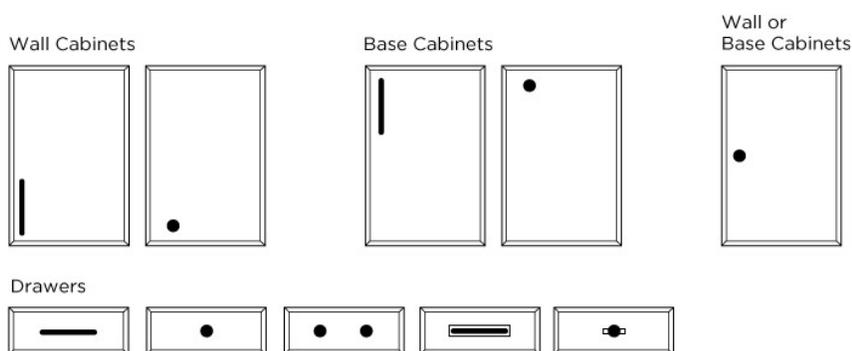


Cabinet Installation

Location of Hardware Although there are no set rules for where you mount your new GlideRite Hardware, most cabinet makers suggest you place hardware 3"- 4" from the non-hinged corner of base or wall cabinets. See diagram below for common concepts.



Mounting Hardware

When drilling for a knob or pull, a 3/16" hole is recommended for most styles. An exception are knobs that have "studs." A stud is simply an extension of the molded screw holes on the backside. If a knob has a stud, then a 1/4" hole is required with studs sitting firmly in the wood.

Screw Information

GlideRite Hardware includes regular 8-32 x 1" screws with most knobs and pulls because the typical cabinet door or drawer front is 3/4" thick. This screw length should work in most applications. However, if your cabinet doors or drawer fronts are thicker than 3/4", then you will need to use longer screws for mounting (Not included). In general, the screw length(s) used should be 1/4" longer than the thickness of your cabinet door or drawer front material. It is not uncommon for some drawers to be constructed with a 5/8" thick front attached to a 5/8" thick drawer box. In this situation, the total drawer thickness is 1-1/4", making a 1-1/2" long screw necessary for mounting. These screws may be purchased from GlideRite.com or any hardware store.

Tips

- Check the thickness of both your cabinet door and drawer front, as the thickness dimensions may not be the same.
- Some GlideRite hardware, including our crystal knobs and pulls, use a 4 mm screw instead of a #8-32 screw.
- Using a GlideRite Hardware Template will make your installation much easier to accurately level and mount your hardware like a Pro.

Mounting Pulls

How to choose the right size:

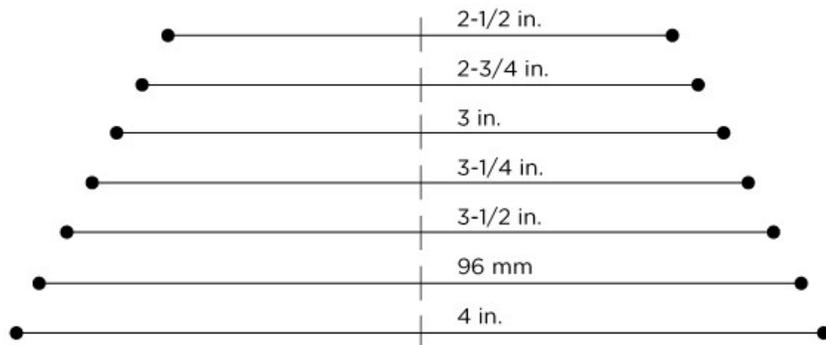
- View all of the sizes GlideRite Hardware has to offer.
- The most common size pull is the 3 and 96mm (3-3/4”).
- **Size is determined by measuring from hole to hole (center to center), NOT by the length of the pull itself.**

Installation Tips

If you are using a pull, you will want to determine the center to center spacing of the pull. 3" hole centers are the most common, however, GlideRite Hardware offers a wide assortment of sizes. You may want to purchase a GlideRite Hardware Template to mark the mounting holes prior to drilling. This will help ensure the mounting holes are level with the cabinet door or drawer edge and at the same location on every cabinet or drawer front.

NOTE: Example below is provided for illustration only. Do Not use this for drilling purposes as printers may provide template distortions.

Common Center to Center Measurements



Mounting Knobs

How to choose the right size:

- GlideRite Hardware has a wide variety of sizes, shapes and diameters.
- Choose the size that looks best in proportion to the size of your cabinet doors and drawers.
- To create a dramatic effect, consider choosing larger or smaller sized knobs from the GlideRite Hardware collection. Small sized knobs also work well on applications such as apothecary drawers, spice drawers, pullout cutting boards, etc.

Installation Tips

If you are installing a knob, it is suggested that you create or purchase a template to mark the mounting hole prior to drilling. This will help ensure the knob is positioned properly at the same location on every cabinet door or drawer front.

Replacing Hardware

Pulls

When replacing pulls, the choices are unlimited. You may choose to go with a pull with the same hole centers as your existing pull. **Pull size is determined by measuring from hole to hole, NOT by the length of the pull itself.** However, if you do choose to use a pull which is longer or shorter, the following information will assist you:

- On wall cabinets, reuse the bottom hole and drill a new top hole.
- On base cabinets, reuse the top hole and drill a new bottom hole.
- On drawers, realign in the center and drill two new holes (our GlideRite Hardware Template will make this easy for you.)

Knobs

When replacing knobs, nothing is easier, simply unscrew your old outdated knob. While leaving the old screw in place, screw on your new knob.

BackPlates

If you are switching sizes of pulls, or from a knob to a pull, or from a pull to a knob, there may be one or more exposed holes in the cabinet surface. To find the solution to this situation, you may choose to use a back plate.

- A Back Plate is used in combination with a knob or a pull. It is placed between the cabinet door or drawer surface and the knob or pull.
- A back plate will help to protect wood surfaces as well as visually enhance the existing hardware.

1. Switching from pull to knob
2. Switching to a smaller pull
3. Switching from knob to pull

