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What's Your Gown Length Style?

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You may have the shape, style and details in mind, but you're wondering about the perfect length for you. A formal gown is almost always floor-length, although formal afternoon could have you in a cocktail-length with no rules broken. Your decision could be made by your personal style in dress lengths. Some women hate their knees or their calves, their ankles or their propensity for comfier shoes. So they choose a dress length that allows them to mask their perceived deficiencies. Some, by contrast, love their legs and want a dress to show them off.

Here are the lengths to consider

- *Ankle-length*: Reaches right to your ankles, hemmed to a flattering point with the shoes you'll be wearing.
- *Ballerina*: A full skirt that extends to just above the ankles.

- *Floor length:* The skirt reaches just to the floor, a very formal look.
- *Intermission:* Also cocktail length, this one reaches to anywhere between the knee and the ankle.
- *Hi-low:* A dual-level dress, it reaches to Intermission length in the front, and extends back to floor length in the back.
- *Knee-length:* The skirt reaches to just below the knee.

***Tea-length:* The skirt reaches to middle of the shin**