

What power reading glasses do I need?

Print out this page and find the power you need.

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You simply need to look at the chart below and determine your reading glasses strength. Just follow a few simple steps:

- You need to take the test without wearing any glasses
- The chart should be around 14 to 16 inches away from you
- Start reading the chart from top
- If you can't read the first line, move to the next
- Continue until you reach a line which you can entirely read clearly
- The number beside the line which you can read clearly is the reading glasses strength that suits you the best

If you can read this line clearly, your power is	+ 1.00
If you can read this line clearly, your power is	+ 1.25
If you can read this line clearly, your power is	+ 1.50
If you can read this line clearly, your power is	+ 1.75
If you can read this line clearly, your power is	+ 2.00
If you can read this line clearly, your power is	+ 2.25
If you can read this line clearly, your power is	+ 2.50
If you can read this line clearly, your power is	+ 2.75
If you can read this line clearly, your power is	+ 3.25

Tip: Make sure to remove your glasses when you use the diopter chart. If you have different vision needs in your right and left eye, simple cover up one eye at a time to test each eye individually.