How to Measure for a Storm or Screen Door

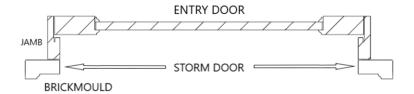


While we are working through the steps to measure for a screen door, storm door, or combination storm & screen door, we feel it is important to familiarize yourself with some common terminology. Understanding the parts of a door will make it easier for you to order as well as ask any questions that

may arise during the ordering and production process.

Brickmould (or Trim)

These pieces can be decorative and border the door. In most cases, your screen door will be mounted to this piece. (Highlighted in red, yellow, & blue)



Jamb

These are the components of the door frame. They are located behind the brickmould and are often what your front door will be mounted to. Depending on how the brickmould is mounted,

This might serve as the "door stop" for your screen door. (Highlighted in orange)



Sill

A piece of wood, metal, or plastic that rests directly beneath the door. It can be flat or slanted like a ramp.

(Highlighted in green)





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To get the most accurate measurements, please follow the diagram showing the 5 places you want to obtain a dimension.

Step 1: Width

Measure near the top, the middle, and near the bottom of your door. Starting from the top, measure the inside edge of Trim A (red) to the inside edge of Trim B (yellow). Record your measurements:

Measurement 1: ______

Measurement 2: _____

Measurement 3: _____

Use the **largest** of these three as your ACTUAL width.

Step 2: Height

Starting on the left side, measure from the inside edge of Trim C (blue) to the top of the Door Sill (green) where you expect the screen door and sill to meet. Try to measure to the lowest part of the sloping surface. Repeat the process for the right side and record your measurements:

Measurement 4:	
Measurement 5:	

Use the **tallest** of these two as your ACTUAL height.

Step 3: Depth of Brickmould

As a precautionary measure, it is best to also measure the depth of the brickmould (trim) to ensure that your storm/screen door will be seated properly in the frame without modification to your trim. To install a storm/screen door, your trim must be at least 1" thick.

Step 4: Request for Quote

After deciding on the type and style of screen door, storm door, or combination storm & screen door will best suit your needs, you can use these measurements to request a quote. Because these are solid wood doors, you can trim to fit exactly into your opening.

https://adamsarch.com/request-a-quote/storm-screen-door-quote/

