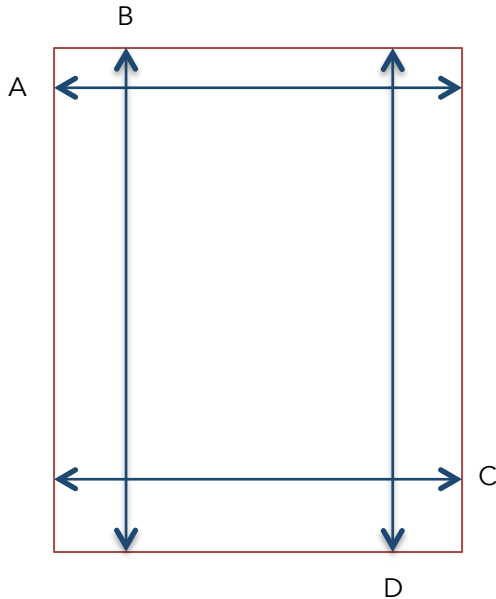




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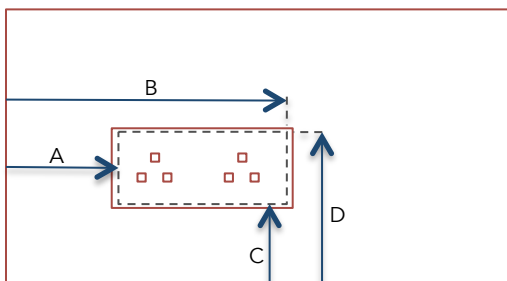
## How to Measure a Glass Splashback

### 1. Simple rectangular glass splashback



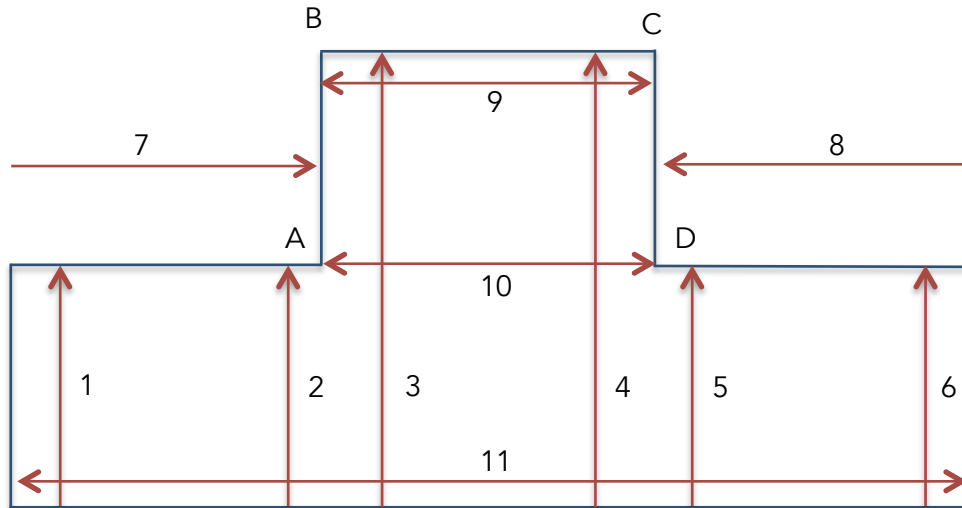
- Most splashbacks will require two simple measurements, A & B.
- However, we suggest you measure all four distances (A, B, C & D) to see if there is any significant discrepancy.
- If there are differences you have two options:
  - If they are minor (less than 3mm) simply enter the shorter measurement in our calculator.
  - If you want the splashback to fit perfectly than firstly enter the shorter measurements in our calculator to get your quote. If you wish to proceed then simply contact us to confirm actual measurements and we will cut the splashback to fit your space.
- Please allow 3mm off all measurements. The glass industry works to a tolerance of +/- 2mm so this ensures the glass will fit. Any slight gaps can be filled with sealant.

### 2. Measuring plug cutouts



- Measure distances A, B, C, D
  - A & B from the nearest wall
  - C & D from the worktop surface
- Note that these measurements are inside the area of the socket so that the socket fits over the top of the glass for a professional finish. These measurements should be 4mm inside the socket area.
- If you prefer the glass to fit round the edges of the socket then adjust the measurements accordingly to fit 4mm outside the socket area. Any gaps can be filled with sealant.
- There must be a minimum of 20mm of glass between each cutout.
- There must be a minimum of 50mm of glass between any socket cutout and the edge of the splashback.

### 3 T-shaped glass splashback



- Take multiple measurements 1 - 11
- Take the shorter measurement of each section of the splashback and enter this into the calculator.
- If there are significant differences you have two options:
  - If they are minor (less than 3mm) simply enter the shorter measurement in our calculator.
  - If you want the splashback to fit perfectly than firstly enter the shorter measurements in our calculator to get your quote. If you wish to proceed then simply contact us to confirm actual measurements and we will cut the splashback to fit your space.
- Ensure you leave the correct amount of space for the corners A, B, C & D that will be fitting around wall units and cooker hoods. We recommend you leave a gap of 6-8mm between the glass and units to ensure a correct fit.
- Please allow 3mm off all other measurements. The glass industry works to a tolerance of +/- 2mm so this ensures the glass will fit. Any slight gaps can be filled with sealant.

### 4. For other shapes

- If you require a glass splashbacks that is not a standard-cut shape, we can tailor the order to your specific requirements.
- Please contact us to discuss your project in more detail.



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### Using glass behind hobs:

- Glass is affected by heat expansion. Therefore when fitting glass behind a hob the glass should be a minimum of 50mm from the hob for induction, halogen & electric hobs
- Behind gas hobs toughened glass (all coloured splashbacks) should be a minimum of 75mm from the hob
- Mirrored splashbacks are not toughened. For induction, halogen and electric hobs it should be a minimum of 50mm from the hob
- We do not recommend installing mirrored splashbacks behind gas hobs

**Remember, toughened glass splashbacks cannot be cut on site so it is vital that you send us accurate measurements with the required adjustments for material expansion. We will supply the splashbacks based on the measurements you take and cannot be responsible for glass that does not fit correctly.**

These instructions have been compiled as a guide only.

### 5. Fitting glass splashbacks yourself

- If you are fitting your glass splashback we offer three choices for fixing the glass to your wall:
  - Drill holes
    - Take great care when fixing into walls to avoid cables and pipes that may be buried. A cable, pipe and stud detector will help in finding suitable fixing points.
    - The wall structure will determine the type of wall plugs and fixings you use. The strongest shelving is achieved when fixing into masonry walls or the timber in stud walls.
    - Position splashback and make marks for fixings with an awl. Drill pilot holes through marks, insert wall plugs as required and fix in place with appropriate screws.
    - For T-Shape splashbacks always fit the piece behind the hob first, taking special care to ensure it is fitted squarely.
  - Peel & Stick Foam backing
    - The wall to which the glass is to be applied must be straight and smooth (if it is not, use an alternative method of sticking such as adhesive).
    - Wash down the wall before applying the glass to remove all traces of debris & dust, make sure to leave the wall to dry completely before moving to the next step.
    - Simply peel off the backing, place the splashback against the wall and press firmly but gently.
    - While the adhesive is setting the glass should be supported to ensure it does not move. Apply some tape (masking tape, low tack tape) towards the top of the glass and to wall at either side, this will help the glass to remain in place whilst the adhesive 'goes off'.
    - Allow the adhesive 24 hours to set fully.
    - For T-Shape splashbacks always fit the piece behind the hob first, taking special care to ensure it is fitted squarely.



- Silicone adhesive
  - Apply blobs of the silicone approximately 50mm in from the edges and space them 200mm apart.
  - Place the splashback against the wall and carefully press it until the silicone takes hold.
  - While the adhesive is setting the glass should be supported to ensure it does not move. Apply some tape (masking tape, low tack tape) towards the top of the glass and to wall at either side, this will help the glass to remain in place whilst the adhesive 'goes off'.
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**Installation by customer:**

- If the company is not installing the product then the Company shall take no responsibility for any issues arising directly from the installation.
- Installation should be carried out using recommended products where advised.