

## **Measuring Guide For Curtain Poles**

All measurements should be provided in cm

Always use a metal tape measure when taking the measurements.

If you are replacing a curtain pole or track, we advise that you measure the width of the existing fitting rather than the window. If measuring a pole, do not include the finials (decorative ends) in your measurement.

### **Measuring a window for a new pole or track**

Measure the recess width of the window and then add at least another 15cm for each side. The suggested pole length is the recess width plus 30cm.

### **Choosing the right pole diameter**

When choosing a curtain pole, the required diameter will depend on the weight of the curtains. The table below offers a guide to selecting a suitably sized pole depending on the curtain weight.

Remember to take into account any extra weight such as linings. Also please note that pencil pleat curtains for example will have a greater fullness than a curtain with eyelets therefore the weight can be greater.

<b>Diameter</b>	<b>Curtain Weight</b>
Up to 19mm	Light weight (up to 4kgs in total)
25mm or 28mm	Medium weight (up to 8kgs in total)
35mm or over	Heavy weight (up to 12kgs in total)

<b>Eyelet Size</b>	<b>Suitable Pole Diameter</b>
40mm	28mm
50mm	35mm
66mm	50mm