Determining Your Hat Size  Heads come in all sizes, and in a surprising variety of shapes. Although fur felt hats, such as the Akubras we carry, are adaptable, and will usually conform to differences in shape with a little wearing, it is essential that the size be correct for the head.

To determine your hat size, measure your head using a flexible tape measure. If you do not have a tape measure, print our hat tape (on the following page) at full size and assemble. Our hat tape is about the width of the Akubra hat sweatbands. Measure the circumference around your head, keeping the tape level and firm, across the temples and above the eyebrow ridges. Check your measurement, as one size can make a difference in the fit.

Check the size chart given below. For in-between measurements use the next size up. For hats offered in S-M-L increments, determine your hat size first, then check to see which increment covers your hat size, as this often varies from one manufacturer to another. For the lightweight canvas hats for hot weather use you may prefer a hat a little larger than your normal size.

| Circumference of head where hat brim sits: |
| Inches | 21⅛ 21½ 21¾ 22 22⅛ 22⅜ 22½ 23 23⅛ 23⅜ 23½ 24 24⅛ 24⅜ 24½ 25 25⅛ |
| Metric Size | 54 55 56 57 58 59 60 61 62 63 64 65 |

Check the Fit  When your hat arrives, check the fit before wearing to make sure you have ordered the correct size:

1. The sweatband inside the hat should fit securely on the head without binding.
2. For some in-between sizes, and for some head shapes, greater comfort may be attained by placing felt pads inside the sweatband. Felt pads are enclosed with our fur-felt hats, Akubra hemp hats, Panama hats and wool felt hats.
3. The top of the crown should not be so low that it touches the top of your head and prevents the hat from coming down far enough to seat properly. If it does, with a leather or cloth hat you may need a smaller size. With an Akubra fur felt hat the top can be adjusted. Check the information sheet supplied with the hat. If the hat does not fit, recheck your hat size, and exchange your hat for the correct size. Hats in unused condition with all tags can be returned for exchange or refund within 90 days of purchase.

We carry Akubra fur-felt hats from Australia, Panama hats and a selection of other quality hats and caps. To learn more about the hats and hat accessories we offer, please visit us online at davidmorgan.com, request a copy of our print catalog, or visit us in person at our retail store located in Bothell, Washington.
David Morgan Hat Tape Printing Instructions

Step 1. Print this page and the following hat tape page at full size. Depending on your printer, the print dialog box should indicate 100% or page scaling of none. For browsers that don’t provide a scaling option when you print, download the PDF and open the file in Adobe Acrobat Reader.

Step 2. Check that the pages have printed at full size with the following print check using a straight edge ruler. The rectangle below is exactly 1 inch high by 6 inches wide, shaded in one inch increments.

Print Check

Step 3. Carefully cut out the three pieces of the hat tape along the dotted lines.

Step 4. Tape the end of B to Line B so the arrows match.

Step 5. Tape the end of C to Line C so the arrows match.

Step 6. Measure the circumference of your head, keeping the tape level and firm, across the temples and above the eyebrow ridges. Some people find it easiest to have a friend measure for them, making sure to keep the tape level and firm.

Step 7. The hat size where the end of the tape meets is your correct size. In-between measurement should use the next size up. We recommend checking your work by measuring twice.
3. The hat size where the end of the tape measures is your correct size. In-between
across the temples and above the eyebrow ridges.
2. Measure the circumference of your head, keeping the tape level and firm.

To find your correct hat size:

Your Hat Size

measurements should use the next size up
1. Assemble this hat tape

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