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HOW TO MEASURE A NON RECESS WINDOW - OUTSIDE MOUNT FIXING



A SIMPLE INSTALLATION GUIDE FROM THERMALITE SHUTTERS



Before you start you will need:

- A good quality steel tape measure
- A spirit level
- Paper and pen

TIP!

Measure the window and record the size, go away and have a cup of tea, go back, measure again, “measure twice, cut once :-)”

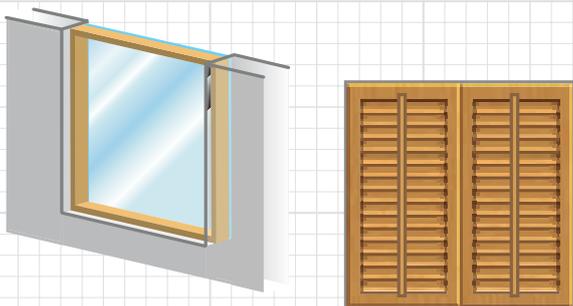
Use a steel tape measure

Outside mount (OM) refers to the direction that the fixing holes are predrilled in the shutter frame. Frames supplied with OUTSIDE mount fixing holes will attach directly to the window frame or the wall surround. Fixing holes are covered via a frame insert strip. The most typical type of window having outside mounted shutters would be a sash window.

1. The total width and drop you convey to us should include the area on the window / wall where the shutter frame will fix. We never add on for the shutter frame, which measures 38mm.
2. Measure the width & height of the window in 3 different places, choose the smallest dimensions.

We always recommend ordering with a 4 sided frame.

Full height shutters = 4 sides frame



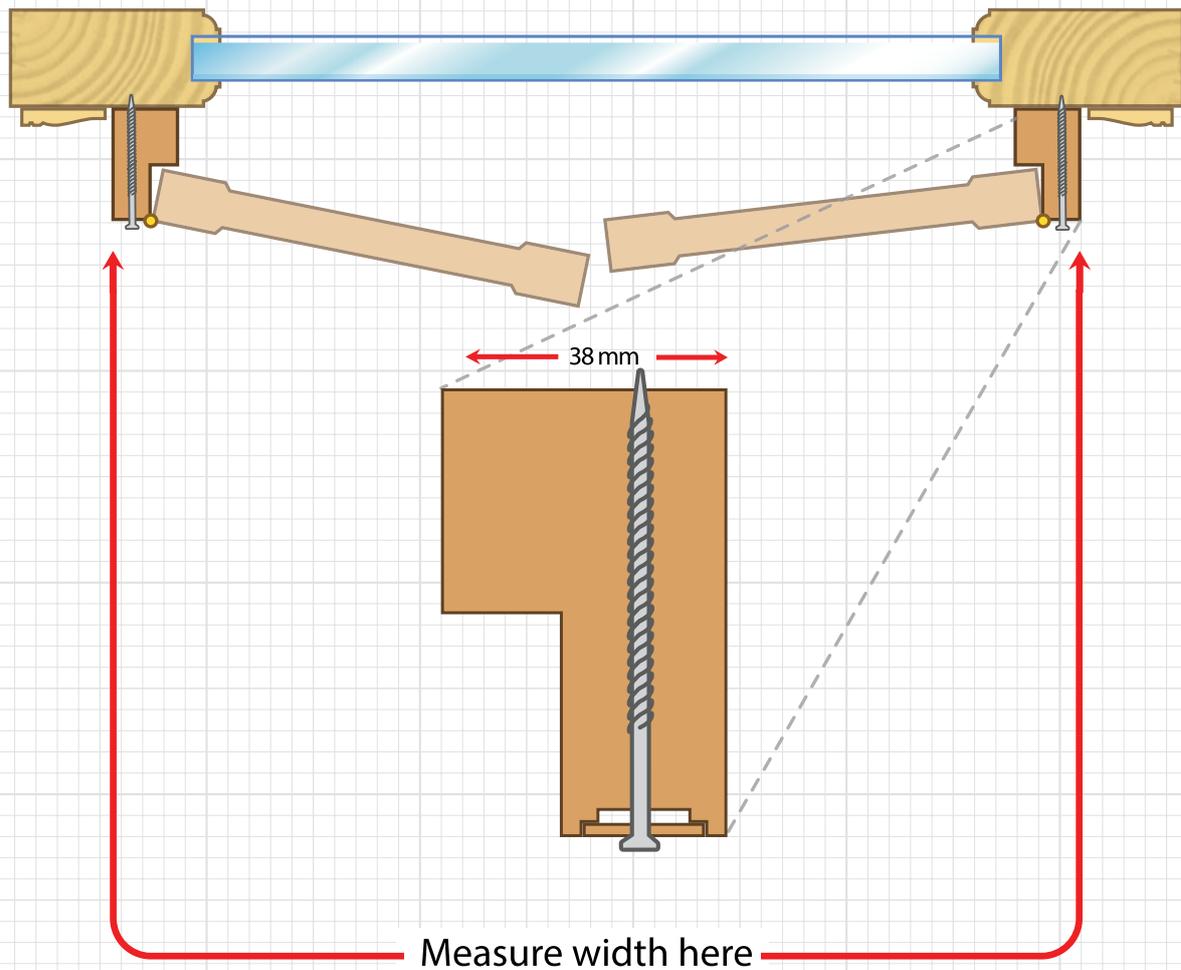
Shutters on french doors = 3 sides frame LRT



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STEP 1 - L frame guidance

- Bird's eye view of window and frame looking down from above. Frame is shown on a non-recess window - outside mount fixing, with cover strip to cover screws.
- When taking measurements, remember to include the width of the frame (38mm) left, right, top and bottom (if using a 4 sided frame).



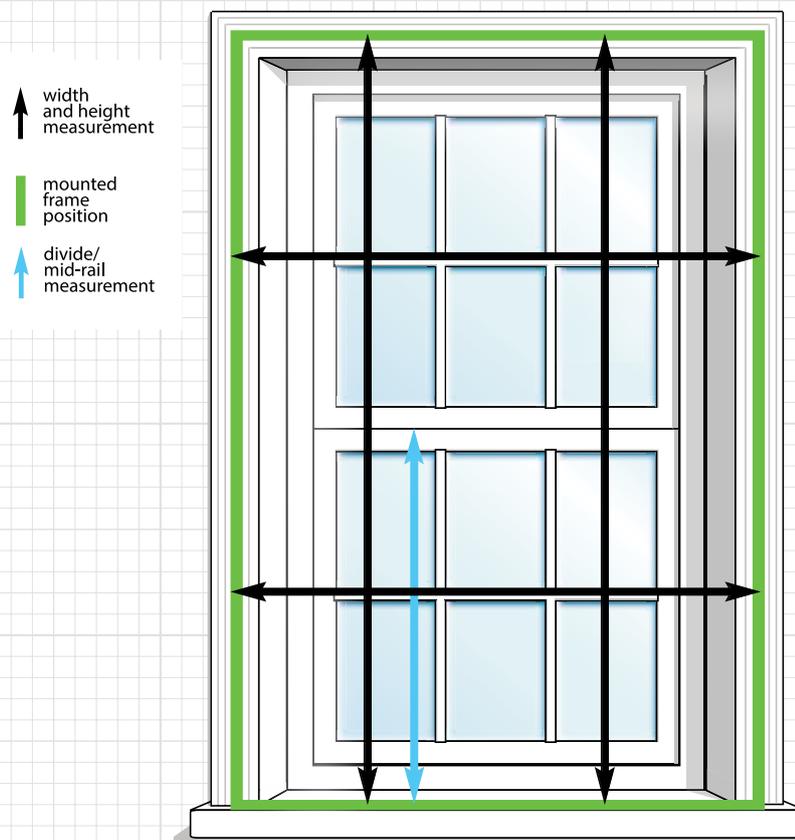
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STEP 2 - Measure your window

1. Measure width x drop, (as shown in **black**). Use the smallest dimensions found.
2. If ordering with a midrail, measure from the bottom to the midpoint of where you would like the rail centered. (As shown in **blue**)

NOTE: Inserting a midrail in a panel can offer flexibility on how you tilt the slats. A midrail can cover a handle or rail on your window or door. A midrail will offer greater strength and stability to taller shutter panels.

Find the smallest dimension by measuring in 3 places for the width and 3 for the height.



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