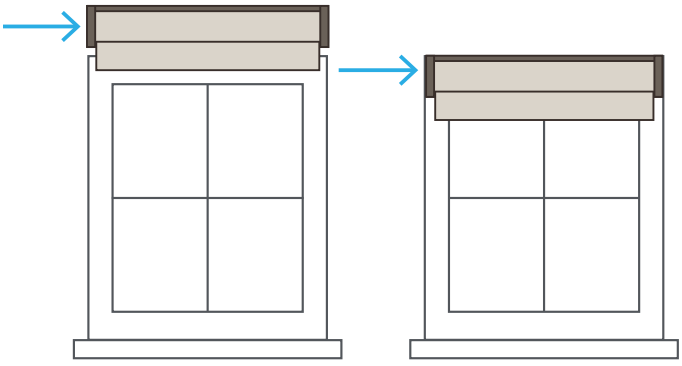
#### Requirements

The window must meet these requirements:

- **Minimum 3" depth** - From inside frame to glass.
- **Square Window** - Sides are parallel and equal.
- **Solid Mounting Surface** - Inside frame can support hardware.
- **Minimal Obstructions** - Window locks/handles don't stick out.

### Above or on the Window Frame

Mounting the shade above the window on the wall or window frame provides maximum light blocking and coverage.



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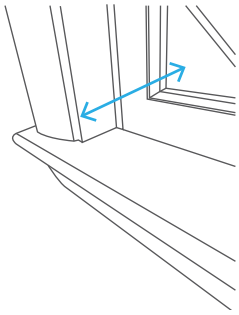
- **Solid Wall Surface**
- **Adequate Wall Space** - At least 2-3" above window frame.
- **Clear of Obstructions** - No light fixtures or vents in the way.

**NOTE:** If there is decorative trim that sticks out more than 1/2", Mount shade to the window trim to allow fabric to travel freely past

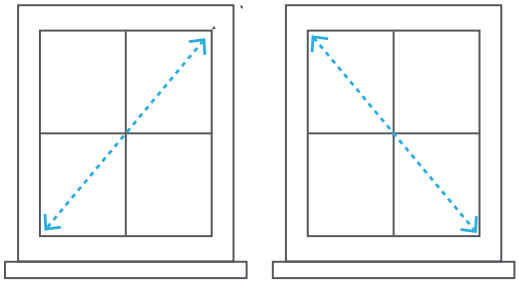
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## Measure Inside Frame Mount

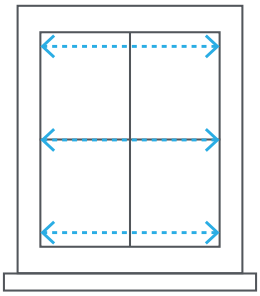
1. Measure from the inside edge of your window frame to the glass. You need at least 3” of depth.



2. Measure diagonally from top-left corner to bottom-right corner, then measure from top-right to bottom-left. If either measurement differs by more than 1/4”, your window isn’t square enough.



3. Measure along the top, middle, and bottom of the window opening to the nearest 1/8”. Record the **smallest** of these three measurements, and reduce by 1/4”. This ensures the shade fits through the entire opening.



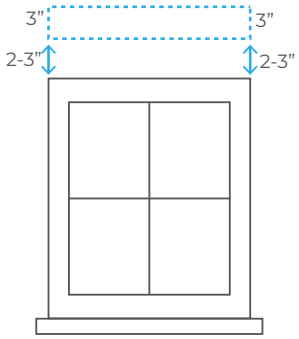
4. Measure the window height from top to bottom to the nearest 5”, maximum 105”. Record the measurements, organized per room, as shown below:

| **Example Worksheet** | |
|---|---|
| Room / Location: | Living Room, South Wall |
| Width Measurements: | 34 1/8”, 34”, 34 1/8” |
| Smallest width: | 34” |
| Order Width: | 34” |
| Order Length: | 45” |

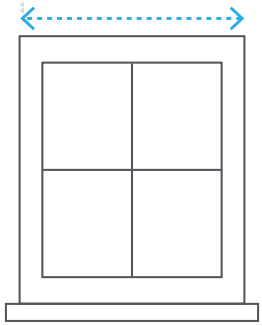
## Measuring Above or On Frame Mount

1. Measure the area above the window. The shade mount requires 3” of clean, flat surface at a minimum 2-3” above the window frame.

**Mounting Area**

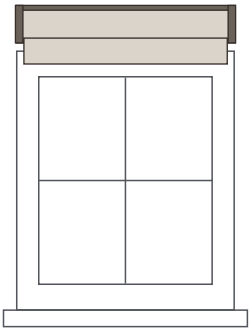



2. Measure the outside edge to outside edge of the trim around each window separately to the nearest 1/8”.

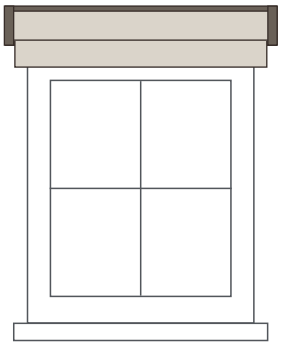


3. .(**Optional**): Add 4-8” to the width for extended coverage, best for blackout shades.

**Standard Coverage**



**Extended Coverage**



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| **Example Worksheet** | |
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| Room / Location: | Living Room, South Wall |
| Width Measurements: | 36, 38 1/4”, Extended Coverage (+6) |
| Order Width: | 42, 44 1/4” |
| Order Length: | 75” |

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