

MEASURING: TILED RECESS OPTION 1

16.0: Tiled recess

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Option 1

The L frame is measured to fit inside the tiled recess. This will keep the cost down and make fitting easier.

Frame cut outs are not an option in the Standard MDF range, so this is the only choice, apart from upgrading to a wooden shutter.

Two shadow gaps

3mm is left between the frame and tiles each side, 3mm is also left between the bottom frame and window sill.

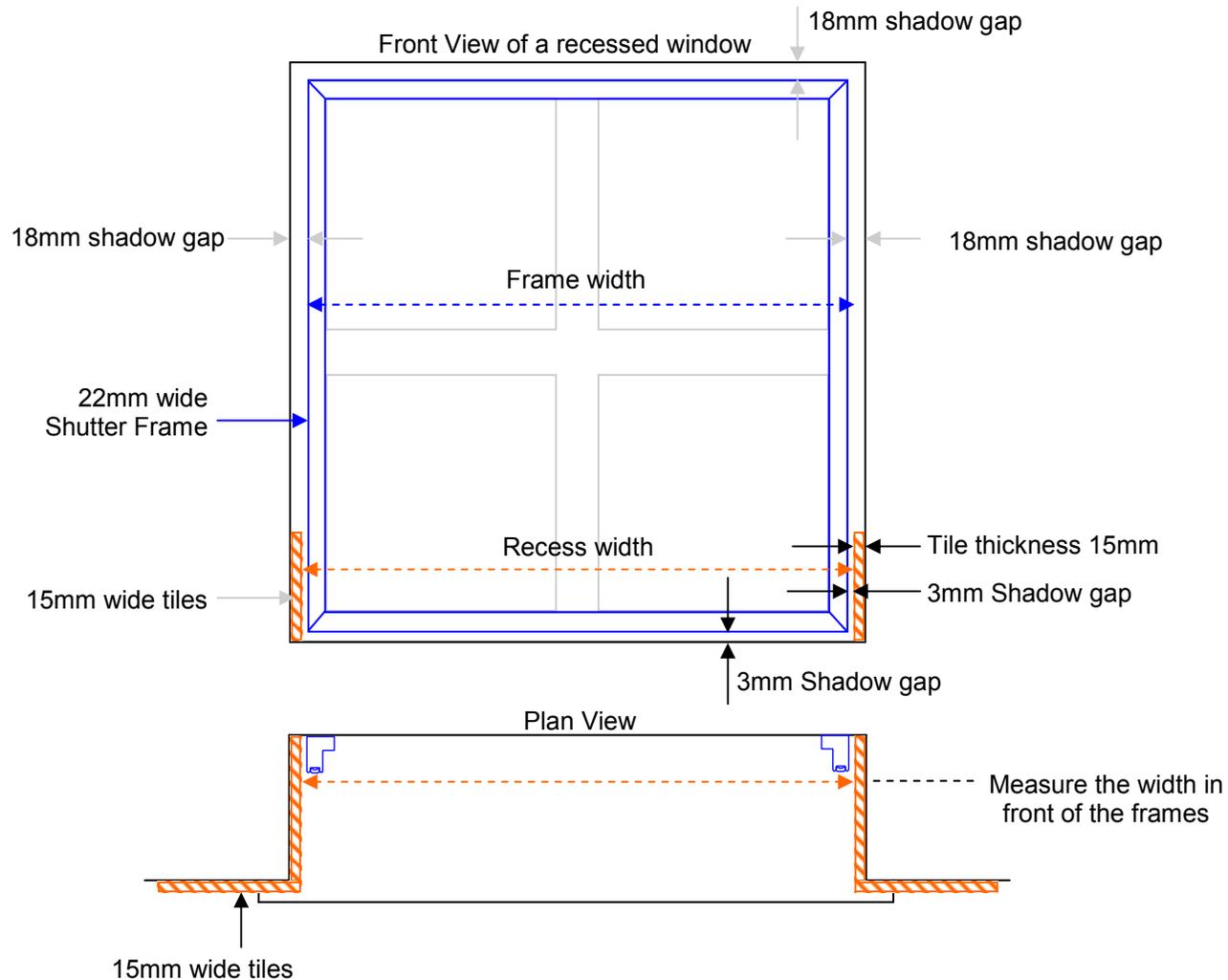
In this example the tiles are 15mm wide, so the shadow gap above the tiles will be 15mm + 3mm = 18mm, so a matching 18mm gap is left between the top frame and recess.

This results in have two sized shadow gaps but with an equal look all round.

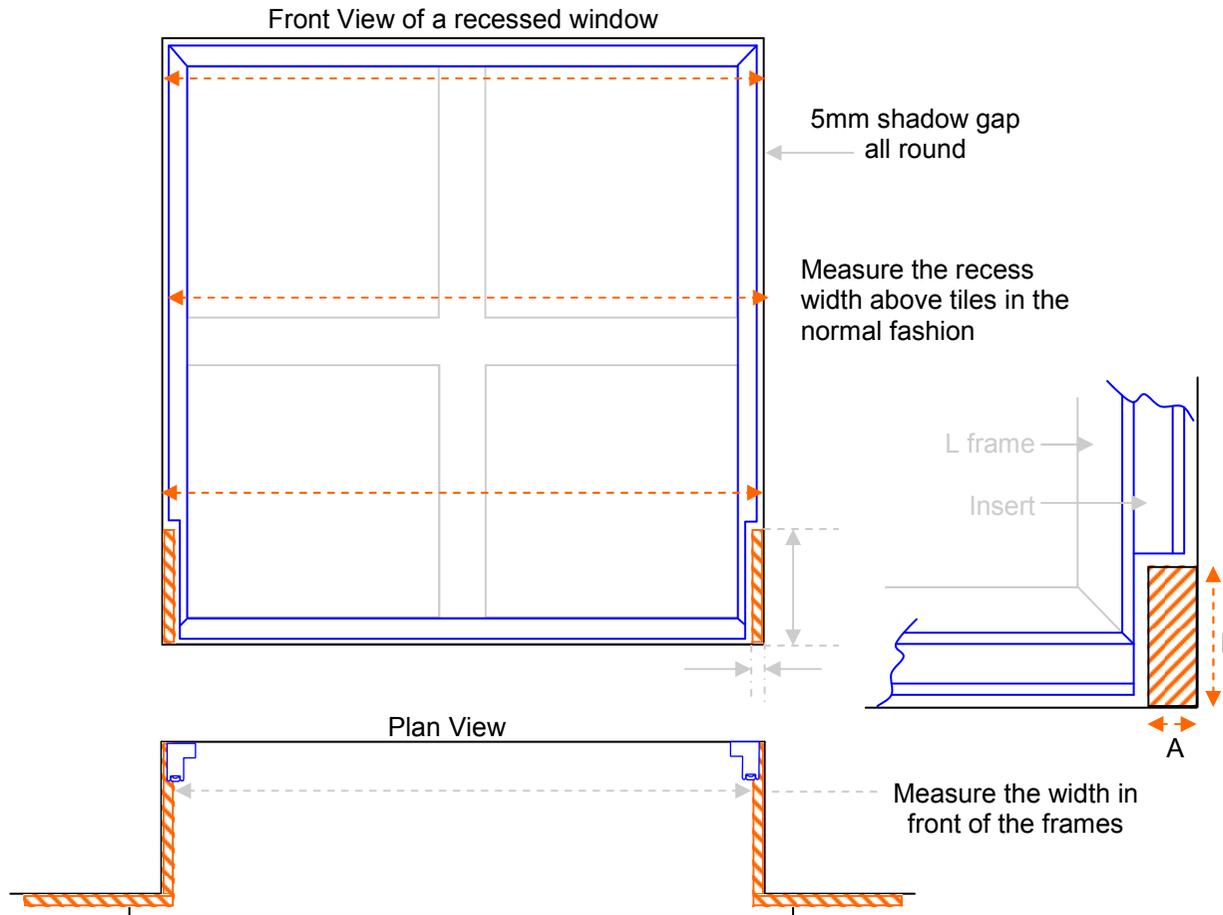
Measuring.

Measure the width between the tiles and deduct 6mm to work out the 'Frame' width.

Measure the height and deduct 6mm and the thickness of a tile. This will provide the 'Frame' height.



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Option 2 - The L frame is cut around the protruding tiles. This has an extra charge per cut out and is only available in wood or ABS shutters.

The advantage of the cut out option is the equal shadow gap all round the frame, even around the tiles. The shutters remain square within the frame, it's only part of the outer frame that is cut away.

Mitres

Note, the mitred cut out joint will not have an interlocking key, the joint will need to be screwed together.

Measuring

Measure how far the tiles protrude each side (width) and the overall height. The main recess width/height sizes are taken above the tiled area in the usual 3 places.

Max cut out

The maximum L Frame cut out is 18mm, this takes the cut out up to the insert strip.

Ordering

There is a pre-set tile cut out option on the order form. Just select the cut out option and enter the relevant tile sizes. The order form will allow for the shadow gap when ordering recess size.

Tile sizes

Left tile width (A)

Left tile height (B)

Right tile width (A)

Right tile height (B)

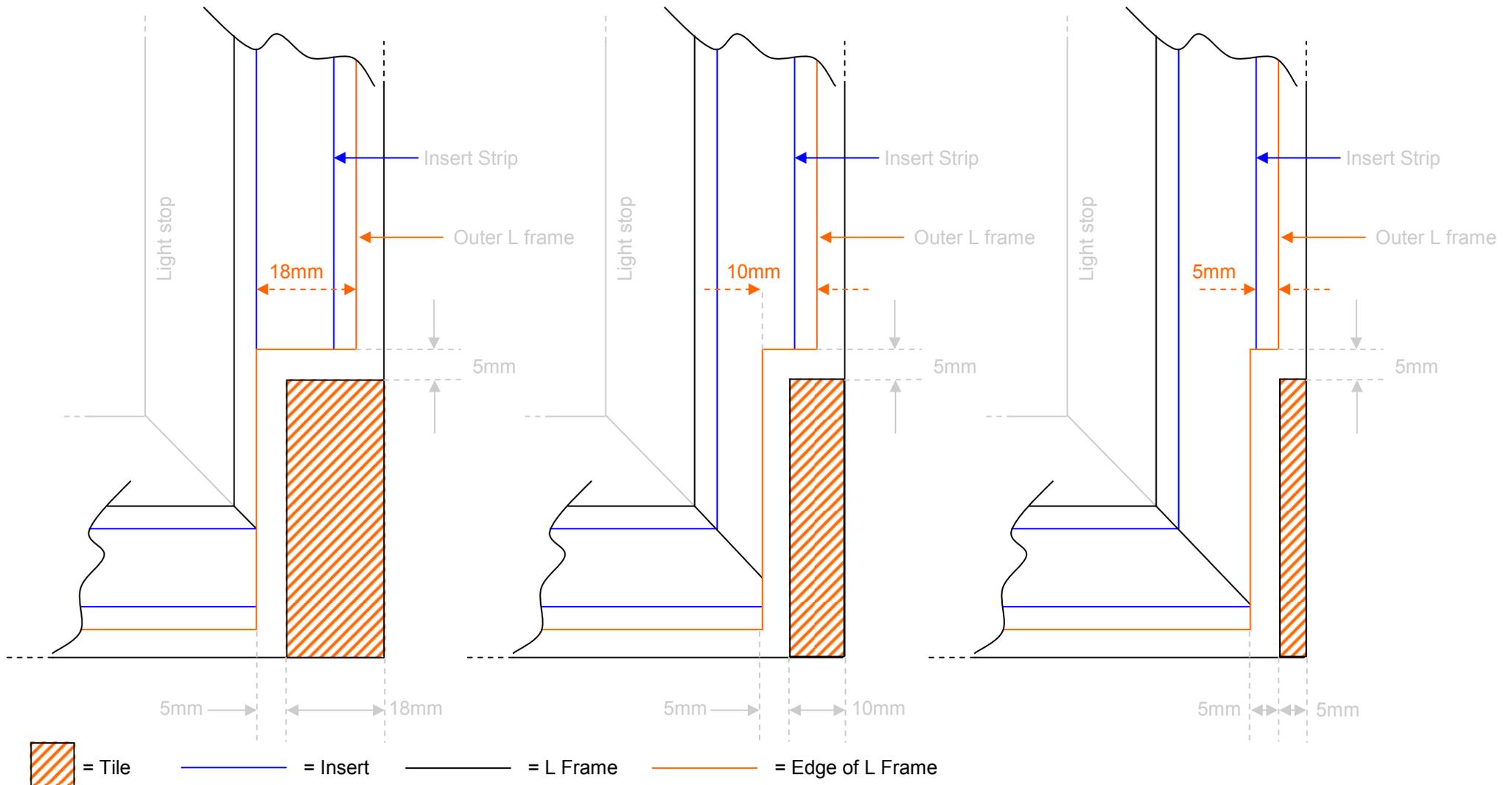
Tiled recess example sizes

Scale drawings showing 3 cut out sizes.

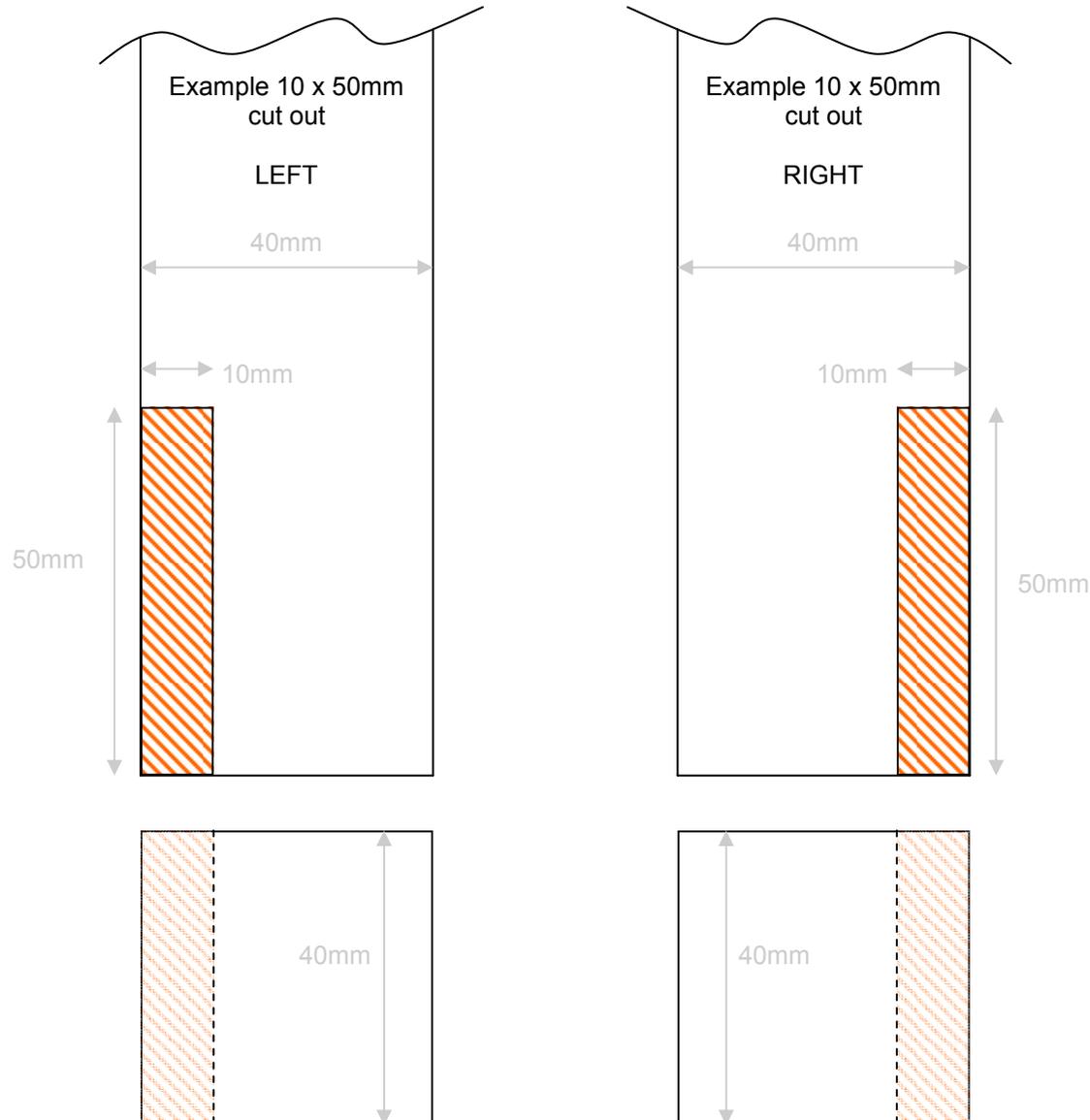
- 18mm (max)
- 10mm
- 5mm

MEASURING: TILED RECESS OPTION 2 CUT OUT EXAMPLES

These drawings show the bottom right hand corner of an L frame



MEASURING: INSIDE RECESS



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Tiles in the recess with battens

Battens can be cut around the tiles.

Measuring

Measure how far the tiles protrude each side (width) and the overall height.

The main recess width/height sizes are taken above the tiled area.

Clearance

When ordering 'Frame' size and entering exact sizes, allow 2mm clearance from your tile sizes to ensure the batten cut out fits neatly over the tiles. Gaps can be filled with decorators caulk.

Batten size

Wider battens are used when cut outs are required to provide more width to fix the shutter frame into. 40 x 40mm is the standard size. This can be customised in the battens section of the order form.

Ordering

There is a pre-set tile cut out option on the order form. Enter your cut out sizes and select the side of the battens that require the cut out (left or right).

When ordering cut outs in the frame, if you have ordered battens with cut outs the tile width and height sizes will be used for both the frame and batten.