



How To Make S-Fold Curtains Using the S-Fold Curtain Tape

What you will need to Make S-Fold Sheer Curtains Using the 25mm S-Fold Tape

- LEVEL: EASY
- WHAT YOU'LL NEED:
- Sheer Fabric of your choice, using 2 times the width of your S-Fold Curtain Track
- [Hotel Savoy S-Fold 25mm Curtain Tape](#), again using 2 times the width of your S-Fold Curtain Track
- Scissors
- Ruler or measuring tape
- Pins
- Sewing machine & Double-Sided Adhesive Tape
- Dressmaking square
- Tailor's chalk or pencil
- **Note** - Before heading into your Spotlight store, prepare yourself by reading our 'Curtain Fabric Calculation' guide. This can be found online in our Home Decor Projects page.

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Using the 25mm S-Fold Tape

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Step 1** - Firstly, measure the width and drop of your window. A general rule of thumb for the fullness required for S-Fold curtains is 2 x the width of your S-Fold Curtain Track.
- **Step 2** - Lay the entire uncut piece of fabric on a flat surface. Ensure the fabric is square by using a dressmaking square or lining it up against the edges of your table.
- **Step 3** - Sew the side seams by turning over the sides x 3cm. Pin and stitch in place 2mm from the inside edge, remembering to remove the pins as you sew. Or alternatively use the double-sided adhesive tape.
- **Step 4** - Neatly fold the top of the curtain then carefully pin the S-Fold Tape across the top make sure the tape is tucked in at both ends. Take the material over to your sewing machine and use a simple straight stitch to sew across the top of the tape so it's attached. Then, sew straight stitches along the bottom of the tape so it's completely secure.
- **Step 5** - To finish the hem, lay the curtain on large flat surface. Measure the drop from the top of the curtain and mark with chalk or pins. Remember, the curtain is designed to hang from the curtain track, so measure your drop from the track to the floor and mark the distance on your fabric from the middle of your curtain.
- **Step 6** - The excess should be around 20cm. Fold excess over twice x 10cm to form a double hem. Stitch the hem in place 2mm in from the top edge. Stitch the sides of the hem to close.
- **Step 7** - Take plastic curtain hooks and insert them through the loops of the lining tape leaving 6 pockets empty between every hook
- **Step 8** - Your new curtains are ready to hang on the S-Fold curtain track.

What you will need to Make S-Fold Blockout Curtains Using the 75mm S-Fold Tape

- LEVEL: EASY
- WHAT YOU'LL NEED:
 - Blockout Fabric of your choice, using 2 times the width of your S-Fold Curtain Track
 - A Blockout liner if using an uncoated fabric
 - [Hotel Savoy S-Fold 75mm Curtain Tape](#), again using 2 times the width of your S-Fold Curtain Track
 - Scissors
 - Ruler or measuring tape
 - Pins
 - Sewing machine & Double-Sided Adhesive Tape
 - Dressmaking square
 - Tailor's chalk or pencil
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How To Make S-Fold Blockout Curtains Using the 75mm S-Fold Tape

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Step 1** - Firstly, measure the width and drop of your window. A general rule of thumb for the fullness required for S-Fold curtains is 2 x the width of your S-Fold Curtain Track.
- **Step 2** - Lay the entire uncut piece of fabric on a flat surface. Ensure the fabric is square by using a dressmaking square or lining it up against the edges of your table
- **Step 3** - If using an uncoated fabric, a Blockout liner will need to be attached to the fabric. At the top of the curtain, pin the Blockout lining in place.
- **Step 4** - Sew the side seams by turning over the sides x 3cm. Pin and stitch in place 2mm from the inside edge, remembering to remove the pins as you sew. Or alternatively use the double-sided adhesive tape.
- **Step 5** - Neatly fold the top of the curtain then carefully pin the S-Fold Tape across the top make sure the tape is tucked in at both ends. Take the material over to your sewing machine and use a simple straight stitch to sew across the top of the tape so it's attached. Then, sew straight stitches along the bottom of the tape so it's completely secure.
- **Step 6** - To finish the hem, lay the curtain on large flat surface. Measure the drop from the top of the curtain and mark with chalk or pins. Remember, the curtain is designed to hang from the curtain track, so measure your drop from the track to the floor and mark the distance on your fabric from the middle of your curtain.
- **Step 7** - The excess should be around 20cm. Fold excess over twice x 10cm to form a double hem. Stitch the hem in place 2mm in from the top edge. Stitch the sides of the hem to close.
- **Step 8** - Take plastic curtain hooks and insert them through the loops of the lining tape leaving 6 pockets empty between every hook
- **Step 9** - Your new curtains are ready to hang on the S-Fold curtain track.



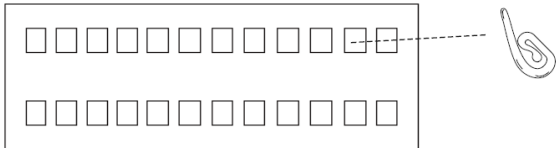
SECTION 2: S-FOLD SHEER & BLOCKOUT Curtain Installation Instructions.

Once you have successfully installed your S-FOLD Curtain Track, you are now ready to fit your S-FOLD Sheer or Blockout Curtains. Just double check that you have tightened all the screws on the curtain track to ensure it will hold the weight of your curtains.

1: Lay your curtain face down on a flat surface - with the curtain tape facing up.

2: Insert the curtain hooks:

Savoy Luxe **Blockout** Curtain



Savoy Luxe **Sheer** Curtain



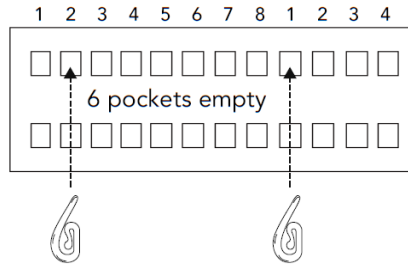
Curtain hooks are inserted into the top row for each curtain tape (as pictured above).

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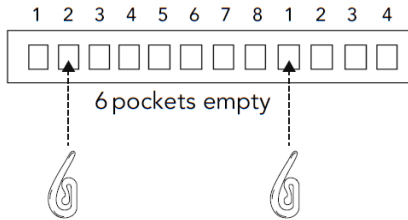
- Start with the outer most side of each curtain
- Insert the 1st hook in the 2nd pocket and work your way towards the middle.
Note: Inserting the curtain hook into the 2nd pocket will give you a little more fabric to hide the plastic carriers at the end of your track, giving you a more professional look.
- Insert curtain hooks into the correct pocket (as pictured) with the pointed end facing up towards the top of the curtain. Turn the hook over 180 degrees so the pointed end of the curtain hook is now facing downwards.

S-FOLD SYSTEM INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

SAVOY Luxe BLOCKOUT Curtains: Insert hooks every 8th pocket (on the top row)



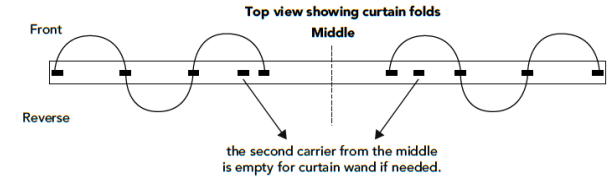
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3: Creating the perfect curtain folds:

Each curtain fold must have 2 sides. To create 2 sides there needs to be 2 hooks (ie: all the folds need to be even). SAVOY S-FOLD Curtain Track may contain extra curtain hooks. To ensure the perfect fold for each curtain, **you must use an 'even' quantity of hooks along the width of the curtain.** (Continued over page)

Note: The curtain tape pockets may be slightly uneven, so you may need to adjust the curtain hook positioning slightly as you make your way towards the middle edge of the curtain (ie: the side of the curtain that will meet the other curtain). Therefore the curtain hooks may need to be located every 7th or 9th pocket for the last several pockets. **Ensure the last pocket has a curtain hook.**



4: Hanging your S-FOLD curtains:

Two people recommended for install. One to hold the curtain, one to insert the curtain hooks to the carriers.

Face the fabric side of the curtain towards the room. For each curtain, begin at the **fixed end** of the curtain track and make your way towards the middle. Insert the pointed end of the curtain hook through the hole of the S-FOLD track carrier. Make sure the pointy end of the hook is facing downwards after inserting the hook. Continue along the track, inserting all curtain hooks into the carriers.

Note: You will notice there will be 2 carriers left, but only one curtain hook. **Insert the last curtain hook into the last carrier.** The 2nd last carrier is left empty so you can install a Curtain Wand if you desire (a curtain wand will help keep your curtains clean from dirty hands-sold separately).

5: Adjusting the curtain folds:

Starting at one end adjust each curtain fold so the width of the curtain creates a series of perfect waves.

