At MySmartBlinds, we look for modern-day solutions to everyday problems. We strive to make products that are cutting edge, innovative, and ahead of their time. Our window coverings are custom-made of premium materials, designed to help homeowners elevate their home’s style, efficiency, simplicity, security, and privacy.

At MySmartBlinds, we offer custom-made blinds to fit in any window frame snugly and securely. Our patented SmartLock technology allows homeowners to snap MySmartBlinds in place in seconds with the push of a lever. Window covering installation has never been so simple or so smart. Our blinds are truly customizable - with options for automation, color customization, and mount type. We also offer the Automation Kit, which adapts standard 2 1/2” horizontal blinds into smart blinds. With the Kit, users can quickly install our patented motor in their blinds and have immediate smartphone connectivity, allowing them to schedule events for their blinds to open and close, as well as enable sun-tracking and Energy Savings mode. We also offer a Smart Switch that sticks to walls, cabinets, or other furniture and removes from its wall plate for handheld capability to adjust the blinds and override scheduled preferences. Our solar panel charges the battery whenever it is exposed to daylight, and we offer a micro-USB charger for those customers with windows that aren’t exposed to direct light.

Window coverings that are truly smart are hard to come by. There are several remote-controlled window coverings on the market, and the few that are smart require users to have a hub in order to control tilting. Although we are developing connectivity to the cloud, and plan to have compatibility with Amazon Echo by early 2018, with other hubs to follow, homeowners without a hub can easily use our products, as they operate on Bluetooth LE. MySmartBlinds’ smart capabilities enable users to control the light and temperature in their home, as well as increase privacy and maintain security. In addition to being the best brand on the market for smart window coverings, we are also the only brand with a retrofit solution for existing blind owners that want to upgrade to automation.

Our CEO and Founder, Emily Brimhall, came up with the idea behind MySmartBlinds when struggling to install blinds in her home. She believed that homeowners could get light control, privacy, and security, without a toolbox and without hiring help. MySmartBlinds were born on the idea that automated window coverings can be simple and as smart as their users. With MySmartBlinds, homeowners can maintain their home’s security, temperature, privacy, and light, all in one convenient place.

Our products are simple to install, simple to use, and simply take care of everyday tasks, so people can focus on the things in their lives that matter most.

Our obsession with improving products to fit the needs of our customers drives the quality of our brand. Our mission is and always has been to make our products as smart as the people using them. By creating such simple and intuitive products, we have made it possible for everyone to be a smart homeowner. We are simple. We are solar. We are smart.

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Is the Automation Kit compatible with my blinds?
The MySmartBlinds Automation Kit is designed to automate all major brands of 2-2.5" horizontal blinds. The Kit is not compatible with vertical blinds, mini blinds, cordless lift blinds, roller shades, or shutters.

Do I need a hub to control MySmartBlinds from my smartphone?
No. MySmartBlinds work without a hub. Simply download the app and turn on Bluetooth to control MySmartBlinds from a smart device. Amazon Echo compatibility will be released early 2018.

Do MySmartBlinds work outside of Bluetooth range?
Yes. Every MySmartBlinds motor has onboard memory. When a schedule is created from a smart device, the blinds reliably function on that schedule, even when the device is out of range. For on demand control from a smart device, users do need to be in Bluetooth range.

What devices do the MySmartBlinds app work with?
The MySmartBlinds app can be downloaded on Google Play and the App Store. The app is compatible with Apple devices running iOS 10 or newer and these Android devices with the latest software: Samsung Galaxy S7 + S8, Samsung Note 8, Google Pixel, and Google Nexus 5.

Where can MySmartBlinds be purchased?
We sell and ship internationally at MySmartBlinds.com.

How can multiple people in the same household operate MySmartBlinds?
To grant blind control to multiple members of a household, simply download the MySmartBlinds app to all desired devices and use the same login and password. All schedules, room settings, and other preferences will be the same across all devices.

Can MySmartBlinds control the temperature of my home?
Built into the MySmartBlinds motor is a temperature sensor that can be utilized to control the blinds based on how hot or cold it is inside your home. This smart communication between the motor and the blinds can lead to savings on heating and cooling bills.

How long does the MySmartBlinds battery last?
The custom lithium battery needs periodic charging depending on the blinds’ size and usage. On average, the battery should hold a charge for approximately six months. The solar panel eliminates the need for periodic charging. If sunlight reaches your window, we highly recommend purchasing the solar panel for the best experience.

How do MySmartBlinds compare to other automated window coverings?
There are a lot of things that differentiate MySmartBlinds from other automated window coverings. Some of the most notable differences are the ability the Automation Kit has to transform existing blinds into smart blinds, smartphone operation sans hub, battery level updates sent directly to your smartphone, the maintenance of manual control of your blinds, solar charging, and the Smart Switch’s ability to control up to 32 blinds.
Alexa, You Can Now Open MySmartBlinds
Tech startup asks for Kickstarter support as it reaches for the cloud

PROVO, October 11, 2017 – Home automation company MySmartBlinds, who released their smartphone-controlled, solar-powered window blinds in 2016, have set their sights high and are headed for the cloud.

The MySmartBlinds hub, which is set to launch on Kickstarter on November 1, will give new and existing MySmartBlinds users access to their window coverings through their Amazon Echo. This means in addition to energy savings, sun-tracking, in-app scheduling, and solar charging, MySmartBlinds users will now be able to enjoy voice control and access their blinds when they are away from home. Pretty smart.

"Bringing Bluetooth control to the cloud will give us access to so many home automation systems in 2018," said MySmartBlinds CEO and Founder Emily Brimhall. MySmartBlinds will listen to Alexa after the hub is delivered to Kickstarter backers, and throughout the year, the hub will allow MySmartBlinds to connect with Google Home, Samsung SmartThings, Apple HomeKit, and more.

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MySmartBlinds Review
In the world of home automation, it seems like you can pretty much get anything now.
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The Best Smart Blinds for Your Smart Home
Smart blinds are one of the coolest pieces of smart technology that currently exist.
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My "Really" Smart Blinds
Today I received a product that I'm really excited about. It is the retrofit Automation Kit made by MySmartBlinds.
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Smart home devices are taking the world by storm, carrying out all those mundane, repetitive tasks that regularly distract us from what really matters.
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5 Cool Apps to Make Your Home Smarter
All you need is a smartphone to turn your house into a smart home.
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How the internet of things came to be
This week’s IoT Podcast starts with a focus on security, beginning with bot bricking connected devices, IKEA's smart lights, and Microsoft’s Project Sopris efforts.
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MySmartBlinds adds window automation
We have been looking for solutions to automate our window coverings for some time.
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Utah companies make a strong showing at CES 2017
The Consumer Electronics Show draws tech enthusiasts and innovators from across the world each year to showcase the newest and greatest tech products - and CES’s 50th anniversary in Las Vegas was no different.
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DigiCert earns IoT award, MySmartBlinds introduces new blinds, Social Security Admin blogs
Lindon company introduces simple-to-install automated blinds.
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MySmartBlinds Review
Back in October of 2014 I backed my first Kickstarter project - a set of devices to make blinds "smart."
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The Best Automated Blinds and Why You Need Them
One of the most amazing things about the smart home field is that every week, there's a new household item that's been automated and computerized.
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13 Top Smart Home Blinds Solutions
In our continuing search for the best smart home technology available, we're now covering the innovative field of smart home blinds.
Date of publication: October 18, 2016
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5 Smart Blinds Controllers for Smart Homes
So you want to control your blinds with your smartphone? You don't have to spend a fortune on a smart home automation system to get started.
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Automation Kit

The MySmartBlinds Automation Kit uses Bluetooth technology to control tilting 2.25” horizontal blinds. Simply install the included hardware, download the free MySmartBlinds app to your smart device, and create daily or weekly schedules immediately. Maintain the same level of light in your home—even when the seasons change, with the sun-tracking feature. Save energy with Energy Savings mode, which enables your blinds to close when your home reaches a specified temperature. The MySmartBlinds automation hardware fits in the blind tray of all major brands of horizontal blinds and is compatible with Apple devices running iOS 10 or newer and these Android devices with the latest software: Samsung Galaxy S7 + S8, Samsung Note 8, Google Pixel, and Google Nexus 6.

Included in the Kit
Motor box
Battery pack
Manual switch
Rod adapters for all tilt rod shapes
Cable clips to manage cords
Rubber tubing ends for tilt rod

Blinds

MySmartBlinds are the world’s first custom-made automated blinds that install in seconds with the push of a lever. No tools required! The blinds come equipped with SmartLock technology that combines friction, adhesion, and compression to fit the blinds securely and precisely in your window frame. With 2 1/2” slats made of high-quality faux wood, our blinds give you better privacy and a larger viewing area of the outdoors than the average blind, all with the timeless look of shutters. Like all MySmartBlinds products, the 2 1/2” blinds reflect our attention to detail and high-quality craftsmanship. Our blinds offer durability and warp resistance and are the preferred choice for humid conditions, such as those found in kitchens, bathrooms, and garages.

Hub

The MySmartBlinds hub brings Bluetooth connection to the cloud, allowing you to connect your blinds with your smart home. Enjoy all of the MySmartBlinds features you love, plus voice control and blind control outside of Bluetooth range.

The hub will connect with these home automation systems in 2018:
Amazon Echo
Google Home
Samsung SmartThings
Apple HomeKit

Smart Switch

The MySmartBlinds Smart Switch is the perfect companion for your light switch. Control up to 32 blinds on a single switch. The Smart Switch is functional for wall use as well as remote use. For wall use, simply peel and stick the switch to your wall, furniture, or cabinet—no tools required! The remote is removable and can be used anywhere within Bluetooth range. This product adds additional convenience for those times you need privacy or light at unscheduled times.

Solar panel

The solar panel is the perfect addition to MySmartBlinds. Skip periodic battery charging and keep your battery powered with solar energy. The panel attaches easily to the backside of your blinds, and by harnessing the power of the sun, converts solar energy into electricity, keeping the MySmartBlinds battery pack charged and eliminating the need to plug it in.

Included with solar panel
Solar panel cable
2 adjustable solar panel clips
4 adhesive strips
Antiseptic wipe

Charging cable

If your blinds are out of the path of sunlight, you can easily and safely charge your battery with the MySmartBlinds micro-USB charging cable. The MySmartBlinds battery lasts approximately six months (time varies due to usage and size of blinds).
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