

First, make sure your wheelchair meets the following criteria:

- 1. There is clear, unobstructed access to the down canes or arm rest tubes, and empty space for the device to fit between them.
- 2. Down canes or arm rest tubes must be either $\frac{3}{4}$ " (19.05mm), $\frac{7}{8}$ " (22.225mm) or 1" (25.4mm) in diameter for the clamps to attach to them.
- There must be an opening between the seat back and the seat cushion for the sheet to slide back and forth through.

Then, measure the distance between either the <u>down</u> canes or the arm rest tubes.

- ➤ If Paraglide will be attaching to the down canes of the wheelchair, measure the distance from (roughly) the centre of one down cane to the centre of the other down cane.
- ➤ Or, if Paraglide will be attaching to the arm rest tubes, measure the centre-to-centre distance from one arm rest tube to the other.

Note: Some wheelchairs may require slight modifications to meet the above criteria, like securing a privacy flap out of the way. A little creativity can go a long way!



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KEY POINTS

- ✓ Paraglide clamps need to be installed so that the top of the Paraglide drum is aligned with the top of the seat cushion, or as close as possible. So, when measuring your centre-to-centre distance, make sure your measuring tape is roughly in line with the seat cushion.
- ✓ If your measurement falls between two sizes, we recommend <u>ordering the larger of the two sizes</u> as long as there's enough room between the wheels of the wheelchair to fit the actual rotating Paraglide device.

	Down Cane or Arm Rest Tube Centre-to-Centre Distances (Min - Max widths)		Overall length of Paraglide device by size	
Paraglide Size	Inches	Millimetres	Inches/mm	
010011-100 (SMALL)	14.25 - 17.25"	362 - 438	17.2" (437mm)	*Make sure a
010011-101 (MED)	16.25 - 19.25"	413 - 489	19.2" (488mm)	device of this width will fit
010011-102 (LG)	18.25 - 21.25"	464 - 540	21.2" (538mm)	between the
010011-103 (XL)	20.25 - 23.25"	514 - 591	23.2" (589mm)	wheels of the
010011-104 (XXL)	22.25 - 25.25"	565 - 641	25.2" (640mm)	wheelchair.

^{*}Example: You measure the distance from centre-to-centre of the down canes, and that measurement equals 18.5". You see that this width will fit **either** a Medium or Large Paraglide. You then measure the distance between the wheels and get a measurement of 21.5". Since the Large Paraglide device will fit within that distance, **you would order the Large**.

If the distance between the wheels measured 19.75", however, the Large Paraglide device will not fit between them, so you would order a Medium.