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**Note:** Rough openings must be complete (with trimmers nailed off)  
Openings must be plumb, level & square with no bow or dip in the sill

Using a callout size when specifying a glass or acrylic block window is tough to do since partial blocks can't be used and you can't mix block sizes within a window. For every block you add, the window will grow by the size of the block. IE: adding 1 - 8 inch block to a window will increase the size of the window by 8 inches, adding 2 - 8 inch blocks will increase the size of the window by 16 inches. The frame of the glass/acrylic block window represents 2 inches for the frame is a one time addition. To determine the rough opening size add 2 1/2 inches to the number of blocks times the block size and you will get the rough opening.

**Example:** Window with 8 inch blocks that is 3 blocks wide & 4 blocks high.

	Frame	+	Clearance	Block	+	Block	+	Block	+	Block	=	Rough Opening
Width	2"	+	1/2"	8"	+	8"	+	8"	+	8"	=	26 1/2"
Height	2"	+	1/2"	8"	+	8"	+	8"	+	8"	=	35 1/2"

# of Blocks	Rough Opening Block Size		
	6"	8"	9"
1	8 1/2"	10 1/2"	11 1/2"
2	14 1/2"	18 1/2"	20 1/2"
3	20 1/2"	26 1/2"	29 1/2"
4	26 1/2"	34 1/2"	38 1/2"
5	32 1/2"	42 1/2"	47 1/2"
6	38 1/2"	50 1/2"	56 1/2"
7	44 1/2"	58 1/2"	65 1/2"
8	50 1/2"	66 1/2"	74 1/2"
9	56 1/2"	74 1/2"	83 1/2"
10	62 1/2"	82 1/2"	92 1/2"