

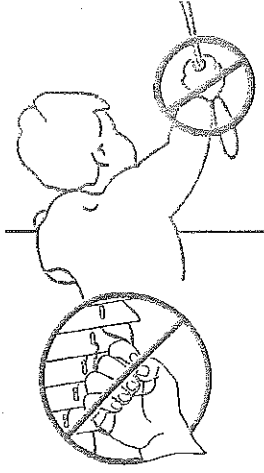


Aluminium Venetian Blind Preparation and Fixing Instructions

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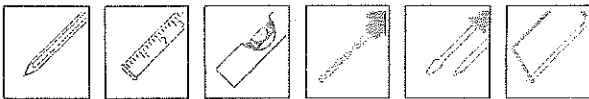


WARNING
Young children can be strangled by loops in pull cords, chains, tapes and inner cords that operate the product. To avoid strangulation and entanglement, keep cords out of the reach of young children. Cords may become wrapped around a child's neck. Move cots and furniture away from window covering cords. Do not tie cords together. Make sure cords do not twist and create a loop.

Persons in charge of children are ultimately responsible for following the safety instructions provided by the manufacturer and to use any safety device supplied.

Tools Required

WARNING - Care should be taken when handling tools. Please ensure you use the appropriate personal protection equipment such as gloves and eye protection.



Pack Contents

Blind
Fixing Brackets
Screw Pack
Tilt Wand
Cleat

Fitting the child safety cleat

The child safety cleat (see fig 1.) is designed to keep loose cords out of reach of young children and avoid the risk of strangulation

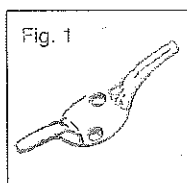
The cleat shall be installed as close to the headrail as possible and, in all cases, not less than 1.5m from the floor.

Mark and secure the cleat with fixings provided, ensure that the fixing is secure.

Each time the blind is operated the cords should ALWAYS be wrapped around the cleat to ensure that they cannot be reached by young children.

Check the cords at regular intervals to ensure they have not become entangled and formed a loop.

Please note: the cleat pictured may differ from that supplied.



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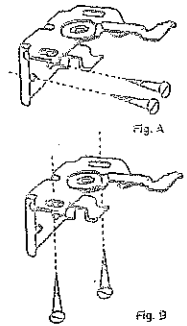
Fixing the brackets

Headrails shall not be installed less than 1.5m from the floor

Your blind can be fitted either inside or outside the recess of the window. The brackets can be either fixed to the face of the window or wall, or top fixed - see figs. A & B

Mark the position of the brackets, ensuring that the blind is centered and level. Secure the brackets using the appropriate fixings.

Fix the headrail of the blind onto the brackets and lock into position by rotating the arm on the bracket against the headrail.



Reducing the width of the blind

The width of your venetian blind can be reduced by up to 105mm (4ins) per side.

The headrail and bottom rail can be trimmed with a fine toothed hacksaw. Remove the end caps. Cut the headrail to size and replace the end caps.

To maintain the shaped finish of the slats, and for accurate cuts, it is recommended that a slat cutter be used (available separately). Alternatively each slat can be cut with a pair of sharp scissors.

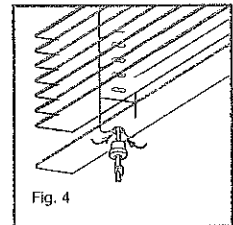
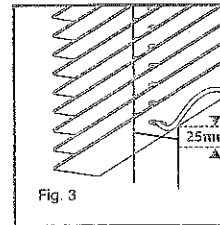
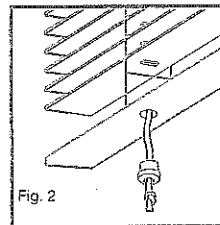
Reducing the drop of the blind

With the blind fully lowered remove the plugs in the bottom rail and untie the knot in the lift cord. (Fig.2)

Remove the base rail and surplus slats.

Cut off the excess ladder cord ensuring that at least 25mm (1ins.) surplus remains. (Fig.3)

Replace the bottom rail, re-thread the lift cord and re-tie the knot in the end of the lift cord. Tuck the surplus ladder cord into the bottom rail, securing it with the plugs. (Fig.4)



Positioning the cord stops

Install the blind. Lower the blind to its maximum drop and lock into place.

Measure the distance from the headrail to cord stops. If cord stops are 25-50mm (1-2") below the headrail, no further adjustment is needed. Your blind is ready for use. (Fig.5)

If cord stops ARE NOT 25-50mm (1-2") below headrail loosen, but do not untie the knot surrounding the headrail. (Fig 6)

Push both the cord stop and the loosened knot toward the headrail until the cord stop is 25-50mm (1-2") below the headrail. Hold cord stop in place and pull firmly on the pull cord to re-tighten the knot. (Fig. 7)

Repeat steps for each cord stop.

