

DRAPERY AND WINDOW HARDWARE GUIDE

GETTING STARTED

Whether you've already made your decision or could use some guidance selecting the right drapery for your space, an Arhaus associate is here to help. Below are a couple guidelines to get you started.

We offer crisp Cotton Sateen, soft Washed Linen, stunning Dupioni Silk and traditional Cotton Velvet. Each collection is offered in a variety of colors and sizes.

DO YOU WANT TO LAYER YOUR DRAPERY?

If the answer is yes, our Silk Organza and Shimmer Metallic unlined sheer panels look beautiful as a second layer or on their own in a room that does not require much privacy or light filtering.



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ARHAUS CHIEF CREATIVE OFFICER

TIP FROM GARY:

Also consider layering sheers!

CHOOSE A CASUAL OR CUSTOM LOOK

All of our lined styles are available with a four-inch rod pocket. Hang the drape directly on the rod for a casual look, or use rings to create folds for a more custom look.

TAKE OUT THE GUESSWORK

Our lined drapes have drapery hook pockets for easy attachment of the drapery hooks; no measuring is needed.

DRAPERY HOOKS VERSUS RINGS

We include seven drapery hooks with our 50-inch drapes and 13 hooks with our 100-inch drapes. Drapery rings are sold separately.

HOW TO MEASURE FOR DRAPERY

Before you measure, determine whether you would like a casual or more formal look, this will help you to determine the length and width of your drapery.

MEASURING TIPS

Use a steel tape measure and measure to the nearest 1/8 inch.

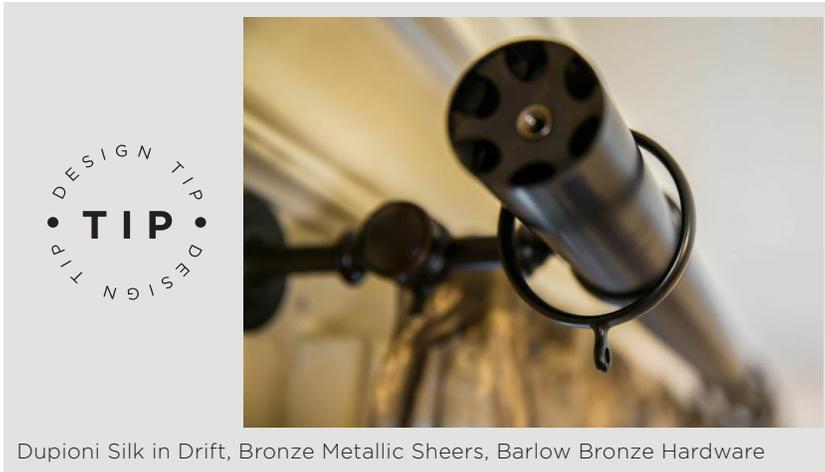
Measure several times to ensure that your measurements are precise.

Measure each window individually.

LENGTH

Our drapery panel length is the true length from the top to the bottom.

Window hardware is usually installed four to six inches above the window frame. It can also be installed closer to the ceiling to make the ceiling appear higher.



Dupioni Silk in Drift, Bronze Metallic Sheers, Barlow Bronze Hardware

TIP FROM GARY:

You can make a window appear wider by mounting the hardware as wide as you want the window to appear. Mount the brackets above the window, right at the edge, and extend the rods out to the desired width. Use drapery rings to hang the drapes, and place a few (most likely two to three) on each side beyond the bracket. The drapery will never open beyond the brackets, so the wall will never show. This completes the illusion of a wider window.

For a tailored look, measure the distance from the bottom of the installed rod or rings to the floor. Subtract 1/2 inch to get the correct length. If you are purchasing new rods you can work in the opposite direction and install your rods at the height that will help you achieve the desired drapery length.

For a more luxurious look that puddles on the floor, add two to 10 inches to the height measurement. This works especially well with Dupioni Silk and Cotton Velvet.

Puddling is not recommended for drapery that will be opened and closed often, or in rooms with a lot of traffic, as the drapery can get dirty.

FULLNESS

For a simple tailored look: use just enough panels to cover your window with a few folds.

For a fuller look: use wider panels or additional panels to create more folds.

Measure for your desired fullness: use the exact window width for a tailored look; multiply by two for a slightly full window; or, multiply by three for a dramatic full look.

Once you determine the above measurement, add another two to eight inches to allow the end panels to extend a little bit beyond the window. This will ensure there are no gaps at the sides.

WINDOW HARDWARE STYLE

Select wood or metal hardware to coordinate with your décor. We offer a variety of finishes.

METAL DRAPERY RODS

Available in four adjustable lengths: 28-48 inches; 48-88 inches; 60-108 inches; and 88-126 inches.

Available in two diameters: one or 1 3/4 inches.

Available in three finishes: antique brass, antique silver and bronze.

All rods are fitted with a simple, decorative end cap, if you prefer to forego a finial.

FINIALS

Finials are decorative and add a finishing touch to your window treatments. If your windows are close together, measure carefully to ensure the finials will fit.

Our finials only accommodate our 1 3/4 inch rods.

Square and egg shaped metal finials are available in three finishes: antique silver, antique brass and bronze.

Turned wood finials are available in two finishes: weathered or java. We do not offer wood rods.

We recommend pairing our weathered finish with our silver metal rod and the java finish with our brass metal rod.

If your windows are very close together, or if you prefer a more understated look, a simple, decorative end cap is included with all of our rods.

If you are fitting rods into a bay window, you may choose to use no finial where the rods meet. This gives the illusion of one continuous rod. The rods will be held in place by the set screws.

BRACKETS

We offer two types of brackets: end and center brackets.

End brackets: encircling the rod, these brackets are needed at the end of each rod. Sold as a set of two.

Center brackets: a semi-circle drop-in style, they are required for additional support. Sold individually.

Please note:

- 28-48 inches, no center bracket required
- 48-88 inches, one center bracket required
- 60-108 inches, one center bracket required
- 88-126 inches, two center brackets required

To add a sheer layer: you will need to use a double rod. This requires the double end and double center brackets. You will also need both rods: 1 3/4-inch rod for the front and the one-inch rod for the back. Use the same guidelines as above to add center brackets.

Our brackets screw directly into the wall for easy installation; there is no hidden hardware. Our brackets ship with screws and anchors for drywall, if necessary.

RINGS, WANDS, HOLDBACKS

Rings: Our loop rings are made to hang on our 1 3/4-inch rods. Use the drapery hooks (shipped with each drape) to hang the drapery on the rings. If you plan to open and close your drapery often, rings are recommended for ease of movement.

Wands: Use a wand to move the drapery smoothly across the rod. This works best when the drapery is on rings. The wand is mounted onto the rings closest to the center. For drapery that will be opened often we recommend a wand on each side.

Holdbacks: For a more decorative look, we offer a simple universal tieback style. Simply sweep the drape back from the window.



Barlow drapery holdback in Bronze

TIP FROM GARY:

You can achieve different looks by mounting your holdbacks at different heights, and by how you pull the drapery into the holdback. For drapes that puddle, you can swag up the drapery into the holdback, creating a pretty balloon effect. If the wall has a chair rail, mount the holdback approximately five inches above it. Mount the holdbacks after you have finished installing the drapery, so you can experiment and find the best height.

Use a steel tape measure and measure to the nearest 1/8 inch.

Measure several times to ensure that your measurements are precise.

Measure each window individually.

These measurements and the instructions below will allow you to order the correct hardware. However, we recommend waiting to receive your drapery before you install your hardware in order to fine-tune the placement.

CALCULATE THE SPACE NEEDED

Determine whether you would like the hardware mounted on to the trim or the wall. Measure the width of the window based on the mounting location.

Add an additional two to nine inches to either side of the window frame to allow space for the panels when open. For a fuller drape style, you will require more room on the sides.

If you plan to use finials, make sure you consider the space needed to accommodate them.

ROD PLACEMENT

For optimal light filtration mount the rod at least six inches above the window trim and allow the rod to extend at least three inches beyond either side of the frame.

To add visual height, mount the drapery rod closer to the ceiling.

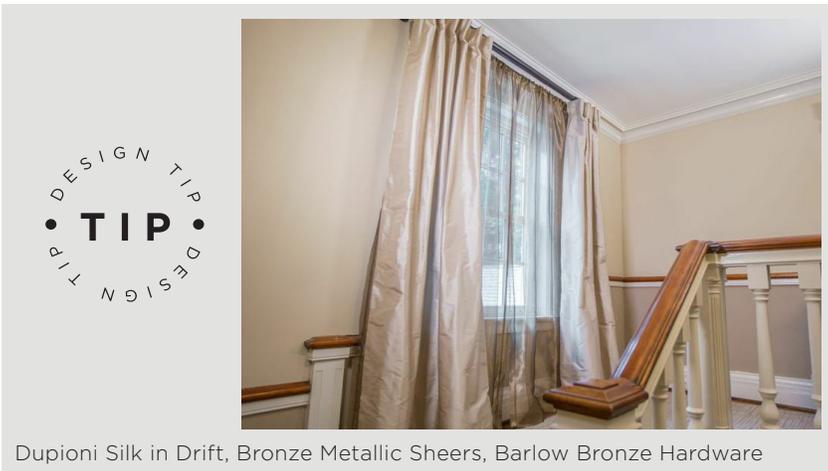
If you aren't using rings, the drapery will become slightly shorter in length when it is hung on the rod.

- For a one-inch rod, plan to hang the rod about one inch lower than the finished length of the drapery.
- For a 1 3/4-inch rod, plan to hang the rod approximately two inches lower than the finished length.

If you are using rings, the drapery will hang slightly longer than the finished length. To determine the additional length attach the drapery to the rings and place the drapery on the rod. Measure the distance from the bottom of the rod to the top of the fabric. Add this measurement to the finished length to calculate the proper rod height.

Brackets should be installed a maximum of 50 inches apart to provide the rod with best support. A center bracket is required for our two medium lengths, and two center brackets are required for our longest rod.

We recommend waiting until you have received your drapery to install the hardware, in order to get the hardware placement exactly as you would prefer.



TIP FROM GARY:

If you have installed your drapery on rings, arrange the pleats neatly and open the drapery completely, into neat pleats. Leave the drapery open for a few days. This helps to “set” the pleats for the future, ensuring that your drapery will look its best when opened.

**ORDER CHECKLIST****ROOM**

WINDOW MEASUREMENTS: _____

DRAPERIES: SINGLE LAYERED**DRAPERY SELECTION**MATERIAL: COTTON SATEEN COTTON VELVET DUPIONI SILK WASHED LINEN

COLOR: _____

WIDTH: 50" 100"LENGTH: 84" 96" 120"

QUANTITY TO ORDER: _____

SHEERS: Y N (consider doubling the drapery width for your sheers for added drama)MATERIAL: METALLIC SHIMMER SILK ORGANZA

COLOR: _____

LENGTH: 84" 96" 120"

QUANTITY TO ORDER: _____

HARDWARE SELECTION

FINISH: _____

ROD DIAMETER: 1" 1 3/4"FINIALS: Y N

SHAPE: _____

MATERIAL: _____

FINISH: _____

END BRACKETS S/2 SINGLE: 1" 1 3/4" DOUBLE (if using sheers)CENTER BRACKETS: 1" 1 3/4" DOUBLE (0 for shortest rod, 1 for medium sizes, 2 for longest rod)RINGS: Y N (50" wide = S/7, 100" wide = 2X S/7)

NUMBER OF RINGS REQUIRED (50-inch width=S/7. 100-inch width=two X S/7): _____

FINISH: _____

HOLDBACKS S/2: Y NWAND: Y N (if opening drapes on rings frequently we recommend 1 wand for each side)

FINISH: _____