

Installation and Care Instructions

Vertical Blind Collection



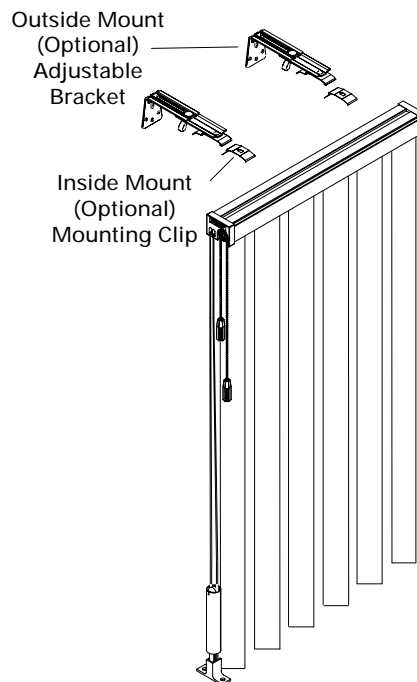
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Getting Started

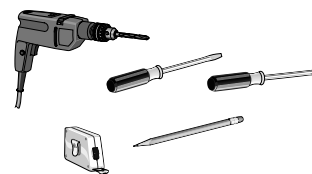
- Remove headrail, vanes and valance (if applicable) from package. Do not discard any of the packaging material until the blind operates to your satisfaction.
- Check the diagram below to make sure you have the necessary parts.
- Contents of your hardware package may vary depending upon whether the headrail is mounted inside or outside the window.






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Tools needed for installing your blind:

- Drill
- Flat Blade Screwdriver
- Measuring Tape
- Pencil
- Phillips Screwdriver



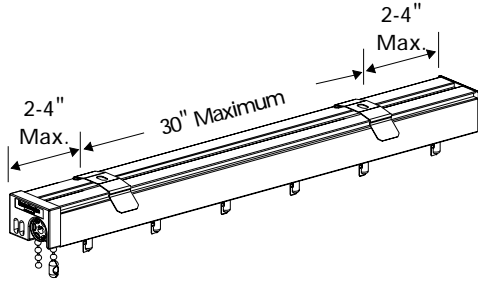
In addition, you will need fasteners designed to work with your specific mounting surfaces:

Mounting Surface	Fastener
Drywall, Plaster	Wall Anchors, Expansion Bolts 
Metal	Sheet Metal Screws 
Wood	No. 6 Hex Head Screws 

1 Inside Mount

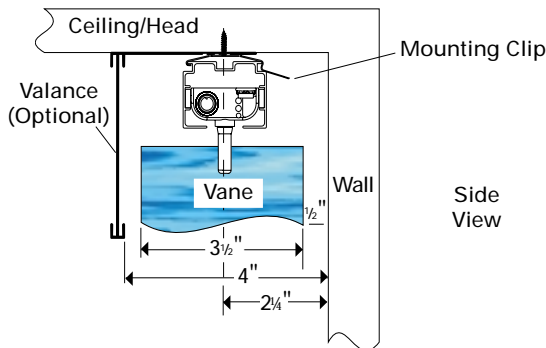
- Mark mounting clip locations between 2" to 4" from each end of the headrail. Evenly space intermediate clips between end clips at 30" intervals (see Illustration A). Measure depth to allow 1/4" clearance between vane and window (i.e. 2 1/4" for 3 1/2" vanes).

Illustration A



- If no valance is included, install mounting clips as in Illustration B and skip Step 5. Otherwise, continue with instructions.
- Mark drill holes 3" from each end of valance and evenly space intermediate drill holes between the end holes at 30" intervals. **NOTE:** Inside surface of the valance has three parallel lines; align drill holes with centerline.
- Hold valance in position and drill through valance and into ceiling.
- Insert screw through mounting clip and tighten valance against ceiling into finished mounting position (see Illustration B).
- Center headrail underneath mounting clips.

Illustration B

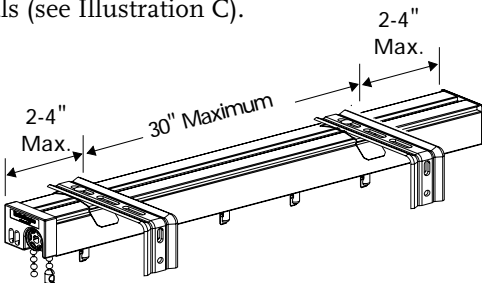


- Tilt headrail and insert into the front ledge of the mounting clips. Push and roll headrail toward rear of blind and snap into place.
- To remove headrail, locate rear tab on mounting clip.
- Push up on mounting clip tab to release the track.

2 Outside Mount

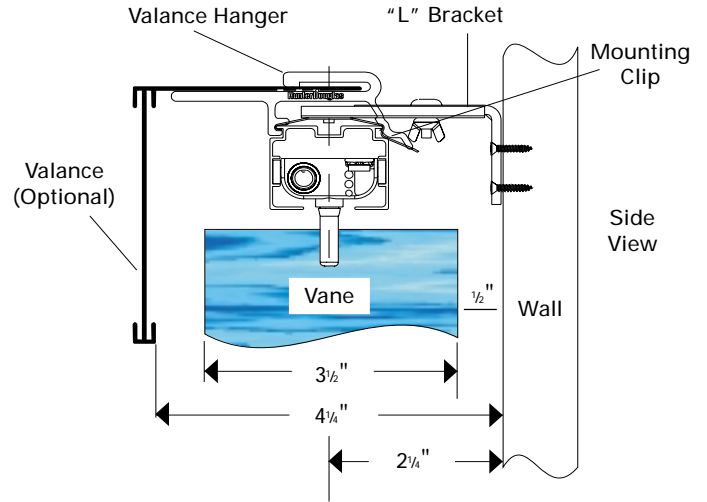
- Mount "L" brackets 2" to 4" from each end of the headrail. Evenly space intermediate brackets between end brackets at 30" intervals (see Illustration C).

Illustration C



- Adjust mounting clips to allow 1/2" clearance between vane and wall (i.e. 2 1/4" for 3 1/2" vane).
- Center headrail underneath mounting brackets.
- Tilt headrail and insert into the front ledge of the mounting brackets. Pull and roll headrail toward the rear of blind and snap into place.
- If valance is included, "snap" on a valance hanger next to each "L" bracket (see Illustration D).
- Center valance in relation to the headrail and slide into valance hanger.

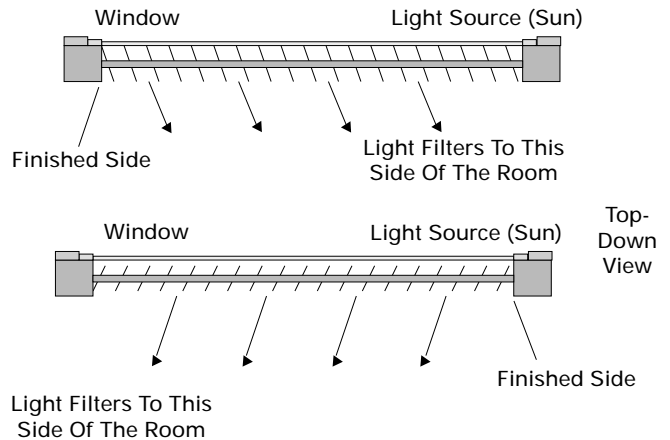
Illustration D



3 Attach Vanes

- Determine desired light/view direction from the customer (see Illustration E).
- Rotate vane hooks so the slot between the long and the short prong is facing you.
- Push vane into hook until it "snaps" into place.

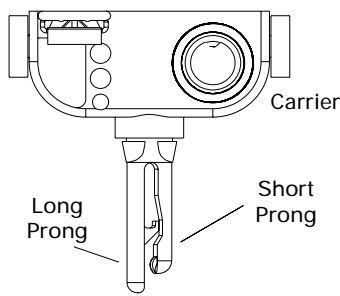
Illustration E



4 Remove Vanes

- Gently open vane hook by inserting a credit card-size piece of rigid plastic between the vane and the long prong of the vane hook (see Illustration F).
- Gently remove vane.

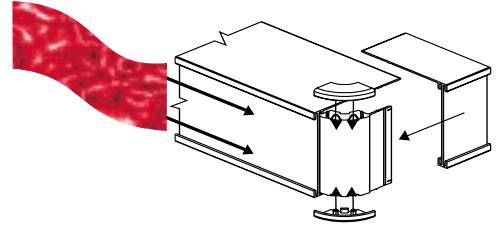
Illustration F



Single-tiered universal round corner

- Install corners onto ends of valance.
- Slide the valance returns onto the valance corners.
- Cut valance insert material 6" longer than the total length of the valance and the returns and install.
- Install molded valance corner caps into valance corners.

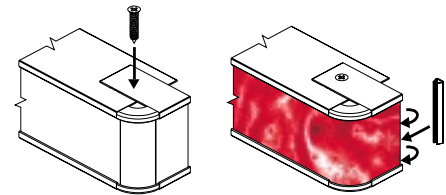
Illustration J



NOTE: Cut PVC flush with end of return and secure with valance return clip. For fabric, wrap around back of return and secure with valance return clip.

- Use a (#4) 1/2" screw to secure the valance return to the valance dust cover. Trim excess material.

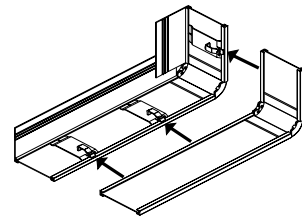
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Double-tiered universal round corner

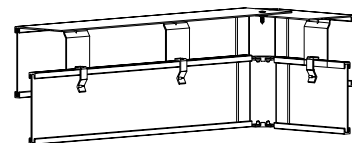
- To install the double-tiered universal round corner, follow instructions for the single-tiered valance. The corner caps are installed only on the top of the upper valance and on the bottom of the lower valance.

Illustration L



- Install valance hangers in back lips of the (upper) dust covered valance, and space 24" apart plus each return.

Illustration M



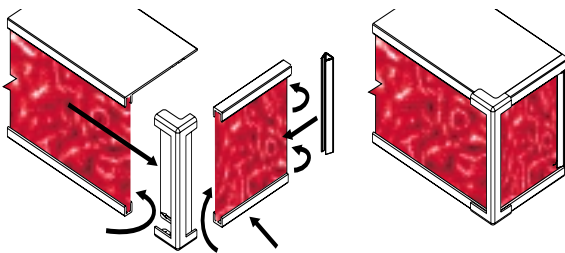
- For an inside mount, place mounting screws through mounting clip and locate in rear groove of the dust cover.

5 Valance Assembly

Single-tiered closed square corner

- Cut fabric insert 1" longer than the valance at each end.
- Position fabric and wrap excess around ends.
- Hold fabric in place with closed corner.
- Cut fabric flush with end of return groover.
- Repeat on returns and insert a valance return clip.

Illustration G



NOTE: Cut PVC flush with end of return and secure with valance return clip. For fabric, wrap around back of return and secure with valance return clip.

Single-tiered open square corner

- Cut fabric long enough to wrap around corner and cover the entire return plus at least 1" excess.
- Install open corner and valance returns.
- Insert fabric, wrap over open corner and return.
- Wrap excess fabric at wall end of valance return and secure with a valance return clip.

Illustration H

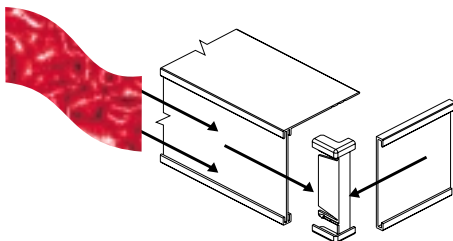


Illustration I

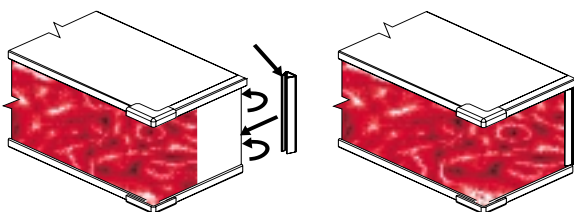
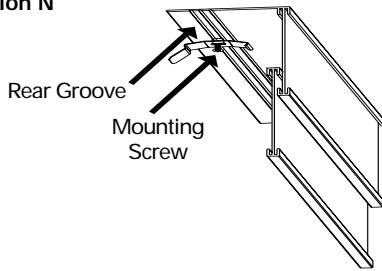
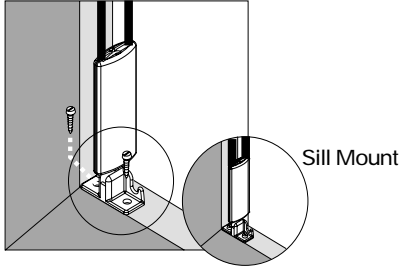


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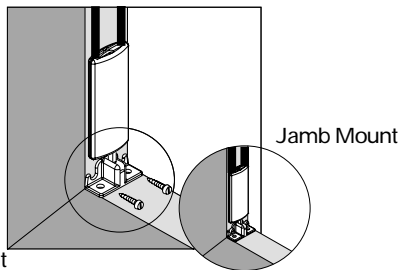


6 Cord Tensioner and Cord Length

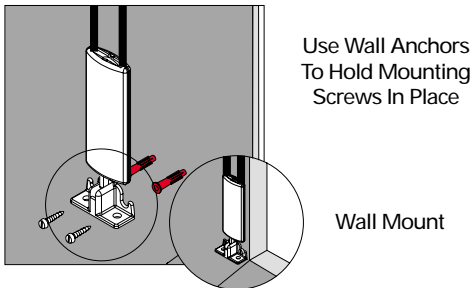
Version One: Sill Mount



Version Two: Jamb Mount

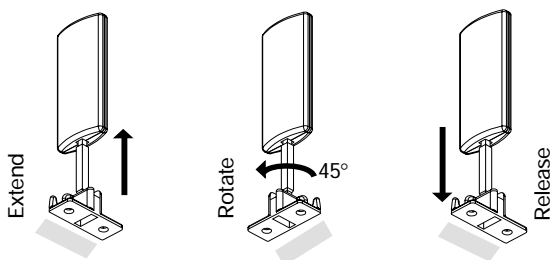


Version Three: Wall Mount



7 Cord Tensioning

- Establish preferred mounting location. If cord adjustment is required, see instructions below.
- Fully extend tensioning device, rotate post 45 degrees, and lock into extended position.
- Locate mounting position.
- Hold cord taut with cord tensioning device in extended position and insert screws.

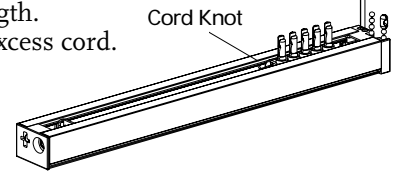


8 Cord Adjustment

To reduce cord length on Side Draw:

- Release tension on cord.
- Place blind in open position.
- Locate cord knot in front of lead carrier.
- Pull cord to desired length.
- Tie knot and then cut excess cord.
- Reset cord tensioner.

Side Draw
Carriers In
Open
Position

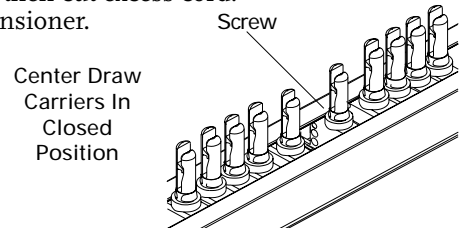


To reduce cord length on Center Draw:

- Release tension on cord.
- Place blind in closed position.
- Locate cord ends in front of lead carrier.
- Select cord ends that adjusts cord length only; if carrier movement is observed select other cord.

CAUTION: Cutting the wrong cord will cause irreparable damage.

- Pull cord to the desired length.
- Tie knot and then cut excess cord.
- Reset cord tensioner.



9 Care and Cleaning

Dusting

Regular light dusting with a feather duster is all the cleaning that is needed in most circumstances.

Vacuuming

Use a hand-held vacuum with low suction for more thorough dust removal.

Spot Cleaning

Prepare a solution of warm water and mild dishwashing detergent. Dampen a clean cloth in the solution and wring it out. Dab the spot with the dampened cloth until it is gone.

NOTE: Vertical fabrics should not be spot cleaned or immersed in water.

Compressed Air

You can use compressed air or a hair dryer (non-heat setting) to blow the dust off your valance.



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