

Know your door handing

A simple guide for residential entry doors



START HERE

Stand **OUTSIDE** and face the door.

1 Find the hinges: left or right.

2 Check the swing: in or out.

ALL DIAGRAMS ARE TOP VIEWS

You stay outside in every example.

Left-hand inswing

Hinges left • Opens away from you

INSIDE

HINGES

OUTSIDE



YOU ARE HERE

Right-hand inswing

Hinges right • Opens away from you

INSIDE

HINGES

OUTSIDE



YOU ARE HERE

Left-hand outswing

Hinges right • Opens toward you

INSIDE

HINGES

OUTSIDE



YOU ARE HERE

Right-hand outswing

Hinges left • Opens toward you

INSIDE

HINGES

OUTSIDE



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CHECK BEFORE YOU ORDER

This guide uses Therma-Tru residential handing. Other brands and commercial hardware may use different labels.

Tell us the hinge side and swing direction—or bring a photo—and we'll help confirm your selection.