

# Washers & Dryers

Buying a new washer and dryer is an exciting experience. We created this guide to help you collect the information you need to make choosing your new washer and dryer as easy as possible. Please use this guide to ensure your new appliances will fit in their space properly. A measurement off by as little as 1/4 inch can turn the excitement of your new purchase into a major inconvenience. Double-checking your measurements will help to ensure a smooth purchase and delivery.

An appliance returned because it will not fit will cost you (the customer) a delivery fee and possibly a restocking fee. For questions or concerns about dimensions, please contact us at, 1-800-336-9136

## Measure the Space

Fit?

Measuring the space is one of the most important steps before selecting a new washer and dryer

Measure the depth of the area where your washer and dryer will reside.

Right Side

Left Side \_\_\_\_\_

Measure the height of the space from the floor to the cabinet above if applicable. Measure both the left and right corners. This measurement is critical especially if you desire optional pedestals for front-load machines.

Right Corner\_\_\_\_\_

Left Corner

Measure the width of the space from any obstruction on the left to any obstruction on the right. Measure both the top and bottom of the area.

Top Width

Bottom Width \_\_\_\_\_







Is your laundry area enclosed in a closet-like area? The doors may restrict the available depth for your new washer / dryer.





# Walk the Path

Walking the path the installers will take is important to do before selecting a new washer and dryer

Measure any exterior doorways. The installers can remove the doors from the hinges if necessary.

**Exterior Doorway** 

Measure any interior doorways. Sometimes, interior doors are narrower than exterior doors.

Interior Doorways

Measure the stairway. Be sure to measure the width in multiple places especially if there is a turn.

Stairway Width





### Additional Issues

There are a few additional issues to address before you select a new washer and dryer

Please verify which laundry piece is on your right or left by facing the machines. Most common is for the washer to be on your left. Manufacturers produce the machines for this orientation. If your machines are the opposite, the doors will open inconveniently. It is possible to reverse the dryer door of most models and only a few washers. Which side is your washer?



Please verify if your dryer is gas or electric. A gas dryer has a normal 120v outlet. An electric dryer has a larger outlet with three or four prongs (holes).



All electric dryers do not come with a 220v cord. NFM can sell you a new 220v cord. Would you like to include a new cord on your order?

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Do you have a gas line shutoff if you have a gas dryer?



Our delivery team is qualified to safely connect a gas line for your gas dryer. There is an additional labor fee. Would you like to have us connect your gas line?





A flexible vent tube carries the hot exhaust from the dryer to outside of the home. For safety and liability purposes, NFM insists that it is made of some type of metal. Is your vent tube made of metal?

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Some homes require that the vent tube be routed from the side of the dryer. This requires additional procedures that a sales person can explain and set up. Does your dryer vent from the side?

Yes		No	
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Most washing machines do not come with hoses. Steam dryers also do not include hoses. NFM can sell you new hoses. Safer braided hoses are also available. NFM cannot attach used hoses. Would you like to purchase new hoses?

Yes	No
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Upper floors can affect balancing and sound transmission. Is your laundry room on an upper floor?



# BEFORE YOU GO, PLEASE TAKE A PICTURE OF YOUR LAUNDRY AREA.

#### The Fun Part! Selecting your new washer and dryer

Here at Nebraska Furniture Mart we offer many brands, styles and colors to choose from. Front-load laundry pairs are now very popular and energy efficient. Top-load washers have changed to offer new energysaving features.



### **Getting Ready for Delivery**

There are a few things to do before the delivery of your new washer and dryer.

Make sure you double-check all the measurements in your home for your new laundry including the height and width and depth. Answering all previous questions will not only save you time but will ensure a satisfying experience!

### Your New Washer and Dryer Arrives

Our delivery teams will make sure your delivery experience meets or exceeds your expectations.

- Our delivery teams are insured and qualified.
- We will provide you with a two hour window delivery notification the day prior to delivery.
- An individual 18 years or older must be present to receive the delivery.
- Our drivers will call you 30 minutes ahead of delivery.
- Both the washer and dryer will be leveled without the use of blocks or shims

- Your new washer will be connected and tested if you purchased new hoses.
- Your new dryer will be connected and tested if the vent tube is metallic and you purchased a new cord.
- Your new gas dryer will be connected and tested if our optional gas hook-up service is purchased (local delivery only.)
- The delivery team will haul away your old units if it has been pre-arranged.

# Another Job Well Done!

If you have any additional questions, don't hesitate to call or visit any of our salespeople. We will be more than happy to answer any of your questions. Most importantly, thank you for your business!