

Bermuda Shutter Measuring Information

Generally, Bermuda shutters cover the entire window. Width and height measurements would include the casing and height is measured to the sill. (See Diagram 1). If there is no sill, measure to the bottom of the casing below the window. Shutters will be manufactured exactly to the size that you specify – please measure carefully. Bermuda shutters can be mounted using a hanging rail that is fixed to the top of the casing. The hanging rail is standardly 1-1/4” tall by 1-1/4” wide. Hinging to the hanging rail allows for easy installation, but there are other types of hinges that do not require a hanging rail. Be certain of how you want to hang the shutter before providing dimensions so you can deduct what is necessary for a hinge.

If you prefer to shield from the sun without darkening the room, you can ask to have the Bermuda shutter fabricated at 1/2 or 1/3 the size of the window (awning style). This must be specified, or you should provide measurements at this reduced height.

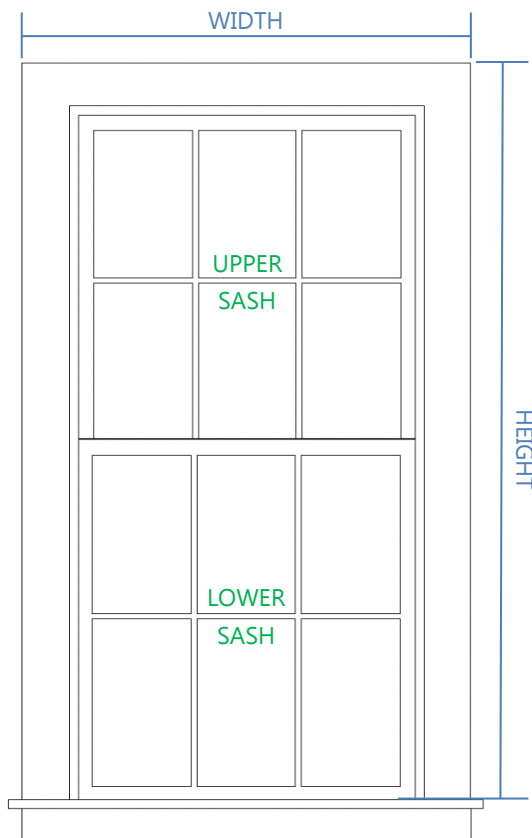


Diagram 1

Bermuda shutters are 1-1/4” thick and fabricated from Cedar. Dependent upon the width, there is standardly a sub-stile. A lockrail will be added if the height is over 65”. (See Diagram 2.) The angle of the shutter is determined by the placement of the iron hooks or telescoping arms on the window jamb. We can provide hooks at 12” or 16” in length and are hand forged hooks with cast iron ends in black powder coat, provided as a pair per Bermuda shutter.

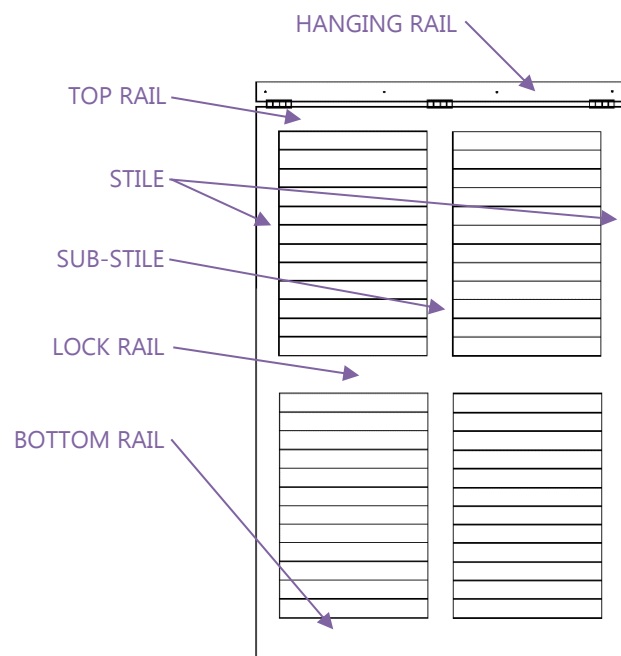


Diagram 2