

# Select Sling Size

## Measure

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## For Active Slings and Active Flites Sling (3 steps)

The sling size depends on the patient's body shape, what kind of lift is being used, and on the attachment of the sling. For best result try out the sling on the patient.

Each sling size has its own colour, which is found on the binding of the sling. (See Fig. 1).

1. Place the sling around the patient's waist.
2. Close the support belt and make sure it overlaps with enough margin at approximately 10 cm (4 inches).
3. Make sure the sling attachments reach the lift. If the attachment doesn't reach, change to another sling size.

## For Arjo Wipeable Standing Clip Sling (2 steps)

The patient's physical disabilities, weight distribution and general physique need to be taken into consideration when selecting a sling.

1. Measure the patient's waist in seated position.
2. Select a sling size that is closest to that measurement (See table below). In case of doubt choose the smaller one. Each sling size has its own colour which is found on the print on the outside of the sling.

To double-check your size selection, align the flap fold with patient's side (See Fig. 2). If the sling is too small, this flap fold will be too far back (See Fig. 3). If the sling is too large, the flap fold will be further in the front (See Fig. 4).

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Fig. 1



Article number	Product description	Waist size in cm (in)			
		S	M	L	XL
TSS.50XW	Arjo Wipeable Standing Clip Sling	64-84 cm (25" - 33")	76-104 cm (30" - 41")	88-124 cm (34½" - 49")	108-160 cm (42½" - 63")

