

MOVING VAN SIZING GUIDE

Welcome to Your Moving Van Sizing Guide from Man and Van Coulsdon!

Planning a move can be overwhelming, but selecting the right van doesn't have to be. This guide is designed to help you determine the best van size for your specific needs, ensuring your move is efficient and hassle-free. Let's dive in!

Van Size Overview

1. Small Van

Perfect For: Studio flats or small apartment moves.

- **Capacity:** Approximately 3-4 cubic metres.
- **Ideal For:** Moving a few boxes, a single bed, or small furniture like chairs or a desk.
- **Best Suited For:** Students or individuals with minimal belongings.

2. Medium Van

Perfect For: One to two-bedroom flats.

- **Capacity:** Approximately 7-10 cubic metres.
- **Ideal For:** Sofas, double beds, several boxes, and medium-sized appliances.
- **Best Suited For:** Couples or small families moving within the local area.

3. Large Van

Perfect For: Two to three-bedroom homes.

- **Capacity:** Approximately 12-15 cubic metres.
- **Ideal For:** Multiple furniture items, several boxes, and larger appliances.
- **Best Suited For:** Families relocating to new areas.

4. Extra-Large Van

Perfect For: Larger homes or extensive moves.

- **Capacity:** 15+ cubic metres.
- **Ideal For:** Full house contents, multiple bedrooms' worth of furniture, and larger items like wardrobes and dining tables.
- **Best Suited For:** Larger families or those moving a significant distance.

Contact Us!

Ready to Book Your Van? At Man and Van Coulsdon, we are dedicated to providing exceptional service tailored to your moving needs. When you're ready to book, simply reach out for an instant quote!

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Factors to Consider When Choosing a Van

Assess Your Belongings

- **Create an Inventory:** List all items you plan to move, including furniture, appliances, and boxes.
- **Categorise Items:** Organise them by size to better estimate the space needed.

Access and Parking

- **Loading and Unloading Areas:** Consider the size and access of your current and new properties. Narrow streets may require a smaller van.
- **Check for Parking Restrictions:** Ensure you understand local regulations regarding parking during your move.

Distance of Move

- **Local Moves:** A small to medium van is usually sufficient.
- **Long-Distance Moves:** Opt for a larger van to accommodate more items and ensure fewer trips.

Packing Tips for a Successful Move

Pack Efficiently

- **Use Sturdy Boxes:** Ensure all boxes are durable and can hold weight without breaking.
- **Wrap Fragile Items:** Use bubble wrap or packing paper for protection.

Label Your Boxes

- **Clear Labels:** Write the contents and the intended room on each box to simplify unpacking later.
- **Colour Coding:** Consider using different colours for various rooms for quick identification.

Maximise Space in the Van

- **Disassemble Furniture:** Take apart larger items to save space and make them easier to handle.
- **Fill Empty Spaces:** Use soft items like blankets or clothes to fill gaps, preventing movement during transit.

