

Note: A **Rough Opening** is the raw, framed hole in a wall's structure (studs and headers) designed for a door, typically 2–3 inches larger than the door. A **finished opening** is the final, finished space after drywall, flooring, and trim are installed, precisely fitting the door.

Measuring your finished opening

- Rough Opening will need to be framed out with finishing materials. (1x6 pine board)
- Check Squareness: Measure the diagonals of the opening. If the diagonal measurements differ by more than 1/2 inch, the opening is not square and may require adjustment or shimming.
- Measure Finished Width: Measure from finished jamb-to-jamb at the top.
- Measure Finished Height: Measure from the floor (finished flooring) to the top header.
- Selecting a Bifold: After obtaining your measurements purchase a bifold with a common size that best fits your opening.
- Actual Door Size: Actual bifold panels are manufactured roughly 1/2" to 1" smaller in width and height than common size to allow for hardware and clearance.