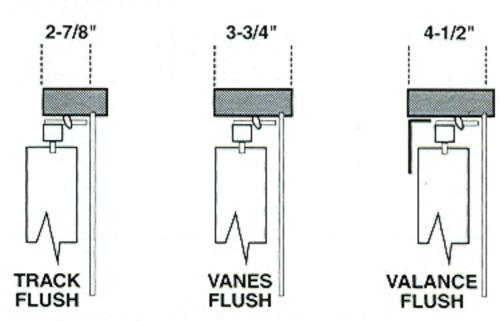
How To Measure Standard Blinds

CAUTION! BLINDS INSTALLED ON WINDOWS NEAR WALL OR BASEBOARD HEATERS MUST CLEAR THE HEATERS BY 12" ABOVE AND 6" TO THE SIDE.

Inside Mount (IM) Installation

Measure the width of the window at the top. The factory will automatically deduct 1/4" for clearance. Measure the height of the window from the top of the opening to the sill in 3 places. Use the smallest dimension for the blind height. The factory will automatically deduct 1/8".



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Outside Mount (OM) Installation

Measure the width of the window plus 4" each side for light blockout and privacy. Give this measurement when ordering. For perfect louver spacing, it is recommended that you round up the width measurements to the next standard size. (See Stacking Chart). Measure the exact height of the window in 2 places. Use the greater height. Add the recommended overlap of 3" top and bottom for a total overlap of 6". Use this measurement when ordering.

Ceiling Mount

Follow the instructions above with exceptions noted below. For wall-to-wall installation, specify exact width at ceiling height, factory will automatically deduct 1/4". For ceiling to floor blinds, measure to the top of the carpet pile in 3 places, use the smallest measurement. Factory will automatically deduct 1/4".

Patio Doors

Outside Mount

Measure the exact width of the patio door. A minimum overlap of 4" on each side is recommended. Outside mount projection brackets are recommended for patio doors with projecting handles.

Clear View Options

Clear View means that the window area is completely clear when the blind is traversed open.

Do the following:

- (1) Look up the stack width for door in question,
- (2) add the 4" overlap,
- (3) the door width, and
- (4) the stack width.
- (5) Round up to next standard width.

Example: A 6 ft. patio door requires a 72-3/4" headrail. The overlap is 4". The louver stack is 10-1/8". These add together totaling 86-7/8". For equal spacing order the next standard width which is 88-3/8".

