

The Rug Buying Cheat Sheet

Choose the perfect rug—faster, smarter, and without regrets.

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Rug Size Guide (By Room)

	Size	Notes
Living Room	8'x10' or 9'x12'	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Front legs of all furniture on the rug• Leave 12-18" between rug edge & wall
Bedroom	Full: 6'x9' Queen/King: 8'x10'	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Rug extends 18-24" beyond bed sides• Don't worry about going under nightstands
Dining Room	Common sizes: 8'x10', 9'x12'	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 24" extra on all sides of table (so chairs stay on rug)
Entryway / Hallway	Runner: 2'x6' or 2.5'x8'	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Make sure door clears the rug• Use rug tape or a non-slip pad

Rug vs. Floor Type

Hardwood	Wool, cotton (Contrast with floor tone)
Tile	Plush or Patterned (Add Rug Pad for grip)
Laminate	Low Pile, Neutral